



Dear Parish Family,

Thanks to everyone who participated in our celebration of the feast of St. Therese last weekend.

The 5 p.m. Liturgy was beautiful. Special thanks to the adult choir, the children's choir, the First Communion class, the football teams and cheerleaders, and the Art and Environment Committee.

Likewise, the dinner was delicious. Special thanks to Frank, Susan, and Elizabeth Lee who prepared the delicious dinner of ribs, chicken breasts, chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes and gravy, corn, green beans, salad, and rolls.

Also, thanks to those who decorated Duffy Hall: Amy Barbar, Debbie Burks, Debbie Belles, Mary Martha Costello, Tim Dowling, Carrie Earl, and Janice Sparrow.

Duffy Hall looked better than I have ever seen it. Much of the credit for this goes to Toby Dennison who painted the entire hall by himself during the worst of the summer heat. Thanks, Toby.

Last weekend's Masses marked the end of the 80th Little Flower Novena. You might be interested to know that at least one parishioner has been present for all eighty novenas—Alvina Wurz. Has anyone else been present for all eighty novenas?

Each year during October we focus on our stewardship of time, talent, and treasure. This past week everyone should have received a stewardship mailing from the parish. Depending on the mail, yours may arrive early this week. Please mark your calendars for the *Let It Shine Stewardship Event and Ministry Fair* on Wednesday, October 18, from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. Details were included with the stewardship mailing.

Have a great week.

fr. bob

Thinking about the Priesthood?

Come join us for a night of Discernment at The Bishop Simon Brute' College Seminary on the Marian College Campus.

When: Monday, October 9 or November 6

Time: 5pm – 8pm

(Beginning with Mass at St. Francis Hall Chapel)

These evenings are open to any high school (sophomore or older) or college student who is interested in finding out more about the seminary life and priesthood. For more information please contact Fr. Bob Robeson at 955-9126 or email robeson@archindy.org.



NEWLY
BAPTIZED

Please welcome into our Christian Community Susan Clare, daughter of Steve and Casady (Kramer)

Williamson, baptized on Sunday, October 1, 2006.

The Adventuresome Group News

The Adventuresome Group will meet Wednesday, October 11. We will begin with Mass, followed by lunch and an opportunity to see the movie "Therese." Please RSVP to the Parish Center by the end of the day Monday, Oct. 9, or sign up at the doors of church.



Masses of the Week

MASSES FOR THE WEEK OF OCT 9 – OCT 15, 2006

09 Oct	Monday	7:00 am	Communion Service
		5:30 am	Communion Service
10 Oct	Tuesday	8:30 am	Communion Service
		5:30 pm	Robert Meier by Art Meier
11 Oct	Wednesday	11:00 am	Kathleen Pfarr by Nina Williams
		5:30 pm	Communion Service
12 Oct	Thursday	8:30 am	In Thanksgiving to the Blessed Mother for her prayers and comfort by Arcela Triska
		5:30 pm	Communion Service
13 Oct	Friday	8:30 am	Billy and Charlie Pothast by Rita Gibson
		5:30 pm	Communion Service
14 Oct	Saturday	8:30 am	Dorothy Moody by The Moody Family
		5:00 pm	Harry Maginn by The Family
15 Oct	Sunday: The Twenty Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time	8:30 am	For the People
		10:30 am	Tom Watts by Jerry Watts
		6:00 pm	Pam Connel by The Little Flower Ladies Club

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

OCTOBER 9 - 15, 2006

DAY	ROOM	TIME	GROUP
Monday	Scout room	3:15 pm	Girl Scout #1777
	Scout room	6:00 pm	Girl Scout # 403
	Holy Family	7:00 pm	Webelos
	St. Therese	7:00 pm	Prayer group
Tuesday	Duffy Hall	7:30 pm	Confirmation Mtg
	Duffy Hall	6:30 pm	Boys Basketball sign-ups
	Scout room	7:00 pm	Wolf Scout meeting
	Parish Center	7:00 pm	RCIA Team Meeting (No Class)
Wednesday	Church	7:30 pm	Choir
	St. Patrick	9:30 am	Bible Study Group
	Holy Family	2:30 pm	Girl Scouts #606
	Scout room	2:30 pm	Jr girl scouts
Thursday	Rummage sale room	5:30 pm	LF Ladies Craft Club
	Parish Center	6:30 pm	PTO Board Meeting
	St. Patrick	7:00 pm	Parish Pastoral Council
	St. Patrick	5:00 pm	AA - Party
Friday	St. Patrick	6:30 pm	Adult Bible Study
	Duffy Hall	8:00 pm	LFAA meeting
	Duffy Hall	4:45 pm	Market Day
	St. Therese	7:00 am	Men's Prayer Group
Saturday	Parish Center	8:30 am	Children's Liturgy
	Parish Center	8:30 am	Nursery
	Social Hall	9:30 am	Coffee & Donuts
	School	9:30 am	Religious Ed classes
	Church	7:00 pm	Youth Choir

THE TWENTY SEVENTH SUNDY IN ORDINARY TIME

The Ladies Club is in need of donated items for their "Next to New" booth at their Annual Fall Card Party, October 27th – **No Clothes Please**. Call Isabella Mathias at 356-7723 for drop off or Donna Brown at 356-0774 for pick up.

