

ONE GOD and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in all. Ephesians 4:6



became flesh and made his dwelling among us, and we saw his glory, the glory as of the Father's only Son, full of grace and truth. John 1:14



THE ADVOCATE. the holy Spirit that the Father will send in my name ~ he will teach you everything and remind you of all that I told you. John 14:26

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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES 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.

The Theresean

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

OL 317-353-2282 Fax 317-322-7702 The school offers Pre-school 3's and 4's through Grade 8. Extended Care is available until 6:00 PM. SCHOOL 317-322-7702 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.

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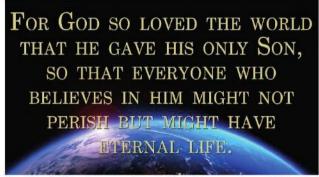
Inquiry Classes begin in late August as part of the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA). Call Parish Center for information.

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 welcome our visitors who are attending Summerfest 2023.

Today we celebrate Trinity Sunday. Today we celebrate our faith in three Persons in one God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Today's Solemnity teaches us all authentic love is self-giving. "For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life" [John 3:16].

Thank you to everyone who helped make Pentecost Liturgies especially beautiful this year. The choir and instrumentalists did an outstanding job at the 9:30 a.m. Mass. The choice of music was outstanding. At 6:00 p.m.,

the Youth Choir was enhanced by the presence of Youth Choir alumni and instrumentalists. Thank you to everyone who came because of Tom's request. Several came for two or all three Masses, including his first cousin Fr. Jim Farrell.

Although Tom is retiring as Director of Music, no words can express my gratitude and the gratitude of Little Parish for everything he has done for the parish since he became Director of Stewardship and Administration in 2000. Even as Music Director, he has been the go-to person for answers to all kinds of questions. Also, he has pitched in and helped wherever he has been needed. One year one of our grade school students referred to him as "The Tom." We will sorely miss him.

Next Sunday, June 11, is the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ, commonly known as Corpus Christi. It also marks the beginning of the second year of the three-year Eucharistic Revival throughout the United States. The second year focuses on parish Eucharistic Revival. The Archdiocese of Indianapolis has suggested that parishes mark the beginning of the second year with a Eucharistic procession.

Our Eucharistic procession will take place following the 6 p.m. Mass on Sunday, June 11. Weather permitting, we will process around the block and return to church for Benediction. Please consider joining us for this special procession. It will give us an opportunity to witness our faith in the Real Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist to our neighbors.

Congratulations to the Little Flower Class of 2023 who graduated on Tuesday, May 30, 2023:

Nathalie Aranda Joseph Estep Kenia Reyes Cecilia Lyons Payton Roadley Tristan Brown Melanie Garcia Tae' Veontae Miller Anthony Gonzalez Luke Bruno David Moreno-Jerez Anna Robinson Sean Bruno Holden Groulik Sebastian Rodriguez Ethan Nixon Paul Carrender Rhianna Hatcher Ashley Orozco Montgomery Ayden Steinmetz **Brandon Carrillo Paredes** Diego Hernandez-Aguilar Jorge Palacios Hector Valencia Zepeda Roxanna Herrera Benjamin Parker Dakota Waters Aaliyah Crum Kaiden Dugan Jose Irene-Nunez Tyrese Range Haleigh Watson

Altar servers play an important role at Mass. At graduation, Payton Roadley was named the outstanding 8th Grade Server of the Class of 2023.

Congratulations to the Scecina Memorial High School Class of 2023. Several Little Flower parishioners and/or graduates of Little Flower School graduated on Friday, May 26.

Emily Guadalupe Aquilar Olivia Victoria Fields Ana Isabel Moreno Jerez Reynoso Benito Andrik Roberto Gallardo Michelle Jacuinde Motley Alysse marie Bowlin Jakob Charles Kehrer Jasmin Aryana O'Day Isabelle Marie Comley Jaylen Christopher Long Fatima Guadalupe Quintero Hernandez Erionna Angel Edwards Nadia Medina Dania Paola Ruiz Faye Noelle Eskew Andrew Minton Lucille Ann Williamson Adam Robert Young

Isabelle Comely, Anna Moreno Jerez, Fatima Quintero Hernandez, and Lucille Williamson graduated with High Honors and an Academic Honors Diploma and were members of the National Honor Society. Erionna Edwards graduated with an Academic Honors Diploma. Faye Eskew graduated with Honors and was a member of the National Honor Society. Michelle Motley graduated with Honors and an Academic Honors Diploma and was a member of the National Honor Society.

