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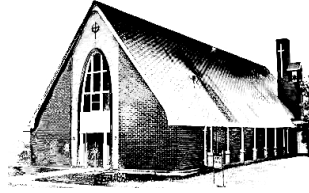


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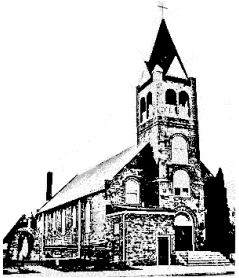
## ST. MARY'S

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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 - 10:30 a.m.  
Saturday 4:00 - 4:45 p.m. - Cancelled  
Sunday 7:00 - 7:45 a.m. - Cancelled

### 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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PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD MARCH 28, 2021 THE HISTORIAN VOL. 44 NO. 13

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

Holy Week begins today with the blessing of palms and the reading of the Passion according to Matthew, Mark, or Luke, depending upon the year, in celebration of the Lord's triumphal procession into Jerusalem. We join together in worship and praise to welcome our savior, Jesus of Nazareth. He is "the blessed and only Sovereign, the King of Kings and Lord of lords" (1 Tim 6:15).

Thursday of Holy Week is the celebration of the anniversary of the Last Supper, this Mass commemorates the institution of the Sacrament of the Eucharist, the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, and the priesthood. Mass is followed by a procession of the Blessed Sacrament to the altar of repose, which allows everyone in the parish an opportunity for adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and a time for prayer until midnight. "Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood abide in me and I in them" (Jn 6:56).

Friday of Holy Week is known as Good Friday. It is the only day of the year when Mass is not celebrated anywhere in the world. Good Friday consists of a prayer service with the reading of the Passion according to St. John, the Veneration of the Cross and the reception of Holy Communion.

Holy Saturday is a quiet and serene day in commemoration of the Lord's time in the tomb. Let us keep "watch" on Holy Saturday with expectations of being strong in faith, firm in hope and ardent in love.

In the evening of Holy Saturday is the Easter Vigil, the most solemn and most significant Mass of the year. It is a lengthy Mass, but it always goes by fast. It is always incredibly special to experience the service of light at the beginning and the Exsultet - the Easter Proclamation sung by Deacon Rick Lagasse - the renewal of baptismal promises and the celebration of the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and First Eucharist of those entering the Family of God, the Church.

The day of the Lord's Resurrection, Easter Sunday, is a glorious celebration that brings great joy to our hearts. We look forward to our own resurrection and the new life that God gives to us as we celebrate our Lord's Resurrection for eight days in anticipation of our Lord's promise of the gift of the Holy Spirit. "And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you forever" (Jn 14:16).

May the Lord bless us greatly this coming week as we gather together to celebrate the great mysteries of our faith!

Sincerely yours in Christ,  
Fr. Frank Miller  
Pastor



### St. Mary's Parish Eucharistic Liturgy

Sunday 10:30 a.m.  
Wednesday 7:00 p.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**

## PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD



There will be a medical expense benefit breakfast for Cheryl Hager this Sunday, March 28, from 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM at the Rugby Eagles.

There will be a Lenten Penance Service at Our Lady of Mount Carmel on Monday, March 29 at 7:00 PM.

**Lent is Here, Pray-Fast-Give.** Practice Lenten Almsgiving this year with Lenten Giving boxes found at all entrances to the Church. All funds will go to those who do so much at Catholic Charities of North Dakota. **Lenten Giving Boxes may be returned to the parish office beginning Monday, March 29 through Friday, April 9.** Boxes may also be left, before or after Mass, in the special Catholic Charities of North Dakota baskets found upstairs at the front entrance to the church and downstairs next to the large cross in the lunch room. Students may also return their Lenten Giving Boxes to their teachers.

