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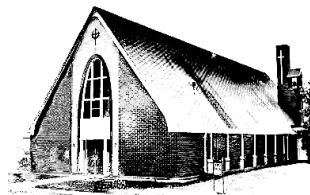


ST. THERESE THE LITTLE FLOWER

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OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL

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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. - 10:30 a.m.

Saturday 4:15 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.

Tuesday 6:30 p.m. - 7:30 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.

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME AUGUST 4, 2024 THE HISTORIAN VOL. 47 NO. 31

Message from our Pastor

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

The Annual Little Flower Corn Feed is today at Ellery Park with serving from 4:00 to 7:00 pm. It is a great community event. Everyone is invited. Many thanks to all involved in making it great time for everyone to enjoy a great meal!

The Olympics is one of the most beloved sporting events in the world. It is terribly sad that this years' opening ceremony of the Summer Olympics was extremely offensive. The blasphemous depiction of the Last Supper was uncalled for and should never have been allowed to occur. It is unfortunate that those in positions of authority continue to try to divide people and cause trouble between people of faith. It is amazing that people of supposed intelligence could be so lacking in decency and common sense. They are fortunate that Christians are blessed with the grace of God to be charitable in all situations, recalling the words of our Blessed Lord, "to him who strikes you on the cheek, offer the other also" (Lk 6:29).

A message from Bishop John Folda"

"The Paris Olympics were stained at the opening ceremony by a scene intended to mock the Last Supper of our Lord and the faith of Christians. This was an offense against Jesus Christ and a sign of gross intolerance toward all who worship him as the Son of God. I invite all my fellow Catholics to offer prayers and sacrifices of reparation to our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament. And I invite all people of goodwill to make their objections known to those who are responsible for the Olympic Games. I wish the athletes well, but I will not be watching the Olympics this year."

May you have a blessed week!

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

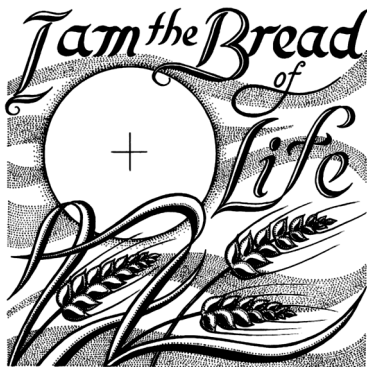
Parish ministers bring the Holy Eucharist to the homebound and the hospitalized. Please call the parish office to arrange for visitation.

Anointing of the Sick

Please contact a priest when hospitalized or preparing for surgery or significant medical procedure.

**Bulletin announcement deadline:
Noon on Wednesday**

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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The Little Flower Corn Feed will be at Ellery Park this Sunday, August 4 from 4:00 - 7:00 PM. We hope everyone is able to join us for a picnic meal of corn on the cob and hot dogs with their family, friends and enjoy the company of new friends. Again this year—ice cream!!

The Fall schedule for Little Flower altar servers, weekend Mass lectors, and weekend Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion will be made out shortly. The schedule will cover the months of September - December. Please contact the parish office by August 5 with preferences and dates you are **unable** to serve those months by calling 776-6388 or email lfparish@gondtc.com.

Little Flower, St. Mary's and Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parishes extend our condolences to the family of Ken Schaan whose funeral arrangements are currently pending. May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in the peace of Christ.



The St. Therese Little Flower Conference of the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul will be meeting on Thursday, August 8 at 7:00 PM in Dorothy's Room.

There will be a Little Flower Parish Council meeting on Monday, August 12 at 7:00 PM in Dorothy's Room.

Registration for families interested in attending Little Flower Catholic School will be held on Tuesday, August 13 and Wednesday, August 14 from 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM at the school office. New families, please bring copies of your child's birth certificate and immunization record. If you have any questions please call the school at 776-6258.

There will be a Little Flower Catholic School Advisory Council meeting on Wednesday, August 14 at 7:00 AM.

Thursday, August 15, we celebrate the Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. This feast is a holy day of obligation. Masses honoring this feast day will be celebrated at:

Little Flower	Thursday, August 15 at 7:30 AM and 7:30 PM
Adoration at Little Flower will begin following the 7:30 AM Mass	
Haaland Home	Thursday, August 15 at 9:00 AM
St. Mary's	Wednesday, August 14 at 7:30 PM
Our Lady of Mount Carmel	Thursday, August 15 at 7:30 PM

Please begin to prayerfully consider God's call to be a disciple and spread the gospel. As we approach another school year, the need for catechists is our reality. I recently found some great reasons to be a catechist. Please enjoy this list, pray about your call, and reach out to Casandra Zwingel with any questions. We need full-time teachers, substitute teachers, afternoon (early out) helpers and retreat helpers.

