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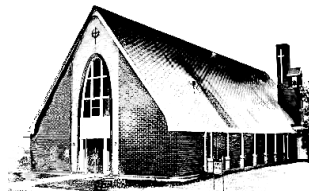


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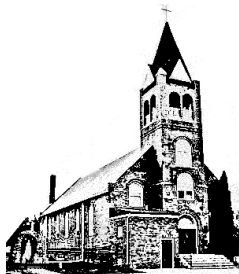
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St. Therese Little Flower Parish

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 9:00 - 10:00 a.m.
Saturday 4:15 - 5:00 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.

FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME FEBRUARY 6, 2022 THE HISTORIAN VOL. 45 NO. 6

Message from our Pastor

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

This week we celebrate Marriage and Family. God has blessed all our parishes with wonderful families who are everyday witnesses of God's creative love. "God blessed them, and God said to them, "Be fruitful and multiply, and fill the earth and subdue it; and have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the air and over every living thing that moves upon the earth" (Gen. 1:28).

The family is the foundation of society and the basis for the civilization of love. "The family has received from God its mission to be the first and vital cell of society. It will fulfil this mission if it shows itself to be the domestic sanctuary of the Church through the mutual affection of its members and the common prayer they offer to God, if the whole family is caught up in the liturgical worship of the Church and if it provides active hospitality and promotes justice and other good works for the service of all the brethren in need" (*Second Vatican Council, The Laity*, 11).

The family of St. Therese provides all of us an example of the blessings of family life. Their motto as a family was "Serve God first, Together". When families pray together great things can happen "for nothing is impossible with God" (Lk 1:37).

"Thus, the home is the first school of Christian life and "a school for human enrichment." Here one learns endurance and the joy of work, fraternal love, generous - even repeated - forgiveness, and above all divine worship in prayer and the offering of one's life" (*Catechism of the Catholic Church*, 1657).

May the abundant blessings of God be with all our families!

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 6:00 p.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.

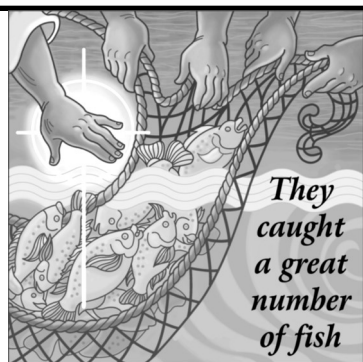
New Parishioners
Please register at the parish office 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. or contact the parish office.

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

FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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WEEKLY EVENTS

Sunday, February 6

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- Little Flower Mass 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM
- LF Rel Ed Family Shared Faith Program
- St. Mary's Mass 8:30 AM
- St. Mary's Religious Ed 9:30 AM
- Our Lady of Mount Carmel 10:30 AM

Monday, February 7

- Little Flower Mass 7:30 AM and 5:15 PM
- Adoration 5:45 PM - midnight
- LF Prayer Group 6:45 PM

Tuesday, February 8

- Little Flower Mass 7:00 AM
- Adoration 8:00 AM - 9:00 PM
- Mass at the Haaland Home 9:00 AM

Wednesday, February 9

- Mass at the convent 7:00 AM
- Little Flower Mass 7:30 AM
- CYO Teen meal 6 PM, Parent Night 7:00 PM
- LF Mass at 5:15 PM
- KC supper/meeting 6:00 PM
- Mass at Our Lady of Mt Carmel 6:00 PM
- OLMC RE 6:30 - 7:45 PM

Thursday, February 10

- Little Flower Mass 7:30 AM
- Adoration 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM
- Mass at the Haaland Home 9:00 AM
- Mass at the Hospital 10:30 AM
- SSVdP meeting 7:00 PM

Friday, February 11

- Little Flower Mass 7:30 AM
- LF Mass at 9:00 AM with a movie following in Dorothy's Room. Everyone Welcome!

Saturday, February 12

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

Sunday, February 13

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- Little Flower Mass 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM
- LF RE Class 9:15, parent meeting for First Reconciliation 9:30 AM
- St. Mary's Mass 8:30 AM
- St. Mary's Religious Ed 9:30 AM
- Our Lady of Mount Carmel 10:30 AM
- KC Family Rosary 12:30 - 1:00 PM
- LF Family Valentine Bingo Party 1 - 3 PM

Little Flower, St. Mary's and Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parishes extend our condolences to the family of Eunice Clements. May her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in the peace of Christ.

Little Flower Parish Celebrates Marriage and Family during "Louie & Zellie Family Week"- February 6-13. Join us as we celebrate the sanctity of marriage and the holiness of families during "Louie and Zellie Martin Family Week" at Saint Therese the Little Flower Parish.

