

THE PARISHES OF:



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OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL

301 MAIN STREET N, BALTA ND



St. Therese Little Flower Parish

Rectory: 776-6388
Parish Office: 776-6388
www.littleflowerrugby.org

Eucharistic Liturgies

Saturday Vigil 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 8:00 a.m.
Sunday 10:30 a.m.
Weekday Mass as scheduled on back page

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.
Saturday 4:15 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.

Eucharistic Adoration

Monday 5:45 p.m. - midnight
Tuesday 8:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Thursday 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
If a funeral is scheduled at 11am adoration begins at 1:00pm; if a funeral is scheduled at 2:00pm adoration will be from 8:00am - noon.

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER APRIL 14, 2024 THE HISTORIAN VOL. 47 NO. 15

Message from our Pastor

Dear Parishioners of Little Flower, Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, and St. Mary's,

I am sure the Blessed Lord was pleased with the number of people who attended the Divine Mercy Hour last Sunday at Little Flower. A thank you to Deacon Rick and Brian Blessum for their help in making it special. The Blessed Mother keeps telling us to pray, pray, and pray.

“My Heart overflows with great mercy for souls, and especially for poor sinners. If only they could understand that I am the best of Fathers to them and that it is for them that the Blood and Water flowed from My Heart as from a fount overflowing with mercy” (Diary, 367).



LIVING OUR FAITH,
BUILDING OUR FUTURE

- Just a reminder that we have our campaign receptions this week.
- At Rugby, they are Monday at 7:30 pm, Tuesday at noon and 7:30 pm.
- At Knox and Balta, they will be right after Mass on Sunday, April 21st
- There will be refreshments and time for fellowship at each event.
- I strongly encourage each of you to attend an event at the location that works best for you.
- The reception is our best chance to listen and learn and ask all your questions.
- Again, please attend!!
- Thank you.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Fr. Frank Miller
Pastor



St. Mary's Parish
Eucharistic Liturgy
Sunday 8:30 a.m.



Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Parish
Eucharistic Liturgy
Sunday 10:30 a.m.
Wednesday 9:00 a.m.



Infant Baptism
Please contact priest before birth or selecting baptismal sponsors.

Marriage Preparation
Prior to setting a wedding date, at least six months in advance, please arrange a first meeting with one of our priests.

New Parishioners
Please register at the parish office 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. or contact the parish office.

Communion to the Sick & Homebound
Parish ministers bring the Holy Eucharist to the homebound and the hospitalized. Please call the parish office to arrange for visitation.

Anointing of the Sick
Please contact a priest when hospitalized or preparing for surgery or significant medical procedure.

Bulletin announcement deadline:
Noon on Wednesday

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER



*Everything written
about me
must be fulfilled*

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WEEKLY EVENTS

Sunday, April 14

Third Sunday of Easter

- Little Flower Mass 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM
- LF Religious Education 9:15 AM
- St. Mary's Mass 8:30 AM
- Our Lady of Mount Carmel Mass 10:30 AM
- OLMC Breakfast Fundraiser at the Rugby Eagles 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Monday, April 15

- Little Flower Mass at 7:30 AM and 5:15 PM
- Adoration 5:45 PM - midnight
- Living Our Faith, Building Our Future Campaign reception 7:30 PM

Tuesday, April 16

- Little Flower Mass 7:30 AM
- Adoration 8:00 AM - 9:00 PM
- Haaland Home Mass 9:00 AM
- Living Our Faith, Building Our Future Campaign reception at noon and 7:30 PM

Wednesday, April 17

- Little Flower Mass 7:30 AM and 5:15 PM
- Our Lady of Mount Carmel Mass 9:00 AM
- CYO Service Wed - Meal 6PM, Class 7 PM

Thursday, April 18

- Little Flower Mass 7:30 PM
- Adoration 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM
- Haaland Home Mass 9:00 AM
- Hospital Mass 10:30 AM
- CDA rosary/Mass 5:00 PM meeting following

Friday, April 19

- Little Flower Mass 7:30 AM
- Little Flower Mass 9:00 AM with movie and fellowship in Dorothy's Room following

Saturday, April 20

- Little Flower Mass 8:00 AM
- Confirmation 10:00 AM
- Confession 8:30 - 9:30 AM; 4:15 - 4:45 PM
- Little Flower Vigil Mass 5:00 PM

Sunday, April 21

Fourth Sunday of Easter

- Little Flower Mass 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM
- KC Breakfast following Masses
- LF RE 9:15 AM Parish Sacrament Celebration at 10:30 Mass
- St. Mary's Mass 8:30 AM
- Our Lady of Mount Carmel Mass 10:30 AM
- LF Popcorn and Bingo 2:00 PM

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church, Balta will be hosting a breakfast fundraiser on Sunday, April 14 from 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM at the Rugby Eagles. They are serving pancakes, sausage, eggs, orange juice and coffee. Free will offering. Everyone welcome.

