

# PRAISE THE LORD, MY SOUL!

**Dear Parish Family,**

This Monday, October 1, is the Feast of St. Therese. There will be all-school Mass at 8:30. The Solemn Closing of the Little Flower Novena and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament will be Monday evening at 5:30 p.m. The Novena will include the traditional procession with rose petals.

Wednesday, October 3, is the Feast of St. Mother Theodore Guerin, the foundress of the Sisters of Providence. Because she has been name co-patroness of the Archdiocese of Indianapolis, October 3 becomes a major feast in this Archdiocese.

Have a wonderful week.

fr. bob



Please welcome into our Christian Community Gianna Marie, daughter of Ryan and Kristin (Padgett) Pierson, baptized on

Sunday, September 23, 2007.



Eternal Rest Grant Unto thee, O Lord... Please pray for the family of Irene Pothast, buried from Little Flower. Irene

is the sister of Bob Ross and Fr. John Sciarra founding pastor of St. Barnabas.



**ANNUAL PET BLESSING – OCTOBER 6<sup>th</sup>**

On Saturday, October 6<sup>th</sup>, we will have our annual Blessing of Pets in honor of the Feast of St. Francis, patron saint of animals. We will begin at 9 am in the main parking lot.



**GET YOUR TICKETS NOW!!**

October 6<sup>th</sup> is the First Annual Spaghetti Dinner hosted by PTO. Dinner will be served in the Little Flower cafeteria from 4:30 pm to 7:30 pm and will feature food from the Milano Inn. Dinner includes salad, spaghetti with marinara or meat sauce, breadstick, drink, and dessert. Please see cost below:

**Adults** \$8.00 At Door  
**Children (2-11)** \$4.50 At Door

Come on by before Sccecina's Homecoming to



Thank you to our Green Thumb Volunteers who care for the colorful gardens around our Church. They are:

Joe and Teena Soto, Angie Mackell and Mrs. Rathz, Ron Sharp, Eileen Walters, Rosemary Armour, Marylyn Blackwell, Charlotte Lemieux, Pat and Sharon Rocchio, Bridget Finn, Jim and Debbie Burks. A special THANKS to Chris Arvin, Jack Mears, Dick Hutchinson, and Art Meier who help maintain the grounds by cutting the grass, etc. Please call RaeAnn Brizendine at 322-9640 if you are interested in participating in this wonderful ministry.



**Mass Intentions**

**MASSES FOR THE WEEK OF OCT 1 – OCT 7, 2007**

- 01 Oct Monday**  
8:30 am Catherine Dangler by The Dangler Family  
5:30 pm Little Flower Novena Solemn Closing and Benediction
- 02 Oct Tuesday**  
8:30 am Communion Service  
5:30 pm James J. Boyle by The Maginn Family
- 03 Oct Wednesday**  
7:00 am Communion Service  
5:30 pm For the Intentions of Frances Brown by Pat Gandolph
- 04 Oct Thursday**  
8:30 am Communion Service  
5:30 pm Communion Service
- 05 Oct Friday**  
8:30 am Margaret Marion by Marilyn Hughes  
5:30 pm Communion Service
- 06 Oct Saturday**  
8:30 am Communion Service  
5:00 pm **Saturday Vigil: Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
In Thanksgiving for Jay and Mitzi Loomis 50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary
- 07 Oct Sunday – The Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
8:30 am Mary Frances Dugan by The Little Flower Ladies Club  
10:30 am George Wasnetyky by Georgia Impicciche  
6:00 pm For the People

**DATES TO REMEMBER**

**October 1 – 7, 2007**

DAY	ROOM	TIME	GROUP
<b>Monday</b>	Scout Room	6:00 pm	Wolf Scouts
	St. Patrick	6:30 pm	Spanish Class
	Holy Family	7:00 pm	Svdp
	Duffey Hall	7:00 pm	Boy's Basketball
	Scout Room	7:00 pm	Webelo Scouts
<b>Tuesday</b>	St. Therese	7:00 pm	Prayer Group
	Parish Center	7:00 pm	RCIA
	Church	7:30 pm	Choir
<b>Wednesday</b>	St. Patrick	9:30 am	Bible Study
	Scout Room	2:30 pm	Girl Scout #799
	SchoolRm102	6:00 pm	Ladies Craft Group
	John 23 <sup>rd</sup>	7:00 pm	School Commission
	Scout Room	7:00 pm	Bear Scouts
	<b>Thursday</b>	St. Patrick	6:30 pm
Duffey Hall		7:00 pm	Ladies Club Meeting
St. Therese		8:00 pm	AA
<b>Friday</b>	Duffey Hall	4:45 pm	Market Day pickup
	Duffey Hall	7 – 10pm	Middle School Dance
<b>Saturday</b>	St. Therese	7:00 am	Men's Prayer Group
	Parking Lot	9:00 am	Pet Blessing
	Duffey Hall	4:30 pm – 7:30 pm	PTO Spaghetti Dinner
<b>Sunday</b>	Parish Center	8:30 am	Children's Liturgy
	Parish Center	8:30 am	Nursery
	School	9:30 am	Religious Education
	Duffey	9:30 am	Coffee and Donuts



**Halloween Party**

Are you a party planner? Is Halloween one of your favorite holidays? If you answered "yes" to either of those questions, we have a deal for you! The annual Little Flower Halloween Party for school and neighborhood children is coming up on October 31, and we need lots of "spooky" folks to make it a success. If you'd like to help out, please call Georgia at the parish center for more information!

