



ST. THERESE - LITTLE FLOWER

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Mass

Saturday: 5:00 PM
 Sunday: 8:30 AM, 10:30 AM, 6:00 PM
 Weekdays and Holy Days:
 Check inside the bulletin for schedule.

Communion Services

Check inside the bulletin.

Little Flower Church Mission Statement

Little Flower Church (St. Therese of the Infant Jesus) is a vibrant faith community in the Roman Catholic Tradition, striving to live out the Gospel values of Jesus Christ. Centered in the Eucharist, we are called by God to look beyond ourselves to respond compassionately to the needs of others.

LIVE, LOVE, LEAD LIKE JESUS

OFFICE HOURS:	Monday - Friday 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM
PARISH CENTER	Secretary Available 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM
	357-8352 Fax 357-5316
SCHOOL	353-2282 Fax 322-7702
	The school offers Pre-school 3's and 4's through Grade 8.
	Extended Care is available until 6:00 PM.
	Contact the school for more information.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 3:45 PM to 4:30 PM or by appointment.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptisms are held on most Sundays during the year. Baptisms are held after the 10:30 am Mass. If you prefer to have your child's baptism scheduled during Mass, you may request this at the time you return the baptism information form. Requests for the date and time specified will be honored to the extent possible. Parents who have not yet received pre-baptismal instruction are required to attend a Baptismal Preparation Class that is held every other month. Call the Parish Office well in advance so that class arrangements may be made.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Contact the priest 9 to 12 months in advance. A Wedding Handbook is available from the Parish Office which provides the necessary information on arranging for a marriage.

SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING/MINISTRY TO THE SICK

In an emergency, contact the parish at any time. Please contact the Parish Center if you or a loved one are hospitalized, or are confined to home or a nursing facility, to receive the Eucharist and/or Anointing. Hospitals and healthcare facilities no longer routinely inform churches when a parishioner is admitted.

SACRAMENT OF HOLY ORDERS

Priesthood or Vocation as a Religious Sister or Brother. Those considering entering the Priesthood or a religious vocation, please contact our Pastor or the Archdiocesan Vocation Office at 236-1490.

LITTLE FLOWER COUNSELING CENTER

Counseling is provided to Little Flower Parishioners at a reduced rate. Call Jackie Montrie at 616-0029 or Mark Williams at 364-8184.

INTERESTED IN THE CATHOLIC FAITH?

Inquiry Classes begin in late August as part of the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA). Call Parish Center for information.

PARISH REGISTRATION

We welcome all those visiting with us today. If you are interested in knowing more about our parish or wish to register for membership, please call the Parish Office. Registration forms are also available at each of the church doors.

BULLETIN DEADLINE

Articles for the bulletin must be submitted in writing to the Parish center or by email to lgibbons@littleflowerparish.org by noon on Monday.



Dear Parish Family,

Alleluia, alleluia. This is the day the Lord has made. Let us rejoice and be glad today. Alleluia.

The entire staff and I want to wish all of you a happy and blessed Easter. We want to welcome all those who have returned home to Little Flower for Easter and all our visitors.

If you are a visitor and live in our area, we invite you to join and become active in our community. We believe that our community has something to offer you, and we believe that you have something to

offer us. From the New Testament, it is clear that the Christianity of Jesus is a Christianity of community!

Today we congratulate all those who received sacraments of initiation at the Easter Vigil.

Former Catechumens:

Deborah Brewer
Victor Franco
Evelen Hernandez
Sarah Nevins
Marisela Ruiz
Tim Williamson

Former Candidates:

Angel Adorey
Robert Burgin
Catharine Diehr
Stacy Kinder
Andrew Reed
Kristen Reed
Cara Riley
Brian Speer
George Winters

Thanks to the RCIA Team for preparing these individuals for Baptism, Reception into the Church, and/or Confirmation. Without all these people who are so willing to give of their time and to share their faith, our parish could not adequately welcome new members into the Catholic Church.

