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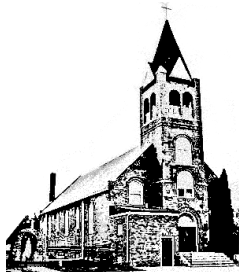
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St. Therese Little Flower Parish

Rectory: 776-6388
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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.

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT MARCH 20, 2022 THE HISTORIAN VOL. 45 NO. 12



Message from our Pastor

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

The Ukraine's bishops have asked Pope Francis to consecrate Russia and the Ukraine to the Immaculate Heart of Mary as requested by the Blessed Mother in Fatima. In response to the request the Holy Father has decided to consecrate Russia and the Ukraine to the Immaculate Heart of Mary on March 25th, the Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord. The Pope has asked all the bishops of the world to join him in the act of consecration.

It is the same day that St. Pope John Paul II consecrated the world to the Immaculate Heart of Mary in 1984. Many have said the consecration in 1984 prevented a nuclear war in 1985.

Sister Lucia has said that the Blessed Mother asked for "the Consecration of Russia to my Immaculate Heart, and the Communion of reparation on the First Saturdays" to avoid a second world war.

"If my requests are heeded, Russia will be converted, and there will be peace; if not, she will spread her errors throughout the world, causing wars and persecutions of the Church. The good will be martyred; the Holy Father will have much to suffer; various nations will be annihilated."

"In the end, my Immaculate Heart will triumph. The Holy Father will consecrate Russia to me, and she shall be converted, and a period of peace will be granted to the world."

We will make the act of consecration for the three parishes at 11:00 am at Little Flower on Friday, March 25th. 11:00 am corresponds to when the Holy Father makes the consecration at 5:00 pm in Rome.

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

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT



The Diocese of Fargo has requested that a special collection be taken to assist with humanitarian and other efforts in Ukraine. Please place your donation in an envelope marked **Ukraine** and drop it in the collection basket this weekend or donations may be brought to the parish office. Thank you.



The KCs will be serving pancakes, ham and scrambled eggs for a free will donation this Sunday, March 20 after both Masses. Your support will be greatly appreciated.



Join us for **Bingo and Popcorn** on March 20 at 2:00 PM in the Parish Hall. Enjoy food, fellowship, and maybe win a cash prize. Everyone is welcome.

It's Lent—stock your freezer with fish from our CYO “Off the Hook Seafood” fundraiser. Order from any CYO member or pick up a catalog and order form at the entrance of the Church. **Order by March 21.** Any questions email me lisa.volk@little-flower.k12.nd.us or call 776-6388.



You are invited to a Lenten Retreat facilitated by Sr. Mary Ruth on Saturdays during Lent. The retreat will consist of a 2-hour block, each session will consist of praying with the Sunday Gospel and a short teaching/discussion about Catholic traditions. Participation is available in-person or online. We will meet in Dorothy's Room on March 26 from 10:00 AM - noon. Contact Sr. Mary Ruth with any questions and to register; leave a message at 701-776-6866 or sr.mary_ruth@little-flower.k12.nd.us.

WEEKLY EVENTS

Sunday, March 20

Third Sunday of Lent

- Humanitarian Collection for Ukraine
- Little Flower Mass 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM
- KC Breakfast following Masses
- No LF Religious Ed
- Our Lady of Mount Carmel Mass 8:30 AM
- St. Mary's Mass 10:30 AM
- No St. Mary's Religious Ed
- Bingo and Popcorn 2:00 PM

Monday, March 21

- Little Flower Mass 7:30 AM and 5:15 PM
- Little Flower Stations of the Cross 4:15 PM
- Adoration 5:45 PM - midnight

Tuesday, March 22

- Little Flower Mass 7:30 AM
- Adoration 8:00 AM - 9:00 PM
- Mass at the Haaland Home 9:00 AM

Wednesday, March 23

- Little Flower Mass 7:30 AM and 5:15 PM
- Little Flower Stations of the Cross 5:45
- RE Service Wed, Meal 6 PM, Class 7 PM
- Our Lady of Mt Carmel Mass & Stations 6 PM
- St. Mary's Mass and Stations 7:00 PM

Thursday, March 24

- 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

Friday, March 25

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

Saturday, March 26

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

Sunday, March 27

Fourth Sunday of Lent

- Little Flower Mass 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM
- LF Religious Ed Class 9:15
- Our Lady of Mount Carmel Mass 8:30 AM
- St. Mary's Mass 10:30 AM
- St. Mary's Religious Ed 9:30 AM

Walk the Stations of the Cross and recount Jesus' journey to Calvary. The Stations of the Cross will bring us closer to Christ as we meditate on the great love He showed for us in His most sorrowful Passion!

