LITTLE FLOWER PARISH Second Sunday in Ordinary Time January 16, 2022

Masking required to attend mass

Little Flower Weekend Masses Saturday 5:00 pm Sunday 10:00 am

Little Flower Weekday Masses Tuesday 4:00 p.m. Wednesday to Friday 8:00 a.m.

College Park I Retirement Residence Liturgy 1st & 3rd Thursday 10:00 am

College Park II Retirement Residence Liturgy 2nd & 4th Friday of the month 10:00 am

Little Flower Office Hours (For In-person services)

Monday to Thursday - 4:00 pm to 5:30 pm Friday - 1:00 pm to 6:00 pm Saturday - 8:00 am to 4:00 pm

Parish Staff Team

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Treaty Acknowledgement

Little Flower Parish is located on Treaty 4 Territory, the traditional lands of the Nêhiyawak (neh HEY o wuk), Nahkawé (NUK ah way), and Nakota, and homeland of the Dakota, Lakota, and Métis peoples

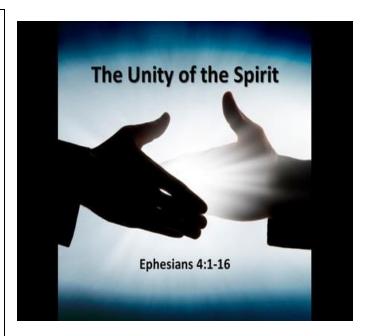
Little Flower Parish is wheelchair accessible through the Edgar Street entrance.

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

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME JANUARY 16, 2022

Theme: There is something unique about each of us. Each person here enshrines a particular facet of the richness of God. But this diversity can lead to differences. It is the Spirit of unity who guarantees that our different gifts are for the good of all. That same Spirit leads us to recognize that we need each other if we are to share the fullness of God's love.

This Week in the Parish	
Daily Mass intentions as listed below:	
Tues., January 18	+Florence Barrow
Wed., January 19	Intentions of Karen Aman
Thurs., January 20	Intentions of Frances & Doug Gibbons
Fri., January 21	+Repose of Ronnie Strassburger
Sat., January 22	Intentions of Ann Dormuth
Altar Server: Gabe Seiferling	
We ask you to please continue remembering our parish with your weekly donations. Your collection envelopes may be placed in the parish mail box outside the office door. Thank you for all the support!	



Hospital Chaplains Catholic chaplains visit patients and their families to address any spiritual needs, to pray, to provide a friendly face and comforting presence, to talk about people's fears and concerns, to bring Communion, and to contact a priest for Anointing of the Sick. If you or a family member wish to receive a visit from a chaplain, please call: <u>General Hospital 306-519-1405, Pasqua Hospital 306-519-1380, Wascana Rehabilitation Centre 306-530-6511.</u>

Offering of the Mass

Mass

Intentions

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).

Masses may also be offered for the intentions of the living or in thanksgiving. Masses may be requested through the parish office. If you'd like to offer a mass on a specific date, please make arrangements at least one month in advance.

2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time - January 16, 2022



"To each individual the manifestation of the Spirit is given for some benefit."

1 Corinthians 12:7

St. Paul tells us that God has blessed each of us for a reason. How has God blessed you? Are you using your gifts according to God's plan? How are you helping to build God's kingdom here on earth? Remember that if you don't do the work God planned for you, no one else can do it. Live the life God has intended for you. Take time to discern your charism (gifts from the Holy Spirit). Experience the supernatural Peace and Joy God desires for each of us.

Food Drive

Thank you for all the donations for our Food Drive last week. You are sharing your treasure with those around you. God Bless you, today and always!

Little Flower Social Justice Committee



Over the next three weekends (beginning January 16) we will be collecting men's underwear and socks for the Marian Centre. There is a particular need for these items, especially during the winter months. Warm winter socks, long underwear (medium &

large sizes) and underwear (briefs and boxers in medium &large sizes) are suggested items. The Food Drive cart will be available for your donation. Thank you for considering and donating to help someone stay warm this winter.

Archbishop's Annual Appeal to Date

Your gift to the Archbishop's Appeal helps others on their faith journey by funding the ministries and services that make these transformations possible.

As each of us reach out to help the next person we all experience God's love and abundant blessings.

Thank you for your trust in God's unbinding love and for your life-giving support. May God bless you all.



"I'm not relying on my own merits, as I have none, but I put my hope in Him who is goodness and holiness Himself."

St. Therese of Lisieu

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, our farmers, those who are affected by COVID-19 and

the health professionals working on the front line, those in nursing homes and those who care for them, especially: Agnes Fahlman, Fred Fry, Shelly Joubert, Lima Perras, Jose Estioco, Germain Beaurivage, Jack Gebert, Dean Hutchence, Judy Klenk, Don Morrell, Claudia Sali, Ron Strassburger, Louise Wingerter, Father Lorne Crozon & Fr. Peter Pham

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Felipe & Marilou Galera—January 23—28 years

Richest blessings to you. You are a particular witness of God's love and fidelity amongst us!

