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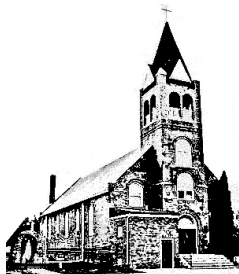
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St. Therese Little Flower Parish

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 - 10:30 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.

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME SEPTEMBER 25, 2022 THE HISTORIAN VOL. 45 NO. 39



Message from our Pastor

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

A meditation on Adoration

By Sister Alicia Torres

She was fervent: head bent; eyes closed. At times, her hands rested upon her heart, at other times they clasped the handle of the stroller, gently rocking her little one. Her presence was simple, yet sincere, before the Divine Presence.

No matter the day of the week, nor the late-night hour, she seemed to always be there, keeping vigil. Silent. She silently breathed before her Lord as her silent children rested in her sight. I dared not to lift the veil over her heart, nor presume to understand the language of love she shared with Christ.

Sixteen years later, I do not quite keep a midnight watch, but lately I have remembered this young mother who taught me so much in a humble adoration chapel off of Ashland Avenue. As I keep silent vigil before Jesus, hidden in the Eucharist, I have begun to sense and embrace the veil over my own heart — that hidden place meant for only Jesus and me. I do not tend my own sleeping children, yet I do bring so many little ones to the feet of Jesus, begging for their freedom and healing.

I was only just discovering all those years ago who Jesus is, and who he was calling me to be. Isn't it a lovely recollection: that a young mother with whom I never exchanged any words was the first person to truly teach me what it means to adore Jesus in the Holy Eucharist — and how to be loved by Him?

God Bless,

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. - 3:00 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

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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Little Flower, St. Mary's and Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parishes extend our condolences to the family of Clemence Haman whose funeral was on September 21 at Little Flower Church. May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in the peace of Christ.

Today is Catechetical Sunday at Little Flower Parish. Catechetical Sunday is a wonderful opportunity to reflect on the role that each Catholic person plays, by virtue of their Baptism in handing on the faith and being a witness to the Gospel. This year, the Church will celebrate Catechetical Sunday with the theme: "Say the Word and My Soul Shall be Healed." Those who have been designated to serve as catechists will be called forth to be commissioned for their ministry. We ask that parishioners take a moment to thank the following catechists for using their time and talent to serve Christ through teaching the children and youth of our parish: Monica Houim, Amanda & Miryilyn Migler, Brad & Ashley Wangler, Paisley Wangler, Christy Zinck, Rebecca Leier, David & Jennifer Teigen, Mandy McNeff, Kevin & Jodi Kirchofner, Misti Senger, James Childress, Anthony Benson, Becky Kraft, Lisa Volk, DeDe Heidlebaugh, Mary Schmaltz and Judge Michael Hurly.

Please keep Father Miller, Father Aerts and the priests of our diocese in your prayers as they attend diocesan Presbyterate Days September 26 - 28. No Masses are scheduled at Little Flower on Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday morning. There will be Mass at 5:15 PM on Wednesday. Adoration on Monday, September 26 will begin at 5:30 PM and Tuesday, September 27 at 8:00 AM. Thank you Deacon Jonathan.

Come join us for the annual 40 Days-For-Life Prayer Vigil, September 28 – November 6. We meet at the Angel of Life Statue on the east side of the church Wednesday evenings from 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM. Call Kathy Heilman 701-771-2710 with any questions.

The Little Flower Fall Supper serving turkey and all the trimmings is October 9 from 4:00 - 7:00 PM. Dine-in or take-out will be available. Please take a minute to sign up on the sheets at the front entrance of the church if you are able to help out. We are looking for workers for shifts on Saturday and Sunday as well as dessert and turkey bakers. Donations of 20 pounds of hamburger, 20 pounds of butter, 10 dozen eggs, onions and other garden produce will be gratefully accepted.

St Therese the Little Flower Feast Day (October 1) is rapidly approaching. In honor of St. Therese's feast day we will have a blessing of the east alcove in the church. There will be an unveiling of portraits and a plaque dedicated to Sts. Louis and Zellie Martin, patron saints of marriage and family and the parents of St. Therese the Little Flower on Friday, September 30 following the 9:00 AM Mass.

Additional events planned in honor of our parish patroness, St. Therese the Little Flower include:

October 2, 3, 5. Three nights of parish mission speakers from 7:00 - 8:00 PM with the blessing of religious items and desserts to follow in the Msgr. Cloos Dining Room. All are welcome!

Presentation on Spiritual Warfare by Fr. Jeff Eppler.

