

ST. THERESE - LITTLE FLOWER

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Stewardship Commission	OPEN POSITION
At-Large Member	Mike Perron
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At-Large Member	Bernie Sponsel

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?

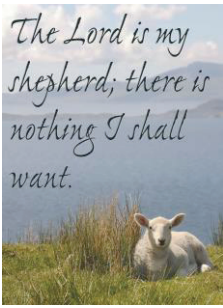
Inquiry Classes begin in late August as part of the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA). Call Parish Center for information.

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.



Dear Parish Family,

If you were here for Mass last Sunday, I mentioned that as good as it is to go on vacation, it is equally good to come home to family. I think of all of you as family. Because I go to a lake, I am always asked if I fish. I do not fish. However, I did read 2 ½ novels. I took several boat rides and went out on a wave runner once. Most importantly, I was able to spend quality time with the family I was

visiting and had the opportunity to get to know other guests.

Thanks to all the families who participated in Vacation Bible School last week and to Lisa Gibbons and all the volunteers who helped with Vacation Bible School.

Parents of public school students, Sunday morning Religious Education for children in kindergarten through 8th grade who do not attend a Catholic school will begin on August 19. Religious Ed meets most Sundays from 9:30 a.m. until approximately 10:25 a.m. Please mark your calendars. Although parents are the first teachers of their children in the ways of faith, formal religious education is also important to help children know, understand, and share their faith.

Wednesday is the feast of St. James, Apostle. This St. James is often referred to as St. James the Greater as opposed to the other apostle named James, referred to as St. James the Lesser. He is called the Greater because he followed Jesus before the other St. James. This St. James is the brother of St. John. They were the sons of Alphaeus. He was probably a cousin of Jesus.

Thursday is the feast of Saints Joachim and Anne, the parents of the Blessed Virgin. This is a good day for all of us to pray for all parents. Parenting is one of the most challenging vocations.

Have a wonderful week.

fr. bob



Little Flower's schedule for St. Vincent DePaul warehouse at 1201 E. Maryland St. 46202 is coming up on Saturday, July 28, from 7:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. We need two drivers and two helpers to go out and pick-up donated furniture and other household items. They supply the trucks and a route, we supply the help. If you are able to lift 50-75 lbs., have a good back, and a servant's heart, please call Chris Arvin 317-270-2930.



We extend our condolences to Brent and Jenny Anderson on the death of Brent's father, Lynn Carter "Andy" Anderson. His funeral services were on July 7. Please keep all of Andy's family and friends in your thoughts and prayers during this difficult time. May God welcome Andy into his eternal glory!



NEWLY
BAPTIZED

Please welcome into our Christian community Rocket James, son of Andrew and Lyndsey (Rosenberger) Mundell who was baptized on Sunday, July 15, 2018.

Liturgy Intentions For The Week



For the Week of July 23 - 29, 2018

23	July	Monday
	5:30 p.m.	For the Intentions of Charlie Goodman
24	July	Tuesday
	5:30 p.m.	Communion Service
25	July	Wednesday
	5:30 p.m.	Charles and Mary O'Hara by Jim O'Hara
26	July	Thursday
	1:30 p.m.	Crestwood – Fr. Mark Gottmoeller
	5:30 p.m.	Communion Service
27	July	Friday
	5:30 p.m.	Communion Service
28	July	Saturday-Vigil of The 17 th Sunday in Ordinary Time
	5:00 p.m.	Henrietta Hordyke by Our Lady of Victory Legion of Mary
29	July	Sunday – 17 th Sunday of Ordinary Time
	8:30 a.m.	Renee Gunderson by Bob and Mary Sitzman
	10:30 a.m.	Anthony Gutierrez by a Friend
	6:00 p.m.	For the People

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

July 22 - 29, 2018

DAY	ROOM	TIME	GROUP
Sunday	New Parishioner	Registration	After All Masses.
	Church	8:30 a.m.	Children's Liturgy
	Parish Center	9:30 a.m.	Coffee and Donuts
Monday	Gym	6:30 p.m.	SoulCore
Tuesday	St. Therese	9:30 a.m.	Legion of Mary
Wednesday	Church	7:00 p.m.	Summer Choir
Thursday	Parish Grounds	5:30 p.m.	Invite Commission Neighborhood Picnic
	St. Therese	8:00 p.m.	AA
Friday			
Saturday	Storage Room	9:00 a.m.	Gabriel Project
Sunday	Church	8:30 a.m.	Children's Liturgy
	Parish Center	9:30 a.m.	Coffee and Donuts
	Church	10:10 a.m.	Summer Choir Sing at 10:30 a.m. Mass
	Church	5:00 p.m.	Youth Choir/ Sings at 6 p.m. Mass

Neighborhood Picnic!

Do you have a neighbor, family member, or friend that you've wanted to invite to an event at Little Flower but not necessarily Mass? Please consider inviting them to the Little Flower Neighborhood Picnic, sponsored by the Invite Commission, on **Thursday, July 26, at 6:00 p.m.** rain or shine. We will have free dinner, free school supplies, and live jazz music. This is a fun evening and a casual way to introduce others to our hospitality and friendliness. Please save the date and bring a friend or two!

