



Dear Parish Family,

Thank you to all those who picked up their *Legacy for our Mission* capital campaign packets. Please review prayerfully the contents of the packets. Special thanks to all those who helped distribute them and all those who are helping with the campaign.

The volunteer appreciation dinner this weekend is our way of saying thanks to all those who give of their time and talent to the parish. All the wonderful ministries this parish offers are only possible because of your generosity. Likewise, the parish could not function administratively without the gift of your time and talent. Many of you volunteer in one ministry; many others volunteer in multiple ministries. Some volunteer in very visible ways; others volunteer behind the scenes. For example, our Liturgical ministers are very visible to us. One important group that we do not see are those who stuff bulletins and prepare mailings that help keep us informed about all that is happening in the parish. The parish, the parish staff, and I want to thank all our wonderful volunteers!!!!

Finally, on Monday evening, October 31, Little Flower will host a neighborhood Halloween party from 6 to 8 p.m. in Duffy Hall, the Parish Social Hall. Please make plans for your children to attend. There will be candy, games, food, and a costume contest.

Have a great week.

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Please welcome into our Christian Community **Robert Joseph son of Robert and Holly (Mauer) Martin and Ariana Rose daughter of Philip and Ashley (Cleveland) Catio** baptized on October 16, 2005.

CONGRATULATIONS to Cory McNulty and Carissa Schneider, married at Little Flower on Saturday, Oct 8th and to Kyle Laprees and Katie Andrews, married at Little Flower on Saturday, October 15th.



St. Vincent de Paul Society of Little Flower is getting ready for the Thanksgiving food distribution. **At this time we need canned sweet potatoes, cranberry sauce, canned veggies, boxes of instant potatoes and stuffing mix.** If you can help, deposit your donation in the St. Vincent de Paul food cart in the back of **church by the Nov 13th.**

WORSHIP SPACE

As you are probably aware, over the past few months we have been involved in a process with the Indianapolis Center for Congregations for churches wishing to make improvements to their worship space. We have now been informed that our proposal has been accepted and we have been awarded a grant of \$30,000.00!

A parish meeting will be held on Sunday, October 30th. It will be held immediately following the 10:30 am Mass (around 11:40 am) in the parish social hall. At this time we will review our plan and progress to date and solicit your input and questions. All those interested are invited and encouraged to attend.

ANOTHER IMPORTANT DATE! The Little Flower School all-class reunion will be held on Saturday, November 5th. All alumni and their guest are welcome to attend. Please call the parish center, 357-8352 ext 34, or e-mail lfalumni@yahoo.com to RSVP. Be sure to leave your name, the year you graduated, and the number in your party.



MASSES FOR THE WEEK OF OCT 24 – OCT 30, 2005

- 24 Oct Monday**
7:00 am Communion Service
5:30 pm Michael and Carolyn Ley by Carol Ley Freeland
- 25 Oct Tuesday**
8:30 am Communion Service
5:30 pm Elizabeth Mauer by Mildred Mauer
- 26 Oct Wednesday**
8:30 am In Thanksgiving to St. Therese by Joe Sauer
5:30 pm Communion Service
- 27 Oct Thursday**
8:30 am Communion Service
1:30 pm **Covington** – Special Intention by The Morales Family
5:30 pm Communion Service
- 28 Oct Friday**
8:30 am Communion Service
5:30 pm Dorothy Meier by Jon Bowling
- 29 Oct Saturday**
8:30 am Louis Haboush by Arvina Fuller
5:00 pm **Vigil: Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time**
Jim and Florence Tynan by The Francis Klein Family
- 30 Oct Sunday-Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time**
8:30 am Special Intention of Albert McConahay by Charles McConahay
10:30 am Eleanore McCann by The Respect Life Committee
6:00 pm For the People



Dates to Remember

October 24 – 30, 2005

DAY	ROOM	TIME	GROUP
Monday	St Therese	7:00 pm	Prayer Group
	St Patrick	7:00 pm	SVDP
	Scout room	7:30 pm	Scout Troop # 1323
Tuesday	Parish Center	7:00 pm	RCIA Team Meeting
	Church	7:30 pm	Adult Choir
Wednesday	Church & School	8:30 am - 11:00 am	GRANDPARENTS'/ SPECIAL FRIENDS DAY
	St. Patrick	9:30 am	Bible Study
	St Patrick	7:00 pm	Liturgy Committee
Thursday	NO	SCHOOL	FALL BREAK
	St. Therese	10:00 am	Mom's Group
	Duffy Hall	6:00 pm - 11:00 pm	Youth Group
	Church	7:30 pm	Psallite Choir Rehearsal
	St Patrick	6:30 pm	Little Rock Bible Study
Friday	St. Therese	8:00 pm	AA
	NO	SCHOOL	FALL BREAK
	Duffy Hall	11 am	Ladies Club Card Party
Saturday	St. Therese	6:30 pm	Nicotine Anonymous
	St. Therese	7:00 am	Mens' Prayer Group
Sunday	Parish Center	8:30 am	Children's Liturgy
	St. Therese	8:30 am	Nursery up to 4 years
	Duffy Hall	9:30 am	Coffee & Donuts
	Duffy Hall	11:30 am	Parish Meeting/Worship Space

THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Our annual **Mass of Remembrance** will be **Tuesday, November 1 at 6 pm**. At this special liturgy, we remember by name those members of the Little Flower community who have died in the past year. All parishioners are invited to this Holy Day Mass. There will also be an opportunity to remember other loved ones who have died. If you would like to light a candle in remembrance of someone not buried from here in the past year, please arrive by 5:50 pm.