The Catholic Daughters will meet on Thursday, April 18, rosary at 5:00 PM followed by Mass and the meeting.

The Sacraments of Confirmation and First Communion will be celebrated at St. Therese the Little Flower on Saturday, April 20 at the 10:00 AM Mass with Bishop Folda. Sponsors and students receiving sacraments should arrive at 9:15 AM and sign in downstairs in the Msgr. Cloos Dining Room.

Prayers for our Confirmation/First Communion Students. We joyfully request prayer partners from St. Therese the Little Flower, St. Mary's Knox and Our Lady of Mt. Carmel parishes for all students who will receive the sacraments of Confirmation and First Communion on April 20. A prayer board has been placed near the Baptismal Font at Little Flower Church with the names of students who have prepared to receive these beautiful sacraments. Please stop, choose a child's prayer card and pray for them over the next few weeks.



The Knights of Columbus will be serving breakfast following the Sunday Masses on April 21. Everyone is invited to come downstairs for a hot breakfast and fellowship.



Join us for **Bingo and Popcorn** on April 21 at 2:00 PM in the Parish Hall. Enjoy food, fellowship, and maybe win a prize. Everyone is welcome.

Don't miss **JEB the computer hardware canine on April 24 at 1:45 PM in the church basement.** CYO will host speakers from the Northern Plains Children's Advocacy Center and the Criminal Bureau of Investigation to educate and advocate our youth on human and cyber trafficking, boundaries, and self-confidence. Any questions, please reach out to Lisa Volk/CYO Coordinator 701 583-2338

Our Parish Prayer Program for children PreK-6th grades will soon wrap up for the 2023-2024 school year. Parents should make sure to turn in completed prayers to their children's religion teachers by April 29.

The 2024 Little Flower Catholic School Marathon is scheduled for Friday, May 3 at 12:30 PM. "God is my Strength and Power" is the theme for the 26th Annual Little Flower Catholic School Marathon Fundraiser. Students will bike/walk/run to raise money for their education. Please consider supporting our mission to provide strong leaders, strong work ethics, and strong family values. Donations may be given by:

- website www.lfsrugby.com select "donate to marathon" button.
- Venmo—search "Little Flower School PTO Rugby" @lfspto. In the memo line, you may name the student you are supporting.
- Check payable to "Little Flower School".

Thank you for your generous support!! All are invited to the community open house in the church basement at 2:25 PM.

CYO extends an enormous amount of gratitude for all the support they received with the Living Stations. This live portrayal of the passion, death and resurrection of Jesus Christ had uplifting support from the community as well as the congregation. All of the cast, choir and backstage workers thank the many hands who encouraged and promoted this soul touching production. May we continue to grow in faith and love while celebrating this Easter Season!

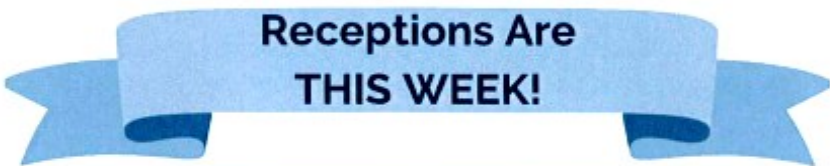
The Knights of Columbus will be offering camp vouchers for Trinity Youth Camp. For more information about Trinity Youth Camp go to www.trinityyouthcampnd.com. Please contact the parish office by **May 1** if you would like to be considered for a Trinity Youth Camp voucher.

Italian Night Supper on Saturday, April 20 from 4:00 - 7:00 PM at St. Paul Lutheran Church. Serving lasagna, spaghetti, tortellini alfredo, salads, bread and desserts. Freewill offering. Dine-in or carryout.



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CAMPAIGN NEWS & UPDATES



St. Therese
Monday, April 15th @ 7:30
Tuesday, April 16th @ noon or 7:30

St. Mary & Our Lady of Mt. Carmel
Sunday, April 21st following Mass



For more information, please contact our campaign director Christine Goodwin at 508-507-5769 or cgoodwin@guidanceengiving.com

RSVP by phone 701-776-6388 or email lparish@gondtc.com

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- St. Mary's Catholic Church**
- Religious Education**
 Lisa Volk
- Parish Council**
 Kenny Bohl
- St. Mary's Ladies Society**
 Kristen Bohl
- Parish Music Ministry**
 Susan Hoffert