**Join the Little Flower CYO as they present the 21st Annual LIVING STATIONS OF THE CROSS on Wednesday, March 31 at 7:30 PM at Little Flower Church.** Current research with past cast, stagehands, and Fr. Neil Pfeifer confirms the consistent portrayal of the Living Stations since 1999 with the one exception being Lent 2020 due to COVID-19. Make plans to start or continue a Lenten tradition by bringing your family to this moving devotion.

### WEEKLY EVENTS

#### Sunday, March 28

##### Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

- Little Flower Mass 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM
- RE Palm Sunday Family Celebration 9:15
- Our Lady of Mount Carmel Mass 8:30 AM
- St. Mary's Mass 10:30 AM
- CYO Living Stations practice 1:00 PM

#### Monday, March 29

- Little Flower Mass 7:30 AM and 5:15 PM
- CM Stations of the Cross/Rosary 4:15 PM
- Adoration 5:45 PM - midnight
- OLMC Lenten Penance Service 7:00 PM

#### Tuesday, March 30

- Adoration 8:00 AM - 9:00 PM
- Little Flower Mass 5:15 PM

#### Wednesday, March 31

- Little Flower Mass 7:30 AM and 5:15 PM
- Haaland Home Mass 9:00 AM (Priest only)
- Our Lady of Mount Carmel Mass 6:00 PM
- LF CYO Living Stations 7:30 PM
- Our Lady of Mount Carmel Rel Ed 7:00 PM

#### Thursday, April 1

- No 7:30 AM Mass
- No Haaland Home Mass
- Little Flower Mass 7:30 PM
- LF Adoration after 7:30 Mass until midnight
- Our Lady of Mount Carmel Mass 7:30 PM

#### Friday, April 2

- LF Good Friday Service 3:00 and 7:30 PM
- OLMC Good Friday Service 3:00 PM
- SM Good Friday Service 7:30 PM

#### Saturday, April 3

- Little Flower Mass 8:30 PM
- Our Lady of Mount Carmel Mass 8:30 PM

#### Sunday, April 4

##### Resurrection of the Lord

- 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

### Easter Flowers

Donations are being accepted to purchase lilies to decorate our church for Easter. Donations may be made in the memory/honor of loved ones. Donation envelopes may be found in the Little Flower envelope packets and may be placed in the weekend collection basket or brought to the parish office.



For donations to purchase Easter lilies for Our Lady of Mount Carmel please contact Jane Gross at 776-5124.

**Please pray for the students who are preparing to receive the sacraments of Confirmation and First Holy Communion on Saturday, April 10.** Their names and prayer cards may be found on the prayer board located near the Baptismal font. Our parish celebration of sacraments will take place at the 10:30 Mass on Sunday, April 11.

**Are you Searching for a Deeper meaning to your faith in Jesus Christ and His church?** There will be free copies of "The Search" at all entrances to the church until Easter. Pick up a copy to read during Lent. Contact Deacon Rick Lagasse or Rebecca Leier if you would like to join a "Search" study group. [Richard.Lagasse@fardodiocese.org](mailto:Richard.Lagasse@fardodiocese.org) or [stlfred@little-flower.k12.nd.us](mailto:stlfred@little-flower.k12.nd.us).

**Pope Francis has asked us to support the Pontifical Good Friday Collection,** which helps Christians in the Holy Land. Your support helps the church minister in parishes, provide Catholic schools and offer religious education. The Pontifical Good Friday Collection also helps to preserve the sacred shrines. The wars, unrest and instability have been especially hard on Christians. In these times of crisis, the Pontifical Good Friday Collection provides humanitarian aid to refugees. When you contribute to the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, you become an instrument of peace and join with Catholics around the world in solidarity with the Church in the Holy Land. Please be generous! For more information about Christians in the Holy Land, visit [www.myfranciscan.org/good-Friday](http://www.myfranciscan.org/good-Friday).

