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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES Mass

> 5:00 PM Saturday:

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,

Tomorrow we celebrate the Feast of the Transfiguration of the Lord. It is also the 40th anniversary of the death of Blessed Pope Paul VI

who will be canonized by Pope Francis on October 14, 2018. Pope Francis will also canonize Archbishop Oscar Romero, Archbishop of San Salvador, who was martyred as he was celebrating Mass on March 24, 1980.

Special thanks to everyone who responded to my request for pictures of the original sanctuary ceiling. The restoration of the sanctuary ceiling is scheduled to begin this week.

Also, special thanks to the Invite Commission who hosted our Neighborhood Cookout on Thursday, July 26. I thought we had excellent attendance. Volunteers from the neighborhood did the cooking. Kenny Aull, his son, and his son's ensemble provided musical entertainment. Several who attended expressed their appreciation for the cookout. A few expressed interest in our parish and school. At least one was at Mass last Sunday. Many children received free school supplies. Thanks also to the Men's Club who took responsibility for setting up and taking down tables and chairs. Even some of our guests helped take down tables and chairs.

Next weekend Catherine Sullivan, Franciscan Mission Service missioner who has returned from Bolivia, will speak at all the Masses about FMS' work internationally and in the United States and to ask for your prayers and your contributions to support their missionary work. A more complete announcement about the Franciscan Mission Service can be found elsewhere in the bulletin.

Have a wonderful week.

fr. bob



Little Flower School News

A note from our Principal:

I am thrilled to welcome you all back for this school year. Our parent meetings will be held in our newly renovated cafeteria. We have three Parent Meetings scheduled and they are:

- Tuesday, August 7, at 7:00 p.m.
- Wednesday, August 8, at 6:00 p.m.
- Monday, August 13, at 9:00 a.m.

All parents are to attend ONE of these meetings.

Students & parents will get to meet the teachers on Sunday, August 12, from 4:30 p.m. - 5:45 p.m. Mass follows at 6:00 p.m. All are welcome!

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

For the Week of August 6 - 12, 2018

06 August Monday

5:30 p.m. Souls in Purgatory by John T. Kelly

07 August Tuesday

5:30 p.m. Tony Gutierrez by Barb Temple

08 August Wednesday

11:00 a.m. Isabella Mathias by Diane & Ron Sharp

5:30 p.m. Communion Service

09 August Thursday 5:30 p.m. Carole Hill 10 August Friday

5:30 p.m. John Asher by Joe & Gloria Asher

11 August Saturday-Vigil of The 19th Sunday in Ordinary

Time

5:00 p.m. Pat Gandolph by Mike Beltrame

12 August Sunday – 19th Sunday of Ordinary Time 8:30 a.m. Elizabeth Brake by Bob & Mary Sitzman

10:30 a.m. For the People

6:00 p.m. Maureen Sheehan by Sandy Adkins

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August 5 - 12, 2018

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DAY	ROOM	TIME	GROUP		
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		
	Church	6:00 p.m.	Back to School		
			Blessing		
	St. Therese	7:00 p.m.	Confirmation Team		
			Meeting		
Monday	St. Therese	1:30 p.m.	SVDP		
	Gym	6:30 p.m.	SoulCore		
Tuesday	St. Therese	9:30 a.m.	Legion of Mary		
	Duffey Hall	7:00 p.m.	School Parent Meeting		
	(school café)				
Wednesday	Church & PC	11:00 a.m.	Adventuresome Group		
	St. Therese	1:15 p.m.	SoulCore Chair		
	Duffey Hall (school café)	6:00 p.m.	School Parent Meeting		
	St. Patrick	6:00 p.m.	Stewardship Meeting		
Thursday	St. Therese	8:00 p.m.	AA		
Friday					
Saturday	LF Parking Lot	8:00 a.m.	Family Canoe Outing -		
			Sponsored by the Men's Club		
	Blood Pressure Check after all Masses in the Gathering Area.				
Sunday	Church	8:30 a.m.	Children's Liturgy		
_	Parish Center	9:30 a.m.	Coffee and Donuts		
	Duffey Hall	4:30 p.m.	Little Flower School		
	(school café)		Back to School Meeting		

Please welcome into our Christian Community the following children who were baptized on Sunday, July 29, 2018:

- Gerald Francis, son of Gregory and Joanna (Barnett) Slisz
- Rheagan Giuliana, daughter of Matthew and Jessica (Whitaker) Tamucci.