1. The church needs you! Not only our parish but our universal church. The need for dedicated witnesses to pass on the faith and foster a love for Christ in the hearts of our children is crucial.
2. God doesn't call the equipped, he equips those that he calls. The best way to learn something is to teach it!
3. Set an example for the children of God by prioritizing catechesis and evangelization in your home. Teenagers make great assistants and are incredible role models for younger children. Oldish people (unyoung), grandparents, retired people often have maturity in the faith that is invaluable.
4. This could be a special time to grow in faith with your spouse by becoming co-teachers! God could be calling you to fall more in love with each other and deepen your relationship with Him. Do you know someone who would be great? Nominate them!

WEEKLY EVENTS

Sunday, August 4

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- Little Flower Mass 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM
- St. Mary's Mass 8:30 AM
- Our Lady of Mount Carmel Mass 10:30 AM
- LF Corn Feed 4:00 - 7:00 PM Ellery Park

Monday, August 5

- Little Flower Mass at 7:30 AM and 5:15 PM
- Adoration 5:45 PM - midnight

Tuesday, August 6

- Little Flower Mass 7:30 AM
- Adoration 8:00 AM - 9:00 PM
- Haaland Home Mass 9:00 AM
- LF Confession 6:30 - 7:30 PM

Wednesday, August 7

- Little Flower Mass 7:30 AM and 5:15 PM
- Our Lady of Mount Carmel Mass 9:00 AM

Thursday, August 8

- Little Flower Mass 7:30 AM
- Adoration 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM
- Haaland Home Mass 9:00 AM
- Hospital Mass 10:30 AM
- Saint Vincent de Paul meeting 7:00 PM

Friday, August 9

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

Saturday, August 10

- Little Flower Mass 8:00 AM
- Confession 8:30 - 10:30 AM; 4:15 - 4:45 PM
- Voeller - Gratton wedding 3:00 PM
- Little Flower Vigil Mass 5:00 PM

Sunday, August 11

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- Little Flower Mass 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM
- St. Mary's Mass 8:30 AM
- Our Lady of Mount Carmel Mass 10:30 AM

Wedding Banns: Lauren Voeller and Kyle Gratton will be united in marriage on August 10, 2024 at Little Flower Church.

Catechist Retreat on Friday, August 16 or Saturday August 17. Both retreats are at the Maryvale Retreat Center, Valley City. Fr. Andrew Jasinski will direct a retreat with a series of talks reflecting on prayer in preparation of the Jubilee Year next year. These retreats are primarily for those involved in catechesis, however, all are welcome. The day will begin at 9:00 AM and end at 4:00 PM. Cost is \$25 per person. **The deadline to register for these retreats is Friday, August 9.** Please register on-line at www.fargodiocese.org/catechistretreat. Please contact mary.hanbury@fargodiocese.org. 701-356-7909 with any questions.



The Great Plains Food Bank will be in Rugby on Wednesday, August 7 from 3:45 - 4:30 PM at the **Rugby Fairgrounds Community Building**, 208 2nd Ave NE. Anyone in need of food assistance from any community is welcome to attend.



Come and See a weekend with the Hankinson Franciscans. Come experience a taste of our life as Franciscan Sisters, and learn more about the Religious Life as lived in our community. Our last scheduled weekend of the season will begin at 3:00 PM on **August 9 and ends at noon on August 11 at the Franciscan Retreat Center in Hankinson, ND.** For more information or to register, email Sr. Jean Louise at ndfranciscans@yahoo.com.

The 68th Annual Pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady of the Prairies will be on Sunday, August 11, 2024. There will be a conference on the Blessed Mother at 2:00 PM, rosary at 3:00 PM and Mass at 5:00 PM with Bishop Folda as the celebrant followed by a picnic at 6:00 PM. For more information call 701-640-6152, go to Carmelofmary.org or email CarmelofMary@gmail.com.

Fatima Day of Reflection, Saturday, October 12 from 9:30 AM - 5:00 PM. Please join us in Lidgerwood at St. Boniface Catholic Church for a Fatima Day of Reflection! The day will include Fatima Reflections offered by Barb Ernster, Blue Army National Coordinator and Rev. Peter Anderl, Fargo-Spiritual Director; Rosary; Brown Scapular Enrollment; Eucharistic Adoration; Confessions; The Divine Mercy Chaplet; A Eucharistic/Marian Procession; Closing Mass at 4:00 PM with Bishop Folda. **Hot lunch provided (please RSVP by October 1 to bluearmyfargodiocesedivision@gmail.com or text/call 701-388-6362;** This is a freewill offering event. For more information go to www.bluearmy.com/fargo/

