

The Coming of the Spirit. When the time for Pentecost was fulfilled, they were all in one place together. And suddenly there came from the sky a noise like a strong driving wind, and it filled the entire house in which they were. Then there appeared to them tongues as of fire, which parted and came to rest on each one of them. And they were all filled with the holy Spirit and began to speak in different tongues, as the Spirit enabled them to proclaim. ~Acts 2:1-4

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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.

OFFICE HOURS:	Monday - Friday 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM
	Secretary Available 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM
PARISH CENTER	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.

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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.

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.

Pentecost



Dear Parish Family,

Today is the Solemnity of the Pentecost. Today we celebrate the coming of the Holy Spirit upon the Apostles and upon the Church. Pentecost marks the end of the liturgical season of Easter. Tomorrow Ordinary Time resumes. Green is liturgical color of Ordinary

Time. Traditionally green was seen as the color of hope.

Thanks to the Athletic Association for hosting the 65th Annual Mother's Day Breakfast. Special thanks to the men who worked hard to make the breakfast a success.

On Saturday, May 18, Archbishop Tobin ordained three men to the priesthood: Fathers Doug Marcotte, Martin Rodriguez, and John Francis Kamwendo. Please pray for them and for an increase of vocations to the priesthood and religious life.

This Monday, May 20, the priests of the Archdiocese will celebrate Priesthood Day beginning with a concelebrated noon Mass at Saint Augustine Church in Jeffersonville followed by a luncheon. On Tuesday, newly ordained Fr. Marcotte and Fr. Rodriguez will return to Rome to complete their academic studies.

Have a wonderful week.

fr. bob

Little Flower Garden Calendar Correction!
 Please note that the newsletter that arrived in homes this past week has an error in the date for 8th Grade Graduation. Graduation will be on Tuesday, May 28 beginning with Mass at 6 p.m.
 We apologize for the error!



CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR COLLEGE GRADUATES!

- Matthew Nunley, son of Linda and Brian, graduated from Indiana University.
- Matthew Zimmerman, son of Jeannie and Ed, graduated from Indiana University.
- Elizabeth Gibbons, daughter of Pete and Lisa, graduated from Indiana State University.
- Lauren Stevenson, daughter of Jimmy and Sarah, graduated from IUPUI.
- Lucretia Keenan, daughter of Shawn and Joyce, will receive her Masters from NYU.
- David Leszczynski, son of Bobby and Beth, graduated from Marian University.
- Amanda Tutrow, daughter of Cindy and Gary, graduated from Marian University.
- Abby Foor, daughter of Tom and Tracy, graduated from Indiana University.
- Amy Tamer, daughter of Matt and Susan, graduated from Marian University.
- Andrea Fleak, daughter of Bill and Laura, graduated from Marian University

We would like to recognize our parishioners who are graduating from college in an upcoming Sunday Bulletin or parish newsletter. Please send their name and the name of the college or university from which they are graduating to tom@littleflowerparish.org or call the parish center and leave the information.

Masses For The Week



FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 20 - 26, 2013

- 20 May Monday**
 7:00 a.m. Communion Service
 5:30 p.m. Communion Service
- 21 May Tuesday**
 8:30 a.m. Communion Service
 5:30 p.m. Donald Nichols by Jeff and Judy Higgins Family
- 22 May Wednesday**
 8:30 a.m. Jerry Erlenbaugh by Anita Moody
 5:30 p.m. Communion Service
- 23 May Thursday**
 8:30 a.m. Communion Service
 1:30 p.m. Crestwood - Walter & Anna Brodenkecher
 5:30 p.m. Communion Service
- 24 May Friday**
 8:30 a.m. Catherine Huppenthal
 5:30 p.m. Communion Service
- 25 May Saturday**
 8:30 a.m. Communion Service
 5:00 p.m. **Vigil of** - The Most Holy Trinity
 Fr. Dave Sullivan by Frank and Linda Hill
- 26 May Sunday - The Most Holy Trinity**
 8:30 a.m. For the People
 10:30 a.m. Terry Klain Turpin by the Family
 6:00 p.m. Dave Scanlon by the Ernestes Family

THE WEEK AHEAD IN OUR PARISH

May 19 - 26, 2013

DAY	ROOM	TIME	GROUP
Sunday	New Parishioner	Registration after all Masses	
	Duffey Hall	9:30 a.m.	Coffee and Donuts
Monday	St. Therese	6:00 p.m.	Prayer Group
	St. Patrick	7:00 p.m.	SVDP
Tuesday	Parish Center	10:00 a.m.	Mission Sewing
	Duffey Hall	7:00 p.m.	Little Flower Neighborhood Assoc.
Wednesday	St. Patrick	9:30 a.m.	Bible Study
	Scout Room	6:00 p.m.	Brownies #2441
Thursday	St. Therese	8:00 p.m.	AA
	St. Therese	10:00 a.m.	Little Petals Play Group
Scout Room		3:00 p.m.	Brownies #2900
Friday	Holy Family	3:00 p.m.	Daisy #799
	Duffey Hall	4:45 p.m.	Market Day Pick-Up
Saturday	St. Therese	7:00 a.m.	Men's Prayer Group
Sunday	Most Holy Trinity Sunday		

HELP Needed

Looking for a responsible driver for handicap van. Handicap person needs transportation to recreational activities and doctor appointments. Includes paid admission to Indiana Fever Women's home games downtown Indy. Please contact Fred Spalding, 317-459-4505. Thank you.

