

THE PARISHES OF:



ST. THERESE THE LITTLE FLOWER

218 3RD STREET SE, RUGBY, ND

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.



TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME SEPTEMBER 5, 2022 THE HISTORIAN VOL. 45 NO. 36

Message from our Pastor

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

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament as an important aspect of the faith of a disciple of Christ. Adorers are needed, especially on Thursday. Please call the office for specific times. Thank you!

All the saints have been enamored of this devotion [to the Eucharist]. On this earth, we cannot find a more brilliant jewel or a more lovely treasure than Jesus in the sacrament. Certainly, after the frequentation of the sacraments, the adoration of Jesus in the Holy Eucharist is, of all devotions, the most acceptable to God and the most useful to us. Do not then, O soul, refuse to begin this devotion: from this day forward, retire each day from human conversation, and remain for some time, at least for half an hour or a quarter, in some church, before Jesus Christ in the Holy Sacrament.

"Taste, and see how sweet the Lord is" (ps. 34:8). Make a trial of this devotion, and you see the great fruit which you shall draw from it. Be assured that, of all the moments of your life, the time you spend in devotion before this most divine Sacrament will be that which shall give you the greatest support during life, and the greatest consolation at the hour of death, and for all eternity: be persuaded that you shall gain more in a quarter of an hour spent in prayer before the Holy Eucharist than in all the other spiritual exercises of the day. It is true, that God hears in all places the prayers of all who seek his graces; for he has said, "Ask, and you shall receive" (Matt 7:7) ... Blessed Henry Suso used to say that Jesus on the altar hears the prayer of the faithful more readily than he does in any other place. And where but at the foot of the altar have holy souls made the most generous resolutions? Perhaps, you too, will one day, before some tabernacle, resolve to give yourself entirely to God? (St. Alphonsus de Liguori, *Visits to the Most Holy Sacrament*)

God Bless,

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. - 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-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



WEEKLY EVENTS

Sunday, September 4

Twenty-third 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, September 5

- Little Flower Mass 8:00 AM
- No Adoration
- LF Ladies Choir Practice 7:00 PM

Tuesday, September 6

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

Wednesday, September 7

- Little Flower Mass 7:30 AM and 5:15 PM
- Our Lady of Mount Carmel Mass 6:00 PM
- Little Flower CYO 7:00 - 8:15 PM
- CYO parent meeting and registration 7:00 PM

Thursday, September 8

- 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 meeting 7:00 PM

Friday, September 9

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

Saturday, September 10

- 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, September 11

Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- Little Flower Mass 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM
- LF Sunday School 9:15 - 10:15 PM
- Our Lady of Mount Carmel Mass 8:30 AM
- St. Mary's Mass 10:30 AM
- St. Mary's Council meeting following Mass
- LF Ladies Choir Practice 7:00 PM

Mass on Monday, September 5, Labor Day will be celebrated at 8:00 AM at Little Flower. There will be no 5:15 PM Mass or Eucharistic Adoration Monday evening.

The St. Therese the Little Flower Conference of the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul will be meeting on September 8 at 7:00 PM in Dorothy's Room. New members are always welcome.

"Mass and a Movie" continues on September 9. Everyone is invited to join us on Friday's for the 9:00 AM Mass and the movie following Mass with refreshments and fellowship in Dorothy's Room.

All ladies of Little Flower Parish and the community are invited to attend the Autumn Celebration at Little Flower Church on Monday, **September 12 at 7:00 PM.** Guest speaker will be Karla Deplazes Dickey. Music will be provided by the Little Flower Ladies Choir. The Little Flower Christian Mothers will be serving coffee and dessert following the program in the Parish Hall. Join us for this inspirational evening.

St. Mary's Parish Council meeting will be held on September 11 following the 10:30 AM Mass.

Little Flower Parish Council meeting on Tuesday, September 13 at 7:00 PM.

LFS Advisory Council meeting, Wednesday, September 14 at 7:00 AM.

The Catholic Daughters will meet on Thursday, September 15. There will not be a Mass. Chairperson is Deb Black.

Love Saves Lives... Annual Life Walk on Saturday, September 24 at Little Flower Church. Registration is at 8:30 AM with the walk beginning at 9:00 AM. All proceeds go to further the mission and ministry of the Women's Care Center.

