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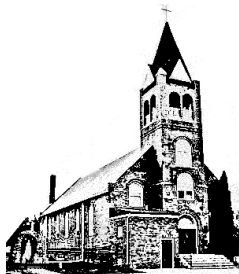
ST. MARY'S

129 S MORGAN STREET, KNOX, ND



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 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.



FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME JULY 3, 2022 THE HISTORIAN VOL. 45 NO. 27

Message from our Pastor

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

Little Flower Garden is coming along well. We are grateful for the rain and the favorable weather conditions. The Lord has blessed us this summer with what appears to be a good crop.

Please put on your calendar, the Diocesan Rural Life Mass at the Deacon Arlen & Charlotte Blessum and Jim and Kris Blessum Farm on July 31st. Details are in the bulletin.

There have been inquiries about the status of the convent. There are no plans to sell the convent. We will make good use of it for various activities, such as when the NET Team is here. They will be able to stay in the convent while giving a retreat for our youth.

Let us pray for our country as we celebrate Independence Day. Our nation needs many prayers. Our society has many issues that are detrimental to our well-being, especially to our youth.

We are grateful for the Supreme Court's recent decision to overturn Roe vs. Wade, which was a terrible decision in the first place. "A child is not something owed to one, but is a gift. The "supreme gift of marriage" is a human person. A child may not be considered a piece of property, an idea to which an alleged "right to a child" would lead. In this area, only the child possesses genuine rights: the right "to be the fruit of the specific act of the conjugal love of his parents," and "the right to be respected as a person from the moment of his conception" (*Catechism of the Catholic Church, 2378*)

May you have a blessed and joyous Independence Day!

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Fr. Frank Miller
Pastor



St. Mary's Parish
Eucharistic Liturgy
Sunday 10:30 a.m.



Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Parish
Eucharistic Liturgy
Sunday 8:30 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

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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Mass on Monday July 4, Independence Day, will be held at 8:00 AM at Little Flower and 8:00 AM at Our Lady of Mount Carmel. There will not be Mass at 7:30 AM or 5:15 PM at Little Flower and no Adoration Monday evening.

Join St. Mary's and the Knox Community for a picnic in the park on Sunday, July 10 following the 10:30 AM Mass. Burgers, hot dogs, coffee, Kool-Aid and paper supplies will be provided. Potluck salads, desserts, etc. Fun and games for all ages.

Please join the **Heart of America German's from Russia** on Sunday, July 10 at 1:00 PM at the Prairie Village Museum for Wayne Garman's presentation "Go North Young Man" - the remarkable story of what attracted German Russians to move from America to Canada. Free will lunch served after.

Join us for **Bingo and Popcorn** July 17 at 2:00 PM in the Parish Hall. Enjoy food, fellowship, and maybe win a cash prize. Everyone is welcome.

The Catholic Daughters invite you to join them on July 18 at 5:00 PM in Dorothy's Room as guest speaker, Abigail Volk shares her journey as a FOCUS missionary and explains more about FOCUS; a Catholic collegiate outreach program.

Wedding Banns: Halie Schmaltz and Ethan Velure will be united in marriage on July 9, 2022 at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church, Balta.

Wedding Banns: Nathaniel Bohl and Morgan Oppen will be united in marriage on July 16, 2022 at Little Flower Church, Rugby.

The Annual Little Flower Church Corn Feed is Sunday, August 7 at the Balta Dam Recreation Area. All registered parishioners should receive their raffle/meal tickets this week. Each ticket buys a meal of hot dogs and corn on the cob and also gives you a chance to win prizes of Rugby Bucks. Ticket money may be dropped off at the parish office or placed in the weekend collection basket. **Please return all tickets to the parish office by July 31.** If you have not received any tickets or need additional tickets please call or stop by the parish office.

Join our worldwide Magnificat family! The discounted group subscription to the Magnificat Magazine is \$36.00. Each month it will arrive at Little Flower Church and you may pick your copy up in the sacristy.

- Magnificat is a pocket-sized monthly publication; a spiritual guide to help you develop your prayer life, grow in your spiritual life, find a way to a more profound love for Christ.
- It is designed for daily use, to encourage both liturgical and personal prayer. It can be used to follow Mass and can also be read at home or wherever you find yourself for personal or family prayer.
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Please contact Susan Hoffert if you would like to renew or join our group subscription at 701-542-3806; hoffmar@gondtc.com by July 31.

