

# 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.

**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](mailto:lgibbons@littleflowerparish.org) by noon on Monday.



Dear Parish Family,

Tomorrow we celebrate the Solemnity of the Nativity of John the Baptist. John the Baptist was the last prophet of the Old Testament and the first prophet of the New Testament. Therefore,

he was the bridge between the two Testaments. Also, he is called the precursor because he fulfilled the prophecy of Isaiah quoted by Mark: *"As it is written in Isaiah the prophet: 'Behold, I am sending my messenger ahead of you; he will prepare your way'"* [1:2].

In John's Gospel, John the Baptist said about himself and Jesus *"He must increase; I must decrease"* [3:30]. St. Augustine noted that the dates of this feast and Christmas were appropriate. After the birth of John (June 24), the days grow shorter. After the birth of Jesus (December 25), the days grow longer. *"He must increase; I must decrease"* [3:30].

Saturday is the Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles. It is also my 38<sup>th</sup> anniversary of ordination. The thirty-eight years have passed very quickly as have the ten years I have been pastor at Little Flower. On Saturday at Sacred Heart I will celebrate the wedding of a woman whom I taught when she was in 6<sup>th</sup> grade at St. Christopher's.

Congratulations to Andi Barnett and Celena Williamson, both of the Little Flower class of 2010, who were also members of Seecina's Class 2A Softball State Championship team. Celena was one of two managers and Andi played outfield and was a pinch runner. For Elizabeth Lee and Cena Tamer, it was an amazing way to end their high school career! Andi and Celena and the rest of next year's team have the challenge of trying to duplicate the success of this year's team.

On Wednesday, June 12, the Adventuresome Group traveled to St. Vincent de Paul in Shelby County for Mass and a tour of the church. It was awesome! St. Vincent's has so many historical artifacts, including the top of the altar from the original log cabin church. We then attended the Daughters of Isabella annual salad luncheon at the Shelbyville K of C. Finally, we toured St. Joseph Church in Shelbyville.

In my homily this week, I discussed some of the Catholic Church's positions on immigration. Here is the link to the United States Conference of Catholic Bishop's *Justice for Immigrants* website: <http://www.justiceforimmigrants.org/index.shtml>. If you can support the Church's teachings on immigration, I would invite you to let our senators and congressmen know of your support for just and compassionate immigration reform.

Have a wonderful week.

fr. bob



Please welcome into our Christian community Andrew Dwain, son of Ron and Bridget (Gonterman) Hollada,

who was baptized on Sunday, June 9, 2013.



## MASS Schedule

FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 24 - 30, 2013

<b>24 June</b>	<b>Monday</b>
7:00 a.m.	Communion Service
5:30 p.m.	Catherine Quill by Diane and Ron Sharp
<b>25 June</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>
8:30 a.m.	Communion Service
5:30 p.m.	For the Intentions of Jane Bell by a Friend
<b>26 June</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>
8:30 a.m.	Art Meier by Norb and Mary Helen Arvin
5:30 p.m.	Communion Service
<b>27 June</b>	<b>Thursday</b>
8:30 a.m.	Communion Service
1:30 p.m.	Crestwood - Frank Klepeck
5:30 p.m.	Communion Service
<b>28 June</b>	<b>Friday</b>
8:30 a.m.	Anita Bordenkecher
5:30 p.m.	Communion Service
<b>29 June</b>	<b>Saturday</b>
8:30 a.m.	Communion Service
5:00 p.m.	<b>Vigil of the 13<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> For the Intentions of Jim and Pat Dunn (Celebrating their 50 <sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary)
<b>30 June</b>	<b>Sunday - The 13<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>
8:30 a.m.	Timothy Wood
10:30 a.m.	Anna Miller by Joe and Gloria Coyne
6:00 p.m.	For the People

## THE WEEK AHEAD IN OUR PARISH

June 23 - 30, 2013

DAY	ROOM	TIME	GROUP
<b>Sunday</b>	Duffey Hall	9:30 a.m.	Coffee and Donuts
	Church	5:00 p.m.	Youth Choir Practice
	Parish Center	7:00 p.m.	Youth Cookout
<b>Monday</b>	School Cafeteria	6:00 p.m.	Vacation Bible School
	St. Patrick	7:00 p.m.	Baptism Class
<b>Tuesday</b>	Church	6:30 p.m.	Vacation Bible School
<b>Wednesday</b>	St. Therese	9:30 a.m.	Bible Study
	Church	6:30 p.m.	Vacation Bible School
<b>Thursday</b>	Church	6:30 p.m.	Vacation Bible School
	John 23 <sup>rd</sup>	7:00 p.m.	Stewardship Commission
	St. Therese	8:00 p.m.	AA
<b>Friday</b>	St. Therese	10:00 a.m.	Little Petals Play Group
	Church	6:30 p.m.	Vacation Bible School
<b>Saturday</b>	St. Therese	7:00 a.m.	Men's Prayer Group
<b>Sunday</b>	Duffey Hall	9:30 a.m.	Coffee and Donuts

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:

**Mary Kiesel**

1604 N Riley, Indianapolis, IN 46218

**There will be a festival wrap-up meeting at 7 p.m. on Monday, July 8<sup>th</sup> in the Parish Center.**

**The parish office will be closed on Thursday, July 4<sup>th</sup>.**

**Little Flower's Vacation Bible School!**

## THE TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



**June 24 – 28, 2013**

Children in pre-4 to 4<sup>th</sup> grade are invited to participate! We will meet from 6:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m. **Please sign up after Mass in the gathering area or by calling the parish office.** The cost is \$15 per child which will be collected the first night of VBS.

