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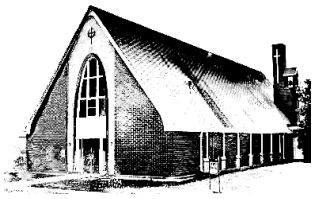

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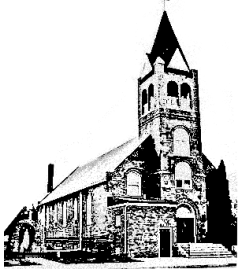

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FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME JANUARY 29, 2023 THE HISTORIAN VOL. 46 NO. 5

Message from our Pastor

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

Catholic Schools Week is an annual celebration of Catholic education in the United States. We are greatly blessed to have a Catholic school in Rugby, ND. It is only possible by the generous support of parents, members of the parish, alumni, and supporters from the community. The teachers, staff and the students of Little Flower school will be celebrating all week. Beginning with the celebration of the 10:30 Mass today. Details of the weeklong celebration are in today's bulletin.

Last week's bulletin contained information on the Regional Listening Session that will take place on February 16th at Little Flower with Bishop Folda. In preparation for the Regional Listening Session Little Flower Parish will have a Listening Session on February 6th at 7:00 pm in the church hall. Everyone in the parish is invited to the Listening Session. The Listening Session will focus on three important themes,

What do we do well?
What can we do better? and
What could be accomplished as a parish for the future?

I hope you will be able to attend.

Please keep Fr. Neil Pfeifer in your prayers and all the priests of the diocese.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Fr. Frank Miller
Pastor

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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 - 10:30 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.

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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. - 3:00 p.m. or contact the parish office.

Communion to the Sick & Home-bound
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

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

WEEKLY EVENTS

Sunday, January 29
Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
- Little Flower Mass 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM
- KC Breakfast 9 AM - 12:30 PM Rugby Eagles
- LF RE Class 9:15 AM
- Our Lady of Mount Carmel Mass 8:30 AM
- St. Mary's Mass 10:30 AM
- LFS Open House 12:30 - 2:00 PM
- LFS Family Bingo 2:00 PM

Monday, January 30
- Little Flower Masses 7:30 AM and 5:15 PM
- Adoration 5:45 PM - midnight

Tuesday, January 31
- Little Flower Mass 7:30 AM
- Adoration 8:00 AM - 9:00 PM
- Haaland Home Mass 9:00 AM

Wednesday, February 1
- Little Flower Mass 7:30 AM and 5:15 PM
- Our Lady of Mount Carmel Mass 6:00 PM
- OLMC RE Early Out 7-12; no class for K-6
- CYO Early Out Wednesday 1:45 - 3:15 PM;
- Tim Mosser presentation 1:45 PM
- LF musician, cantor and choir mtg 7:00 PM
- Oremus, *A Guide to Catholic Prayer* men's study group 7:00 PM

Thursday, February 2
- Little Flower Mass 7:30 AM
- Adoration 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM
- Haaland Home Mass 9:00 AM
- Hospital Mass 10:30 AM

Friday, February 3
- Little Flower Mass 7:30 AM
- LF Mass at 9:00 AM with a movie following in Dorothy's Room. Everyone Welcome!

Saturday, February 4
- Little Flower Mass 8:00 AM
- Confessions 9:00 - 10:30 AM
- Little Flower Vigil Mass 5:00 PM

Sunday, February 5
Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
- Little Flower Mass 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM
- LF RE 1st Sunday Family Shared Faith
- St. Mary's Mass 8:30 AM
- Our Lady of Mount Carmel Mass 10:30 AM

The Knights of Columbus invite you to join them for breakfast at the Rugby Eagles on Sunday, January 29 from 9:00 AM - 12:30 PM. They will be serving scrambled eggs, French toast, and sausage. Free will offering with the proceeds going back to the community.

Little Flower, St. Mary's and Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parishes extend our condolences to the family of Gladys Grant whose funeral was Friday, January 27 at St. Anthony's, Belcourt. May her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in the peace of Christ.

Little Flower, St. Mary's and Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parishes extend our condolences to the family of Ron Brossart whose funeral was Saturday, January 28 at Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church, Minot. May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in the peace of Christ.

Little Flower, St. Mary's and Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parishes extend our condolences to the family of Christopher Brewer whose funeral was Friday, January 27 at Sts. Peter and Paul Catholic Church, Karlsruhe. May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in the peace of Christ.