**LADIES CLUB NEWS**

The first Ladies Club Business Meeting will be on Thursday, Oct 4th, at 7 pm, in Duffey Hall. The meeting will last about one hour. We will discuss the calendar for the 2007-2008 year and there will be a short presentation of each event. (fundraisers and social functions). Afterward there will be refreshments and social time for those who can stay. We are excited about the additions and changes. Please come join us and if you have any ideas share them with us. For questions call Eileen Walters 353-9243.

**Save The Date!** On November 4<sup>th</sup> from 1 – 3 pm the Ladies Club will have an Old Fashioned Tea. Watch the bulletin for more information

**LIFE CHAIN T-SHIRTS**

Life Chain shirts will be available to pick up after Mass on the Weekend of the 6th and the 7th in the gathering area. For those people who regularly attend the 6PM Mass, there will be someone in the Catholic Center's parking lot 30 minutes before the Life Chain to hand out shirts that haven't been picked up after Mass.

On Sunday, October 14<sup>th</sup>, 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 7:15 pm. Attendance at this meeting is essential for anyone who wants to prepare for Confirmation in the spring of 2008. Please call Tom at the parish center if you have questions.



**Share the love** is having a family fun event called "Love for Lexi". On October 6, 2007, at the Garfield Park Pagoda, we will have food, silent auctions, hourly raffles, a kids' activity area, live entertainment, and more! Proceeds will benefit Lexi, a 25 year old mother of twins whose activity is restricted due to Pulmonary Hypertension. Lexi is a graduate of St. Jude and Roncalli. For more info, see [www.sharetheloverindy.org](http://www.sharetheloverindy.org)

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

<b>Weekly Budget Goal</b>	<b>\$ 13,650.00</b>
<b>Collection of September 22<sup>nd</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>\$ 11,413.40</b>
<b>Electronic Contribution 9/19 to 9/24</b>	<b>\$ 395.00</b>
<b>Year to Date Budget Goal</b>	<b>\$ 177,450.00</b>
<b>Year to Date Collections</b>	<b>\$ 166,143.11</b>
<b>Year to Date DEFICIT</b>	<b>\$ - 11,306.89</b>

**Home Improvement Fund**

<b>July Contributions</b>	<b>\$ 1,314.00</b>
<b>August Contributions</b>	<b>\$ 1,375.00</b>
<b>September Contributions</b>	<b>\$ 1,182.00</b>

**Legacy for our Mission Capital Campaign**

**As of 7/30/2007**

<b>Amount Pledged</b>	<b>\$884,365.00</b>
<b>Amount Received on Pledges</b>	<b>\$479,675.00</b>



(grades 8 thru 12)

**Youth choir** - will sing at the 6pm Mass on Sunday, October 7<sup>th</sup>. Please meet at 5pm in church.

**Youth room** will be open on Sunday, October 7<sup>th</sup> after the 6pm Mass until 8:30 pm. Plan to stop in.

CONFIRMATION will begin soon. Confirmed High School youth who are interested in helping with this year's class, please call Tom at 357-8352 or e-mail [tom@littleflowerparish.org](mailto:tom@littleflowerparish.org). Please respond quickly.

**ANNUAL LITTLE FLOWER SCHOOL ALL-CLASS REUNION**  
Saturday, November 3<sup>rd</sup>, is the date for our annual Little Flower School all-class reunion. We encourage as many of our school alumni as possible to join us for this event. This year, the reunion will begin with school tours, followed by 5pm Mass, and finally dinner at the Indianapolis Marriott on East 21<sup>st</sup> Street. Plan now to join us. Further information will be available soon.



Just a reminder that Coffee and Donuts is held almost every Sunday of the year following the 8:30am Sunday Mass. In this way it can also be enjoyed by those arriving early before 10:30 mass. This is a great opportunity for parish fellowship. Coffee and Donuts is funded from your free will offering that is accepted each week. Thanks for your participation and financial support.

**CYO BOY'S BASKETBALL SIGN UPS**

The Little Flower Athletic Association will be having Boy's Basketball signups this coming Monday, October 1st at 7:00 pm. Sign ups will take place in Duffy Hall. This is open to all Little Flower school members as well as all Parish Children. The cost is \$50 per player. The first game is around 11/26/07 and ends around 1/13/08. If you are not able to make the signups and still wish to play then please email Mark Hannah at or Gary Tutrow at [garytutrow@sbcglobal.net](mailto:garytutrow@sbcglobal.net)



**Seccina Day at the Maple Creek Golf Club**

Seccina and Maple Creek Golf Club are having a golf outing Saturday, October 20, 2007. We will tee it up at 9:00 a.m. and have lunch after golf. Cost is \$50 which includes golf, cart, and lunch, PLUS a chance on a 2008 family membership to Maple Creek Golf Club (valued at over \$4000) to be given away by Seccina Memorial High School. You must register by October 8, 2007 to be eligible for the membership give away. To register for golf call Ott Hurtle or Jim McGuinness at 356-6377 or email [ohurtle@scecina.org](mailto:ohurtle@scecina.org) or [jmcquinness@scecina.org](mailto:jmcquinness@scecina.org)

**ADORATION CHAPEL HOURS AVAILABLE**

Look into your hearts and discern if you could spend some time with Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel. Truly you will receive more than you give. Current open hours are as follows:

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
6am	2pm	12mn	9am	4am	12mn	9am
1pm	4pm		12n	5pm	7am	3pm
					1pm	4pm

Contact Bobbie Lawless @ 357-3546 if you are interested and could either act as a substitute or take an hour, even share an hour with family or friends. May God bless you!