

# LITTLE FLOWER PARISH

31ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

NOVEMBER 02, 2025

## Little Flower Weekend Masses

Saturday 5 pm

Sunday 10 am

**Reconciliation** prior to mass OR by appointment

## Weekday Masses

Tuesday 4 pm

Wednesday to Friday 8 am

## College Park I Retirement Residence Liturgy

1st & 3rd Thursday of the month 10 am

## College Park II Retirement Residence Liturgy

2nd & 4th Friday of the month 10 am

## Office Hours (for in-person service)

Monday to Friday: 8:00 am to 12:00 pm

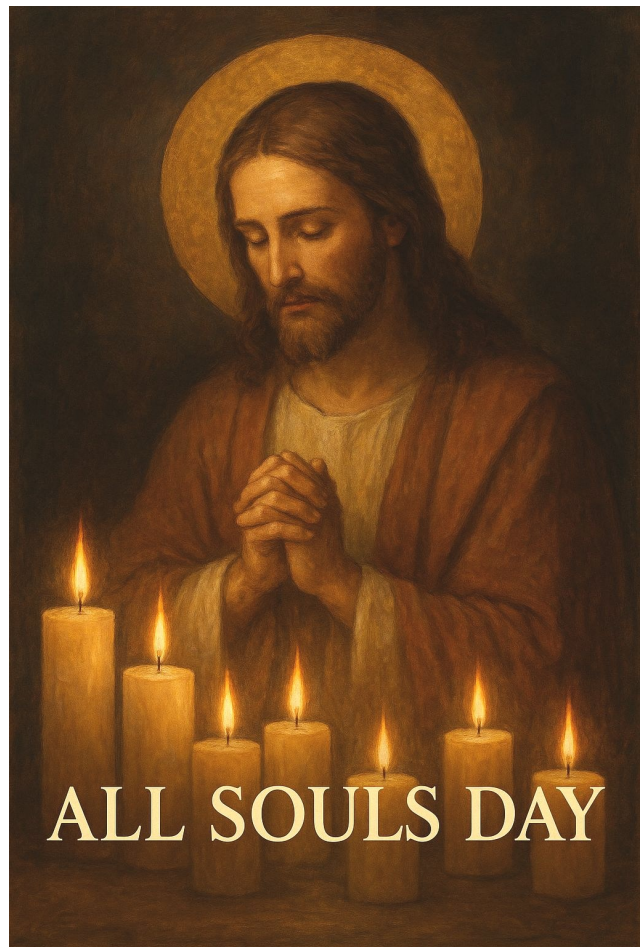
Saturdays: 9 am to 1 pm

## Parish Staff

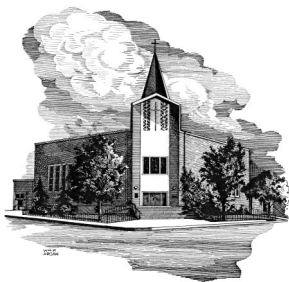
Parish Administrator: Rev. Jake Ibay

Office Administrator: Gabriela Junqueira &  
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 wheel-  
chair 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:** We are God's creation and he loves us deeply. His son, Jesus, extends to each of us the invitation to turn away from our sins, be forgiven, and to live more like God's children. Zacchaeus is a good example of a person who deeply responds to God's love.



### St. Thérèse



The Martin household was a lively place. As a young child, St. Thérèse thrived on the love which surrounded her in their Christian home. It was there, where prayer, the liturgy, and practical good works formed the basis of her own ardent love of Jesus – her desire to please Him

and the Virgin Mary.

St. Thérèse said:

*"Our fulcrum is God.*

*Our lever is prayer, prayer which burns with love.*

*With that we can lift the world!"*

### Hospital Chaplains

Catholic chaplains visit patients and their families to address any spiritual needs. To receive a visit from a chaplain, call:

- General Hospital – 306-519-1405
- Pasqua Hospital – 306-519-1380
- Wascana Rehab Centre – 306-530-6511

If you are admitted through the emergency room, you may not be asked about spiritual care, so please call the number above or notify your parish.

Please also let your parish know if you've been admitted to the hospital.

### Mass Intentions

Tuesday, Nov. 04	4:00 pm	Repose of Timothy Wingerter
Wed., Nov. 05	8:00 am	Healing Intentions for Kalay Dumont
Thur., Nov. 06	8:00 am	Repose of Joseph Brity
Friday, Nov. 07	8:00 am	Healing Intentions for Kalay Dumont
Sat., Nov. 08	5:00 pm	Repose of Kathleen Wingerter

**Altar Server: Barb Aman**

**Events:** Tuesday — Nov. 04 (7PM) Liturgy Meeting

### 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.

## Stewardship Bulletin Bits

November 2, 2025

### All Souls' Day

"...because I came down from heaven not to do my own will but the will of the one who sent me..."

John 6:38

When praying the "Our Father", say the words slowly so you truly recognize what you are saying.

Every day when praying this prayer, we repeat what Jesus said in the scripture passage – "thy kingdom come, thy will be done." Even though we say these words, do our actions reflect those words? This is the difference between saints and the rest of us. Saints were faithful and obedient to God's will. Start today – start aligning your words and actions with God's will for you.

### Jingle Bell Market



Do you need help with your Christmas gift shopping or your Christmas baking? Let us help you!