ATTENTION EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS & ALTAR SERVERS

The new schedule will be coming out soon for the months of September-October-November. Please get any changes in by August 8. Altar Server please email changes to Lisa Gibbons at lgibbons@littleflowerparish.org, or call 357-8352 ext. 33. Eucharistic Ministers please email changes Lisa Gibbons as well because Ron will be on vacation.

your attention please

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. Following our meeting, Joan Bullock will do another Soul Core session, which is praying the Rosary while exercising. Mark your calendar and plan on attending.

Little Flower Athletics Info

LFAC Cleaning Party

Calling on all volunteers! On **Saturday**, **August 11** starting at 8 a.m., we are gathering anyone interested to help us clean the gym and concession stand! School starts the following week and we would love to have our gym sparkling clean for all the students when they return! We hope you can make it! If you have a student who is interested in getting a jump start on their service hours...this counts! Any questions you can contact Lynda Trimble at trimble at trimblelyn@aol.com. We hope to see you there!

Football Camp

Attention any parish member with children in Kindergarten -8^{th} grade. Football Camp will start **August 6 through August 9**, from 6 p.m. - 7:15 p.m. Camp is located at the Police Academy at 10^{th} and Post Road. Please have your child wear t-shirt, shorts, and cleats (if they have them). Don't forget to bring plenty of water for them to drink! If you have questions about registering your child for football, you can contact Lynda Trimble at trimblelyn@aol.com.

Fall Kickball

All girls grades 3 – 8 interested in fall kickball must be signed up **by August 13**. There will be assistance in signing up at Back to School Night on August 12. Contact lfacathletics@gmail.com for more information.

You're Invited!

Former parishioners Dcn. Wayne and Darlene Davis are celebrating their 50^{th} 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.

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

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Weekly Budget Goal		13,550.00
Collection of July 28 and 29		6,819.60
Electronic Contributions 7/23 – 7/27		1,907.00
Fiscal Year 2018-2019 YTD Actual		62,203.94
Fiscal Year 2018-2019 YTD Budget		67,750.00
Fiscal Year 2018-2019 YTD DEFICIT		- 5,546.06
Home Improvement Fund		
May Contributions		1,898.83
June Contributions		2,077.83
July Contributions (to date)		2,060.33



(grades 8 thru 12)

YOUTH CHOIR

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

YOUTH CHOIR will practice on Sunday, August 19, from 7 p.m. until 8:15 pm. in Church. New members are needed. This is also the time of year when we welcome those entering eighth grade. We have recently lost two members to college so please consider joining us. Parents, encourage your kids in grades 8 through 12, and consider making the sacrifice to help them participate. They practice one Sunday evening per month and sing at the 6 p.m. Sunday evening Mass on the 1st and 4th Sunday of each month, arriving at 5 p.m. to practice before Mass. This group makes a huge contribution to our liturgy!

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:

> Rita Gibson, St. Paul Hermitage, 501 N 17th Avenue, Beech Grove, IN 46107



On the weekend of August 11 and 12, Catherine Sullivan, a returned missioner from Bolivia with Franciscan Mission Service, will visit all Masses and share about FMS' work internationally and in the United States. As a Catholic, 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization, FMS relies on the prayers and financial support of U.S.

church communities to serve communities in Latin America, Jamaica, and here in the United States. In anticipation of their visit, Franciscan Mission Service invites parishioners to reflect on Pope Francis' words from *Evangelii Gaudium*: "Every Christian is challenged, here and now, to be actively engaged in evangelization; indeed, anyone who has truly experienced God's saving love does not need much time or lengthy training to go out and proclaim that love." How might you be called to be engaged in evangelization? Some give by going on mission, and some go by giving both prayers and donations. To find out more, visit www.franciscanmissionservice.org and look for Catherine after Mass on August 11 and 12.



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 gibbons@littleflowerparish.org.

