LITTLE FLOWER PARISH

FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME FEBRUARY 4TH, 2024

Little Flower Weekend Masses

Saturday 5 p.m. Sunday 10 a.m. **Reconciliation** prior to mass OR by appointment

Weekday Masses

Tuesday 4:00 pm Wednesday to Friday 8 a.m.

College Park I Retirement Residence Liturgy 1st & 3rd Thursday of the month 10 a.m.

College Park II Retirement Residence Liturgy 2nd & 4th Friday of the month 10 a.m.

Temporary Office Hours (for in-person service)

Tuesdays & Thursdays: 9:30 am - 1:30 pm. Phone calls and emails will be handled as usual. Regular in-person office hours will resume on February 26th at 9:30 am.

Parish Staff

Parish Administrator: Rev. Jake Ibay Office Administrator: Valerio Quirino & Lauana Candido Caretaker/Maintenance: Rick Morin **Parish email:** littleflowerregina@sasktel.net



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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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.



Little Flower is wheelchair accessible through the Edgar Street entrance.

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Theme: Jesus Christ is the healer. He offers hope for Our spirits and light for our darkness. In him God lifts us from despair. In this Eucharistic, he will transform our lives into shining gifts of love

Love proves itself by deeds, so how am I to show my love? Great deeds are forbidden me. The only way I can prove my love is by scattering flowers and these flowers are every little sacrifice, every alance and word, and the doing of the least actions for love



Saint Therese of Lisieux

This Week in the Parish . . .

Contact the office to request a Mass for your loved ones. The agenda for 2023 Mass requests is open

Mass intentions for this week are:

- Tues. 6, No Mass Intentions
- Wed. 7, Repose of Clair Wingerter
- Thu 8, No Mass Intentions
- Fri. 9. No Mass intentions
- Sat.10, No Mass Intentions

Altar Server of the week: Jean Zdunich

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

ted to the hospital.

Return to Vibrancy Announcement:



Saint Thérèse had a deep love for the world around her and all that was in it. As a young child she owned a favourite blue hat. She sometimes wondered if it were possible to love God as much as she loved that hat. We know from her autobi-

ography, The Story of a Soul, she loved God above all. Saint Thérèse said: "When one loves, one does not calculate."

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 Eucha-MASS rist, on their behalf. (Catechism of the Intentions 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 Please also let your parish know if you've been admit- thanksgiving. Masses are requested through the parish office.

Dear Members of Our Parish



In our ongoing effort to maintain accurate and current records, we kindly remind you to complete and return he census forms. Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated, as it helps us ensure the completeness and

accuracy of our records. Even if there have been no changes to your information, it is vital for us to receive your completed forms. If you have not yet received a census form or need to update your details, you can find blank forms located back of the church. Please take a moment to provide the necessary information.

To those who may not be registered with the church, we extend a warm invitation to complete a census form. Every piece of information is valuable; please ensure that no fields are left blank.

Your timely response is invaluable in helping us maintain accurate records and fostering a strong sense of community. We sincerely appreciate your coopera- you for your kindness and participation! tion and dedication to the Little Flower community.

Thank you for your essential contribution to our church family.

Blessings and gratitude, Little Flower Parish Team

Thursday, February 8th Weekday **Mass Update**



Please note that on February 8th, our Mass will be at 9:45 am instead of the regular 8:00 am time. We are pleased to welcome the staff and students of St. Augustine School to join us.



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: Germain Beaurivage, Ann Dormuth, Jose Estioco, Agnes Fahlman, Dean

Hutchence, Shelly Joubert, Judy Klenk, Don Morrell, Lima Perras, Claudia Sali, Anthony Wingerter, Louise Wingerter, Frances Gyurek, Barb's brother and family who lost their home in a fire, Delores Blank, Theresa Sokalski, Judy Klenk, recovering from surgery, Karyle and Irwin's Family at the passing of Delores Blank, the lonely, vulnerable, and homeless, Suffering in the world, as well as all who are affected by war.