- **Little Flower** will have Stations of the Cross led by the Catholic Daughters and Christian Mothers on Mondays at 4:15 PM followed by the rosary and the 5:15 PM Mass. The Knights of Columbus will lead the Stations of the Cross on Wednesdays following the 5:15 PM.
- **Our Lady of Mount Carmel** will have Mass and Stations of the Cross on Wednesday evenings at 6:00 PM.
- **St. Mary's** will have Mass and Stations of the Cross on Wednesday evenings at 7:00 PM.

Little Flower School will be hosting an informational night on Thursday, March 31 from 5:30 - 6:30 PM for all families interested in learning more about the academic and spiritual opportunities that Little Flower can provide for their child. Little Flower has small class sizes, individualized instruction, and we provide individualized enrichment opportunities. Mrs. Swanson, Pre-K teacher, Mrs. Bethany Mack, Kindergarten teacher, a PTO member, and Mrs. Anderson will give a brief overview of our school and programs with a tour. Children are welcome.

Little Flower Pre- K and Kindergarten registration for the 2022-2023 school year will be held April 4, 5, 7 and 8 from 8:00 AM - 3:00 PM in the school office. Wednesday, April 6 registration will be from 8:00 AM - 1:00 PM. To be eligible for Pre-K students need to turn 4 years of age by midnight on July 31, 2022. Kindergarten students need to turn 5 years of age by midnight on July 31, 2022. We would ask that you bring a copy of your child's birth certificate and immunization record.

The **CYO Rummage Sale** extends an enormous THANK YOU to all those involved in the success of this year's sale! If your ears are ringing all year long that's because your support benefits our CYO program far beyond the sale! All the unsold items were donated to St. Ann's Thrift Store in Belcourt. Our efforts here in Rugby ripple far beyond for others! This year **Fr. Dave, SOLT missionaries, and 27 NDSU college volunteers** traveled down to assist us in packing up for St. Ann's. Before they left, prayer and awe of our beautiful church was expressed by all of them!

During Lent make plans to increase your time in prayer by spending time with Jesus during Eucharistic Adoration. Little Flower Parish Adoration times are: Monday 5:45 PM - midnight; Tuesday 8:00 AM - 9:00 PM; Thursday 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM. **We are currently in need of someone to spend a hour with our Lord on Thursdays from 10:00 - 11:00 AM.** If you are unable to commit to an hour each week **consider being a sub.** Please contact the parish office if you are able to fill this need. There are many opportunities listed on the back of the bulletin for daily Mass and Stations of the Cross.

Local Area Lenten Penance Services

March 27 - Sacred Heart, Rolette at 7:00 PM
 March 28 - St. Cecilia's, Towner at 7:00 PM
 April 6 - Little Flower, Rugby at 3:00 PM and 7:00 PM
 April 7 - St. Cecilia's, Harvey at 7:00 PM
 April 10 - St. Mark's, Bottineau at 7:00 PM

MINISTRY SPOTLIGHT ROSARY MAKERS

Most of the rosaries we make in Rosary Makers are sent to the missions. However, we have given rosaries to the prison ministry, high school and college retreats, schools and religious education program. There are also rosaries available at the entrance of Little Flower Church to take and use or to give to someone who needs one.

Stewardship Moment

"... He said to the gardener, 'For three years now I have come in search of fruit on this fig tree but have found none.'" (LUKE 13:7)

We can all be like the barren fig tree at times. Do you cling to what you have or do you generously share with others? How will you respond when God asks you what you have done with all the gifts He has given you? Remember, not only are we called to be generous, we are called to develop and nurture our gifts, and return them with increase. Remember, we are called to be generous with all of gifts, especially the one that means the most to you.

This Lent, FAST from TV and support your family's faith with a Family Movie Night featuring faith-filled movies. Check out amazing family movies from the large selection at Little Flower Parish. Great movie selections are rotated weekly during Lent. Movies can be checked out for up to 2 weeks and are available in the parish library and on a self-serve movie cart in the Msgr. Cloos Dining Room.

The Heart of America Auxiliary's Annual Salad Luncheon is Thursday, March 24 at St. Paul Lutheran Church from 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM. Free will offering with all proceeds being used for new cushions for Long-Term Care wheelchairs.