Shared Faith Sunday, February 6- 9:15 - 10:15 AM: All families are welcome to attend a family craft and lesson in the MCDR.

Parent Night Wednesday, February 9- 7:00 - 8:30 PM : 7-12 grade religious education students and parents share Saints, games and desserts.

KC Family Rosary Sunday, February 13- 12:30 - 1:00 PM: All are welcome for this special prayer time to celebrate family unity.

Family Valentine Bingo Party Sunday February 13- 1:00 - 3:00 PM: Enjoy fun and fellowship with delicious Red Desserts served by our 3rd grade Confirmation students.

Holy Family Date Night Drawing: During the Family Valentine Bingo Party, one lucky family name, from the Holy Family Advent Tree, will be drawn for a night-out with supper and movie, sponsored by the Knights of Columbus. (Need to be present to win.)

Little Flower Parish supports the sanctity of marriage, parenting and family life. A beautiful example can be found in the family of our patron Saint Therese the Little Flower. Pope Francis canonized Louis and Zélie Martin, the parents of St. Thérèse of Lisieux on October 18, 2015. They are the first husband and wife to be canonized together, emphasizing their cooperation with the graces of the sacrament of matrimony. As a couple, Louis and Zélie reached the ultimate goal of matrimony which is sanctity for their spouse and holiness for their children. Together they raised five daughters who followed God's call to religious vocations. They are known as the Patron Saints of the Domestic Church. Their family motto was "Serve God First, Together."

The Knights of Columbus monthly supper and council meeting will be Wednesday, February 9 beginning with supper at 6:00 PM and the meeting following.

The St. Therese the Little Flower Conference of the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul will be meeting February 10 at 7:00 PM in Dorothy's Room.

7-12 grade Religious Education Parent Night: This year's 7-12th grade "Parent Night," for parents of Wednesday evening Religious Education students, will be held on February 9 from 7:00 - 8:30 PM. Parents are invited to join teens at the KC meal at 6:00 PM then stay for "Parent Night," or join us at 7:00 PM in MCDR to see what our teens have been up to for the first half of the year. The evening will be fun and educational with dessert to follow. Questions: Rebecca Leier or Lisa Volk 776-6388.

Reconciliation Parent Meeting: The second parent sacrament meeting for parents of students who will be offered the sacrament of First Reconciliation will be held on Sunday, February 13, 9:30 - 10:15 AM in the MCDR. First Reconciliation will be offered during the Reconciliation Retreat on March 5, 8:00 AM - 1:00 PM.

Little Flower Family Valentine Bingo Party. Join us on Sunday, February 13 from 1:00 - 3:00 PM in the Msgr. Cloos Dining Room as we celebrate love, marriage, and family with red desserts, red bingo prizes, and red door prizes. Fun for the entire family! Everyone is welcome!

Fr. Miller and Fr. Aerts will be distributing Communion to the homebound on the First Friday of each month. Please contact the parish office if you would like to be included on the homebound Communion list.

The opportunity for Eucharistic Adoration is available at Little Flower. We are currently in need of someone to spend 1 hour with the Lord from 10:00 - 11:00 AM on Thursday. Please contact the parish office if you are able to fill this need.

Little Flower Parish is in need of a lector for the Wednesday 7:30 AM Mass. If you would like to begin your day with the Lord by serving at Mass please contact the parish office at 776-6388.

We are having a card shower for our mom, Delores Koenig as she celebrates her 90th birthday on February 12. You may send a card to 215 SE 6th St., Rugby.

The Knights of Columbus would like to thank everyone for their continued support of our mission. Just a reminder that Fun Night tickets can be placed in the Sunday collection basket in an envelope labeled "KC Fun Night". Additional tickets for purchase can be picked up at the entrances of Little Flower Church.

MINISTRY SPOTLIGHT Knights of Columbus

History: Founded on the principles of charity, unity and fraternity, the Knights of Columbus was established in 1882 by Blessed Father Michael J McGivney, a pastor of St. Mary's Church in New Haven, Connecticut, and a group of parishioners. Their intent? To bring financial aid and assistance to the sick, disabled and needy members and their families. Today, Blessed Father McGivney is being considered for sainthood. For more information on the Knights and what they do, check out KofC.org

Stewardship Moments

"Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, 'Whom shall I send? Who will go for us?' 'Here I am,' I said, 'send me!'" (ISAIAH 6:8)

Every day, in little ways and in big ways, God asks, "Whom shall I send?" Whether it is someone to take on a new ministry, to give a friendly smile to a stranger or to say a word of encouragement to a friend, God constantly provides opportunities to help someone in need. God is always talking to us; we just need to pay more attention. When you hear God calling have the courage to walk through the door and say "Here I am, Lord."

