ST. THERESE - LITTLE FLOWER ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES Mass

Saturday: 5:00 PM 8:30 AM, 10:30 AM, 6:00 PM Sunday: 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 322-7702 Fax 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 services are available to Little Flower parishioners at a reduced rate. Please call Maureen Sweeney at (317) 617-2522.

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,

Today we celebrate the feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica in Rome. Although we often think of St. Peter's Basilica as the Pope's church, St. John Lateran is the cathedral church of the Diocese of Rome.

Thank you to all those who worked so hard to make this year's All-Class Reunion last weekend special. I would be remiss if I did not extend special thanks to Tom Costello who puts in countless hours every year to make this event happen. Also, thanks to our Parish and School Staff, the Adult Choir and the Student Liturgical Choir, Carol Collins Routh, Class of 1967, and to all those who attended.

Everything went very smoothly this year. I think we all enjoyed the opportunity to visit with former classmates and friends and to enjoy a really delicious dinner. The highlight of the evening, of course, was the presentation of awards.

Each year the Bob Kiley Scholarship is awarded to an outstanding 8th grader who is an altar server. This year's winner was Ariel Sutton, the daughter of Ann (Skinner) Sutton, Class of 1977 and Kevin Sutton. Bob Kiley, for whom the scholarship is named, was a member of the Class of 1949 and was named an outstanding alumnus in 2002.

Congratulations to three outstanding alumni who were added to our Wall of Honor.

Judith Dever, Class of 1982, attended Loyola Chicago Law School where she received a Law degree in 1994 and a Masters degree in Political Science in 1997. Since then, she has devoted her career to public service in the city of Chicago and the State of Illinois. Judy is married, lives in Chicago, and has two children, ages 8 and 10. For her commitment to public service, we are proud to honor Judy Dever as an Outstanding Alumna of Little Flower Catholic School.

Dr. and Deacon Mike Madden, Class of 1964, attended Vanderbilt University Medical School in Nashville, TN. He and his wife Nancy live in Appleton, Wisconsin and have three sons and four grandchildren. For the past several years, he has been practicing general internal medicine at the Partnership Community Health Center, where he is medical director, serving mostly uninsured and poor people. Mike was ordained to the permanent diaconate in 2002. For his service as a medical doctor to those in need and for his service to the Church as an ordained deacon, we are proud to honor Mike Madden as an Outstanding Alumnus of Little Flower Catholic School.

Judith Della Penna Henninger Nichols, Class of 1957, is a lifelong member of Little Flower Parish. Judy taught Spanish at Scecina Memorial High School for 31 years, retiring in 2006. However, since her retirement, she has taught at Cardinal Ritter High School, Butler University, and Marian University and currently teaches part time at both Little Flower and Our Lady of Lourdes. At Little Flower, faculty, staff, and students recognize her kindness. In gratitude for her many years of teaching following the example of Jesus, we are proud to honor Judith Della Penna Henninger Nichols as an Outstanding Alumna of Little Flower Catholic School.

Have a wonderful week. fr. bob

Eucharistic Ministers & Altar Servers

We will be working on the next schedule for Dec-Jan-Feb. Please have any changes in by November 9.

- Eucharistic Ministers please contact Ron Sharp at 356-9488 or email at <u>giboshihoosier@aol.com</u> with any changes.
- Altar Servers please contact Lisa Gibbons at 357-8342 ext. 33 or lgibbons@littleflowerparsih.org with changes.

This schedule will also include all the new servers we have been training. If you are going to be away during the months of Dec-Jan-Feb please make sure you get your changes in by Nov. 9.