Have a wonderful week.

fr. Bob



For the Week of June 5 - 11, 2023

05	June	Monday
05	5:30 p.m.	Nellie Schmidt by B.J. Schmidt
06	June	Tuesday
	5:30 p.m.	John Kiesel by Michael & Pat Hunt
07	June	Wednesday
	5:30 p.m.	Janet Commiskey by the Commiskey Family
08	June	Thursday
	5:30 p.m.	For the Special Intentions of Harry & Georgette Williams and Family
09	June	Friday
		No Mass
10	June	Saturday - The Vigil the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ
	5:00 p.m.	Robert T. Flynn Jr. & Stephen V. Flynn by the Wieland Family
11	June	Sunday - The Most Holy body and Blood of Christ
	9:30 a.m.	Bob Buck by Sam T. Chu
	6:00 p.m.	For the People
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THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

June 4 - 11, 2023

DAY	ROOM	TIME	GROUP			
Sunday	Parish Grounds	11:00 a.m.	SummerFest			
	New Parishioner Registration after all Masses.					
Monday						
Tuesday	St. Therese (Parish Center)	6:30 p.m.	Summer Family Party Planning			
Wednesday	St. Therese (Parish Center)	6:00 p.m.	SVDP			
	Duffey Hall (School café)	6:30 p.m.	Euchre			
Thursday	St. Therese (Parish Center)	1:00 p.m.	Thursday Formation Group			
	St. Therese (Parish Center)	6:15 p.m.	Women's AA Workshop			
	St. Therese (Parish Center)	8:00 p.m.	AA			
Friday	St. Therese (Parish Center)	4:00 p.m.	Legion of Mary			
	Church	6:00 p.m.	Wedding Rehearsal			
Saturday	Church	2:00 p.m.	Wedding			
Sunday	Blood Pressure Check after all Masses					
	Church	9:30 a.m.	Children's Liturgy			
	Church	6:00 p.m.	Eucharistic Procession following 6 p.m. Mass			



We extend our sympathy and condolences to Ann O'Neill on the death of her brother Patrick O'Neill. His funeral services

were held at Erlewein Mortuary & Crematory on June 2. Please keep all of Patrick's family and friends in your thoughts and prayers during this difficult time. May God welcome Patrick into his eternal glory.

STEWARDSHIP CORNER

Your Gifts of Treasure

Weekly Budget Goal	\$	13,100.00
Collection of May 27 and 28	\$	6,755.35
Electronic Contributions 5/22-5/26	\$	3,667.34
Fiscal Year 2022-2023 Actual	\$	643,923.32
Fiscal Year 2022-2023 Budget	\$	628,800.00
Fiscal Year 2022-2023 YTD	\$	15,123.32
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March Contributions	\$	2,159.00

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Weekend	Mass	Attendance	(weekly	averages)	١

December 2019 - February 2020 (pre-pandemic)	608
June 2020 - May 2021	249
June 2021 - May 2022	434
June 2022 - December 2022	441
January 2023-March 2023	497
April 2023 (excluding Easter)	534
May 2023	521

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



April Contributions May Contributions

Readings for June 10 and 11 THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

Deuteronomy 8:2-3, 14b-16a I Corinthians 10:16-17 John 6:51-58

To read the readings on-line, go to

https://bible.usccb.org/bible/readings/061123.cfm



Just a note of personal thanks to all the musicians, past and present, who helped make last weekend possible. An extra thank you to those members of youth choirs past, who came out to surprise me at 6 p.m. Mass (on Memorial Day weekend no less)! The music was

awesome last weekend.

Thank you as well to all those parishioners, along with some faces from the past who fit Mass into their holiday weekend. Your generous expressions of appreciation meant a lot to me.

Tom



SAVE THE DATE Vacation Bible School July 17 – 21, 2023 6:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m.

For children entering Pre-4 to 4th grade in the fall. Spend the week making friends, playing, making fun crafts, and most of all seeing Jesus in everything we do! Volunteers are needed to be leaders during VBS. Please contact the parish office at 317-357-8352 or email lgibbons@littleflowerparish.org to register your child or if you are interested in volunteering.