Special thanks also to all our Liturgical ministers who work so hard to prepare and execute our special Liturgies, especially our Holy Week and Easter Liturgies. Both our parishioners and our visitors recognize the quality of our Liturgies.

Tomorrow the parish office and Little Flower School will be closed to celebrate Easter.

Have a blessed Easter!

fr. bob

If you have not yet returned your Lenten coin bank, please return it to church next weekend. You may also return them anytime to the parish office. Also, please return your bank even if it is empty to save us the cost of replacing them

REMINDER!

**There are two reserved parking place in the back of the school. Please do not park in these places at any time. They are clearly marked as reserved.
Thanks for your cooperation!**

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY IS APRIL 7, 2013. Holy Spirit Church, 7243 East 10th Street will be having a special celebration on that day starting at 4 p.m.

alleluia **Liturgies For The Week**

FOR THE WEEK OF APRIL 1 - 7, 2013

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| 01 April | Monday |
| 7:00 a.m. | Communion Service |
| 5:30 p.m. | Art Meier by Arcelia Triska |
| 02 April | Tuesday |
| 8:30 a.m. | Communion Service |
| 5:30 p.m. | Jean Meredith by Jon Bowling |
| 03 April | Wednesday |
| 7:00 a.m. | Communion Service |
| 5:30 p.m. | Anna Miller by Joe and Gloria Coyne |
| 04 April | Thursday |
| 8:30 a.m. | Communion Service |
| 5:30 p.m. | Walter and Anna Bordenkecher |
| 05 April | Friday |
| 8:30 a.m. | Florence Burke by Dennis and Noreen Murphy |
| 5:30 p.m. | Communion Service |
| 06 April | Saturday |
| 8:30 a.m. | Communion Service |
| 5:00 p.m. | Vigil of - the Second Sunday of Easter |
| | Fr. Dave Sullivan by Mary O'Brien |
| 07 April | Sunday - 2nd Sunday of Easter |
| 8:30 a.m. | Saundra Sundstrom by Little Flower SVDP Friends |
| 10:30 a.m. | Arvina Fuller by Rosemarie Heckman |
| 6:00 p.m. | For the People |

THE WEEK AHEAD IN OUR PARISH

March 31 - April 7, 2013

DAY	ROOM	TIME	GROUP
Sunday	Happy Easter!		
Monday	Easter Monday Parish Office and School Closed		
Tuesday	Scout Room	6:00 p.m.	Bear Scouts
	St. Therese	7:00 p.m.	RCIA
Wednesday	St. Patrick	9:30 a.m.	Bible Study
	Scout Room	6:00 p.m.	Girl Scouts #2441
Thursday	St. Patrick	6:00 p.m.	PTO Meeting
	Duffey Hall	6:30 p.m.	Ladies Club Meeting
Friday	St. Therese	8:00 p.m.	AA
	St. Therese	10:00 a.m.	Little Petals Play Group
Saturday	Gym	7:45 p.m.	Adult Volleyball
	St. Therese	7:00 a.m.	Men's Prayer Group
Sunday	School	9:30 a.m.	Religious Ed
	Duffey Hall	9:30 a.m.	Coffee and Donuts

THE PARISH OFFICE AND SCHOOL ARE CLOSED ON MONDAY, APRIL 1

Please remember our parishioners who are ill, homebound, or in a nursing home in your thoughts and prayers. If you get the chance, please send them a card or note! This week we especially want to remember:

Esther Laham

1423 N Edmondson Ave Apt. B1, Indianapolis, IN 46219 Esther will be 101 on April 9.



The **Adventuresome Group** will meet on **Wednesday, April 10** following the 11 a.m. Mass. Please join us for lunch! If you plan on attending, please call the Parish Center.

Date and Time Correction!