5th Annual Rural Life Celebration on Sunday, July 31, 2022 at the Arlen and Charlotte Blessum Farm, 3373 62nd St NE, Rugby. Guests may begin to arrive at 11:30 AM. Blessing of land, animals, and farm machinery will begin at 12:30 PM followed by a 1:00 PM Mass on the farm. A meal and entertainment will follow. The farm is located 7.5 miles southeast of Rugby. For more information visit www.fargodiocese.org/rural-life. Please RSVP to (701) 776-6388 or lfparrish@gondtc.com. Remember to bring a lawn chair or blanket to sit on. You may also bring a container of soil from your fields or garden to be blessed. This event is free.

WEEKLY EVENTS

Sunday, July 3

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

Monday, July 4

- Little Flower Mass 8:00 AM
- Our Lady of Mount Carmel Mass 8:00 AM
- No Adoration

Tuesday, July 5

- Little Flower Mass 7:30 AM
- Adoration 8:00 AM - 9:00 PM
- Haaland Home Mass 9:00 AM
- Little Flower Ladies singing practice 7:00 PM

Wednesday, July 6

- Little Flower Mass 7:30 AM and 5:15 PM
- Our Lady of Mount Carmel Mass 6:00 PM

Thursday, July 7

- 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, July 8

- Little Flower Mass 7:30 AM and 9:00 AM

Saturday, July 9

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

Sunday, July 10

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- Little Flower Mass 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM
- Our Lady of Mount Carmel Mass 8:30 AM
- St. Mary's Mass 10:30 AM
- St. Mary's and Knox Community Picnic in the Park following the 10:30 AM Mass

The Rugby KC's will again be accepting applications for requests for grant monies for needed charitable works in our parish and community. Grant application forms can be picked up at the back entrance of each of the Rugby, Balta and Knox parishes. Completed applications can be emailed to rugbykc@gondtc.com or mailed to the Little Flower Parish office C/O Knights of Columbus. **Application deadline is July 31, 2022.** The Knights of Columbus will review all applications and award grants based on merit in the September – October timeframe.

Stewardship Moments

“He said to them, ‘The harvest is abundant, but the laborers are few...’”

LUKE 10:2

As Catholics, we are all called to serve. Each of us has been given “charisms” otherwise known as gifts from the Holy Spirit to help build God’s Church. Our charisms can only be used for good. We know that we are using them in the right ministry when we are filled with joy and we want to share stories about our charitable works. Discern how God is calling you to use your charisms. Say “yes” to what God is calling you to do and then do it! Share your joy and invite others to do the same.

Mothers and daughters are invited to Mother-Daughter Days in Hankinson.

The Franciscan Sisters of Dillingen invite you to their 2022 Mother-Daughter Days at St. Francis Convent in Hankinson on July 21–23. Come spend time listening to Jesus, getting to know the Franciscan Sisters, praying with the Sisters, and meeting others pursuing a closer relationship with Jesus. To register, call or text Sister Jean Louise at (701) 208-1245. Participation is limited.

St. John Nepomucene Catholic Church and the City of Pisek announce the 2nd Annual Nepomuk Narly Gravel Grinder Bike Ride/Race in Pisek, ND, Saturday, July 23rd 2022. It is our small town’s attempt to bring life, family fun, and fellowship to Pisek. It is a gravel grinder bike ride/race with a street fair, live music, food trucks, kids’ games, train rides, ice cream and so much more. There is over \$15,000 in cash and prizes being given away. Check out www.bikereg.com/55086 for more info.

Putt 4 a Purpose—Golf Event. Bishop John Folda invites you to Putt 4 a Purpose, at the 16th Annual Bishop’s Charity Golf Classic, benefiting Seminarian Education and Youth Programs. Join the fun and fellowship by heading to Rose Creek Golf Course in south Fargo on Monday, August 1 for a round of golf, dinner and prizes. Register 3 golfers and bring your priest, deacon, or seminarian as your 4th player for free! If you are not a golfer, please consider sponsoring a priest or seminarian or a hole on the golf course. Your contribution will help support the event and defray costs. Register online at www.fargodiocese.org/puttpurpose. For further information, contact Steve Schons in the Stewardship and Development Office at 701-356-7926 or email steve.schons@fargodiocese.org.