Sunday, October 2, Fr. Jeff will speak on the nature of angels and demons. Monday, October 3, he will address the spiritual war for souls and how to be victorious over evil. Wednesday, October 5, speaker Tim Mosser, Fargo Diocese, Director of Life, will speak on the topic of **"Living Our Catholic Faith and Catholic Family Life in the current culture."**

CYO LABOR SILENT AUCTION & LITTLE FLOWER FALL SUPPER. A new CYO Service Opportunity will begin with the Little Flower Fall Supper on October 9. Enjoy a delicious turkey supper with all the trimmings from 4:00 - 7:00 PM and bid on a member of the CYO to help you with your many home fall chores. Be sure to check the laborer's talents and skills. The CYO Silent Labor Auction will be set up in the north foyer, entrance of the Church from 3:00 - 7:00 PM.

WEEKLY EVENTS

Sunday, September 25

Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- Little Flower Mass 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM
- Catechetical Sunday
- LF Sunday School 9:15 - 10:15 AM
- LF & OLMC Confirmation parent mtg 9:15 AM
- Our Lady of Mount Carmel Mass 8:30 AM
- St. Mary's Mass 10:30 AM

Monday, September 26

- No Masses scheduled
- Adoration 5:30 PM - 11:00 PM

Tuesday, September 27

- No Masses scheduled
- Adoration 8:00 AM - 8:00 PM
- No Haaland Home Mass

Wednesday, September 28

- Little Flower Mass 5:15 PM
- No Our Lady of Mount Carmel Mass
- 40 Days for Life Vigil 6:00 - 9:00 PM
- OLMC RE 6:45 - 8:00 PM
- LF CYO Service Wed, meal 6 PM class 7 PM

Thursday, September 29

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

Friday, September 30

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

Saturday, October 1

- 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, October 2

Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

- Little Flower Mass 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM
- LF RE First Sunday Shared Faith 9:15 - 10:15
- St. Mary's Mass 8:30 AM
- Our Lady of Mount Carmel Mass 10:30 AM
- LF Parish Mission 7:00 - 8:00 PM

Wedding Banns: Cade Heilman and Macy Young will be united in marriage on October 1, 2022 at Little Flower Church.

Wedding Banns: Anne Schmaltz and Brennen Bergdahl will be united in marriage on October 7, 2022 at Little Flower Church.

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. **Are you able to spend just one hour in Eucharistic Adoration with our Lord?** We need someone from **9:00 AM - 10:00 AM; 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (January - May only) noon - 1:00 PM and 3:00 - 4:00 PM on Thursday.** Consider teaming up with a friend or family member to fulfill the commitment.

Please join Catholic school parishes across the United States, and the Little Flower Catholic Daughters in assembling **Boxes of Joy through Cross Catholic Outreach.** Last year over 106,000 of these shoeboxes full of gifts were sent to children in seven Central America and the Caribbean countries - delivering the message, "God Loves you, and so do I." Materials are available on and under the table at the back of Little Flower Church and at St. Mary's. The **deadline will be October 23.** Filled boxes can be left at the Little Flower parish office - in the south closet as you come in the door. For more information please search <https://crosscatholic.org/box-of-joy/> or email hoffmar@gondtc.com; call Susan - 542-3806.

The devotional "A Year with the Eucharist" by Paul Jerome Keller, OP offers daily meditation drawn from the riches of Catholic tradition, both ancient and modern, and features passages from the Bible, and the best that has been written about the Eucharist by saints, popes, poets, and other authors. The purchase price of this devotional is \$25.00. If you are interested in purchasing this devotional please contact the parish office.

Local Fall Suppers:

St. Cecilia's Church, Velva Annual Fall Supper, Sunday, September 25 from 4:00 - 7:00 PM. Serving Swiss steak.

St. Mark's Church, Bottineau Fall Turkey Supper, Sunday, September 25 from 3:30 - 6:30 PM.

St. Cecilia's, Harvey Fall Supper, Sunday October 16 from 5:00 - 7:00 PM. Serving turkey.

6th Annual Fargo Diocese Parish Musicians Workshop: "And the Word was made flesh and dwelt among us" John 1:14 **November 4-5, 2022 Sts. Anne and Joachim Church, Fargo.** Includes time for prayer and Mass, music rehearsal, singing in choir for Mass, great speakers. For more information and to register go to www.fargodiocese.org/sacredmusic. \$50 registration includes food and materials. Students are free.