Share Your Faith!



SAVE THIS DATE!

We will be welcoming our high school and college students in a special way to 6 p.m. Mass on Sunday August 5. There will be a blessing for them and their upcoming school year during Mass. Please try to make this a priority for your family.

You're Invited!

Former parishioners Dcn. Wayne and Darlene Davis are celebrating their 50th anniversary with an Open House from 1 - 4 p.m. on Saturday, August 11, in the Parish Life Center at St. Michael Catholic Church, 515 Jefferson Blvd., Greenfield, IN 46140. Please come celebrate this milestone with the Davis family. Cards of congratulations may also be mailed to 3818 N. Kelly Drive, Greenfield, IN 46140.



SAVE THE DATE: Our Parish Picnic will be Sunday, August 19, following the 10:30 a.m. Mass. Mark your calendar and plan on attending. More information to follow!



Religious Education News

Little Flower offers Religious Education (CCD) for children in kindergarten to 8th grade who attend public schools. We will meet on most Sundays from 9:30 a.m. – 10:25 a.m. beginning August 19, 2018 through April 2019. If you have any questions, or to register for Religious Ed, please email Lisa at lgibbons@littleflowerparish.org, or call 317-357-8352 ext. 33.

PLEASE NOTE: Children who are entering 2nd grade and attend public schools will also prepare for First Reconciliation and First Eucharist during Religious Ed. You must have completed 1 year of Religious Ed to be accepted in the Sacrament program. (Please see more information on our Sacrament program below.)

First Reconciliation & First Eucharist Program

Catholic families who have children entering 2nd grade are invited to **Parent Meeting on Thursday, August 30, at 6:30 p.m.** in Duffey Hall. At this meeting we will discuss the program and commitments that are required. Children will make their First Reconciliation during Advent and First Communion on Sunday, April 28, 2019 at 10:30 a.m. Mass.

Baptism is required to receive these sacraments. If you have not had your child baptized, please contact Peggy Clegg in the parish office at 317-357-8352 or email pclegg@littleflowerparish.org. You will need to attend a **Baptism Class** prior to your child's baptism. **The next class will be on Monday, August 27 at 7 p.m. in the parish center.** We would like all baptisms completed by November 2018. We are here to help you in this process and are very excited to be a part of this journey of Faith for you and your child. If you have any questions please contact Lisa at 317-357-8352 ext. 33 or email lgibbons@littleflowerparish.org.

JUST TO LET YOU KNOW

The Adventuresome Group will meet on Wednesday, August 8, following the 11:00 a.m. Mass. This month we will be inviting members of our cohort parishes, Holy Spirit, Our Lady of Lourdes, and St. Philip Neri, to join us for a "Lunch and Learn." Our topic will be Mental Health Awareness for Seniors. Mark your calendar and plan on attending.

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

Weekly Budget Goal	\$ 13,550.00
Collection of July 14 and 15	\$ 7,686.96
Electronic Contributions 7/9 – 7/13	\$ 2,003.67
Fiscal Year 2018-2019 YTD Actual	\$ 37,812.74
Fiscal Year 2018-2019 YTD Budget	\$ 40,650.00
Fiscal Year 2018-2019 YTD DEFICIT	\$ - 2,837.26

Home Improvement Fund

May Contributions	\$ 1,898.83
June Contributions	\$ 2,077.83
July Contributions (to date)	\$ 1,331.33



Save the Date

The 19th Annual Father Robert Borchertmeyer Golf Outing is just around the corner. The outing will be on Friday, September 7, at 10:30 a.m. at Pleasant Run Golf Course. This year the cost is only \$75. Please contact Jeff Lyons at 317-294-9242, or jeffly200@gmail.com if you are interested in playing. Flyers will be available in the next couple of weeks.

PLEASE CONSIDER REMEMBERING LITTLE FLOWER PARISH AND SCHOOL IN YOUR ESTATE PLANNING.



(grades 8 thru 12)

Sunday, July 29: Meet in Church at 5 p.m. to sing at 6 p.m. Mass.

Sunday, August 5: Meet in Church at 5 p.m. to sing at 6 p.m. Mass.

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:

**Marcella Bauman, Rosewalk Village,
1302 N Lesley Ave, Indianapolis, IN 46219**



The Office of Marriage and Family Life invites all married couples of the Archdiocese of Indianapolis who will celebrate 50 years of marriage in 2018 to the 35th Annual Golden Wedding Jubilee. **This joyful celebration will take place on August 5, 2018, at 2:00 pm at Ss.**

Peter and Paul Cathedral. Mass will be celebrated by Archbishop Charles Thompson, and will be followed by a reception across the street at the Catholic Center in Assembly Hall. The event is free of charge, but registration is required. Registration forms are available at the doors of church or you may register online at www.archindy.org/weddingcelebrations. Registration deadline is July 30, 2018. If you have questions, please contact Keri Carroll at kcarroll@archindy.org or (317) 236-1521.

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