On Saturday, November 29 Little Flower will be hosting a Christmas

Market. There will be crafts to purchase as gifts as well as delicious home baking.

If you are an interested crafter, or know someone, please contact Carol Kuntz for more information at 306-530-0408 or [ca.kuntz@sasktel.net](mailto:ca.kuntz@sasktel.net)

If you are willing to help out the parish by supplying some baking, we would be forever grateful. Please contact Kathy Szarkowicz for more information at 306-535-6224 or [j.k.szarkowicz@sasktel.net](mailto:j.k.szarkowicz@sasktel.net)



## Prayer Ministry



Please pray for the needs of the sick of our parish, the homebound, people who are alone and/or afraid to go out. Pray especially for the repose of the souls of Tim Wingerter, Hartley

O'Connor, Edmondo Burchi and Pope Francis.

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

Pray especially for : Annetta who had knee surgery.

### PLENARY INDULGENCE FOR OUR BELOVED DEAD



All  
Souls'  
Day

Plenary Indulgence is a special type of indulgence that, if all the requirements are met, is a remission of all temporal punishment due to one's sins. The month of November, especially All Souls Day (November 2), is a traditional

time for visiting graves of loved ones, as the anniversary of death. On the first eight days of November, that is, November 1-8, we may gain a plenary indulgence not for ourselves but for our departed brothers and sisters. How do we gain plenary indulgence for our beloved dead? We may gain plenary indulgence for our beloved dead by fulfilling the following conditions:

1. We visit a cemetery, where the dead members of our family is buried. If it is impossible for us to visit the cemetery where the remains of our beloved dead are laid to rest, we can visit any cemetery.
2. We pray for our beloved dead (e.g. responsory for the dead)
3. We attend Mass and receive Holy Communion. This can be done before or after we have visited a cemetery and prayed for our dead.
4. We pray for the intentions of the Holy Father (e.g. Our Father, Hail Mary, Glory)
5. The plenary indulgence applied for our beloved dead can only be gained once a day. On other days of the year, only partial indulgence for our dead is gained.

**Why do we do all these for our dead?** We offer our prayers, Masses, indulgent acts on their behalf since they can no longer do all these for themselves. We make reparation for the sins and the consequences of the sins our loved ones had committed which they might not have done while they were still alive. May all the souls in purgatory finally find their rest in heaven with God. **Amen**



## Thinking Faith S03 E08/E09: Machines, Minds, and Meaning: Catholic Reflections on Artificial Intelligence - Part 1& 2



This week on Thinking Faith: The Catholic Podcast Deacon Eric Gurash and Dr. Brett Salkeld discuss the intersection of artificial intelligence and personhood through the lens of a Catholic anthropology.

Drawing on personal experiences with ChatGPT and what the Large Language Model has to say about itself, they reflect on what these interactions reveal about what it means to be human and what it doesn't. Together, they unpack the theological, ethical, and philosophical implications of rapidly advancing AI technology through the lens of Catholic teaching on the human person, reason, and the soul.

### Part One:

[youtube.com/watch?v=y8kLRO0thDc&t=2638s](https://youtube.com/watch?v=y8kLRO0thDc&t=2638s)

### Part Two:

[youtube.com/watch?v=-uiQjlwH1bs&t=1s](https://youtube.com/watch?v=-uiQjlwH1bs&t=1s)

## Archbishop's Appeal

### Bulletin Reflection



On this solemnity, we remember the saints—a great multitude clothed in white who stand before the throne of God—and the call to

live in purity and hope. Jesus' Beatitudes model the attitudes of blessedness that reflect the Kingdom God envisions. Our Annual Appeal is a way to honor that holy vision by supporting the ministries through which saints next door serve, pray, and love. In giving, we join the communion of saints in building God's work here on earth.

### Prayer of Intercession



For all who imitate the saints in service and prayer, that our generosity may help our parish become a reflection of heaven—let us pray to the Lord

### Emmaus Support Mental Health Ministries



Do you or someone you love face mental health challenges? Emmaus Support Mental Health Ministries offers a safe, welcoming space to share experiences, receive support, and grow together in hope and resilience. Join us today at [emmaussupport.ca](http://emmaussupport.ca) or email Deacon Eric Gurash at [emmausmentalhealth@gmail.com](mailto:emmausmentalhealth@gmail.com).

## Men's Spiritual Exercises 2025!



Men's Spiritual Exercises (SPEX 2025) is a 40-hour, silent, Ignatian retreat, held at St. Peter's Abbey in Muenster, SK on November 28 - November 30,

2025, hosted by the Regina Regnum Christi Men's group. Father Kenneth Leblanc, LC. will lead us in a series of meditations with opportunities for reflection and contemplation, Spiritual Direction, Holy Mass, the Sacrament of Confession, Adoration, Benediction and prayer. This is a great opportunity to unplug from our daily commitments and reconnect with Our Lord in the beautiful setting of St. Peter's Abbey



## Webinar: Family Violence: Challenges and Opportunities for Catholics



**Date:** Wednesday, November 5, 2025

**Time:** 3:00 p.m. (CST)

**Location:** Online (GoTo Webinar link will be provided upon registration)

**Hosted by:** The Catholic Women's League of Canada

**Topic:** Forms of family violence, vulnerabilities in religious families, and faith-based compassionate responses.

**Register:**

[attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/6729961590716482656](https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/6729961590716482656)