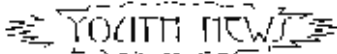
Adult Spanish classes will be offered in the spring at Our Lady of Lourdes beginning **Thursday evening April 4 through May 23. Eight sessions from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m.** All materials provided. Fee - \$70.00. Team teachers Judith Nichols, and Marwilda Betancourt from Puerto Rico. If interested, email jnichols@ollindy.org.

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

Weekly Budget Goal	\$ 13,850.00
Collection of March 23 rd and 24 th	\$ 8,863.18
Electronic Contributions 3/18 - 3/22	\$ 2,064.00
Year to Date Budget Goal	\$ 540,150.00
Year to Date Collections	\$ 521,026.14
Fiscal Year - To - Date DEFICIT	\$ - 19,123.86

Home Improvement Fund

December Contributions	\$ 2,053.25
January Contributions	\$ 1,875.25
February Contributions	\$ 1,983.75
March Contributions (to date)	\$ 2,044.25



(grades 8 thru 12)

YOUTH CHOIR sings at 6pm Mass on Sunday, April 7th, meeting in church at 5pm.

Sunday April 7 is the East Deanery Youth Mass. Our plan is to have open volleyball in the gym following Mass for all youth. Please plan to attend.



Another thank you to the best group of volunteers, dessert makers, and fish fry patrons on the planet!

Our net profit for all six weeks was \$10,037.76. This money goes into our regular operating budget. We also collected \$714.25 for the Godparent Program for tuition assistance!

Thanks again for your efforts and your patronage. The season started off slowly, but thanks to your efforts, we had the strongest finish ever! Thanks to all for your patronage!



Our final confirmation meeting for the year will be on Sunday, April 14. Candidates, parents and sponsors are asked to attend 6:00 p.m. Mass for the rite of sending. Candidates and sponsors only will then gather in the parish center from 7:15 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. Confirmation will take place at the Cathedral on April 24 at 7:00 p.m. All are welcome at the Confirmation Liturgy. Please pray for our confirmation candidates. You will find their pictures on the bulletin board in church by the choir loft door.

Respect Life

Join us in prayer the 1st Friday of each month. We will meet at Little Flower for the 8:30 a.m. Mass/Communion Service then go to the abortion center at 1201 N Arlington to pray together until 10AM.

Club 53: Live and Local!

Saturday, April 6, 2013

Featuring \$3,000 in Cash Drawings

Live & Silent Auction 6:30-8:30 PM

Live Music by The Flying Toasters 9:00 -11:00 PM

Local Food by Jockamo Pizza, Papa Roux, and Steer-In

Local Beer & Wine by Sun King, Flat 12, and Easley Winery

Enjoy it all for only \$45! Contact Tom Branson at

tbranson@scecina.org or 356-6377 Ext. 1101 for tickets.

Your Attendance Supports Scecina Need-Based Tuition Assistance, Student Life, and Athletics!

FESTIVAL NEWS

ATTENTION COLTS OR PACERS SEASON TICKET HOLDERS

Would you be willing to donate a pair (or more) of your tickets for just one game next year? **The Silent Auction could use your donation.** Please call Mary Martha Costello at 544-0473, or Rosemary Armour at 372-5513

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

MOBILE VOLUNTEERS NEEDED! If you would be able to help by hand delivering some raffle tickets that are not picked up in church, please email tom@littleflowerparish.org or call 357-8352. ext 30 It is very important that we get them out in a timely manner and we need your help!

Booth Chairperson needed: We are looking for a chairperson for the cotton candy/popcorn booth. If you think you might be interested, please call Peggy Clegg at 403-7444.

The next meeting for the Festival Committee is Monday, April 22nd at 7pm in the Parish Center.

★ TAKE NOTE:

The parish newsletter, "The Little Flower Garden", will be out mid-May.

Any news or photos you have to share about Little Flower parishioners, ministries, and activities should be sent to the parish office (or dropped in the offering basket) by April 18. You may also e-mail items to lfp parishnews@yahoo.com. Please include any questions about our church or parish you might like Father Bob to answer in the newsletter!