Some things were just made to be together. A Reece's peanut butter cup has to have both chocolate and peanut butter. Human beings have both a body and soul. Marriage must have both a man and a woman and their relationship must include both love and openness to life. All parishioners are welcome to join the Little Flower 7-12 grade religion classes for an afternoon presentation by **Tim Mosser, Director of the Fargo Diocese Respect Life Office. He will explain the Church's teaching on marriage and married love in a fun, inviting and interactive way on Wednesday, February 1 at 1:45 PM in the Msgr. Cloos Dining Room.** Snacks will follow. A bus will be available to transport students from RHS to the church after school at 1:35 and back to the high school at 3:15 PM.

There will be a Little Flower musician, cantor and choir members meeting on February 1 at 7:00 PM in Dorothy's Room. Anyone interested is welcome to attend.

Little Flower Parish will conduct a Listening Session for the Diocesan Synod on Monday, February 6 at 7:00 PM in the Msgr. Cloos Dining Room. As a parish we will discuss these questions—How are we doing as a Parish? What do we do well? What can we do better? Is there something specific that you would like to see happen at Little Flower Parish? Come to the parish listening session and let us know! Everyone is welcome.

7th-12th grade Parents: Our annual PARENT NIGHT for Parents of Religious Education students in grades 7-12, will be held on Wednesday, February 8. Make plans to join us from 7:00 - 8:30 PM and see what your teens have been learning in class with an officer recap of the CYO year. Teens will serve ice cream sundaes and delicious desserts. We will have parent information on the planned CYO summer service trips and the July 9-13 Diocese of Fargo Camp Summit for teens.

Everyone is welcome to join the members of the Knights of Columbus and their families for a holy hour of prayer in the presence of an icon of St. Joseph with the Child Jesus. The Holy Hour will begin at 3:00 PM and end at 4:00 PM on Sunday, February 12th. It will be an hour of prayer with Exhibition of the Blessed Sacrament, Liturgy of the Word, the Rosary, the Litany of St. Joseph, and end with Benediction.

Little Flower Family Valentine Bingo Party. Join us on Sunday, February 12 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!

Jesus is patiently waiting for You! He wants a deeper relationship with you. When you go to Him you are recognizing His sacrifice for you, by sacrificing time for Him and giving your full devotion to Him. We need someone to make a weekly commitment from **12:00 - 1:00 PM on Thursday**. Consider teaming up with a friend or family member to spend this time with Jesus.

Little Flower Catholic Elementary School in Rugby is seeking applicants for a full-time classroom teacher position for the 2023-24 school year. Little Flower offers a competitive salary and benefits package combined with a wonderful school environment to work at every day. Applicants must have or be able to obtain a ND Educator License. Feel free to contact Kevin Leier at the school 701-776-6258 for more information about the position and how to apply. This position will remain open until filled.

Life in the Spirit Seminar. Deepen your relationship with the third person of the Blessed Trinity and awaken the gifts of the Holy Spirit in your life. **February 17-19, 2023** (registration begins at 6:00 PM, seminar begins at 7:00 PM on Friday and finishes at 3:00 PM on Sunday) St. Cecilia's Catholic Church, Harvey. Spiritual Director for the weekend is Fr. Kevin Boucher and Asst. Spiritual Director is Deacon Jonathan Brewer. Cost is a free will offering. Pre-registration appreciated by February 10. Register at raxtman@gondtc.com or call or text 701-341-1962 or the parish office stcecilia@gondtc.com or 324-2144 during business hours.
Housing: Cobblestone Inn 701-635-2222 (a block of rooms has been set aside until February 1 with a room rate of $129.99); R & R Motel 701-324-2271; Artos Motel 701-324-4602. No cost housing available in Social Center. Please contact Rosalie prior to the weekend for arrangements to stay at the Social Center using the email or phone numbers listed above.

Youth and Young Adults . . . want to spend time on a retreat that is put on by your peers? Do you want to grow closer to God? Do you need a "retreat" from the world around you? Experience God in a personal and REAL way. **SEARCH for Christian Maturity has a retreat coming up February 24 -26 at Maryvale Retreat Center in Valley City, ND.** Youth and young adults, 16 and older are invited to attend. Details and application at https://www.fargodiocese.org/search4cm or call Dori at 952-210-2219. **Applications are due no later than Monday, February 6.**

The Great Plains Food Bank will be in Rugby on Wednesday, February 1 from 3:45 - 5:00 PM at the **Rugby Fairgrounds Community Building,** 200 Block of 2nd Ave NE. Anyone in need of food assistance from any community is welcome to attend.

