

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

ST. THERESE - LITTLE FLOWER

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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
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 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.

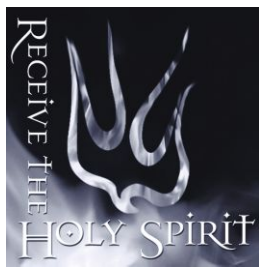
PARISH REGISTRATION

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.

Pentecost

**Dear Parish Family,**

We wish to welcome all those who have come to enjoy Summerfest 2017 with us. Thank you for coming.

Today we celebrate Pentecost, the sending of the Holy Spirit. The word *Pentecost* means the fiftieth day. Pentecost was the Greek name given to the Jewish Feast of Weeks, which fell

on the fiftieth day after Passover. Our Pentecost falls on the fiftieth day after Easter. Today also marks the end of the liturgical season of Easter. During the Easter Season the Paschal or Easter Candle is lit at all Masses. After today, the Paschal or Easter candle will only be lit for baptisms and funerals.

Tomorrow we return to Ordinary Time. During Ordinary Time, "the mystery of Christ itself is honored in all its fullness." During Ordinary Time, green vestments are worn. In the Liturgy, green is the color of hope.

Congratulations to Little Flower parishioners and/or graduates of Little Flower School who graduated from Seccina Memorial High School on Friday, May 26:

Carlos Alarcon	Nicole Fowler	Kevin Johnson
Sara Beers	Clayton Garner	Chad Kelly
Lucas Brizendine	Margarita Gomez	Danielle Lawson
Cassie Cecil	Jacob Hadley	Alexis Pryor
Andrew Clegg	Dylan Hair	Ray Reisinger
Christopher Duncan	George Holle	Audrey Sutton

Margarita Gomez and Audrey Sutton graduated with honors and received Academic Honors Diplomas. Andrew Clegg and Christopher Duncan graduated with high honors and received an Academic Honors Diploma.

As the East Deanery Catholic High School, Seccina Memorial High School is Little Flower's high school, an extension of the educational ministry of Little Flower Parish. In his remarks at graduation, Seccina President Joe Therber suggested that being a Seccina graduate meant at least five things. The first spoke directly to the reason why Catholic Schools exist:

One, it means you have attended Mass at least weekly during high school. If you retain nothing from the last 4 years for the rest of your life but that habit, your education will have been a good investment. Praying, giving thanks, and worshipping can determine your eternal happiness more than any scholarship, profession, or amount of money can.

Belated thanks to the Little Flower Ladies Club for their \$5,000 contribution to the parish. Every year the Ladies Club works very hard to raise money both to care for the church sanctuary and sacristy and to make a significant contribution to the parish to help with ordinary operating expenses. The Ladies Club is the longest continuing Little Flower parish organization.

Finally, this week I will be away on Tuesday and Wednesday for Priesthood Days. The culmination of this overnight will be honoring jubilarians of priesthood and thanking those retiring.

Have a wonderful week!

Fr. Bob



Newly Baptized

Please welcome into our Christian community Therese Lynn, daughter of Ryan and Amy (Wyne) Costello, who was baptized on Sunday, May 28, 2017.



Masses For The Week

FOR THE WEEK OF June 5 - 11, 2017

05	June	Monday
	5:30 p.m.	Jack Mears by the Freeland Family
06	June	Tuesday
	5:30 p.m.	Communion Service
07	June	Wednesday
	5:30 p.m.	Communion Service
08	June	Thursday
	5:30 p.m.	Alan English by Peggy Magee
09	June	Friday
	5:30 p.m.	Pat Gandolph by Ed and Peggy Fowley
10	June	Saturday-Vigil of The Most Holy Trinity
	5:00 p.m.	Joe Whalen by the Family
11	June	Sunday - The Most Holy Trinity
	8:30 a.m.	For the People
	10:30 a.m.	Frank Klinkose by Jim and Loretta Miller
	6:00 p.m.	Ed & Helen Fillenwarth by the Fillenwarth Family

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

June 4 - 11, 2017

DAY	ROOM	TIME	GROUP
Sunday	Parish Grounds	11:30 a.m.	Summerfest
Monday	St. Patrick	6:30 p.m.	SVDP
	St. Therese	6:30 p.m.	Women's CRHP #4
Tuesday	St. Therese	9:30 a.m.	Legion of Mary
	Scout	6:30 p.m.	Girl Scouts #2441
Wednesday	St. Patrick	9:30 a.m.	Bible Study
	St. Patrick	7:00 p.m.	School Commission
Thursday	John 23 rd	7:00 p.m.	Men's CRHP
	Duffey Hall	7:00 p.m.	PTO Planning Meeting
	St. Therese	8:00 p.m.	AA
Friday			
Saturday	St. Therese	7:07 a.m.	Men's Prayer Group
			Blood Pressure Check after all Masses
Sunday	Church	8:30 a.m.	Children's Liturgy
	St. Therese	1:00 p.m.	Franciscan Associates



The next **Adventuresome Group** meeting will be on **Wednesday, June 14**. We will be heading to **Shelbyville, IN** for the Salad Bar Luncheon sponsored by the Daughters of Isabella, at the Shelbyville K of C, 413 East South Street. The cost will be \$10.00 per person. We will begin the day with **Mass at 11:00 a.m.** Following Mass we will car pool to Shelbyville. Please contact Peggy Clegg at 317-357-8352 or pclegg@littleflowerparish.org if you have any questions.