STEWARDSHIP OFFERING

September 17-18	2022	2021
Little Flower Parish	\$4,818.10	\$6,281.25
September 18	Week	Year to Date
St. Mary's	\$409.81	\$11,878.85
Our Lady of Mt. Carmel	\$	\$14,405.00

2022 GOD'S GIFT APPEAL CAMPAIGN

Little Flower Parish	Year to Date
Goal	\$71,339
Pledged	\$42,348
St. Mary's	
Goal	\$4,819
Pledged	\$4,375
Our Lady of Mt. Carmel	
Goal	\$9,404
Pledged	\$6,463

St. Therese the Little Flower

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

Monday, September 26

7:30 AM (LF)

5:15 PM (LF)

5:30 PM (LF)

Jb 1:6-22; Lk 9:46-50 Saints Cosmas and Damian

No Mass Scheduled

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Adoration

Tuesday, September 27

7:30 AM (LF)

8:00 AM (LF)

9:00 AM (HE)

Jb 3:1-3, 11-17, 20-23; Lk 9:51-56 Saint Vincent de Paul

No Mass Scheduled

Adoration

No Mass Scheduled

Wednesday, September 28

7:30 AM (LF)

5:15 PM (LF)

6:00 PM (OLMC)

Jb 9:1-12, 14-16; Lk 9:57-62 St. Wenceslaus, St. Lawrence Ruiz & Companions

No Mass Scheduled

† Clem Schmaltz by Marian Schmaltz and family

No Mass Scheduled

Thursday, September 29

7:30 AM (LF)

8:00 AM (LF)

9:00 AM (HE)

10:30 AM (Hosp)

Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Jn 1:47-51 Saints Michael, Gabriel and Raphael

† Deceased Pfeifer's and Gerin's families by their family

Adoration

Families of the Parish by the Christian Mothers (Priest only)

Anniversary Blessings for LeeAllen & Rebecca Leier by Ray & Diane Leier

(Priest only)

Friday, September 30

7:30 AM (LF)

9:00 AM (LF)

Jb 38:1, 12-21; 40:3-5; Lk 10:13-16 Saint Jerome

† Jane Vik by Anthony and Angie Deplazes

† Daniel N. Brossart by Bernice and Renae Selensky

Saturday, October 1

8:00 AM (LF)

5:00 PM (LF)

Jb 42:1-3, 5-6, 12-17; Lk 10:17-24 Saint Therese of the Child Jesus

Anniversary Blessings for Eric & Anna Nelson by LeeAllen & Rebecca Leier

Hb 1:2-3,2:2-4; 2 Tm 1:6-8,13-14; Lk 17:5-10 Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

† Dale, Angie, Daryl and Mark Kuhnenn by Richard and Faye Hoffart

Sunday, October 2

8:00 AM (LF)

8:30 AM (SM)

10:30 AM (LF)

10:30 AM (OLMC)

Hb 1:2-3,2:2-4; 2 Tm 1:6-8, 13-14; Lk 17:5-10 Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

† Andrew & Rose Hager and George & Elizabeth Leier by Ray and Diane Leier and family

† Theresa Brossart by Bob and Diane Fritel

Mass for the People

† Corrine Mack by Trevor and Maxine Mack

The broadcast of the 8:00 AM Sunday Mass on 1450 KZZJ AM and 92.1 FM is sponsored by Ray and Diane Leier in memory of Andrew and Rose Hager and George and Elizabeth Leier.

SERVING OUR PARISHES OCTOBER 1-2

Little Flower	Altar Servers	Lector		Eucharistic Ministers		
5:00 PM Saturday	Volunteers Needed	Kathleen Heilman		Diane Dufner Debbie Millang		
8:00 AM Sunday	Volunteers Needed	Angel Hoffert		Valerie Bachmeier		
10:30 AM Sunday	Trevor Blessum Ali Blessum Aubrie Schmaltz	Vernice Brossart		Angie Busch Michael Hurly		
St. Mary	Sacristan/Reader	Altar Servers	Ushers	Eucharist	Gifts	Church Cleaning
8:30 AM Sunday	Diane Fritel Chris Brossart	Marissa Bohl Bently Bohl Carson Bohl	Tim Sattler Kenny Bohl	Phil Volk Tyson Follman	Fritel Family	Tyson Follman Family
Our Lady of Mt. Carmel	Lector		Altar Servers	Eucharistic Minister	Church Care	
10:30 AM Sunday	Pete Burgard		Alex Berndt Lucas Wentz	Diane Muffenbier	Wayne Leier, Rita Mitzel, Larry Muffenbier, Shane Peterson	