Early Bird Sign Up with Paid Registration and Save! If you register and are paid before July 5 the cost is only \$15 per child or for a family of three or more \$40.00. After July 5, the activity fee will be \$20 per child. Register Early!

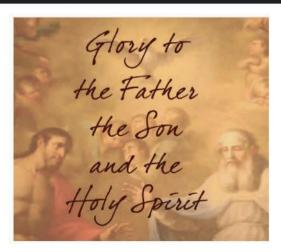
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CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR GRADUATES!

WENDY DODDS - BEN DAVIS HIGH SCHOOL JENNIFER DUNN - HERRON HIGH SCHOOL

We would like to continue to recognize our parishioners who are graduating from elementary school, high school, college, or graduate programs in upcoming issues of the Theresean. 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. (You do not need to submit graduates from Scecina, Cathedral, or Little Flower. They will be published separately).



Come Join Us



Sunday, June 11, 2023

On the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi) we will mark the second year of the three-year Eucharistic Revival with a Eucharistic procession that will take place following the 6 p.m. Mass on Sunday, June 11(weather permitting). Please join us for this very special witness of our faith.



Please keep our ill and homebound parishioners and friends in your thoughts and prayers, especially the following people who have requested prayers for various reasons:

Bill Ajamie, Tricia Allstatt, Fr. Mike Barton, Jane Bell, Esther Capps, Joe Clegg, Mark

Clevenger, Dan Dugan, Sherri (Ruegamer) Dugger, Joanna Estes, Forestal Family, Carol Freeland, Olivia Jo Garrison, Haydee Gloria, Katie Goodin, Charlie Goodman, Margie Greene, Linda Hedges, Mary Lou Hoggatt, Lois Irwin, Bobbie Lawless, Bobby Lesczynski, Larry Lynch, Catherine McKenna-Sexton, Sally Meth, Gene Miller, Jimmy Murphy, Carol Murphy, Mike Payne, Ray Quinn, Bill Rathz, Judy Rathz, Scott Rhinehart, Ray Riley, Lourdes Riedeman, Bill Schlosser, Gary Walters, and Janet Wilkerson.

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

Tom Griffin 1230 N Grant Ave, Indianapolis, IN 46201

Pray for our active military family/friends:

Brian Ledgerwood, serving on the USS Theodore Roosevelt, son of Diane Anderson.

Victor Franco, serving at Malmstrom Air Force Base in Great Falls, MT.

Matthew Hughey, serving at Scott Air Force Base – nephew of Rita Cooning.

Aden S. Haigerty, United States Navy, serving aboard aircraft carrier USS Ronald Reagan – nephew of Mike Haigerty.

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.



The Adventuresome Group will meet on Wednesday, June 14, following the 11:00 a.m. Mass. We will be heading to Shelbyville, IN for the Salad Bar Luncheon sponsored by the Daughters of Isabella at the Shelbyville Knights of Columbus, 413 East South Street. The cost will be \$10.00 per person.

We will carpool to the Knights of Columbus. Please contact Peggy Clegg at 317-357-8352 x 106 or pclegg@littleflowerparish.org if you have any questions or plan on attending this event. ALL ARE WELCOME!!

Little Flower Euchre Nights

Sponsored by the Little Flower Men's Club



Who: Ladies and Gents at least 21 years of age

Where: Little Flower Cafeteria

When: The following Wednesday nights from 6:30-9:00 p.m.:

June 7 and 21 July 12 and 26 August 9 and 23 September 6 and 20 October 11 and 15

We will play a round robin within groups of 8, so you will play 7 rounds and partner with everyone in your group of 8. Rounds will last 15 minutes with each player dealing twice if time allows — we will strictly limit each round to 15 minutes. We will play 4 rounds then take a 15-minute break before playing the final three rounds.

Snacks will be provided and soft drinks/water will be available for \$1 each.

Little Flower Euchre Rules will be handed out when you register.

Questions – contact Chris Johnson (317) 513-8168 or johnsojc@iupui.edu.



FESTVALNEWS

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 Theresean for this year's raffle winners!

THANK YOU FOR ALL OF YOUR SUPPORT!



Holy Baptism
Class is Monday, June 19, at 7:00 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 317-357-8352 to let us know you plan to attend. Plan ahead, as the next class will not take place until August.



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