(grades 8 thru 12)

Youth choir will be on a short break during the graduation/festival season!

CYO day at King's Island is Wednesday, July 19. Watch the bulletin for more information on our bus charter for this day. Students currently in grades 7 through 12 will be welcome to attend. You may email tcostello@littleflowerparish.org for more information and a permission slip. There will be a discount for registrations received before July 1.

FESTIVAL NEWS

If you are reading this and it is not yet 5 p.m. on Sunday, come on over. The fun is going on now! See next week's bulletin for this year's raffle winners!

THANK YOU FOR ALL OF YOUR SUPPORT!



CONGRATULATION TO OUR GRADUATES!

Nicholas Nevins, Ball State University
Dominic Nevins, Marian University

We would like to continue recognize our parishioners who are graduating from elementary school, high school, or college in an upcoming Sunday Bulletin or parish newsletter. Please send their name and the name of the school, college, or university from which they are graduating to tom@littleflowerparish.org or call the parish center and leave the information. (Seccina, Cathedral, and Little Flower graduates will be published separately).

TAKE NOTE

There is a special collection on the weekend of June 10/11 for the education of future archdiocesan priests. The archdiocese has 15 seminarians, 7 of whom are studying theology and approaching their final years for formation. Your generous support helps provide the necessary education and formation. Please be as generous as possible and pray for vocations! You may use the envelope provided in your regular envelope packet.

SAVE THE DATE VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

July 10-14, 2017
6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

For children entering Pre4 to 4th grade in the fall.

Volunteers are needed!

Please contact Lisa at 317-357-8352 ext. 33 or
email: lgibbons@littleflowerparish.org.

Watch the bulletin for more information.

Our Sincere Thanks

Six months ago Jesus called John home. Our hearts are still heavy but the kindness, love, and support we continue to receive from everyone at Little Flower is helping us heal. Thank you from Mike and Mary Ann Maio and Family.

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

Pat Nelis

8803 Madison Avenue Apt 303C, Indianapolis, IN 46227



The next Baptism Preparation Class is Monday, June 12, 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 August.

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

Weekly Budget Goal	\$ 13,500.00
Collection of May 27 and 28	\$ 7,273.01
Electronic Contributions 5/22-5/26	\$ 2,485.00
Fiscal Year 2016-2017 YTD Actual	\$ 631,528.92
Fiscal Year 2016-2017 YTD Budget	\$ 648,000.00
Fiscal Year 2016-2017 YTD DEFICIT	\$ - 16,471.08

Home Improvement Fund

February Contributions	\$ 1,815.58
March Contributions	\$ 2,120.83
April Contributions	\$ 1,759.09
May Contributions (to date)	\$ 2,005.08

HELP WANTED

Full Time Maintenance Person

We currently have a full-time daytime position for a highly motivated person to fill an immediate opening. Position will include general maintenance of all parish buildings and grounds. Applicant must have general knowledge of maintenance and custodial duties related to School and Church buildings. Applicant will work in conjunction with Maintenance Director and Night Custodian to maintain Little Flower's Campus. Applicant must be able to do heavy work, with some use of equipment for floor cleaning. Previous work experience in maintenance preferred.

Evening Custodian

We also have an opening for a full time custodian to do cleaning and light maintenance in the school building on Monday through Friday evenings from approximately 3 p.m. until 11:30 p.m. Applicant must be motivated to work, for the most part independently. Applicant must be able to do heavy custodial work, with some use of equipment for floor cleaning.

Interested persons may pick up an application at the parish office, Monday thru Friday, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Enter Parish Center by Door 11 or Door 13. No phone calls please.

Coming to Little Flower on June 12!

SoulCore

A contemplative core workout that nourishes body and soul while meditating on the life of Jesus through the Rosary. SoulCore pairs core strengthening, stretching, and functional movement with the prayers of the Rosary.

SoulCore at Little Flower will begin on June 12,
from 6:30-8 p.m. in the Gym
and will continue on most Mondays through Aug. 14.

SoulCore is open to everyone regardless of age or ability and attendance is on a "drop-in" basis. There is no charge for this physical-spiritual workout but free-will donations to charity are accepted. Questions? Call Susan at 317-626-1454 or Joan at 317-727-1167, or the Parish Center 317-357-8352 or go to www.Soulcore.com.

Bring a water bottle, yoga mat or towels for cushioning, and one to three pound hand weights (optional).

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