**Divine Mercy Sunday is April 11.** You are encouraged to join people throughout the universal Church in praying the **Divine Mercy Novena which begins on Good Friday, April 2.** Novena sheets are included with this bulletin and are also available at the church entrances. **Beginning April 2 the Divine Mercy Chaplet will be prayed each day at 3:00 PM.** All are invited to participate in this mediation on the Passion of Jesus and experience His incomprehensible and infinite mercy.

## Serving our Parishes April 1/2

St. Therese	Altar Server	Lector	Eucharistic Minister
7:30 PM Holy Thursday	Volunteers Needed	Chuck Teigen	Diane Dufner
3:00 PM Good Friday	Volunteers Needed	Chuck Teigen	Lorinda Haman Joyce Teigen
7:30 PM Good Friday	Volunteers Needed	Michael Hurly	Denise Lagasse
St. Mary's	Altar Server	Lector	Eucharistic Minister
7:30 PM Good Friday	Bryant Bohl, Thatcher Volk Leila Follman	Tyson Follman Volunteer Needed	Mark Hoffart Phil Volk
Our Lady of Mount Carmel	Altar Server	Lector	Eucharistic Minister
7:30 PM Holy Thursday	Brady Filler Brody Berndt	Daryl Klein	Jennifer Heilman
3:00 PM Good Friday	Harper Senechal Hannah Senechal	Riley Schaan Julie Baustad	Ken Schaan

### The special schedule for Masses and Services for Holy Week.

- Monday, March 29: LF Mass at 7:30 AM and 5:15 PM. Stations of the Cross at 4:15 PM. Eucharistic Adoration from 5:45 PM - midnight.
- Tuesday, March 30: Our priests will be in Fargo for the annual Chrism Mass. Eucharistic Adoration will be from 8:00 AM - 9:00 PM. LF Mass at 5:15 PM.
- Wednesday, March 31: Mass at the Haaland Home at 9:00 AM. LF Mass at 7:30 AM and 5:15 PM. OLMC Mass at 6:00 PM. Living Stations of the Cross performed by the Little Flower youth at 7:30 PM.
- Holy Thursday, April 1: Mass at 7:30 PM at Little Flower and Our Lady of Mount Carmel. Little Flower **Eucharistic Adoration will be held only after the 7:30 PM Mass until midnight.** There are signup sheets available at all church entrances for anyone who would like to spend time with the Lord during this time, come for a half hour, an hour or more. Thank you! There will not be Mass at the Haaland Home on Thursday, April 1.
- Friday, April 2: Good Friday Services will be at 3:00 PM and 7:30 PM at Little Flower, 3:00 PM at Our Lady of Mount Carmel and 7:30 PM at St. Mary's. Also, a reminder that Good Friday is a day of fast and abstinence.
- Saturday, April 3: No 8:00 AM Mass or confessions at Little Flower. Easter Vigil at 8:30 PM at Little Flower and Our Lady of Mount Carmel.

**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 from April 16 -18, 2021 at the Maryvale Convent in Valley City. Youth and young adults, 16 and older are invited to attend. Details and application at <https://fargodiocese.net/search-info> or call Dori at 952-210-2219. **Applications due no later than Monday, March 29, 2021.**

### STEWARDSHIP OFFERING

March 20/21	2021	2020
Little Flower Parish	\$9,113.25	\$3,058.00
Children's Envelopes	\$	\$
March 21	Week	Year to Date
St. Mary's	\$171.76	\$2,678.35
Our Lady of Mt. Carmel	\$	\$7,008.46

### 2021 GOD'S GIFT APPEAL CAMPAIGN

Little Flower Parish	Year to Date
Goal	\$68,057
Pledged	\$36,914
St. Mary's	
Goal	\$5,355
Pledged	\$2,540
Our Lady of Mt. Carmel	
Goal	\$9,573
Pledged	\$4,088

### St. Therese the Little Flower

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#### St. Mary's Ladies Society

