

LITTLE FLOWER PARISH

28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

OCTOBER 11, 2026



Little Flower Weekend Masses

Saturday 5pm

Sunday 10am

Reconciliation prior to mass OR by appointment

Weekday Masses

Tuesday 4pm

Wednesday to Friday 8am

College Park I Retirement Residence Liturgy

1st & 3rd Thursday of the month 10am

College Park II Retirement Residence Liturgy

2nd & 4th Friday of the month 10am

Office Hours (for in-person service)

Monday to Saturday: 9am to 1pm

Parish Staff

Parish Administrator: Rev. Danilo Rafael

Office Administrator: Lilian Marouelli &
Valerio Quirino

Caretaker/Maintenance: Rick Morin

MISSION STATEMENT: Little Flower Parish, as a faith community, reaches out to all in service, compassion and love to fulfil our mission of proclaiming the gospel daily in word and deed.



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Little Flower is wheelchair
accessible through the Edgar
Street entrance



Land Acknowledgement : Little Flower Parish is located on Treaty 4 Territory, the traditional lands of the Nêhiyawak, Nahkawé, and Nakota, and homeland of the Dakota, Lakota, and Métis peoples.

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Theme: Isaiah, Paul and Jesus all talk about food today — bread to survive, wine for the feast. What will truly satisfy our hungry hearts?



Mass Intentions

Tuesday	4:00 pm	†Repose of Ernest Sali, Edwin and Isabella Sali, Raymond Luterbach and Michael Dietrich
Wednesday	8:00 am	Intention for Loren Maspara
Thursday	8:00 am	Intention for Loren Maspara
Friday	8:00 am	No Mass Intention
Saturday	5:00 pm	†Repose of Edward Leier, Joe Helfrik and Augustine Dela Pena
Sunday	10:00 am	Wedding Anniversary of Leonard & Florence Baker

Altar Server: Gabe Seiferling

Offering of the Mass



By virtue of the “communion of saints,” the Church commends the dead to God’s mercy and offers her prayers especially the holy sacrifice of the Eucharist, on their behalf. (Catechism of the Catholic Church).

This practice dates as far back as Judas collecting a sin-offering for the dead, making atonement so they might be delivered from their sin. (2 Maccabees 12:39-45). Masses may also be offered for the intentions of the living or in thanksgiving. Masses are requested through the parish office.

Season of Creation 2026 Living Water



This year we will be guided by the vision of the prophet Ezekiel (47:1–12): a river flowing from the temple of God, which grows without stopping and brings life where everything seems barren. Water heals, restores, and makes creation flourish. But it also challenges us: to recognize ecological damage, to embrace our interconnectedness, and to immerse ourselves in the responsibility of caring for and restoring our Common Home. Religious leaders from around the world invite us to discover the **Season of Creation 2026: Living Water** and to join them on this journey of faith and action.

May this Season of Creation be a path toward the healing of the Earth, where human well-being and the flourishing of creation can grow together.

Hospital Chaplains



Catholic chaplains are available to visit patients and families for spiritual support. To request a visit, call:

General Hospital: 306-519-1405

Pasqua Hospital: 306-519-1380

Wascana Rehab Centre: 306-530-6511

If you’re admitted through the ER, you may not be asked about spiritual care, so please call the number above or notify your parish. Also, let your parish know if you’ve been admitted to the hospital.

Stewardship Bulletin Bits

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*"My God will fully supply whatever you need..." –
Philippians 4:19*

God really does provide for those who are grateful and generous. This is very difficult for people who don't live a stewardship lifestyle to believe. People are skeptical and say it's just coincidence. If you are skeptical, try living a stewardship lifestyle for just one month – be generous with your gifts of time in prayer, talent in charitable works, and treasure, then see how God provides for your needs.

Archbishop's Appeal October 11

Bulletin Reflection

1st Reading: Isaiah 25:6-10a; 2nd Reading: Philippians 4:12-14, 19-20; Gospel: Matthew 22:1-14
This Sunday's readings remind us of God's abundant generosity and His invitation to each of us to share in His Kingdom. Through the prophet Isaiah, we hear of a rich banquet prepared for all people—a beautiful image of God's desire to welcome, nourish, and bring hope to everyone. In the Gospel, Jesus tells the parable of the wedding feast, reminding us that God continually invites us into a deeper relationship with Him. Our response to that invitation is reflected not only in our faith but also in the way we live, serve, and care for one another.

Prayer of Intercession

For all of us, that we may joyfully accept God's invitation to His table and respond with generous hearts, sharing His love through our gifts, our service, and our care for those in need. We pray to the Lord.

Happy Thanksgiving!