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 **Donna Schmidlin**

755 N Wallace Avenue, Indianapolis, IN 46201

November 9, 2014

Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK OF November 10-16, 2014

	TOR THE WEEK OF NOVEMber 10 10, 2014					
10	November	Monday				
	7:00 a.m.	Communion Service				
	5:30 p.m.	Rest in Peace Daniel & Jim Freeland by Mom				
11	November	Tuesday				
	8:30 a.m.	Communion Service				
	5:30 p.m.	Martha Bowers by Sandy Adkins				
12	November	Wednesday				
	7:00 a.m.	Communion Service				
	11:00 a.m.	Adventuresome Group – Mildred Mauer				
	5:30 p.m.	Communion Service				
13	November	Thursday				
	8:30 a.m.	Communion Service				
	5:30 p.m.	Joan Smith				
14	November	Friday				
	8:30 a.m.	Angela Bir by Betty Jo Schmidt				
	5:30 p.m.	Communion Service				
15	November	Saturday				
	8:30 a.m.	Communion Service				
	5:00 p.m.	Vigil of the 33 rd Sunday in Ordinary Time				
	_	Mauro Angnelneri by Mario Vian & the Vian Family				
16	November	Sunday – 33 rd Sunday in Ordinary Time				
	8:30 a.m.	Pat Withem by Charlie Goodman				
	10:30 a.m.	For the People				
	6:00 p.m.	Linda Nohl by the Paul Nohl Family				

The Week Ahead

November 9-16, 2014							
DAY	ROOM	TIME	GROUP				
Sunday	Church	8:30 a.m.	Children's Liturgy				
	School	9:30 a.m.	Religious Ed				
	Duffey Hall	9:30 a.m.	Coffee and Donuts				
	St. Therese	1:30 p.m.	Franciscan Associates				
	St. Patrick	7:00 p.m.	Men's CRHP				
Monday	St. Therese	3:30 p.m.	8 th grade Study Group				
	Duffey Hall	6:30 p.m.	Cybersafe Program				
	Duffey Hall	8:00 p.m.	Men's Club				
Tuesday	St. Therese	9:30 a.m.	Legion of Mary				
	St. Therese	3:30 p.m.	8 th grade Study Group				
	Scout Room	6:00 p.m.	Wolf/Bear Scouts				
	Church	7:00 p.m.	Choir				
	Parish Center	7:00 p.m.	RCIA				
	St. Patrick	7:00 p.m.	Parish Life Commission				
Wednesday	Church/PC	11:00 a.m.	Adventuresome Group				
-	St. Therese	3:30 p.m.	8 th Grade Study Group				
	Scout Room	6:00 p.m.	Tiger Scouts				
	St. Patrick	7:00 p.m.	Parish Council				
Thursday	Scout Room	5:30 p.m.	Daisy Scout #3643				
	St. Patrick	6:30 p.m.	Adult Bible Study				
	St. Therese	8:00 p.m.	AA				
Friday	Scout Room	3:00 p.m.	Girl Scouts #799				
Saturday	St. Therese	7:00 a.m.	Men's Prayer Group				
	Parking Lot	8:30 a.m.	Men's Clean-Up Day				
	Gym	6:00 p.m.	PTO Bingo Night/Dinner				
Sunday	New Parishioner Registration after all Masses						
-	Church	8:30 a.m.	Children's Liturgy				
	Church	8:30 a.m.	RCIA-Rite of Acceptance				
	School	9:30 a.m.	Religious Ed				
	Duffey Hall	9:30 a.m.	Coffee and Donuts				
	Church	6:00 p.m.	Confirmation Rite of				
		Î	Enrollment				
	Parish Center	7:00 p.m.	Confirmation Prep- Candidates & Sponsors				

Due to the Thanksgiving holiday bulletin submissions for the weekend of Nov. 29/30 must be received by 3:00 p.m. on Wednesday, Nov. 19. Thank you!



The Adventuresome Group will meet on Wednesday, November 12, following the 11:00 a.m. Mass. We will have our annual Thanksgiving dinner, complete with all the trimmings. Please call the Parish Center, 357-8352, if you plan on coming.



Sessions for the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults are available to anyone who wants to learn more about the Catholic faith. Our next session will meet on Tuesday, November 11, at 7 p.m. in the Parish Center. Our topic for the evening is: Vatican II. Please join us!