Seventh and eighth grade students went to Scecina last week to hear former Colt Ray McElroy speak on the issues of drug use and abstinence. Mr. McElroy helped kick off our Game Plan for Life program—a series of videos and guests speakers to talk with students about having a plan for their life and making the right choices to make it happen.

Flu shot clinic

The Visiting Nurse Association will provide a flu shot clinic here at Little Flower on **Wednesday, Nov. 9 from 6:30-7:30** in the Social Hall. The cost of a flu shot is \$25. For those eligible, flu shots are covered by Medicare Part B; please bring your card with you.



Ladies Club Card Party Reminder

Please turn in your raffle tickets and if you have items for the "Next to New" booth, please call Isabella at 356-7723.

Call A FRIEND AND JOIN US FOR LUNCH. CARDS AND BOARD GAMES ON **FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28TH**.

- ❖ Doors open at 11 am – Browse the "Next to New Booth and the "Sweet Booth."
- ❖ Bridge, Euchre, Progressive Euchre, Pinochle
- ❖ LUNCH SERVICE will begin at 12 noon. Cost is \$7.00
- ❖ Table Prizes – Door Prizes – 50/50 Drawing.
- ❖ You may also play cards at home.

Please call Donna Brown 356-0774 for reservations or regarding playing at home.

Halloween Candy



Little Flower will once again host our famous "Halloween Bash" on Halloween, Monday evening, **October 31**. As always, trick-or-treating in the school hallways is a vital ingredient!

Please help make our party for neighborhood children a success by bringing a bag or two of Halloween Candy to the collection boxes in the back of church, or to the parish center, by Halloween.

HELP NEEDED!!

Judges are needed for the grade school **HOBBY SHOW** which will take place **Saturday, November 5**. Several people are needed from 9:15 AM – 11:15 AM. The work is simple and quite rewarding. Our children are very talented and your help would be greatly appreciated. Please contact Sandy Clegg 351-9432 or Collette Williamson 356-6918 if you can help.

Little Flower will be represented and the Eastgate Community Christian Church **Christmas Bazaar' on Nov 5th from 9 am to 3 pm**. We have lots of items. Please come see us at the bazaar. We always could use more if you have anything (crafts, supplies) you would like to donate contact us we will pick it up. Eileen Walters 353-9243.

Capital Campaign NEWS

The grade school children have completed their posters and are looking forward to sharing them with you. All the posters will be on display starting next weekend (October 29 -30) in church. Please take the time to view them during the next four campaign weekends.

PLEASE, PLEASE, PLEASE

Join us on November 17th, a day of intercessory prayer for the success of the Capital Campaign, 7:00 am until 7:00 pm in church, at home or at work, just join us in prayer on this day!

Mark your calendars!

Watch for details on Parish Gatherings to take place on the evening of Monday, November 7th

LF Boy's Basketball Sign-ups and Tryouts

Sunday, October 23, 2005.

4th, 5th & 6th grade: 7 – 8 pm & 7th and 8th grade: 8 – 9 pm

Physical form and \$50.00 fee due at tryouts to LFAA. All boys in the parish are welcome. If you have any questions please contact Randy Herrman-Boy's AD.

ATTENTION PARISH YOUTH

(eighth grade through twelfth grade)

Youth Room will be open on Sunday October 23rd from 7pm until 8:30 pm. **Costume Halloween Party** Thursday, October 27th from 7:30-11:00pm for grades 8-12. \$3.00 admission fee. There will be a DJ and a costume contest. Bring a friend! Parents: We will need chaperones please contact Katie Lyons 352-1129, mklyons74@yahoo.com

CONFIRMATION

Session 3 7pm in Parish Center on November 6th. Candidates and team should attend

Call Tom at the Parish Center at 357-8352 with questions.

**STEWARDSHIP OF TIME, TALENT AND TREASURE
YOUR GIFTS TO GOD AND PARISH**

Weekly Budget Goal	\$ 13,400.00
Collection of October 15 th and 16 th	\$ 14,212.11
Electronic Contribution 10/12 to 10/18	\$ 2,285.25
Year to Date Budget Goal	\$ 214,400.00
Year to Date Collections	\$ 212,188.27
Year to Date (new fiscal year)	\$ -2,211.73

Home Improvement Fund

September Contributions	\$ 1,997.00
October Contributions to date	\$ 1,462.25

**WON'T YOU TAKE JUST A MOMENT
TO HELP US OUT?**

Don't forget to return your blue Little Flower Parish "Stewardship Intention Commitment" that you received in the mail this past week. This will help us in planning and budgeting during the next year. As your letter you received stated, it is very important for us to not lose focus on the normal operations of the parish as we continue with the capital campaign.