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:
Clara Donahue
 4919 E. 12th Street, Indianapolis, IN 46201

The Parish Office will be closed in observance of Memorial Day on Monday, May 27, 2013.

just to let you know

The Parish Life Commission has received **free tickets** to the **Indianapolis Speedrome on Saturday, June 8**. Practice starts at 5 p.m. and the races begin at 7 p.m. All tickets are on a first come, first serve basis. If you would like to reserve tickets for your family contact the parish center. Since we only have a limited number of tickets, please do not ask for tickets unless you are positive that you will use them. Thank you.



Plan ahead now for Little Flower's Vacation Bible School! June 24 – 28, 2013

Children in pre-4 to 4 grades are invited to participate this year! We will meet from 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Watch the bulletin for sign up information. **If you would like to volunteer to help during VBS please email Lisa at lgibbons@littleflowerparish.org or call 357-8352 ext. 33.**



Over 21? Reserve your seat today for the second Little Flower Ladies Club Wine Trail. Tour bus departing Saturday, July 13 at 9:00 a.m. We will be visiting Huber, Winzerwald and Simmons Wineries. Tasting, Transportation, Entertainment, and Lunch included. Just \$55 per person. Already filling up fast.

Need payments ASAP! Spouses, friends and neighbors welcome. Contact Judy Jones to arrange payment at 353-8734.

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

Weekly Budget Goal	\$ 13,850.00
Collection of May 11 th and 12 th	\$ 9,957.66
Electronic Contributions 5/6 – 5/10	\$ 1,694.00
Year to Date Budget Goal	\$ 637,100.00
Year to Date Collections	\$ 621,493.80
Fiscal Year – To – Date DEFICIT	\$ - 15,606.20

Home Improvement Fund

March Contributions	\$ 2,114.25
April Contributions	\$ 2,345.25
May Contributions (to date)	\$ 1,350.75

Stewardship of Time and Talent

A big thanks goes out to those who helped hand-deliver festival raffle tickets...Manuel and Judy Corpuz, Frank and Mary Skinner, Doug Donahue, Charlie and Pauline Graf, David and Rita Chapman, Anita Moody, and Ed Wernsing. Also thank to Katherine Wolff and Ed Wernsing who help by placing festival yard signs!

Grace in Action

Please take a few minutes to read the May issue of Grace in Action - Living Catholic Stewardship, for practical examples of stewardship in all areas of our lives.

Steward of the Month nomination forms are available in the gathering area. Nominate an outstanding LF volunteer today!

YOUTH CHOIR is on a short break. We will not sing at Mass or meet again until practice on Sunday, June 16!

FESTIVAL NEWS

Summerfest 2013
MAY 31ST, JUNE 1ST, AND JUNE 2ND

**PLEASE SEE THE SPECIAL FLYER IN
TODAY'S BULLETIN FOR MORE INFO!**

RAFFLE! Please do your best to turn in as many tickets as possible. Extras are available at all the church doors. The raffle has potential to bring money in from outside the parish and that is always very helpful. PLEASE DO ALL YOU CAN...THE RAFFLE IS THE 2ND HIGHEST MONEY-MAKING EVENT AT THE FESTIVAL AND MUST BE SUCCESSFUL FOR US TO BE SUCCESSFUL OVERALL!

The Silent Auction team STILL needs your help. Call Mary Martha Costello at 544-0473, or Rosemary Armour at 372-5513 if you or your employer can donate new goods or services valued in excess of \$25.00.

Summerfest T Shirt! - Shirts ordered in advance will be available for pick up after masses on the weekends of May 18th/19th or the weekend of May 25th/26th. A limited selection of shirts will be available for sale at \$10.00 each.

PRESALE TICKETS FOR FESTIVAL RIDES WILL BE AVAILABLE IN CHURCH AFTER WEEKEND MASSES ON MAY 18TH/19TH AND MAY 25TH/26TH OR AT THE PARISH OFFICE BETWEEN 9AM AND 3PM, MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY. PLEASE PLAN TO PURCHASE TICKETS IN ADVANCE, AS THEY ARE LESS EXPENSIVE FOR YOU AND THE PERCENTAGE OF PROFIT FOR THE PARISH IS GREATER ON ADVANCE SALE TICKETS!

Donations are being accepted for the plant booth. They are looking for any kinds of potted plants or starts and would appreciate them being marked with what they are and any care notes. You may drop your donations outside the parish center on May 29th or 30th or call Katie Baecher at 504-7937 for pick up. Pick up will take place shortly before the festival.

SET UP - We need help with booth assembly and set up. Please mark your calendars for Saturday, May 25 at 9 a.m. and Thursday, May 30 at 6 p.m. If you have one, please bring a drill and/or an 8 ft step ladder.

ATTENTION ALL STRAWBERRY HULLERS! We need help hulling fresh strawberries for the festival. Please come to the school cafeteria on Friday morning, May 31 at 9:30 a.m. We have lots of strawberries and need your help. Bring a paring knife!

Desserts needed! We are again asking parishioners to provide desserts to be used at our dinners during the festival. Please drop of your desserts in the school cafeteria anytime on Friday morning, June 1, and continuing through Saturday. We will NOT need desserts on Sunday. Thank you.

**PLEASE START NOW IF YOU HAVEN'T ALREADY.
INVITE YOUR FAMILY, FRIENDS, AND NEIGHBORS
TO COME TO SUMMERFEST!**

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