

# LITTLE FLOWER PARISH

**4TH SUNDAY OF LENT**  
**MARCH 30, 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: 9:30 am to 1:30 pm

Saturdays: 9 am to 1 pm

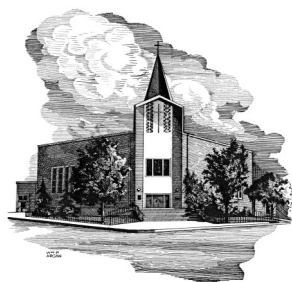
## Parish Staff

Parish Administrator: Rev. Jake Ibay

Office Administrator: Valerio Quirino &  
Lilian Marouelli

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:** Life in Christ is demanding. We face the continuing need to be reconciled to God and to each other. In today's Eucharist, God invites us to share a meal of reconciliation.



### Mass Intentions

Tuesday	4:00 pm	Thanksgiving Mass to Tara Singh
Wednesday	8:00 am	No Mass Intention
Thursday	8:00 am	No Mass Intention
Friday	8:00 am	No Mass Intention
Saturday	5:00 pm	Repose of Ron Strassburger

**Altar Server:** Barb Aman

**To request a Mass Intention, please contact the Parish Office. The 2025 agenda is open.**

### St. Thérèse



When St. Therese was fifteen, she asked the Pope for permission to enter the Carmelite order, even though she was too young. When she began her postulancy she took the name "Sr. Therese of the Child Jesus and the Holy Face." She dedicated her life to simple acts, for she believed that it was the small daily tasks that made one holy. This became known as St. Therese's "Little Way". It is the way we are called to do ordinary things with extraordinary love.

St. Thérèse said: "Love proves itself by deeds, so how am I to show my love?"

### 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.

### 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

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

**Stewardship Bulletin Bits**  
**March 30, 2025**  
**4th Sunday of Lent**

*"No longer was there manna for the Israelites, who that year ate of the yield of the land of Canaan."* - Joshua 5:12

Over the forty years that the Israelites journeyed through the desert, God provided them with manna to eat. As soon as they were able to enjoy the fruits of the Promised Land, the manna ceased. Likewise, God's blessings may change over the years, but it is important to trust that God will always provide us with all that we need.

**Donut Day & Sacrament Items Sale**



Join us next weekend, **Saturday, April 13th**, after Mass for our next **Donut Day!** Enjoy delicious donuts and wonderful fellowship with our parish community.

Additionally, we will have **sacramental items for sale** that weekend.

Don't miss this opportunity to browse and purchase meaningful religious items.

We look forward to seeing you there!

**Fish & Chips Take-Out – April 18th! Good Friday.**



Enjoy crispy beer-battered cod, fries, coleslaw, and tartar sauce for just **\$16!**  
Pre-order only!

**Call/text: 306-581-1305**

**Email: orderhelper2025@gmail.com**

Pick up at the Parish hall at your scheduled time.

**Order now—don't miss out!**

**Lenten & Easter Services Schedule**



- **Palm Sunday** – April 12th at 5:00 pm
  - April 13th at 10:00 am
- **Holy Thursday** – April 17th at 6:00 pm
  - After Mass, from 7:00 pm to 8:00 pm, we will have Adoration of the Cross.
- **Good Friday** – April 18th at 3:00 pm
- **Holy Saturday** – April 19th at 6:00 pm
- **Easter Sunday** – April 20th at 10:00 am

**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 and Hartley O'Connor. Pray especially for: Ann Dormuth, Jose Estioco, Agnes Fahlman, Dean Hutchence, Shelly Joubert, Don Morrell, Lima Perras, Anthony & Louise Wingerter, Claudia Sali, Theresa Sokalski, Judy Klenk and Pope Francis.

**International Dinner**



We are excited to share that the 2025 International Dinner raised just over **\$4,200!** This incredible achievement would not have been possible without the generous support of everyone who purchased tickets, participated in the 50/50 draw, bought prize alley tickets, and made other contributions. **Thank you to all!**

A special thank you to our amazing cooks, dedicated volunteers, and Jesse Lamont Stradeski for his unforgettable entertainment. Your hard work and commitment made this event a resounding success – we couldn't have done it without you!