STEWARDSHIP OFFERING

January 21-22	2023	2022
Little Flower Parish	$4,039.35	$3,749.26
January 22	**Week**	**Year to Date**
St. Mary's	$	$506.52
Our Lady of Mt. Carmel	$	$

2022 GOD'S GIFT APPEAL CAMPAIGN

Little Flower Parish	Year to Date
Goal	$71,339
Pledged	$45,678
St. Mary's	
Goal	$4,819
Pledged	$4,820
Our Lady of Mt. Carmel	
Goal	$9,404
Pledged	$7,013

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

Monday, January 30 — Heb 11:32-40; Mk 5:1-20;
7:30 AM (LF) — Health of Pauline Wentz by Mike and Deb Black
5:15 PM (LF) — † Rita Muffenbier by Volk Cousins
5:45 PM (LF) — Adoration

Tuesday, January 31 — Heb 12:1-4; Mk 5:21-43 Saint John Bosco
7:30 AM (LF) — † John Hager by Kelly and Colleen Bertsch
8:00 AM (LF) — Adoration
9:00 AM (HE) — † Members of the Walter & Margaret Wolfe family by Kathy Wolfe (Priest only)

Wednesday, February 1 — Heb 12:4-7, 11-15; Mk 6:1-6
7:30 AM (LF) — † Roger C. Schell by Walt and Angie Busch
5:15 PM (LF) — † Elizabeth Duchscher by Howard Duchscher
6:00 PM (OLMC) — † Corrine Mack by Trevor and Maxine Mack

Thursday, February 2 — Mal 3:1-4; Heb 2:14-18; Lk 2:22-40 The Presentation of the Lord
7:30 AM (LF) — † Bert Kuntz by Little Flower CDA
8:00 AM (LF) — Adoration
9:00 AM (HE) — Residents of the Haaland Estates (Priest only)
10:30 AM (Hospital) — † Nick Schall by Alice Axtman (Priest only)

Friday, February 3 — Heb 13:1-8; Mk 6:14-29 Saint Blaise; Saint Ansgar
7:30 AM (LF) — † Theresa Brossart by Isabel Brossart
9:00 AM (LF) — † Marie Axtman by Dan and Donna Brossart

Saturday, February 4 — Heb 13:15-17, 20-21; Mk 6:30-34
8:00 AM (LF) — † Steve Brandt by Deacon Rick and Denise Lagasse
Is 58:7-10; 1 Cor 2:1-5; Mt 5:13-16 Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
5:00 PM (LF) — † Daniel N. Brossart by Elaine Kraft

Sunday, February 5 — Is 58:7-10; 1 Cor 2:1-5; Mt 5:13-16 Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00 AM (LF) — † Tom and Betty Burgard by Ken and Peggy Burgard
8:30 AM (SM) — Health of Bernice Martel by Mike and Deb Black
10:30 AM (LF) — Mass for the People
10:30 AM (OLMC) — † Joe and Joyce Zunich by Brent and Carla Zunich

The broadcast of the 8:00 AM Sunday Mass on 1450 KZZJ AM and 92.1 FM is sponsored in memory of Tom and Betty Burgard by Ken and Peggy Burgard.

Serving Our Parishes February 4-5

Little Flower	Altar Servers	Lector	Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion
5:00 PM Saturday	**Volunteers needed**	Brenda Heilman	Diane Dufner Dorice Duchscherer
8:00 AM Sunday	**Volunteers needed**	Rob St. Michel	**Volunteer Needed**
10:30 AM Sunday	Beth Schmaltz Hailey Voeller Luke Voeller	Nicholas Schmaltz	Joe Schmaltz Mary Schmaltz

St. Mary	Sacristan/Reader	Altar Servers	Ushers	EMHC	Gifts	Church Cleaning
8:30 AM Sunday	Wanda Follman Phillip Volk	Titus Volk Micah Bohl Marissa Bohl	Chris Brossart Adam Bohl	Phil Volk Chris Brossart	David Bohl Family	Sattler Family

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel	Lector	Altar Servers	EMHC	Church Care
10:30 AM Sunday	Julie Baustad	Alex Berndt Lucas Wentz	Diane Muffenbier	Julie Baustad, Fred Berndt, Pete Burgard, Diane Dodd