Wishing all our parishioners and their families a blessed and joyful Thanksgiving, filled with gratitude, love, and many blessings.

Please note: The Parish Office will be **closed on Monday, October 12.**

Prayer Ministry



Please pray for the needs of the sick of our parish, the homebound, and those who are alone and/or afraid to go out.

Pray for: Annie Dormuth, Jose Estioco, Agnes Fahlman, Shelly Joubert, Don Morrell, Lima Perras, Louise Wingerter, Judy Klenk, Don Benz, and Rick Morin.

For the repose of the soul of: Marjorie Benz.

Operation Christmas Child



Operation Christmas Child boxes have arrived! Boxes will be available at the **entrance of the church this weekend, October 10 and 11.**

Little Flower Parish has participated in this campaign for many years, and our parishioners have always been very supportive and generous. This is a wonderful opportunity to show thousands of children and families around the world that **God's love is unconditional and cannot be stopped.**

Please return your filled boxes to the church by **Sunday, November 22.** The boxes have a long journey ahead before reaching their destinations.

Thank you for your generosity and support!

Sacramental Preparation – 2026/2027



Registration is now open for children in Grades 2-8 (ages 7-13) preparing for First Reconciliation, Confirmation, and First Eucharist.

First Reconciliation

Classes begin Sunday, **October 25, 2026, at 11:20 AM** in the Parish Hall.

Please contact or visit the Parish Office to register, or visit our parish website for registration and program details.

More information about Confirmation and First Eucharist preparation will be announced as it becomes available.



Take Action to Keep Canada on Track for Justice



Do you believe in the dignity of the human person? For Development and Peace — Caritas Canada, this Catholic social teaching principle is at the heart of our work. With the support of the government and generous donors, we carry out transformative programs and projects in more than 30 countries

around the world.

This aid is invaluable—and even lifesaving—for many impoverished communities. It can help save children's lives in Somalia through treatments for malnutrition and promote gender equality and women's civic participation in the Democratic Republic of the Congo.

We need your support to make this possible. Join the movement today! To learn more: devp.org/campaign.

The Myriam Family of the Prairies invites you

For a day retreat for adults on **October 24, 2026**

From 9:30 am to 4:00 pm

With the theme:

Like the Son; my filial life.

The retreat will include Mass, Confessions, Holy hour, a talk, lunch and fellowship, in the beauty of nature and the silence of the countryside at our house of prayer in McLean, Sk, 45 km East of Regina.

-Free will offering- Please register by phoning at 306-761-0528 or email: pss.prairies@famillemyriam.org

Pope's Prayer Intentions: October

For Mental Health Ministry

Let us pray that the mental health ministry be established throughout the Church, helping to overcome the stigma and discrimination of persons with mental illnesses.

<https://www.popesprayer.va/praywiththepope/>

ArchRegina Congress: Blessings Remembered, Hope Renewed

What might God be inviting our parish communities to become, and where do we begin?

Join us for our annual Archdiocese of Regina Congress on **October 31 at Resurrection Parish from 10:00 AM – 3:00 PM (with an optional Mass at 9:00 AM)**. Together we'll continue to explore God's vision for the Church and consider what that vision might look like in our parishes. Through prayer, communal discernment, and creative activities, we'll reflect on our blessings, name our challenges, and share our hopes and ideas for the future. Together, we'll identify practical, pastoral next steps for our parishes and our diocese and set a path forward as we prepare for our Archdiocesan Synod Assembly in May 2027.

Please register by Monday, October 26, to mgurash@archregina.sk.ca or call 306-352-1651.

Pre-Congress Synod Conversation on Ecumenism

In conjunction with the ArchRegina Congress, you are invited to join a pre-Congress synod conversation on ecumenism/Christian unity.

Catholic doctrine understands that all who are baptized are incorporated into the one mystical body of Christ. Thus, despite the wounds of history, all baptized Christians are one people of God, the church. The Second Vatican Council teaches that elements of sanctification and truth have been preserved in varying degrees by other Christian communities, and calls us to be open to receiving these gifts. All of the baptized share in this ministry of unity.

7 to 9 pm on Friday, October 30, 2026

at Holy Trinity Parish, 5020 Sherwood Dr, Regina.

All are welcome. No registration required.

For more info, contact Nick Jesson at jesson@ecumenism.net

Campion College Jesuit Lecture Series

The Campion College Jesuit Lecture Series is back! Please join us on Friday, **October 16, at 7 pm in the Campion Auditorium** for our 2026 Jesuit Lecture "Navigating a Polarized World: Helpful Insights along the Ignatian Way" with Fr. John Meehan, SJ. This event is free to attend, and all are welcome!