St. Vincent de Paul Society – Fargo District Council is participating in Giving Hearts Day on February 10. Scheduled giving is now open! Head to GivingHeartsDay.org to schedule your gift! You can select to give to the Rugby - Little Flower SSVdP Conference. Your gift allows us to continue helping those in need. If you have questions contact Denise or Deb at 701-681-0192.

"One mother, one baby, one family at a time." St. Gianna's Maternity Home in Warsaw, ND is once again participating in **GIVING HEARTS DAY** which will be held this year on **Thursday, February 10**. You can help further the mission of the Maternity Home in caring for pregnant women and their children who are in crisis situations by making a donation on Giving Hearts Day. Help us to help them. Go to the website www.givingheartstoday.org or call 701-248-3077.

STEWARDSHIP OFFERING

January 29-30	2022	2021
Little Flower Parish	\$5,110.06	\$5,482.07
January 30	Week	Year to Date
St. Mary's	\$424.61	\$891.38
Our Lady of Mt. Carmel	\$	\$

2021 GOD'S GIFT APPEAL CAMPAIGN

Little Flower Parish	Year to Date
Goal	\$68,057
Pledged	\$56,684
St. Mary's	
Goal	\$5,355
Pledged	\$4,595
Our Lady of Mt. Carmel	
Goal	\$9,573
Pledged	\$7,068

St. Therese the Little Flower

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Parish Music Ministry

Susan Hoffert



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776-6388.



Mass Schedule

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

Monday, February 7

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

1 Kgs 8:1-7, 9-13; Mk 6:53-56
† Beatrice Kraft Leach by Mel and Jan Kraft
† Kristina Murtaugh by Pete and Mary Murtaugh Family
Adoration

Tuesday, February 8

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

1 Kgs 8:22-23, 27-30; Mk 7:1-13 St. Jerome Emiliani; St. Josephine Bakhita
† Annie Burckhard by family
Adoration
† Rosina Schmidt by Deacon Rick and Denise Lagasse (Priest only)

Wednesday, February 9

7:00 AM (convent)
7:30 AM (LF)
5:15 PM (LF)
6:00 PM (OLMC)

1 Kgs 10:1-10; Mk 7:14-23
† Konrad Vik by Deacon Rick and Denise Lagasse
† Joseph A. Brossart by Walt and Angie Busch
† Keith Axtmann by Mary Kitzman
Special Intention of the Jamie Scott Family by Duane Eisenzimmer

Thursday, February 10

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

1 Kgs 11:4-13; Mk 7:24-30 Saint Scholastica
† Jim Summers by Chuck and Dorothy Hooker
Adoration
† Daniel N. Brossart by Family and Friends (Priest only)
† Theresa Burgard by Pat and Jane Wolfe

Friday, February 11

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

1 Kgs 11:29-32; 12:19; Mk 7:31-37 Our Lady of Lourdes
† Jane Vik by Rita Graber
† Bill Muffenbier by Dennis and Myrna Muffenbier

Saturday, February 12

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

1 Kgs 12:26-32; 13:33-34; Mk 8:1-10
† Robert Graber by Harold and Joan Volk
† Edmund Hager by Edward and Elaine Selensky

Sunday, February 13

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

Jer 17:5-8; 1 Cor 15:12, 16-20; Lk 6:17, 20-26 Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
† Daniel N. Brossart by Isabel Brossart and family
† Ronnie Jordan by Bob and Diane Fritel
Mass for Parish
† Leonard Wangler by Dave Hagel and family

The broadcast of the 8:00 AM Sunday Mass on KZZJ 1450 AM and 92.1 FM is sponsored in memory of Daniel N. Brossart by Isabel Brossart and family.

SERVING OUR PARISHES FEBRUARY 12-13

St. Therese	Altar Servers		Lector	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion		
5:00 PM Saturday	Volunteers Needed		Kathleen Heilman	Diane Dufner		
8:00 AM Sunday	Volunteers Needed		Rob St. Michel	Lorinda Haman Mark Johnson		
10:30 AM Sunday	Samantha Blessum Carter Teigen Rhett Teigen		Barbara Vetter	Brian Blessum Sue Blessum		
St. Mary	Sacristan/Reader	Altar Servers	Ushers	Eucharist	Gifts	Church Cleaning
8:30 AM Sunday	Jennifer Brossart Blaine Pfeifer	Cole Anderson Micah Bohl Marissa Bohl	Chris Brossart Adam Bohl	Phil Volk Tyson Follman	Jerald Bohl Family	
Our Lady of Mt. Carmel		Lector	Altar Servers	Eucharistic Minister	Church Care	
10:30 AM Sunday		Riley Schaan	Emma Shively Alyssa Peterson	Ken Schaan	Delilah Scherr, Vincent Scherr, Darold Schmaltz, Rod Schmitt	