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

Weekly Budget Goal	\$ 13,850.00
Collection of June 8 <sup>th</sup> and 9 <sup>th</sup>	\$ 10,790.10
Electronic Contributions 6/3 – 6/7	\$ 6,556.75
Collection of June 15 <sup>th</sup> and 16 <sup>th</sup>	\$ 6,943.04
Electronic Contributions 6/10– 6/14	\$ 2,474.00
Budget Goal	\$ 706,350.00
Year to Date Collections	\$ 683,743.07
Fiscal Year-To-Date	\$ - 22,606.93

#### Home Improvement Fund

April Contributions	\$ 2,345.25
May Contributions	\$ 1,955.75
June Contributions (to date)	\$ 1,544.75

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



The next Baptism Preparation Class is Monday, June 24, at 7 p.m. in the Parish Center. This class is required for parents who are requesting baptism for their child and have not previously attended a preparation class. Please call the Parish Center at 357-8352 to let us know you plan to attend. Plan ahead, as the next class will not take place until September.

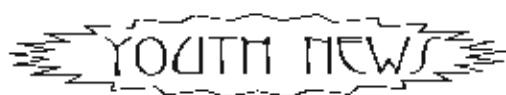
### ANNULMENTS – WHAT THE CATHOLIC CHURCH TEACHES July 24, 2013

A general information session regarding the annulment process will be led by Ann Tully and Mary Ellen Hauck, Judge Instructors of the Metropolitan Tribunal. This interactive meeting is designed to answer your questions. Why is an annulment necessary? What are the grounds for an annulment? What are the procedures? The evening will be hosted by the Catholic Center, 1400 N. Meridian St. on Wednesday, July 24, from 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. in Assembly Hall. There is no cost and registration is not required. For more information, contact the Office of Family Ministries at 236-1586 or email [dvanvelse@archindy.org](mailto:dvanvelse@archindy.org).

Catholic Charities Indianapolis sponsors monthly caregiver support groups for family members who are caregivers of older adults. Meetings are open to the community and are a way for caregivers to share and learn from each other as well as community professionals. There will be a meeting Thursday, June 27, from 5:30-7 p.m. at Fairview Presbyterian church 4609 N Capitol Avenue. To confirm attendance or for additional information, please contact Monica Woodsworth at 261-3378 or [mwoodsworth@archindy.org](mailto:mwoodsworth@archindy.org).



Where can one combine the beauty of eight lovely gardens with a variety of pre-war homes? The Irvington Garden Tour is the answer! Please join us on Sunday, June 30, from 1 – 5 p.m. Tickets are available the day of the tour at the Benton House. Cost is \$10.00.



(grades 8 thru 12)

YOUTH CHOIR will sing at 6 p.m. Mass on Sunday, June 23 and Sunday, July 7. Please meet in Church at 5 p.m. on those days.

**Mark Your Calendars!** – Annual bus trip to Kings Island will be Wednesday, July 31. Students who have just finished grades 7 through 12 will be welcome to attend. Permission Slips have been mailed or you can receive one by e-mail by sending a message to [tom@littleflowerparish.org](mailto:tom@littleflowerparish.org). The cost of the trip is just \$50.00 for those who reserve and pay by July 1. After that, the price increase to \$56.00. Please reserve your spot now.

**COOKOUT** for all youth, incoming grade 8 through high school on Sunday, June 23, from 7 p.m. until 9 p.m.

East Deanery Youth Ministry is accepting registrations for high school students to attend the National Catholic Youth Conference in Indianapolis this November 21-23. This is a conference that gathers 25,000 Catholic youth from all over the country for a weekend of faith experience and fun. For more information and to register, go to [edcym.blogspot.com](http://edcym.blogspot.com) or call/e-mail Gabby Bibeau, the East Deanery Youth Minister, at 353-9404 ext. 7 or [gbibeau@holyspirit.cc](mailto:gbibeau@holyspirit.cc)

### MARK YOUR CALENDARS

**Sunday, August 4<sup>th</sup> at 6 p.m.**

**Back to School Mass and Dinner**

**Details to follow!**

### CONNECTED IN THE SPIRIT

Our core team (Sandy Clegg, Diane Sharp, Mark Erdosy, Fr. Bob, and Tom Costello) met with our cohort parishes (Holy Spirit, Our Lady of Lourdes, and St. Bernadette) on Thursday June 20.

Our agenda included sharing of information and the results of our self-study in the areas of Sacramental Life and Evangelization, Catechesis, and Catholic Schools in all of our parishes. We also examined the planning implications for these areas in light of the data we have, and looked for ways in which we might more effectively accomplish our mission and enhance our experiences in these areas.

The Holy Name Altar Society of Holy Name Church, Beech Grove, is having their annual summer Rummage Sale on Saturday, July 27, from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. in the school gym, located at 21 North 16<sup>th</sup> Ave, Beech Grove, across from the old St. Francis Hospital.



You can inspire hope for cancer patients right here in Central Indiana. Form a team to participate in the St. Vincent Cancer Walk on Saturday, September 21, at Lions Park in Zionsville. Choose from the 10-mile Challenge Walk or 3-mile Family Walk. 100% of fundraising dollars will stay local helping improve cancer care right here in Indiana. Your journey to inspire HOPE for men, women and children facing cancer can start today at [www.StVincentCancerWalk.org](http://www.StVincentCancerWalk.org).



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