Little Flower, St. Mary's and Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parishes extend our condolences to the family of Theresa Brossart whose funeral was Saturday, September 3 at Little Flower. May her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in the peace of Christ.

Singers, practice for the women's choir for the Autumn Celebration will be held in the choir loft on: Monday, September 5 at 7:00 PM; Sunday, September 11 at 7:00 PM. The Autumn Celebration is at 7:00 PM on Monday, September 12. We will meet that evening at 6:15 PM for our final run-through. Your voice is a gift from God. It is a joy to give back to Him in this way. See you Sunday evening!

The 2022-2023 CYO year will begin on September 7. Grades 7-12 will begin the CYO year with a bonfire and meeting on September 7 from 7:00 - 8:15 PM. Come join the fun with CYO Officer nominations, bonfire, food and games in the west parking lot behind the church. This CYO gathering will coincide with the required parent meeting and registration held in the MCDR.

Little Flower Sunday School will begin on September 11, 9:15-10:15 with a Family Shared Faith meeting in the MCDR (Monsignor Cloos Dining Room). Parents with Preschool - 6th grade students will gather for registration, meeting teachers, a lesson and craft to kick-off the new Religious Education year. **Little Flower 7-12 grade religious education classes begin on September 7** with a parent meeting and registration for classes. Questions: Call Rebecca Leier office 776-6388 or home 542-3325.

If you've been coming to Mass for a few months or many years but are not Catholic, or if you are Catholic and would like a refresher course, we invite you to look deeper into the Catholic faith. Little Flower, St. Mary's, and Our

Lady of Mt. Carmel parishes will soon begin a set of sessions to share with others the truths of the Catholic faith and the fellowship of our church family. We invite you to learn what Catholics believe in an open and welcoming environment. These sessions also are opportunities for you to ask those perplexing and difficult questions you may have about the Church. **The first RCIA session is October 12 at 7:00 PM at Little Flower School. For more information, you may call Deacon Rick Lagasse at 701-208-0696 or email Richard.Lagasse@fargodiocese.org.**

Jesus is 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 one hour in Eucharistic Adoration with our Lord?** We need someone from **9:00 AM - 10:00 AM; 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (during the school year only) and 3:00 - 4:00 PM on Thursday.** Consider teaming up with a friend or family member to fulfill the commitment.

Wedding Banns: Matty Koenig and Matthew Oksendahl will be united in marriage on September 17, 2022 at Little Flower Church.

Knights of Columbus Breakfast, Sunday, September 11, 9:30 AM- 12:30 PM at St. Cecilia's Church, Harvey. Serving sausage, biscuits and gravy, scrambled eggs, pancakes. Free will offering.

Church of St. Cecilia, Towner invite you to their Fall Supper on Sunday, September 11 from 4:00 - 7:00 PM. Serving Swiss Steak, mashed potatoes, gravy, corn, coleslaw, buns, angel food cake and strawberries.

St. Joseph Church, Devils Lake Fall Dinner, Sunday, September 18 from 10:30 AM—1:30 PM in the St. Joseph Parish Center. Serving stuffed pork chops, mashed potatoes, gravy, with all the trimming and homemade pie.

St. Cecilia's Church, Velva Annual Fall Supper on Sunday, September 25 from 4:00 - 7:00 PM. Serving Swiss Steak, homemade mashed potatoes, corn, coleslaw, and apple or pumpkin pie.

Pro-Life Event, Wednesday, September 28 from 6:30 - 8:00 PM at St. Cecilia's, Velva basement fellowship hall. Pro-life speaker panel includes Christopher Dodson of the ND Catholic Conference, Tim Mosser from the Diocese of Fargo, and Tanya Humphreys and another representative from Dakota Hope Clinic.

