

Dear Parish Family,

In mid-May, Georgia Impicciche, Pastoral Associate for Health and Senior Ministries, informed me that she was actively seeking a new position. This was a very difficult decision for her to make. Because of changes in her family situation after she told me that she was seeking a new position, we agreed that she would remain in her position until she found a new position or until August 31, 2008. Georgia, therefore, will be leaving as a member of the Little Flower parish staff by August 31. However, she will continue to remain a parishioner at Little Flower.

We will immediately begin seeking someone to fill the position of Pastoral Associate for Health and Senior Ministries. The person we will be seeking may or may not be an RN.

Georgia has been a member of the staff for six and one-half years. During the six and one-half years, she has ministered to the sick and shut-ins and has done a tremendous job ministering to those who have suffered a death. I am personally grateful for all the help she has given me since I came to Little Flower.

The Adventurousome Group Mass this Wednesday, August 6, will be a Memorial Mass for Dorothy Fleming. A long-time parishioner of Little Flower, Dorothy died on July 5, 2008. At her request, she was buried in Danville, Illinois. However, according to her niece, she also requested that a Memorial Mass be celebrated for her here at Little Flower.

Finally, Little Flower School will open Wednesday, August 13. We are still accepting registrations for Pre-3 through 8th Grade. Please note that we offer a flexible preschool schedule, including all day preschool. Extended care until 6 p.m. is available for all students. Please call the school office for information.

Have a great week.

fr. bob



Mark your calendars! The annual Little Flower picnic will be Sunday, August 24 right here on the grounds. Keep watching the bulletin for more information.

Grow Closer To God

Know and Live Our Faith More Deeply

If these ideas are important to you, and if you want to help provide these opportunities for others in our parish, just contact Sheila Gilbert (353-6223) the new chair of our Adult Faith Formation Committee. The only qualifications are your life experience and your desire to help.



The new schedule for Sept.-Oct.-Nov. will be out soon. Please send me your schedule **changes by August 8th**. Thanks for all your help in this ministry. If you have any questions please call Ron Sharpe at 356-3488 or e-mail giboshihoosier@aol.com.

ATTENTION FUNERAL LUNCHEON LADIES!!

We've been cleaning and organizing the kitchen in the parish center and have notice several serving dishes that have been left from funeral luncheons. If you are missing a dish please pick up by August 15th; anything left after August 15th will be donated to St. Vincent de Paul.

The Adventurousome Group will meet Wednesday, August 6 for Mass, lunch and a special speaker (postponed from last month, which was cancelled due to a funeral). Kathy White, a long-time resident of Hong Kong and daughter of the parish, will talk with us

about the Church in Hong Kong and China. Fr. Dave Sullivan will also be attending. Join us! Please call the parish center to RSVP



Mass Intentions

MASSES FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 4 – AUGUST 10, 2008

- 04 August**
8:30 am
5:30 pm
Monday
Leda Hodge by The Williamson Family
Deceased Members of the Moody Family by The Moody Family
- 05 August**
8:30 am
5:30 pm
Tuesday
Robert Guedel by The Wilson Family
For the Intentions of Bob and Judy Rowling by Madelynn Miller
- 06 August**
7:00 am
11:00 am
5:30 pm
Wednesday
Communion Service
Memorial Mass for Dorothy Fleming also
For the Intentions of John T. Boyle, Sr. by Catherine Boyle and Family
Communion Service
- 07 August**
8:30 am
5:30 pm
Thursday
Barney Deck by John and Ruthannah Keeves
Irene Pothast by The Dangler Family
- 08 August**
8:30 am
5:30 pm
Friday
Martha Rowe
Marvin A. Polk by Earl and Provie Bearly
- 09 August**
8:30 am
5:00 pm
Saturday
Communion Service
Vigil- Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Larry Krackenberger by Bea Krackenberger and Family
- 10 August**
8:30 am
10:30 am
6:00 pm
Sunday – Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Paul Ruegemar by Denis and Ita Moriarty
Joseph Jines by Marylyn and Merrill Blackwell
For the People



Dates to Remember

August 3 - 10, 2008

DAY	ROOM	TIME	GROUP
Sunday	Duffey Hall	9:30 am	Coffee and Donuts
	Church	6:00 pm	High School & College Students Mass
	Duffey Hall	7:00 pm	Dinner for High School and College Students and Families
Monday	St. Patrick	7:00 pm	SVDP
Tuesday	Church	10:00 am	Children's Choir
	St. Patrick	7:00 pm	Youth Group Cookout
Wednesday	St. Patrick	9:30 am	Bible Study
	Church/Parish Center	11:00 am	Adventurousome Group
	St. Patrick	7:00 pm	School Commission
Thursday	Church	10:00 am	Children's Choir
	John 23 rd	7:00 pm	Athletic Assoc. Board Meeting
	Parish Center	8:00 pm	AA
Friday	Off Site	10:00 am	Children's Choir Field Trip
	Parish Center	3:45 pm	Market Day Pick-Up
Saturday	St. Therese	7:00 am	Men's Prayer Group
Sunday	Church	8:30 am	Children's Choir
	Parish Center	8:30 am	Children's Liturgy

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

	Duffey Hall	9:30 am	Coffee & Donuts
	St. Therese	1:00 pm	Franciscan Associates



Altar Servers

THE NEW SCHEDULE WILL BE OUT SOON FOR SEPT, OCT, AND NOV. IF YOU HAVE ANY CHANGES TO YOUR SCHEDULE OR WOULD LIKE TO BE TAKEN OFF THE SERVER LIST PLEASE CONTACT LISA GIBBONS AT 357-8352 EXT. 33 OR EMAIL LGIBBONS@LITTLEFLOWERPARISH.ORG. CHANGES NEED TO BE SUBMITTED BY AUGUST 8, 2008.