The Fall Film Series of the Eastside Creation Care Network

- Friday, September 21 at 7 p.m. <u>THE TRUE COSTS</u> at Irvington United Methodist Church – 30 N. Audubon Road. This is a story about clothing. The film pulls back the curtain on an unseen part of our world and asks us who pays the price for our clothing.
- Friday, October 19 at 7 p.m. THE <u>AGE OF CONSEQUENCES</u> at Downey Ave. Christian Church 111 S. Downey Ave. These filmmakers investigated how climate changes impacts resource scarcity, migration and conflict though the lens of US national security and global stability. Its unnerving assessment is by no means reason for fatalism, but is a call to rethink how to use and produce energy.
- Friday, November 16 at 7 p.m. <u>THIS CHANGES EVERYTHING</u> at Shalom Mennonite Church – 6100 E. 32nd Street. What if confronting the climate crises is the best chance we will get to build a better world? Here are stories from seven communities on the front lines. And here are ideas for changes to our economic system into something radically better

Each film showing is free and will be followed by a time of discussion and refreshments.

The Eastside Creation Care Network is an affiliate of Hoosier Interfaith Power and Light https://hoosieripl.org/



SoulCore Chair Workout

Coming to Little Flower on Wednesday, August 8, at 1:15 p.m. & Wednesday, August 29, at 1:00 p.m., in the St. Therese Room of

the Parish Center SoulCore Chair Workout. A contemplative 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 while seated in a chair during the majority of the workout. This is a workout designed for seniors, those just beginning an exercise program, or recovering from injury.

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.

We are still offering the mat workout on most Mondays at 6:30 p.m. in the Little Flower Gym. Sponsored by the Little Flower Ladies Club.

Knights of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary Meeting
Our Lady of Fatima Council
Fatima Event Center
1040 North Post Road

The August meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary is Wednesday, August 8, at 7:00 PM. Your husband does NOT have to belong to the Knights for you to join the Ladies Auxiliary. Come & get involved as much or little as you wish & enjoy meeting new people! If you have any questions about the Auxiliary call Pam Donaldson at 317-431-5239 or Mary McGinley at 317-627-2840. Hope to see you there.



Our Parish Picnic, sponsored by the Family Life Commission, will be on Sunday, August 19, following the 10:30 a.m. Mass on our parish grounds. Please mark your calendar and save the date. You won't want to miss

out on all the fun! There will be games available for anyone in $4^{\rm th}$ grade and above including bingo! There will be a waterslide available for children ages 3 - 3rd grade, weighing less than 90 lbs. Anyone younger than 3 must have a parent with them in order to use the slide. All children using the slide need to wear swimsuits and should bring a towel for drying off. Fried chicken, drinks, and paper products will be provided. Every family is asked to bring a dish to share that will feed 10-12 people. Listed below is what you are asked to bring according to the first letter of your last name:

- A H Cold Dish pasta salad, macaroni salad, veggies, etc.
- I R Hot Dish mac & cheese, baked beans, au gratin potatoes, etc
- S Z Desserts cake, brownies, cupcakes, etc

You might also want to bring lawn chairs so that you can move around to watch the various events that are happening. Help is needed, before & after the picnic, as all the tables and chairs for this event will need to be brought up from the cafeteria and returned to the cafeteria. Please contact Peggy Clegg, 357-8352, if you are available to help. Remember, many hands make for light work.



Archdiocesan Golden Jubilee Celebration

As Archbishop Charles Thompson celebrates the Golden Wedding Anniversary Jubilee Mass this weekend, we would like to congratulate all of our parishioners who have reached or surpassed this milestone. Your commitment to each other and to marriage itself is an example for all of us. May God continue to bless you, and may you celebrate many more anniversaries together in the years to come.

CONGRATULATIONS

David & Charlotte Allstatt Dave & Ann Babcock Steve & Mary Lou Beaupre Merrill & Marylyn Blackwell **Butch & Donna Brown** Ollie & Janice Capshaw Manuel & Judy Corpuz Robert & Linda Dennemann Jim & Jodi Erlenbaugh Richard & Roberta Fleetwood Paul & Georgiann Georgescu Thomas & Margaret Greene Kenneth & Helen Gross Dale & Patricia Hawkins Louis and Patricia Horton John & Margaret Hughel Bill & Joanne Johnson Norbert & Pamela Koors

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If we have inadvertently left anyone out that has celebrated 50 years or more of marriage, please call the Parish Center. These are the names we were able to obtain from our database, and it is possible that we are missing some couples who should be recognized. If this occurs, please know that we are truly sorry for the error.







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