STEWARDSHIP OFFERING

| August 27-28 | 2022 | 2021 |
|------------------------|------------|--------------|
| Little Flower Parish | \$5,022.25 | \$6,102.25 |
| August 28 | Week | Year to Date |
| St. Mary's | \$357.78 | \$11,264.27 |
| Our Lady of Mt. Carmel | \$ | \$13,802.00 |

2022 GOD'S GIFT APPEAL CAMPAIGN

| Little Flower Parish | Year to Date |
|------------------------|--------------|
| Goal | \$71,339 |
| Pledged | \$42,048 |
| 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
Linda or Deb in the business
office at 776-6388.**

Monday, September 5

8:00 AM (LF)

5:15 PM (LF)

5:45 PM (LF)

1 Cor 5:1-8; Lk 6:6-11

† Peter and Thekla Tuchscherer by Marian Schmaltz and family

No Mass Scheduled

No Adoration

Tuesday, September 6

7:30 AM (LF)

8:00 AM (LF)

9:00 AM (HE)

1 Cor 6:1-11; Lk 6:12-19

Young People of the Parish by the Christian Mothers

Adoration

Cecilia and Wayne Curtis and family by Kathy Wolfe (Priest Only)

Wednesday, September 7

7:30 AM (LF)

5:15 PM (LF)

6:00 PM (OLMC)

1 Cor 7:25-31; Lk 6:20-26

† Don Vetsch by Marian Schmaltz

† Emanuel and Leona Volk by Duane and Margaret Voeller

† Donny Vetsch by Sandee Miller-Jacobson and family

Thursday, September 8

7:30 AM (LF)

8:00 AM (LF)

9:00 AM (HE)

10:30 AM (Hosp)

Mi 5:1-4; Mt 1:1-16, 18-23 The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

† Joe Bachmeier by Nick and Bernie Senger

Adoration

† Daniel N. Brossart by Tammy Brossart (Priest only)

† Edmund Hager by Delores Hager and family (Priest only)

Friday, September 9

7:30 AM (LF)

9:00 AM (LF)

1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-27; Lk 6:39-42 Saint Peter Claver

† Mariya Bernhardt by Sally Bernhardt

† James Selensky by Judy Lemer

Saturday, September 10

8:00 AM (LF)

5:00 PM (LF)

1 Cor 10:14-22; Lk 6:43-49

† Emily Dufner by Kathy Nelson

Ex 32:7-11, 13-14; 1 Tm 1:12-17; Lk 15:1-32 Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

† Anton "Tony" Sitter by family

Sunday, September 11

8:00 AM (LF)

8:30 AM (OLMC)

10:30 AM (LF)

10:30 AM (SM)

Ex 32:7-11, 13-14; 1 Tm 1:12-17; Lk 15:1-32 Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

† Daryl Kuhnenn and deceased family members by Pat Kuhnenn

† Curtis Bohl by Margie Eisenzimmer

Mass for the People

† Andrew and Katherine Schneider by Frances Schneider

The broadcast of the 8:00 AM Sunday Mass on 1450 KZZJ AM and 92.1 FM is sponsored by Pat Kuhnenn in memory of Daryl Kuhnenn and deceased family members.

SERVING OUR PARISHES SEPTEMBER 10-11

| Little Flower | Altar Servers | Lector | | Eucharistic Ministers | | |
|------------------------|--|--|---------------------------------|------------------------------------|--|---|
| 5:00 PM Saturday | Volunteers Needed | Theone Stevenson | | Dorice Duchscherer Diane Dufner | | |
| 8:00 AM Sunday | Volunteers Needed | Steve Voeller | | Mark Johnson | | |
| 10:30 AM Sunday | Royanne Livedalen Clare Livedalen Mikaylee Livedalen | Michael Hurly | | Brian Blessum Sue Blessum | | |
| St. Mary | Sacristan/Reader | Altar Servers | Ushers | Eucharist | Gifts | Church Cleaning |
| 10:30 AM Sunday | Wanda Follman Jennifer Brossart | Cole Anderson Titus Volk Bryant Bohl | Phil Volk Jesse Bohl | Mark Hoffert Chris Brossart | Chris Brossart Family | David Bohl Family Jerald Bohl Family |
| Our Lady of Mt. Carmel | | Lector | Altar Servers | Eucharistic Minister | Church Care | |
| 8:30 AM Sunday | | Riley Schaan | Jaxon Heilman Kenley Heilman | Ken Schaan | Daryl Klein, Derrick Klein, Eric Kremer, Ron Kremer | |