- Our Lady of Mt. Carmel**
- Religious Education**
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STEWARDSHIP OFFERING

April 6-7, 2024	2024	2023
Little Flower Parish	\$10,263.15	\$10,979.99
April 7, 2024	Week	Year to Date
St. Mary's	\$137.75	\$2,894.76
Our Lady of Mt. Carmel	\$384.00	\$5587.00

2024 GOD'S GIFT APPEAL CAMPAIGN

Little Flower Parish	Year to Date
Goal	\$65,993
Pledged	\$36,131
St. Mary's	
Goal	\$4,556
Pledged	\$1,830
Our Lady of Mt. Carmel	
Goal	\$9,147
Pledged	\$4,280

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Mass Schedule (LF-Little Flower; SM-St. Mary; OLMC-Our Lady of Mt. Carmel; HE-Haaland Estates; HOSP - Hospital)

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becoming a sponsor of the Little
Flower Historian please contact
Linda or Deb in the business
office at 776-6388.**

Monday, April 15
7:30 AM (LF)
5:15 PM (LF)
5:45 PM (LF)

Acts 6:8-15; Jn 6:22-29
† Clem Brossart by Walt and Angie Busch
† Eddie and Bertha Schell by Andy and Deanne Fedje
Adoration

Tuesday, April 16
7:30 AM (LF)
8:00 AM (LF)
9:00 AM (HE)

Acts 7:51-8:1a; Jn 6:30-35
† Stan Lund by Anthony and Angie Deplazes
Adoration
† Ann Hager by Ted Mitzel

Wednesday, April 17
7:30 AM (LF)
9:00 AM (OLMC)
5:15 PM (LF)

Acts 8:1b-8; Jn 6:35-40
† Casper Volk by LeeAllen and Rebecca Leier
† Gwen DREWNIAK by Richard and Arlene Schmaltz
† Bruce Baumann by Myrna Baumann and family

Thursday, April 18
7:30 AM (LF)
8:00 AM (LF)
9:00 AM (HE)
10:30 AM (Hosp)
5:00 PM (LF)

Acts 8:26-40; Jn 6:44-51
† Nick Deplazes by Anthony and Angie Deplazes
Adoration
† Daniel Koenig by Sylvia Brook
Young People of the Parish by the Christian Mothers
Little Flower Catholic Daughters

Friday, April 19
7:30 AM (LF)
9:00 AM (LF)

Acts 9:1-20; Jn 6:52-59
Our grandchildren & great grandchildren by Edward & Elaine Selensky
† Agnes Heilman by Mike and Heidi Voeller

Saturday, April 20
8:00 AM (LF)
10:00 AM (LF)

Acts 9:31-42; Jn 6:60-69
† Betty Ring by Deacon Rick and Denise Lagasse
Confirmation Mass
Acts 4:8-12; 1 Jn 3:1-2; Jn 10:11-18 Fourth Sunday of Easter
† Ronda Patzer by Pius and Eileen Axtman

Sunday, April 21
8:00 AM (LF)
8:30 AM (SM)
10:30 AM (LF)
10:30 AM (OLMC)

Acts 4:8-12; 1 Jn 3:1-2; Jn 10:11-18 Fourth Sunday of Easter
† Deceased family members of Mark and Deb Millang
Mass for the People
† Mike Brossart by Ed and Elaine Selensky
† Betty Zacher by John and Alice Bohl

The broadcast of the 8:00 AM Sunday Mass on 1450 KZZJ AM and 92.1 FM is sponsored by Mark and Deb Millang in memory of their deceased family members.

SERVING OUR PARISHES APRIL 20-21

St. Therese	Altar Servers		Lector	Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion		
5:00 PM Saturday	Volunteers Needed		Theone Stevenson	Diane Dufner Deb Millang		
8:00 AM Sunday	Volunteers Needed		Jeremy Wald	Mark Johnson		
10:30 AM Sunday	Royanne Livedalen Clare Livedalen Finnley Zwingel		Barbara Vetter	Joe Schmaltz Mary Schmaltz		
St. Mary	Sacristan/Reader	Altar Servers	Ushers	EMHC	Gifts	Church Cleaning
8:30 AM Sunday	Wanda Follman Mark Hoffert	Bryant Bohl Bently Bohl Leila Follman	Adam Lynn Bohl Darrell Hoffart	Phil Volk	Darrel Hoffart	Adam and Adam Lynn Bohl Families
Our Lady of Mt. Carmel	Lector	Altar Servers	EMHC	Church Care		
10:30 AM Sunday	Daryl Klein	Harper Senechal Hannah Senechal	Alice Bohl	Rod Schmitt, Sherry Shively, Steve Wentz, Tyler Burgard		