Vocation View

"Finally, brothers and sisters, rejoice! Strive for full restoration, encourage one Vocations another, be of one mind, live in peace. And the God of love and peace will be with you."

2 Corinthians 13:11



Thursdays from 10 am to 11:30 am Begins January 20, 2022

Join Dr. Scott Lewis, SJ each week for this online, noncredit course offered through Campion College.

Registration is required. Free for current students. \$25 for all others.

You can register online through the Campus Ministry page at **campioncollege.ca** or contact:

Kelly Bourke, Campus Ministry 306.550.5293 or Kelly.Bourke@uregina.ca



Please mark your calendars for:



The Estevan deanery is hosting a zoom presentation: The Legacy of Clergy Sexual Abuse: What Can We Do Now? How Can We Help? On Thursday, January 20th at 7pm. All are welcome to come and join Bishop Don and

the Archdiocesan Core Working Group on Clergy Sexual Abuse for an engaging conversation on the topic of clergy sexual abuse. To register or for more information please contact: <u>victimserviceadvocacy@gmail.com</u> The Zoom link will be sent out the day of the event.

TF279: Dr. Brett Salkeld and Dan Shervan: Somewhat of a Catholic - Part 1

Dr. Brett sits down with local writer and newest contributor to Archregina News, Dan Shervan, discussing his unique perspectives on faith, spirituality, and religion as part of his personal journey of faith.

"People will often talk about 'Catholic guilt' and how that's so bad, but to me it's not 'Catholic guilt', humans just have that, and I think it increases as you get older and you start to notice your failings more and more and more..." <u>https://thinkingfaith.libsyn.com/dr-brett-salkeld</u> <u>-and-dan-shervan-somewhat-of-a-catholic-part-1</u>

RPLA RESPECT FOR LIFE NOVENA JAN 21-29:



Please join RPLA in praying this 9-day novena for an end to the culture of death. Novena: Father and maker of all, you adorn all creation with splendor and beauty, and fashion human lives in your image and likeness. Awaken in every

heart reverence for the work of your hands and renew among your people a readiness to nurture and sustain your precious gift of life. Grant this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God forever and ever. Amen. Our Lady of Guadalupe, pray for us. Concluding Prayers: Our Father, 3 Hail Mary's, and a Glory Be.



8-Day Online Bible Study series "We saw the star in the East and we came to worship him" (Matthew 2:2)

of Churches. Register here: <u>https://us02web.zoom.us/</u> <u>meeting/register tZEkdeGhrzgtEt-</u> <u>d2wehNGffCCV1v3D_2PfZ6</u>

The 2022 theme for the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity, "We saw the star in the East, and we came to worship him" (Mt 2:2), was prepared by the Middle East Council of Churches, based in Beirut, Lebanon. The international theme and resources speak to our world's urgent need for solidarity and transformation in the face of political, economic, and social turmoil, including the challenges and injustices highlighted by the COVID-19 pandemic. As we join the Christians of the Middle East in the journey to Christ's manger, may we become a sign of the unity that God desires for all creation, and may we return to our home, our churches, and our world by new ways. Themes and Bible study leaders:

Day 1, Tues, Jan. 18th: Raise us up and draw us to your perfect light: "We observed his star in the East" (Mt 2:2) Rev. Mitchell Anderson, St. Paul's United, Saskatoon Day 2, Wed, Jan. 19th: Humble leadership breaks down

walls and builds up with love: "Where is the child who has been born king of the Jews?" (Mt 2:2) Rev. Karen Stepko, Christ Lutheran, ELCIC, Rhein, SK

Day 3, Thu, Jan. 20th: The presence of Christ, turning the world upside down: "When Herod heard this he was disturbed, and all Jerusalem with him" (Mt 2:3) Queens House Retreat and Renewal Centre – Sarah Donnelly and Simon Lasair, Saskatoon.

Day 4, Fri, Jan. 21st: Though small and suffering, we lack nothing: "And you, Bethlehem... are by no means least" (Mt 2:6) Rev. Paul Matheson – First Mennonite, Saskatoon

Day 5, Sat, Jan. 22nd: Guided by the one Lord: "Ahead of them went the star that they had seen at its rising" (Mt 2:9) Rev. Amanda Currie – First Presbyterian, Regina **Day 6, Sun, Jan. 23rd**: Gathered in worship around the One Lord: "They saw the child with Mary his mother, and

they knelt down and paid him homage" (Mt 2:11) Gertrude Rompré, St. Thomas More College, Saskatoon

Day 7, Mon, Jan. 24th: The gifts of communion: "Then, opening their treasure chests, they offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh" (Mt 2:11) The Ven. Cheryl Toth, Anglican Church of Canada, Archdeacon of St. Cuthbert, Diocese of Qu'Appelle, Regina

Day 8, Tues, Jan. 25th: Beyond the familiar routes of separation to God's new paths: "They left for their own country by another road" (Mt 2:12) Father Warren Dungen, St. Basil's Ukrainian Catholic Church, Regina. For further details, contact <u>Cathryn Wood at admin@pcecumenism.ca</u>