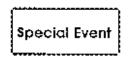
Cathedral Open House on Nov 13

Cathedral High School invites St. Therese of the Infant Jesus (Little Flower) families to their annual Open House, which will take place at Cathedral from 5:30-8:00 p.m. on Thursday, November 13. Additionally, Mass will be celebrated at 5:00 p.m. To learn more, and/or to pre-register online, visitwww.gocathedral.com/openhouse.



SVDP NEWS

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul is in need of food donations for our Thanksgiving bags of food. We are in need of instant potatoes, stuffing mix, canned green beans, corn, fruit, and packaged gravy mixes. These items can be dropped off at the parish center or placed in the SVDP cart in the back of the church anytime before Nov. 21. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.



The Parish Life Commission will host "Journey into Advent: Faith, Family, and Fun on Monday, November 24, from 6-7:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria. This is an opportunity for families to reflect on the

meaning of Advent before it begins on November 30. The evening will begin with dinner (pizza). Following dinner each family will be given the opportunity to make an Advent Calendar. The evening is free, but reservations are needed. Please call the Parish Center if you plan on attending. If you have any questions, please contact Peggy Clegg at pclegg@littleflowerparish.org or at 357-8352. Mark your calendar and plan on attending.



We extend our condolences to Dick Mayer on the death of his wife, **Rita Mayer**, who passed away on October 30^{th} and whose funeral liturgy was celebrated here on November 4th. While her children were in school Rita was a Room Mother and active

in PTO. She was also a member of the Bridge Club and helped with Mercy Meals. Rita has several other relatives in the parish including her sister, Katie White, her brother and sister in law, Tom and Jeanne O'Gara, and her niece and nephew-in-law, Maureen and Mike Battles and their family. Please keep all of Rita's family and friends in your thoughts and prayers during this difficult time. May God welcome Rita into his eternal glory.



November 16th the rite of enrollment for our confirmation candidates will take place at the 6pm Mass. Candidates, parents, and sponsors are asked to attend Mass. Following Mass, Sponsors and Candidates will meet with

the Confirmation team in the Parish Center until 9:00 pm.

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

Weekly Budget Goal	\$ 13,500.00
Collection of November 1st and 2nd	\$ 12,167.35
Electronic Contributions 10/27 – 10/31	\$ 1,173.00
Fiscal Year 2014-2015 YTD Actual	\$ 233,156.50
Fiscal Year 2014-2015 YTD Budget	\$ 243.000.00
Fiscal Year 2014-2015 YTD Deficit	\$ - 9,843.40

Home Improvement Fund

July Contributions	\$ 2,236.35
August Contributions	\$ 2,085.58
September Contributions	\$ 2,009.58
October Contributions	\$ 2,152.58
November Contributions (to date)	\$ 1,049.00

PLEASE NOTE!

This weekend, November 8th and 9th is Intention Sunday for the Archdiocesan annual appeal, Christ our Hope. Christ our Hope provides year-long support to Archdiocesan ministries that people in all parishes are able to benefit from. If you forgot your intention card this weekend, please return it as soon as possible. You may mail it directly to the Archdiocese in the envelope provided. Extras are available at the church doors

Please take special care to be sure you don't mistake this for the card for parish support. Our parish awareness campaign for stewardship of time, talent, and treasure will take place in February.

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(grades 8 thru 12) YOUTH CHOIR WILL NOT PRACTICE ON SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 16TH.

