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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES Mass

> Saturday: 5:00 PM 9:30 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.

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OFFICE HOURS: Monday - Friday 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM 317-357-8352 Fax 317-357-5 PARISH CENTER 317-357-5316

Fax 317-322-7702 SCHOOL 317-353-2282

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 9:30 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 5 times per year. 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 317-236-1490.

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,



At the time of the bulletin printing Fr. Bob is on a well-deserved vacation. His letter will return to the bulletin next week.

Little Flower School is currently accepting applications for enrollment for the 2020-2021 school year. Please contact the school office to schedule a tour or to receive more information. Call 317-353-2282 or email kgawrys@littleflowerparish.org.



Readings for July 18 and 19 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Wisdom 12: 13, 16-19 Romans 8: 26-27

Matthew 13:24-43 or 13:24-30

To read the readings on-line, go to http://usccb.org/bible/readings/071920.cfm



The family of Ginny Walters Allen invites everyone to attend her Memorial Mass on Saturday, July 18, at 12:30 p.m.



We extend our condolences to Linda Dennemann, Leigh and Craig Smith, and Shelly and Justin Willard, and their families on the death of

Linda's husband and Leigh's and Shelly's dad, Bud Dennemann, who passed away on July 2 and whose funeral service was held on July 7. Bud was 79 years young. He usually attended the 10:30 a.m. (now 9:30 a.m.) Mass with his family. They would often take up the offertory gifts. Please keep all of Bud's family and friends in your thoughts and prayers during this difficult time. May God welcome Bud into his eternal glory.



For the Week of July 13 – 19, 2020

13	July	Monday
	5:30 p.m.	Norbert Mauer
14	July	Tuesday
	9:30 a.m.	Anne Sitzman Hook by John & June Jorgenson
15	July	Wednesday
	5:30 p.m.	Jim Boyle by Mike Boyle
16	July	Thursday
		No Mass
17	July	Friday
	5:30 p.m.	Steve Schmidt by B.J. Schmidt
18	July	Saturday - Vigil of the 16 th Sunday in
	•	Ordinary Time
	5:00 p.m.	For the People
19 July Sunday – The 16 th Sun		Sunday – The 16 th Sunday in Ordinary Time
	9:30 a.m.	Bryan Cuppy by Donna and Thomas Kemp

Permission has now been granted for the homebound to receive Communion. If you are not able to attend Mass due to being over the age of 65 or immunocompromised, please contact Peggy Clegg at 317-357-8352 x 106 or pclegg@littleflowerparish.org, and every effort will be made to find someone to bring you Communion.

In Thanksgiving for Fr. Bob by Parishioners

STEWARDSHIP CORNER

Your Gifts of Treasure

Weekly Budget Goal	\$ 13,000.00
Collection of July 4 and 5	\$ 6,736.00
Electronic Contributions 6/29-7/3	\$ 9,092.84
Fiscal Year 2020-2021 Actual	\$ 15,828.84
Fiscal Year 2020-2021 Budget	\$ 13,000.00
Fiscal Year 2020-2021 YTD	\$ 2,828.84

Home Improvement Fund

May Contributions	\$ 2,053.65
June Contributions	\$ 1,930.32
July Contributions (to date)	\$ 822.33

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



6:00 p.m.

Live Soulcore classes have been suspended due to the Marion County mandatory mask requirement. However, you can still access the classes on Facebook. Just type in @soulcorelittleflower in the search bar

at the top to get to the Facebook page. Here you will find mat workout videos, chair workout videos, and children's workout videos. If you have questions, feel free to contact Joan Bullock at 317-727-1167.

July 21, 2020: Living with Pulmonary Fibrosis, St. Joseph, Indianapolis.

Do you or someone you know have Pulmonary Fibrosis? St. Joseph Health Ministry wants to create awareness. Our next presentation, "Getting the Most Out of Portable Oxygen to Stay Active" by Susan Jacobs RN, MS, will be held virtually on Tuesday, July 21, 2020, using the Zoom internet platform. Please RSVP to Patty at parthur000@yahoo.com or 317-339-6503, and the meeting link will be e-mailed to you.

PLEASE NOTE: This presentation is open to anyone with a lung condition that requires the use of oxygen.

Things that will be covered in this presentation include oxygen basics, types of oxygen delivery systems, resources to compare portable oxygen concentrators (POC), requirements for traveling with oxygen, and more.

* The phone number is for Patty Arthur at St. Joseph Catholic Church. Please leave a message if no answer.

JUST TO LET YOU KNOW BABY BANKS

We are trying to figure out the safest way to collect and sort Baby Banks. We appreciate all the banks that have come to the Parish Center, but they have not been opened yet. Please be patient if you have enclosed a check. Hopefully as things begin to open up, we will come up with a plan.



Little Flower Kid Connection

Calling all families and kids of all ages! We know that nothing is more important than connection, especially during this crazy time! We want to give everyone an opportunity to get together virtually to have some fun!

We will be meeting once a week through Zoom for the rest of the summer. Our next meeting will be Sunday, July 12 (see the full schedule below). The meetings will be 30-45 minutes. If you are interested in joining us, please send and email to Liz Davis at lizbever@yahoo.com.

Sunday 7/12 1:30 p.m. Monday 7/20 3 p.m. Sunday 7/26 1:30 p.m. Thursday 7/30 10:30 a.m. Please keep our ill and homebound parishioners in your thoughts and prayers, especially the following people who have requested prayers for various reasons:

Bill Ajamie, Karen Ajamie, Esther Capps, Ed Galluzzi, Roberta Galluzzi, Gene Miller, Joe Swift, Dave Parris, Denice Rose, Martha Haddin, Gary Walters, Haydee Gloria, Charles Aughe, Fr. Paul Koetter, Margie Greene, Molly Hahn, Bill Rathz, Judy Rathz, James Carr, Scott Rhinehart, Tricia Allstatt, Dave Clegg, Verna Curtis, and Charlie Goodman.

If you get a chance, please send them a card or a note. It will really brighten their day. This week we especially want to remember:

Pat Nelis 8803 Madison Avenue, Apt 303C Indianapolis, IN 46227

Pray for our active military family/friends:

- Brian Ledgerwood, serving on the USS Theodore Roosevelt, son of Diane Anderson.
- Billy Durham, United States Air Force, serving in South Korea.
- Victor Franco, serving at Malmstrom Air Force Base in Great Falls, MT.

If you or someone in your family is ill or serving our country and would like their name listed in the bulletin so others can pray for them, please contact Peggy Clegg at 317-357-8352 or pclegg@littleflowerparish.org.



St. Vincent de Paul has been serving an ever-increasing number of people at our Food Pantry and we are about to lose the assistance of the National Guard. We are in need of volunteers more than ever to help pack food, produce boxes, and put

these boxes in the cars of those we serve. We are in a similar situation at the Distribution Center processing donations such as sorting, tagging, hanging clothing, sorting household items, assisting at the dock, and receiving donations. The list is endless. Our Mission 27 Resale store on Shelby Street could also use your help assisting customers, stocking shelves, etc.

We are observing COVID-19 guidelines at all locations, and masks are mandatory. We have hand sanitizing stations and exercise social distancing wherever possible. Please join us - students, families, co-workers, everyone during these times when our neighbors need us the most by signing up to volunteer at SVdP. Go to www.svdpindy.org. Click on "I Want To Help." Click on "Donate Time." Scroll down to the facility at which you would like to volunteer and select the date/time that best fits your schedule. Questions? Darlene Sweeney dsweeney@svdpindy.org.



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