We look forward to more wonderful gatherings in the future!

**Solidarity Sunday**

On Sunday, **April 6th**, we will observe **Solidarity Sunday**, a day designated by **Development and Peace** to encourage support for their ongoing work in third-world countries. Last year, your generosity helped fund **19 projects across 34 countries**, making a

significant difference in the lives of those in need. This year, we invite you to continue this life-changing support. Collection envelopes are available in the pews. Please consider making a donation to help empower communities, provide education, improve healthcare, and more.

Your donation goes directly to the hearts of those who need it most.

Thank you for your generosity and compassion!



**Food Drive Next Weekend**



Get ready for a week of giving! Our upcoming **Food Drive** will take place next weekend, **April 12th and 13th.**

Let's come together as a community to make a difference and support those in need. Your participation is deeply appreciated!



## Demanding fairer policies in Tunisia



Resource mismanagement and unfair international conditions trap Tunisia in debt. Development and Peace — Caritas Canada's partner, the Tunisian Economic Observatory (OTE), analyzes the country's debt policies, and informs Tunisians about economic issues, enabling them to demand fairer and more equitable

policies to promote sustainable development that benefits everyone. This Lent, discover the work of OTE by reading our **Mini-magazine** at [devp.org/lent/resources](http://devp.org/lent/resources).

### Good Friday Musica Sacra: A Passing Darkness

Join the University of Regina Chamber Singers and members of Musica Sacra Voices as they present a sacred evening of readings and reflective choral music led and directed by Dr. Melissa Morgan, Music Department Head, MAP Faculty at the University of Regina. This Good Friday program features the work "Requiem" by Regina composer, Robert Urban, and smaller works by Clausen, Labarr, and Hogan.

Date: **Friday, April 18, 2025 @ 7 :30 PM**

Location: Champion College Chapel at the University of Regina.

### First Friday Adoration

The First Friday/First Saturday vigil in honor of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary will be held **April 4 and 5, 2025, at St. Mary's Church in Regina**. Priests will be available for confession at 6:30 P.M. before Holy Mass as well as after Mass. Mass will occur at 7:00 P.M. followed by the all-night vigil ending with Mass at 8:00 A.M. on Saturday morning.

### Pope's March prayer intention: 'for families in crisis'

Pope Francis releases his prayer intention for the month of March 2025, and invites everyone to pray for "families in crisis," as he acknowledges that no family is perfect, but that when we forgive our family members, we can rediscover peace.

## Thinking Faith S02 E02: The Last Conquest Question: Modernism, Post-Modernism, and Evangelization

Deacon Eric and Dr. Brett Salkeld tackle the very last of their Conquest Boys Club questions, discussing the challenges of evangelizing in a world shaped by modernism and postmodernism. They share practical insights on prayer, authentic Christian living, and cultural engagement. Plus, a lighthearted debate: is it ever okay to "punch a modernist"? (Spoiler: Love wins.) Tune in for wisdom, humour, and real-world faith!

<https://thinkingfaith.libsyn.com/the-last-conquest-question-modernism-post-modernism-and-evangelization>

Find past episodes at <https://thinkingfaith.libsyn.com/> or wherever you listen to your podcasts.

### Walking Together



A program of Catholic Engaged Encounter designed to support **MARRIED COUPLES** in their vocation of marriage through accompaniment.

We invite couples of all stages from newly married to mature couples to come together to share the gifts, graces, and experiences of their vocation.

Drop-in sessions, no registration required. Saturdays at 7:30 pm at Holy Rosary in the O'Neill room (use the west ramp entrance). **April 12, May 10, June 14.**

For more information contact Miri or James Schiller at [wd1@ceecanada.ca](mailto:wd1@ceecanada.ca) or 306-535-7518.

### Sacramental Preparation: Missing Lesson Makeup



**Attention families of candidates who were absent from the March 16th practice:**

Children can make up the missed practice on **Sunday, April 6th**, from **5:00 to 6:00 pm** at Little Flower Parish.

We kindly ask families to note these important date and ensure the candidates attend the makeup practice. Thank you for your cooperation!