EDGE youth ministry for youth in Grades 7 and 8

Edge Retreat: Keep Calm and Sing Alleluia! Please mark your calendars now for the Edge retreat on Nov. 14-15. We'll meet at St. Bernadette's at 7 pm on Friday night and return to Our Lady of Lourdes by 5pm on Saturday. The Theme is Keep Calm and Sing Alleluia! which will focus on the Resurrection. Even though Easter was a long time ago, we are meant to live as an Easter people! There will be time for talks but also time for fun, games, food, and free time on the retreat! Cost is \$25 to cover breakfast and lunch on Saturday. For a permission slip call Miss Pometto at Angie at 356-7291 or email apometto@ollindy.org

ATHLETIC NEWS

Parent's of 4th-8th grade boys - If your son is interested in playing Basketball this year please have them registered on the CYO Site by Friday November 7. This will allow us to set up tryouts for teams. If you have any questions please contact Adam Muller at 317-427-3913 or email amullerman8985@hotmail.com. More information about tryouts will be sent home soon

Cadet Volleyball will begin this week for all interested 7th & 8th grade parishioners. Come to the gym ready to play on Monday, Nov. 10 from 4:15 - 6:00 PM. Any questions call, Sandy Clegg at 374-1228.

INDIANAPOLIS COLTS TICKET RAFFLE TO BENEFIT THE LIBRARY AT LITTLE FLOWER SCHOOL ENTER TO WIN TWO <u>CLUB LEVEL</u> TICKETS TO *THE INDIANAPOLIS COLTS VS. THE WASHINGTON REDSKINS* SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 2014 1:00 PM AT LUCAS OIL STADIUM (game subject to NFL flex scheduling) Section 112 (around 40 yd line), Row 17—Face value \$275.00 each ticket Includes access to VIP entrance and convenience and luxury of admission to Faegre Baker Daniels Club TICKETS ARE \$25.00 EACH OR <u>THREE</u> TICKETS FOR \$50.00 Obtain tickets from any school commission member, from the school or parish office, or after Masses on November 8th/9th *Game tickets may not be resold by winner WINNER WILL BE DRAWN AT PTO BINGO NIGHT*

Next weekend, November 15th and 16th is the collection for the Campaign for Human Development. CCHD empowers communities to build a just society for the 46.2 million people in our country suffering from poverty. Funds generated will demonstrate the charity of Christ to those in need. Please use the envelope provided in your regular packet and place your donation in the regular collection

ALUMNI APPAREL

For the first time we are offering Little Flower Alumni Apparel for sale. An order form is included in this bulletin. You may order on line, or return the order form in the collection next week with payment. Proceeds will benefit the Bob Kiley Scholarship Fund.



Project CyberSafe For Parents

Provided by: Marion County Prosecutor's Office

What is Cyberbullying? The intent to HURT or EMBARRASS someone else by using computers, cell phones, and the internet.

Presentation Includes:

- The basics of bullying.
- Relevant statutes that apply to bullying and the juvenile justice system.
- The subpoena power of the court and the ability of the prosecutor's office to get phone, Facebook, and email records.
- Student responsibility when faced with bullying.
- "Privacy" on the internet is an illusion and anything you
 post could potentially be seen by the entire online world.

« The Project CyberSafe for parents and adults presentation educates adults on the risks of cyberbullying, danger of unmonitored online activity by children and protecting personal information online.»

When: Monday, November 10, 2014 Time: 6:30—7:30 PM Location: Little Flower Catholic School—Duffey Hall (door #6) 1401 North Bosart, Indianapolis, 46201 317.353.2282

Child Care Provided by Little Flower



Beach Bingo

Saturday November 15th, 2014 Little Flower Gym 1401 North Bosart Avenue Indianapolis, Indiana Spaghetti Dinner and 2 Complimentary Drink Tickets Included Registration Begins in the gym at 5:30pm Dinner Begins at 6:00pm Bingo Begins at 7:00pm



Tickets

Presale \$20 At the Door \$25 Colts Ticket Raffle Winner will be Drawn at Bingo Tickets can be purchased after Masses on October 25th & 26th and after all Masses November 8th & 9th. For Additional Sale Dates Please Contact Drew Torzewski 317.333.1042 or email at drewtorz@gmail.com

MUST BE 21 YEARS OF AGE TO ATTEND

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