Knights of Columbus breakfast, Sunday, March 20, from 9:30 AM - 12:30 PM at St. Cecilia's Church in Harvey. Serving sausage, biscuits and gravy, scrambled eggs, and pancakes. Free will offering. Everyone is welcome.

STEWARDSHIP OFFERING

March 12/13	2022	2021
Little Flower Parish	\$7,146.75	\$21,576.11
March 6	Week	Year to Date
St. Mary's 3/6 - \$228.84 3/13 - \$496.50	\$725.34	\$2,531.01
Our Lady of Mt. Carmel	\$	\$

2022 GOD'S GIFT APPEAL CAMPAIGN

Little Flower Parish	Year to Date
Goal	\$71,339
Pledged	\$13,242
St. Mary's	
Goal	\$4,819
Pledged	\$1,620
Our Lady of Mt. Carmel	
Goal	\$9,404
Pledged	\$1,243

St. Therese the Little Flower

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



Mass Schedule

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

Monday, March 21

7:30 AM (LF)
4:15 PM (LF)
5:15 PM (LF)
5:45 PM (LF)

2 Kgs 5:1-15; Lk 4:24-30
Birthday Blessings for Gerold Pfeifer by his family
Stations of the Cross
† Rosina Schmidt by Mary Kitzman
Adoration

Tuesday, March 22

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

Dn 3:25, 34-43; Mt 18:21-35
† Fred Tuchscherer by Marian Schmaltz
Adoration
† Robert Graber by Maurus and Sandy Brossart (Priest only)

Wednesday, March 23

7:30 AM (LF)
5:15 PM (LF)
5:45 PM (LF)
6:00 PM (OLMC)
6:30 PM (OLMC)
7:00 PM (SM)
7:30 PM (SM)

Dt 4:1, 5-9; Mt 5:17-19 Saint Turibius of Mogrovejo
† Edmund Hager by Rocky and Corrine Schell
† Maurus Schneibel by the Kevin Schneibel Family
Stations of the Cross
† Betty Bohl Axtmann by John and Alice Bohl
Stations of the Cross
† Ann Scully by Deacon Rick and Denise Lagasse
Stations of the Cross

Thursday, March 24

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

Jer 7:23-28; Lk 11:14-23
† Clem Brossart by Deacon Rick and Denise Lagasse
Adoration
† Konrad Vik by Anthony and Angie Deplazes (Priest only)
† Wayne Gerig by family (Priest only)

Friday, March 25

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

Is 7:10-14; 8-:10; Heb 10:4-10; Lk 1:26-38
† John Hager by Al and Donna Jundt
† Daniel N. Brossart by Richard and Arlene Schmaltz

Saturday, March 26

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

Hos 6:1-6; Lk 18:9-14
† Walter Schmaltz by Deacon Rick and Denise Lagasse
† Jerry Blessum by Bert and Violet Kuntz

Sunday, March 27

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

Jos 5:9, 10-12; 2 Cor 5:17-21; Lk 15:1-3; 11-32 Fourth Sunday of Lent
Living and deceased family members of Barbara Kuntz
† Peter Schmaltz by John and Alice Bohl
Mass for the people
† David Dallas and Jimmy Shalala by Bob and Diane Fritel

The broadcast of the 8:00 AM Sunday Mass on KZZJ 1450 AM and 92.1 FM is sponsored by Barbara Kuntz in honor of her living family members and in memory of her deceased family members.

SERVING OUR PARISHES MARCH 26-27

Little Flower	Altar Servers	Lector	Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion			
5:00 PM Saturday	Volunteers Needed	Kathleen Heilman	Marge Heilman			
8:00 AM Sunday	Volunteers Needed	Sarah Shively	Sr. Mary Ruth Huhn Vernice Brossart			
10:30 AM Sunday	Pius Wangler Paisley Wangler Penn Wangler	Rebecca Leier	Michael Hurly James Maertens			
St. Mary	Sacristan/Reader	Altar Servers	Ushers	Eucharist	Gifts	Church Cleaning
10:30 AM Sunday	Wanda Follman Philip Volk	Carson Bohl Micah Bohl Bently Bohl	Tyson Follman Al Follman	Wanda Follman Chris Brossart	Chris Brossart Family	Mark Hoffert & Pfeifer Family
Our Lady of Mt. Carmel	Lector	Altar Servers	Eucharistic Minister	Church Care		
8:30 AM Sunday	Pete Burgard	Caleb Schaan Meagan Schaan	Alice Bohl	Garth Senechal, Derek Shively Linda Sollin, Steve Wentz		