STEWARDSHIP OFFERING

| June 25-26 | 2022 | 2021 |
|------------------------|-------------|--------------|
| Little Flower Parish | \$10,152.25 | \$9,910.93 |
| June 26 | Week | Year to Date |
| St. Mary’s | \$407.06 | \$8,014.25 |
| Our Lady of Mt. Carmel | \$ | \$10,802.00 |

2022 GOD’S GIFT APPEAL CAMPAIGN

| Little Flower Parish | Year to Date |
|------------------------|--------------|
| Goal | \$71,339 |
| Pledged | \$40,324 |
| St. Mary’s | |
| Goal | \$4,819 |
| Pledged | \$4,275 |
| Our Lady of Mt. Carmel | |
| Goal | \$9,404 |
| Pledged | \$5,958 |

St. Therese the Little Flower

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Mass Schedule

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

Monday, July 4
8:00 AM (LF)

Hos 2:16, 17-18, 21-22; Mt 9:18-26 Independence Day
† Fred, Elizabeth, Fred Jr., Christine Mitzel, Jim Summers, Robert and
Marlene Schumacker by Chuck and Dorothy Hooker
† Anton Kuntz by Delores McDowell
No Little Flower Adoration

8:00 PM (OLMC)

Tuesday, July 5

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

Hos 8:4-7, 11-13; Mt 9:32-38 Saint Anthony Zaccaria; Saint Elizabeth of Portugal
Birthday Blessings for Daniel Koenig by his family
Adoration
† Leona Volk by Ed and Elaine Selensky (Priest Only)

Wednesday, July 6

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

Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12; Mt 10:1-7 Saint Maria Goretti
† Fred Vetsch by Maurus and Sandy Brossart
† Alice Brossart by her family
† Keith Axtmann by family and friends

Thursday, July 7

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

Hos 11:1-4, 8-9; Mt 10:7-15
† Robert Graber by Tom and Lynda Childress
Adoration
† Mr. and Mrs. Pete Volk (Orrin) by the Volk family (Priest only)
† Eunice Clements by Kathy Heilman

Friday, July 8

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

Hos 14:2-10; Mt 10:16-23
† Theresa Burgard by Marty Kitzman
† Peter Schmaltz by Bernice Kirchofner

Saturday, July 9

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

Is 6:1-8; Mt 10:24-33 Saint Augustine Zhao Rong and Companions
† Peter Bachmeier by Betty Bachmeier and family
Birthday Blessings for Regina Eisenzimmer by her family

Sunday, July 10

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

Dt 30:10-14; Col 1:15-20; Lk 10:25-37 Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
† Deceased family members of Walt and Angie Busch
† Corrine Mack by Trevor and Maxine Mack
Mass for the People
† Rev. William Sherman

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

SERVING OUR PARISHES JULY 9-10

| Little Flower | Altar Servers | Lector | | | Eucharistic Ministers | |
|------------------------|--|---|-----------------------------|-----------------------|--|------------------|
| 5:00 PM Saturday | Volunteers Needed | Chuck Teigen | | | Joyce Teigen | |
| 8:00 AM Sunday | Hailey Voeller Volunteers Needed | Rose Schneibel | | | Valerie Bachmeier Mark Johnson | |
| 10:30 AM Sunday | Beth Schmaltz Carter Teigen Rhett Teigen | Nicholas Schmaltz | | | Brian Blessum Sue Blessum | |
| St. Mary | Sacristan/Reader | Altar Servers | Ushers | Eucharist | Gifts | Church Cleaning |
| 10:30 AM Sunday | Charlet Bohl Bob Fritel | Braden Brossart Bria Brossart Cole Anderson | Mark Hoffert Jerald Bohl | Bob Fritel Ed Volk | Adam Bohl Family | General Cleaning |
| Our Lady of Mt. Carmel | Lector | | Altar Servers | Eucharistic Minister | Church Care | |
| 8:30 AM Sunday | Daryl Klein | | Alex Berndt Lucas Wentz | Marlene Schaan | Wes Hall, Mike Hallof, Joe Haman, Chris Heilman | |