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

Weekly Budget Goal (for new fiscal year)	\$	13,650.00
Collection of Sept. 30 and Oct 1	\$	12,643.63
Electronic Contribution 9/20 to 9/26	\$	2,070.25
Year to Date Budget Goal	\$	191,100.00
Year to Date Collections	\$	184,197.05
Year to Date (current fiscal year)	\$	- 6,902.95
COLLECTION SHORTFALL FOR PAST FISCAL YEAR	\$	- 5,664.85

The good steward knows that every day is a gift from God, to be lived with joy and thanksgiving. May God bless us all the days of our lives!

Home Improvement Fund

July Contributions	\$	1,488.50
August Contributions	\$	1,484.50
September Contributions	\$	1,229.00
October Contributions (to date)	\$	962.08

LET IT SHINE !

**STEWARDSHIP EVENT AND MINISTRY FAIR!
Wednesday, October 18th**

Please join us for this evening that will focus of **stewardship of time and talent**. We will begin in Church at 7pm. Following a brief presentation, our ministry fair and dessert will follow in the social hall. Please plan to attend. More information will arrive directly at your home.

Altar Servers

Any student that is in 6th grade or above that is interested in becoming an Altar Server, please call Lisa

Gibbons at the Parish Center at 357-8352 or email lgibbons@littleflowerparish.org. This ministry is open to all boys and girls in our Parish in the 6th grade or above.

HELP LITTLE FLOWER SCHOOL AND BUY SCRIP!

Scrip are coupons and pre-paid shopping cards that you purchase from the parish center or school for your shopping needs. It cost you nothing to use Scrip and Little Flower receives a percentage on all Scrip that is purchased. Below is a list of apparel & bookstore retailers that can be ordered:

Amazon.com	Border	B. Dalton	Old Navy
Barnes & Noble	Macy's	The Gap	Kohls
Dick's Sporting Goods	American Eagle	Sears	
JC Penney's	Payless Shoes	Finish Line	
Bath & Body Works			

Orders are due by Tuesday at 10am and will be ready to be picked up on Friday after 10am. Pick up options are listed below:

- Pick up at the Parish Center on Friday between 10am – 3pm
- Sent home with specified student through Little Flower School
- Pick up on Sunday at Coffee and Donuts

Start ordering for Christmas NOW and help Little Flower School!
Order forms are at the Church doors or call Lisa at the Parish Center.

ATTENTION LITTLE FLOWER SCHOOL ALUMNI !

OUR ANNUAL ALL CLASS REUNION WILL BE HELD ON SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4TH 2006 . COME HELP US CELEBRATE OUR SCHOOL'S 80TH BIRTHDAY!

4:15 PM	SCHOOL TOURS-MEET IN CAFETERIA
5:00 PM	MASS HERE AT LITTLE FLOWER
6:15 PM	SOCIAL HOUR (CASH BAR) AT THE ATRIUM, 3143 E THOMPSON ROAD
7:15 PM	COMPLIMENTARY DINNER AND PROGRAM AT THE ATRIUM

RSVP BY OCTOBER 27TH BY CALLING THE PARISH OFFICE OR SENDING AN E-MAIL TO LFALUMNI@YAHOO.COM. PLEASE LEAVE YOUR NAME, YEAR OF GRADUATION AND NUMBER IN YOUR PARTY.

**INVITE YOUR ALUMNI FRIENDS
WE ARE HOPING FOR A RECORD ATTENDANCE**

On Monday, October 9th, there will be a meeting for all young adults and their parents who might be interested in preparing for the sacrament of Confirmation. Confirmation preparation is open to all youth in grades 9 thru 12. The meeting will take place in the school cafeteria and will begin at 7:30 pm. Attendance at this meeting is essential for anyone who wants to prepare for Confirmation in the spring of 2007. Please call Tom at the parish center if you have questions.



NEWS FROM THE ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

- Boys in Grades 4 thru 8 - Sign up for Boy's Basketball on Tuesday October 10th at 6:30 pm in the school cafeteria.
- There will be a meeting for those coaching Boys Basketball on Thursday October 12th at 7pm in the school cafeteria. Please attend this meeting also if you are interested in serving as a coach for boys basketball.
- Little Flower Cadet Cheerleaders along with Scecina Cheerleaders, will be competing in the NCAA Regional Competition at 10 am on Sunday, October 8th and Americheer Regional on Saturday, October 14th at Mount Vernon High School. They will be competing under the name Eastside Catholic Cheerleaders. They are trying to win a bid for Nationals in Walt Disney World April 2007.

**ATTENTION PARISH YOUTH
(eighth grade through twelfth grade)**

YOUTH CHOIR - Youth Choir will practice on Sunday, October 15th from 7pm until 8:30pm in church. We are always open to new members. Parents! Please encourage your teenagers for this important ministry!

DIRECTV will contribute \$100 to Little Flower Catholic School for every new, existing, or former customer who signs up or renews their DIRECTV service for 12 months through a new program called DIRECTV4Schools. Just call 1-888-388-4724 and use the school code **RMH5**

SAVE THE DATE!

Open House

Sunday, November 12, 2006
4:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Experience the exciting things happening at Scecina. We invite all 7th and 8th grade students, and their parents, for an informative and fun evening. Find out how you can grow your talents and explore your interests in a challenging and nurturing high school environment. Also open to current high school students who want a better option for next school year. Call us at 317-351-5976, ext. 9.

Educating each student – spirit, mind, and body.