St. Therese the Little Flower

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2024 GOD'S GIFT APPEAL

**Diocese of Fargo
Capital Campaign**

STEWARDSHIP OFFERING		
July 27-28, 2024	2024	2023
Little Flower	\$3,695.50	\$3,705.00
July 28, 2024	Week	Year to Date
St. Mary's	\$246.75	\$7,489.75
OLMC	\$	\$5,587.00

Little Flower	Year to Date
Goal	\$65,993
Pledged	\$49,710
St. Mary's	
Goal	\$4,556
Pledged	\$1,830
OLMC	
Goal	\$9,147
Pledged	\$7,925

Little Flower	Year to Date
Goal	\$489,716
Pledged	\$268,753
St. Mary's	
Goal	\$22,891
Pledged	\$6,900
OLMC	
Goal	\$42,604
Pledged	\$14,500

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

Monday, August 5

7:30 AM (LF)
5:15 PM (LF)
5:45 PM (LF)

Jer 28:1-17; Mt 14:13-21 Dedication of the Basilica of Saint Mary Major
† Gary Heintz by Al and Donna Jundt
† Kristina Murtaugh by family
Adoration

Tuesday, August 6

7:30 AM (LF)
8:00 AM (LF)
9:00 AM (HE)

Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; 2 Pt 1:16-19; Mk 9:2-10 The Transfiguration of the Lord
† Deceased family members of Joe and Elizabeth Senger by Nick and
Bernie Senger
Adoration
Health of Marlene Abrahamson by friends

Wednesday, August 7

7:30 AM (LF)
9:00 AM (OLMC)
5:15 PM (LF)

Jer 31:1-7; Mt 15:21-28 Saint Sixtus II and Companions; Saint Cajetan
Families of the Parish by the Christian Mothers
† Betty Zacher by Pat and Dick Jensen
† Bernadine Mitzel by Duane and Margaret Voeller

Thursday, August 8

7:30 AM (LF)
8:00 AM (LF)
9:00 AM (HE)
10:30 AM (Hosp)

Jer 31:31-34; Mt 16:13-23 Saint Dominic
† Larry and Paula Kraft by David and Becky Kraft and family
Adoration
† Agnes Axtman by friends and family
† Joe F. Heilman by Loretta Heilman

Friday, August 9

7:30 AM (LF)
9:00 AM (LF)

Na 2:1, 3; 3:1-3, 6-7; Mt 16:24-28 Saint Teresa Benedicta of the Cross
† Bob Graber by Rita Graber
† Robert Koble by James and Jane Jundt

Saturday, August 10

8:00 AM (LF)
5:00 PM (LF)

2 Cor 9:6-10; Jn 12:24-26 Saint Lawrence
† Richard Volk by Deacon Rick and Denise Lagasse
1 Kgs 19:4-8; Eph 4:30-5:2; Jn 6:41-51 Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
† James Selensky by Bernice Selensky and family

Sunday, August 11

8:00 AM (LF)
8:30 AM (SM)
10:30 AM (LF)
10:30 AM (OLMC)

1 Kgs 19:4-8; Eph 4:30-5:2; Jn 6:41-51 Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
† Eugene Howard by Bernie Howard and family
† Caye Bednarz by Allan and Wanda Follman
† Dennis Muffenbier by Deacon Rick and Denise Lagasse
Mass for the People

The broadcast of the 8:00 AM Sunday Mass on 1450 KZZJ AM and 92.1 FM is sponsored in memory of Eugene Howard by Bernie Howard and family.

SERVING OUR PARISHES AUGUST 10-11

St. Therese	Altar Servers		Lector	Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion		
5:00 PM Saturday	Volunteers Needed		Chuck Teigen	Joyce Teigen Chuck Teigen		
8:00 AM Sunday	Volunteers Needed		Jeremy Wald	Heidi Voeller Michael Voeller		
10:30 AM Sunday	Carter Teigen Rhett Teigen Grant Teigen		Vernice Brossart	Joe Schmaltz Mary Schmaltz		
St. Mary	Sacristan/Reader	Altar Servers	Ushers	EMHC	Gifts	Church Cleaning
8:30 AM Sunday	Diane Fritel Wanda Follman	Micah Bohl Marissa Bohl Tosten Bohl	Joe Bohl Darrell Hoffart	Phil Volk	Joe Bohl Family	David and Jerald Bohl Families
Our Lady of Mt. Carmel	Lector	Altar Servers	EMHC	Church Care		
10:30 AM Sunday	Daryl Klein	Harper Senechal Hannah Senechal	Jennifer Heilman	Jane Gross, Wes Hall, Joe Haman, Chris Heilman		