Ladies Club News

Snacks and desserts compliment the conversation and Guest Speaker at the April Little Flower Ladies Club meeting this **Thursday, April 4, at 6:30 p.m.** in the cafeteria (Duffey Hall). See you there! **NOTE:** There has been a change of date for the May Little Flower Ladies Club meeting; it has been moved to Thursday, May 9, at 6:30 p.m. with a pitch in dinner in the cafeteria. Come enjoy our May Crowning, conversation, and elections as we get ready for our break. If you are interested in attending the "Mary's Way" dinner and speaker at St Luke's on Thursday, May 1, please contact Judy Jones for information and payment. 353-8734

Last call for anyone that would like to attend the musical Menopause at Beef & Boards Dinner Theater. The cost is \$50 and includes dinner and the show. The date is **April 25** and the doors open at 6:00 p.m. If you need additional information, please contact Michele Reese at 443-2840.

just to let you know

We have again contracted with Guidebook publishing for our annual parish phone directory that will be updated and mailed directly to you homes. This book is provided at no cost to our parish. Local businesses are being solicited to advertise in the book. If you own or manage a business and would like to find out about advertising in our book, please call the parish office at 357-8352 as soon as possible. Thank You.

Little Flower Summerfest is proud to present the 11th annual
LITTLE FLOWER RUMMAGE SALE
May 31 and June 1, 2013

Getting ready for
SPRING CLEANING?
Let us help!

We need your good used items for our rummage sale. We are looking for anything taking up space in your home
(small appliances, furniture, toys, knickknacks, kitchen items, etc...)
THIS YEAR AGAIN WE ARE ALSO ACCEPTING GOOD, CLEAN, CHILDREN'S CLOTHES.

Please **NO** TV's, video players, or computers

We also need good, used books

Items can be dropped off at the cafeteria entrance off the parking lot from
9am until 11am on

Saturday, April 20th

Volunteers will be available to help you unload. Items will be accepted at the parish center if you absolutely cannot come to the drop off day!

For more information, please contact Sharon Rocchio at 525-6237.



Little Flower Parish SUMMERFEST 2013

HERE'S WHAT YOU CAN DO NOW TO HELP!

SILENT AUCTION !

Do you have or have access to new jewelry, usage of a condo, vacation home, or time share, sporting event tickets, gift certificates, hotel stays, airfare, cruise packages/travel packages, golfing items, bed and breakfast certificates, shopping or store gift certificates, etc.

Do you have any new household appliances, electronics, handmade items or other merchandise that you may have purchased or received as a gift but do not need?

If they have a retail value in excess in \$25.00 consider donating them for our silent auction!

Do you own or manage your own business. Consider a donation of your own goods or services! Gift certificates are very appropriate!

Does your employer offer goods or services that would make good items for the auction. Please consider approaching your employer for a donation to Little Flower Parish through our silent auction.

Please consider as soon as you can what you might be able to do to help. If you have something and are not sure if we can use it, please call. We can often take several items and package them together. You may drop off donations at the parish center or if you have questions about what might be appropriate, need pick up, or have other questions or concerns please call:

**Rosemary Armour at 372-5513 or
Mary Martha Costello at 544-0473**

BUSINESS SPONSORSHIPS














BUSINESS SPONSORSHIPS are available for the festival. Businesses will benefit by special signage and announcements throughout the festival acknowledging their sponsorship. Business sponsorships start at \$200.00 and higher levels are also available with more benefits. If you know of someone who might be interested in this opportunity, ask them to call Tom at the parish center. If you prefer, you can leave their name and address for Tom and he will mail information to them.

RUMMAGE SALE

Please see information elsewhere in bulletin. Your donations are critical to our success. We also need used books!

RAFFLE !

**PLEASE PICK UP YOUR
RAFFLE TICKETS IN
CHURCH BEGINNING
NEXT WEEKEND**

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