Religious Education Notes

Little Flower offers Religious Education for children entering kindergarten through 8th grade, who do not attend Little Flower School. Our sessions will begin in September and will meet on Sunday mornings from 9:30am - 10:25am. Please call Lisa Gibbons at 357-8352 ext. 33 to register; or email lgibbons@littleflowerparish.org. Parents this is a wonderful opportunity to build community with your child as well as hand down our faith teachings.

The Little Flower Athletic Association News

We are currently in need of someone to fill our Girls Athletic Director, Gym Manager, and Concession Manager (Boys Basketball) positions. If you are interested in any of these positions or would like more information about these positions please contact Tim Smith at trsmith1838@sbcglobal.net.

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

Weekly Budget Goal	\$ 14,000.00
Collection of July 26 th and 27 th	\$ 10,296.77
Electronic Contribution 7/22 to 7/28	\$ 422.00
Year to Date Budget Goal	\$ 56,000.00
Year to Date Collections	\$ 52,341.65
Year to Date DEFICIT	\$ -3,658.35

Home Improvement Fund

May Contributions	\$ 1,258.00
June Contributions	\$ 1,327.00
July Contributions (to date)	\$ 1,242.81

Legacy for our Mission Capital Campaign

As of 6/30/2008

Amount Pledged	\$903,585.00
Amount Received on Pledges	\$675,036.00



Our recycling company is running an additional promotion for the period of May thru August that could allow us to earn an additional \$1,000.00, and our past success indicates we can do this again!

Month	Amt. Needed	Collected to date
May	13.26 tons	13.73 tons
June	12.98 tons	9.58 tons
July	10.95 tons	6.66 tons
August	22.40 tons	

Total to date 59.59 tons 29.97 tons

We've got a really long way to go! Spread the word!



Do you know someone who is searching for a faith community or someone who has been away from the Church? The RCIA Team would like to help you invite them to explore the Catholic Church. The sessions begin on Tuesday, Sept 2nd from 7 - 9pm. Please see the special insert in today's bulletin especially the letter from Jay Graves who participated last year. If you have any questions please call Lisa at 357-8352 ext. 33.

Youth News

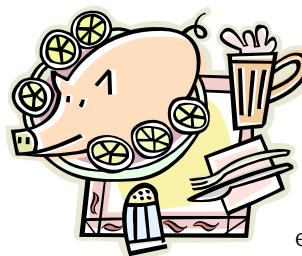
(grades 8 thru 12)

Youth Choir will sing on Sunday August 3rd at the 6pm Sunday Mass. Please meet in church at 5pm.

COMING UP!

COOKOUT for all youth, incoming grade 8 through high school. Tuesday, August 5th from 7pm until 9pm. Please let us know you are coming. Call 357-8352 or e-mail tom@littleflowerparish.org.

On the weekend of August 23rd and 24th, there will be a second collection to help support Fr. Dave Sullivan and his scholarship program in the Philippines. Please be as generous as possible in thanking Fr. Dave for his time with us this summer.



THE LITTLE FLOWER ATHLETIC COMMISSION IS SPONSORING A PIG ROAST AND CORNHOLE TOURNAMENT Saturday, August 16th Dinner at 6pm (following 5pm mass)

Come just for dinner or stay the evening for the cornhole tournament.

Discounted Advance Sale Tickets available after Masses on August 2nd/3rd or August 9th/10th.

ANNULMENT INFORMATION EVENING will be held on Tuesday, August 12th, 2008 at The Catholic Center, 1400 North Meridian St in Indianapolis, IN from 7:00-9:00 p.m. This evening invites you to broaden your knowledge and understanding of the "why's", "what's" and "how's" of the annulment process. Ann Tully, BS, MTS, Judge Instructor of the Metropolitan Tribunal will be the presenter. There is no cost for this program. Contact the Office of Family Ministries at 1-800-382-9836 or e-mail mhess@archindy.org for additional information.

To Little Flower and Christian friends, Our family would like to say thank you for your gifts and all of your prayers during the loss of Tasha. All the cards of comfort and support that you have shown really meant a lot. I can not put into words how much we love you and pray that God will continue to shine in all that you do for others. God Bless, Dandella Radford and Family



High School Girls...Interested in playing CYO Volleyball??? If so, please

**call Sarah Stevenson @ 862-1952. Deadline is August
9th."**