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#### Parish Music Ministry

Susan Hoffert



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

**Monday, March 29**

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

Is 42:1-7; Jn 12:1-11  
Health of Clem Brossart by Dan and Donna Brossart  
Stations of the Cross and Rosary  
† Emily Dufner by Greenhouse Friends  
Adoration

**Tuesday, March 30**

8:00 AM (LF)  
5:15 PM (LF)

Is 49:1-6; Jn 13:21-33, 36-38  
Adoration  
† Leonard Schneibel by Bernadine Schneibel

**Wednesday, March 31**

7:30 AM (LF)  
9:00 AM (HE)  
5:15 PM (LF)  
6:00 PM (OLMC)

Is 50:4-9; Mt 26:14-25  
† Roger C. Schell by Walt and Angie Busch  
† Theresa Halvorson by Elaine Nelson  
† Frank and Magdalena Pfeifer and children by family and friends  
† Edward Heilman by Margie Eisenzimmer

**Thursday, April 1**

7:30 PM (LF)  
7:30 PM (OLMC)

Ex 12:1-8, 11-14; 1 Cor 11:23-26; Jn 13:1-15 Thursday of the Lord's Supper  
Thanksgiving for Fr. Frank and Fr. Anthony  
† Duane Schaan by Elaine Schaan and Bill Schaan

**Friday, April 2**

3:00 PM (LF)

Is 52:13-53:12; Heb 4:14-16; 5:7-9; Jn 18:1-19:42 Friday of the Passion of the Lord  
Good Friday Service

**The Little Flower 3:00 PM Good Friday Service will be broadcast on KZZJ 1450 AM and 92.1 FM**

3:00 PM (OLMC)  
7:30 PM (LF)  
7:30 PM (SM)

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**Saturday, April 3**

8:30 PM (LF)  
8:30 PM (OLMC)

Gn 1:1-2:2; Gn 22:1-18; Ex 14:15-15:1; Is 54:5-14; Is 55:1-11; Bar 3:9-15, 32-4:4;  
Ez 36:16-17, 18-28; Rom 6:3-11; Mk 16:1-7 The Easter Vigil in the Holy Night  
Intention of the priest  
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**Sunday, April 4**

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

Acts 10:34, 37-43; Col 3:1-4; Jn 20:1-9 Resurrection of the Lord  
† Margaret Brossart by Edward Brossart and family  
† Joann Bosch by Ed and Elaine Selensky  
Mass for Parish  
† Gerald Muffenbier by Cletus and Bernice Axtman

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

**SERVING OUR PARISHES APRIL 3/4**

St. Therese	Altar Servers	Lector	Eucharistic Minister			
8:30 PM Saturday	<b>Volunteers Needed</b>	Michael Hurly, Chuck Teigen,	Kathleen Heilman			
8:00 AM Sunday	<b>Volunteers Needed</b>	Angela Hoffert	<b>Volunteers Needed</b>			
10:30 AM Sunday	Mikaylee Livedalen Royanne Livedalen Clare Livedalen	Rebecca Leier	Brian Blessum Sue Blessum			
St. Mary	Sacristan/ Reader	Altar Servers	Ushers	Eucharistic Ministers	Gifts	Church Cleaning
8:30 AM Sunday	Wanda Follman Tyson Follman	Bryant Bohl Thatcher Volk Leila Follman	Adam Lynn Bohl Darrell Hoffart	Mark Hoffart Phil Volk	Tyson Follman Family	Adam Bohl Family Adam Lynn Bohl Family
Our Lady of Mt. Carmel		Lector	Altar Servers	Eucharistic Minister	Church Care	
8:30 PM Saturday		Pete Burgard, all lectors needed	Jaxon Heilman Kenley Heilman	Marlene Schaan	Ken Heilman, Brad Jacobs Mike Jundt, Kelly King	
10:30 AM Sunday		Daryl Klein	Emma Shively Alyssa Peterson	Alice Bohl	Ken Heilman, Brad Jacobs Mike Jundt, Kelly King	