



THE HOLY TRINITY

ST. THERESE - LITTLE FLOWER ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

4720 E. 13th Street Indianapolis, Indiana 46201

www.littleflowerparish.org



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.	

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.

PASTORAL STAFF

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Stewardship Commission	Caitlin Hannon
At-Large Member	Bill Belles
At-Large Member	Mike Perron

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.

Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations,
baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit,
teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you.
And behold, I am with you always, until the end of the age.
Gospel of Matthew 28:19-20

**Dear Parish Family,**

Congratulations to Dominic Nevins who had his Eagle Scout Court of Honor here at Little Flower last Sunday, May 19.

Today is Trinity Sunday. Today we celebrate our faith in three Persons in one God.

This Monday, May 27, is Memorial Day. Mass will be at 9:00 a.m. Because it is a holiday, there will be no 5:30 p.m. Communion Service. Also, the parish office will be closed on Monday. On Memorial Day, we remember those who have died in our nation's service.

On Tuesday, May 28, our eighth grade graduation will begin with Mass at 6 p.m. Congratulations to our eighth graders. We wish them well in high school.

Lucas J Brizendine	Margarita Gómez	Samantha Mackell
Nicholas Campbell	Jacob Hadley	Joshua Paff
Isabel Cavosie	Dylan K. Hair	Evelyn Peterson
Cassandra Cecil	George P. Holle	Alexis Pryor
Andrew Clegg	Kevin Johnson	Ray Reisinger
Christopher Duncan	Liam P. Keenan	Benjamin S. Smith
Nicole Fowler	Chad Kelley	Audrey Sutton
Clayton M Garner		

Likewise, congratulations to all of our grade school, high school, and college graduates. We especially congratulate the graduates of Seccina Memorial High School, who graduated on Friday, May 24. Although our parishioners attend various high schools, as the East Deanery Catholic high school, Seccina is Little Flower's high school.

Wednesday there will be an all-school Mass at 8:30 a.m. to mark the last day of school for 2012-2013. All are invited.

Friday is the Feast of the Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary. When the Angel Gabriel told Mary that her elderly cousin Elizabeth was also pregnant, Mary immediately set out to the hill country of Judea to visit and care for Elizabeth. It was on the occasion of the Visitation that Mary proclaimed the Magnificat.

SUMMERFEST 2013 is this coming weekend, Friday-Sunday, May 31-June 2. Please check out all the bulletin announcements concerning **SUMMERFEST 2013**, which is our largest fund raiser each year. Its success depends upon your support.

First, please sell as many raffle tickets as possible. Memorial Day gatherings are a good time to sell raffle tickets.

Second, please attend the festival with your family, and participate in the activities of the festival.

Third, please invite and encourage everyone you know to attend and participate in the festival. This includes your children, grandchildren, parents, grandparents, uncles, aunts, nephews, nieces, cousins, neighbors, friends, co-workers. Again, Memorial Day gatherings are a good time to encourage attendance and participation in SUMMERFEST 2013.

Fourth, please pray for good weather for SUMMERFEST 2013.

Finally, thank you for all your support for SUMMERFEST 2013. This includes Tom Costello, the Festival Committee, all the volunteers, all who sell or purchase raffle tickets, and all who attend the festival or encourage others to attend.

Have a wonderful week!

fr. bob

MASSSES FOR THE WEEK**FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 27 – JUNE 2, 2013**

27 May	Monday
9:00 a.m.	Dick Graves by Bob and Bobbie Lawless
5:30 p.m.	No Communion Service
28 May	Tuesday
8:30 a.m.	Communion Service
6:00 p.m.	8 th Grade Graduation Mass – For the Intentions of the Class of 2013
29 May	Wednesday
8:30 a.m.	Fr. Dave Sullivan
5:30 p.m.	Communion Service
30 May	Thursday
8:30 a.m.	Communion Service
5:30 p.m.	Timothy Wood
31 May	Friday
8:30 a.m.	Jack Cooning
5:30 p.m.	Communion Service
01 June	Saturday
8:30 a.m.	Communion Service
5:00 p.m.	Vigil of The Most Holy Body and Blood of Jesus Gladys Maddox by Denis and Ita Moriarty
02 June	Sunday – The Most Holy Body and Blood of Jesus
8:30 a.m.	Art Meier by Carl and Joan Shock
10:30 a.m.	Pauline Gibson by Ken and Rita Gibson
6:00 p.m.	For the People