Upcoming Food Drive next weekend



Our next food drive is scheduled for next weekend, February 10th and 11th. Let's come together and make a difference by contributing non-perishable food items (canned goods, pasta, rice, etc.). Your generosity can make a huge impact on

those in need. Every donation, big or small, brings us one step closer to supporting our community. Thank

Stewardship Bulletin Bit February 4, 2024 **5th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

"Rising very early before dawn, he left and went off to a deserted place, where he prayed...He told them, 'Let us go on to the nearby villages that I may preach there also. For this purpose have I come." - Mark 1:35, 38

In today's Gospel reading, we see a perfect example of stewardship. Jesus gives His time to do all that God wishes - healing the sick and preaching. But before He begins, Jesus takes time to be alone with God in prayer. It is through prayer and spending time with God that we are given the graces

Pope Francis' Monthly Prayer Intentions—February

"Let us pray that the sick who are in the final stages of life, and their families, receive the necessary medical and human care and accompaniment" - popevideo.org

Prayer Ministry

Igniting the Spirit of Reconciliation

Join us at the Neil Balkwill Centre (2420 Elphinstone Street) for the art show, 'Igniting the Spirit of Reconciliation.' Featuring 94 artworks representing each of the 94 Calls to Action from the Truth and Reconciliation Commission's final report, the pieces were created by students of Balcarres Community School and Vibank Regional School. Brought to Regina by the Truth and Reconciliation Committee of the Roman Catholic Archdiocese, the exhibit runs from February 3 – 29, 2024. Don't miss these special presentations:

Feb 8 (7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.): Official Opening with Michele Schwab and Holly Yuzicapi.

Feb 17 (10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.): Guest Speakers Cadmus Delorme, Donald Bolen, and Kaila Johnstone address specific Calls to Action.

Feb 21 (1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.): Regina Survivors Circle members sharing their Indian Residential School experiences.

Feb 26 (1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.): Presentation by Susan Beaudin on Sacred Treaty Relationships.

Registration is required due to limited space. Email <u>trcsask@gmail.com</u> to register. Snacks and refreshments provided.

Development and Peace Share Lent Workshops

Yorkton: Sunday, February 4th, following 11 am mass and light lunch, St Gerard's Parish, contact Mark Bell: jmbell@sasktel.net

Assiniboia: Saturday, February 24th at 1:00 pm, St George's Parish, contact Susan Robinson: susanmr@sasktel.net

Swift Current: Sunday, March 3 at Christ the Redeemer Parish following Mass, a light lunch will be provided. Contact:

Michele Vallee - kmvallee@sasktel.net

ONLINE CAMPAIGN LAUNCH—Saturday, February 17th, 12:30 pm – 2 pm: "SEE" what our partners are doing. Campaign launch registration: <u>https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/</u> <u>tZctc uvqTwrGNxYqg8eMY c vVA3MOuhAmP</u>

Archdiocese of Regina RENEW Lent

RENEW your Lent with weekly reflections, music, prayer resources, and other Lenten activities to enhance your Lenten journey, from Ash Wednesday to Holy Week. Sign up at <u>archregina.sk.ca/news</u> or email: <u>communications@archregina.sk.ca.</u>

Wascana Rehabilitation Centre Volunteer Needs

Needed: Transport assistance to get people to mass at Wascana on Sundays at 10:30. Consider giving a Sunday a month. Music Ministry is needed for the second Sunday. Call Joan at 306-530-6511.

Charismatic Prayer Gathering—Resurrection Parish Upcoming Dates:

January 21, February 25, April 21, May 26, June 23, 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. Come Alive! You are invited! Come and experience Christ's loving embrace through music, praise, worship, teaching, prayer, and fellowship! Mark your calendars now. Hope to see you there!

Our Lady of Peace SnowFlake Winter Warm-Up Dine-In

Roast Beef - Feb. 18th, Turkey - Feb. 25th served from 5:00 to 6:30 p.m., by Charlottes at Our Lady of Peace Church, 425 Broad St North, Regina. Tickets \$25.00 for adults, 7 – 12 \$15.00, 6 and under free. For Tickets: Call <u>Anita at 306-543-0421</u>. Or Call or Text <u>Dennis at 306-530-2370</u>. The e-transfer is available. Also, a Free Local talent performance. Tables are reserved for groups of 6 or more. Sponsored by Our Lady of Peace Finance Council to assist with Mortgage Payments.