**THE WEEK AHEAD
IN OUR PARISH**

May 26 – June 2, 2013

DAY	ROOM	TIME	GROUP
Sunday	Most Holy Trinity Sunday		
Monday	Memorial Day		
Tuesday	Church	6:00 p.m.	8 th Grade Graduation
Wednesday	St. Patrick	9:30 a.m.	Bible Study
	Church	11:30 a.m.	Kindergarten Graduation
	St. Patrick	7:00 p.m.	<i>Connected in the Spirit</i> Core Team Meeting
Thursday	St. Therese	8:00 p.m.	AA
Friday	Parish Grounds	8:00 a.m.	Rummage Sale
	St. Therese	10:00 a.m.	Little Petals Play Group
	Parish Grounds	5:00 p.m.	Festival
Saturday	St. Therese	7:00 a.m.	Men's Prayer Group
	Parish Grounds	8:00 a.m.	Rummage Sale
	Parish Grounds	3:00 p.m.	Festival
Sunday	Parish Grounds	11:30 a.m.	Festival

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

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

Rita Fisher

1223 N. Edmondson Apt. C9, Indianapolis, IN 46219

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

Children in pre-4 to 4th grade 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.

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. Thanks!

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

Weekly Budget Goal	\$ 13,850.00
Collection of May 18 th and 19 th	check back next week
Electronic Contributions 5/13 – 5/17	check back next week
Year to Date Budget Goal (as of 5/12)	\$ 637,100.00
Year to Date Collections (as of 5/12)	\$ 621,493.80
Fiscal Year – To – Date DEFICIT as of 5/12	\$ - 15,606.20

Home Improvement Fund

March Contributions	\$ 2,114.25
April Contributions	\$ 2,345.25
May Contributions (thru 5/12)	\$ 1,350.75

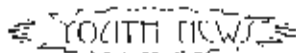
Steward of the Month nomination forms are available in the gathering area. Nominate an outstanding LF volunteer today!

Healing Hidden Hurts is a confidential healing ministry for women wounded by abortion. Debbie Miller, foundress, has 14 years experience helping women find freedom from guilt, grief, and shame. If you think about your abortion often and struggle with the painful memories, I would LOVE to help you! Call me today for FREE help at (317) 490-1267 or check out our website www.healinghiddenhurts.org



CONGRATULATION TO OUR COLLEGE GRADUATES!

We would like to continue 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.



(grades 8 thru 12)

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

Mark Your Calendars! - Annual bus trip to Kings Island will be Wednesday, July 31. More information available soon. Students currently in grades 7 through 12 will be welcome to attend.

FESTIVAL NEWS

Summerfest 2013

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

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

RAFFLE! RAFFLE! RAFFLE!

THANK YOU FOR YOUR EFFORTS SO FAR! The festival will not be successful without the success of the raffle. Extra tickets are available at all of the church doors. Perhaps you could try to sell on extra book this week.

Rummage Sale donations - We are no longer accepting donations for this year. We are looking for some strong, able-bodied volunteers to work a couple of hours at 6 a.m. on Friday, May 31. Do you sometimes go for an early morning run or trip to the gym. Come help us set up for the rummage sale and use that as your workout!!

The Silent Auction team can still use donations up until May 29. 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 this weekend. A limited selection of shirts will be available for sale at \$10.00 in the gathering area and at the festival while quantities last!

PRESALE TICKETS FOR FESTIVAL RIDES WILL BE AVAILABLE IN CHURCH THIS WEEKEND AND IN THE PARISH CENTER THIS WEEK FROM 9 A.M. TIL 3 P.M. THROUGH MAY 31. 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. Call Katie Baecher at 504-7937 for pick up. Pick up will take place this week.

SET UP - We need help with set up. Please come on Thursday, May 30, at 6 p.m. Also, take down will begin at 5 p.m. on Sunday, June 2.













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 off your desserts in the school cafeteria anytime on Friday morning May 31, and continuing through Saturday. We will NOT need desserts on Sunday. Thank you.

PLEASE.....THIS WEEK.....

Continue to support the raffle by selling extra tickets AND invite Family, Friends, and Neighbors to attend our festival next weekend!

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