

LITTLE FLOWER PARISH

**TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME
SEPTEMBER 22 & 23, 2018**

Little Flower Sunday Masses

Saturdays, 5:00 p.m.

Sundays, 10:00 a.m.

Reconciliation prior to all Masses OR by appointment

Weekday Masses

Tuesday to Friday 8:00 a.m.

Friday Adoration 7:30—8:00 a.m.

College Park I Retirement Residence Liturgy

1st & 3rd Thursday 10:30 am

College Park II Retirement Residence Liturgy

2nd & 4th Friday of the month 10:30 am

Broadway Terrace Liturgy

1st & 3rd Friday of the month 9:30 am

Little Flower Office Hours

Monday to Friday

8:30 a.m.—12:00 noon

1:00—3:30 pm

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Let us love, since that is all our hearts were made for.

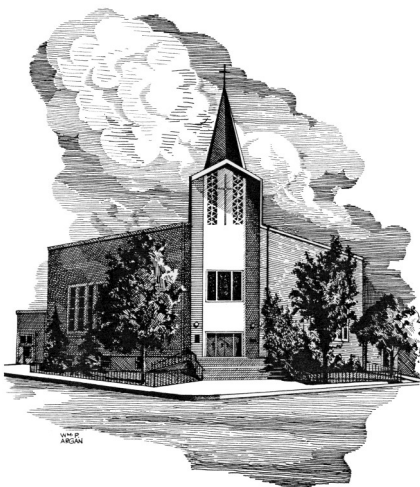
~ St. Thérèse of Lisieux

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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.

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Theme: “Whoever welcomes a child welcomes me,” says the Lord. But a child is burden as well as blessing, annoyance as much as delight. Jesus holds out his arms to embrace both sides of the child in each of us, and bids us to do likewise.

This Week in the Parish . . .

Daily Mass intentions as listed below:

Tues., Sept. 25	8:00 am	No Mass intention
Wed., Sept. 26	8:00 am	+Repose of Doreen Shaw
Thurs., Sept. 27	8:00 am	No Mass intention
Fri., Sept. 28	8:00 am	+Repose of Leo Goski
Sat., Sept. 29	5:00 pm	+Repose of Walter Wittal

Weekday Lector/Altar Server: Barb Aman

A complete list of daily Mass intentions (September) may be found on the bulletin boards and the parish website.

Events:

Thurs., Sept. 27 **7:00 pm** Parish Council meeting



How will you put your convictions into practice? Build your life on a strong foundation.



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 let your parish know before entering hospital.

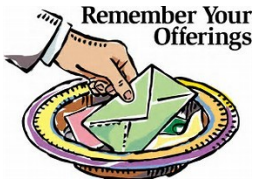
General Hospital 306-519-1405, Pasqua Hospital 306-519-1380, Wascana Rehabilitation Centre 306-530-6511.

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 an atonement so that 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 may be requested through the parish office.

If you wish to have the Mass offered on a specific date, please make arrangements at least one month in advance.

Financial Update



Envelopes/Donations—108
 Non-envelope collection
 Total collection

Collection	Target	Sept 16 Over (short)	Jan 1-Sept 16 Over (short)
		Sept 16 from target	Sept 16 from target
\$ 3,233			
\$ 333			
\$ 3,566	\$ 3,715	\$ (149)	\$ (30,928)

“If anyone wishes to be first, he shall be the last of all and the servant of all.” Mark 9:35



Jesus teaches us that we are called to serve one another. Sacrifice is not a word that many people like to hear. We think it means that we must give up something that we want. However, the literal meaning of sacrifice is “to make holy,” we make our lives holy by sharing our gifts in the service of God.

Pancake Breakfast

Sunday, September 30
 9 am—12 pm
 Adults \$7.50 Children (12 & under) \$5
 Hosted by Little Flower Men’s Club



Decorating for Thanksgiving

Anyone willing to donate garden produce and home preserves for our Thanksgiving display are invited to bring these items to the pamphlet room or parish office by noon Thursday, October 5. Items will be donated after the holiday. If you want the items returned please attach your name and phone number.



Wasn’t it smart of God to.....have the spider be the first website designer.

Prayer Ministry

Please pray for the needs of the sick of our parish, the homebound, those in nursing homes and those who care for them, especially: Florence Barrow, Germain Beaurivage, Adam Eberle, Tony Fahlman, Fr. Joe Firkola, Dean Hutchence, Mary Kish, Jean Leier, Fr. Don McNeil, Fr. Emmett Morrissey, Thomas & Theresa Periyilkatte, Claudia Sali, Margaret Schaeffer, Kathleen Wingerter and Louise Wingerter. Please also, keep in your prayers all who are grieving the death of a loved one.



In your prayers, please remember the repose of Kay Fahlman.

A Taste of the Philippines

Little Flower Fundraiser
 Saturday, October 20, 2018
 6:00 pm

Please join us for an evening of supper, entertainment, cash bar, silent auction, 50/50 draw and entertainment.

Tickets on sale after Masses beginning September 22/23:

Adults \$20
 Children \$8 (age 4-14)
 Age 3 & under FREE

Vocation View

If we want to be great we must serve others. Are you willing to serve others? You can make a difference with your life.
(Mark 9:30-37)

Preparing to Celebrate the Feast of St. Thérèse

Come explore the life and spirituality of St. Thérèse of Lisieux as we prepare for her feast day on October 1. Sessions will last 1½ - 2 hours following our Tuesday morning Mass. We will watch the following YouTube videos:

Tuesday, September 25—Carmelite Authors 101: St. Thérèse of Lisieux with Fr. Marc Foley



The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

Would you like to know more about the Catholic Faith? Are you interested in knowing how one becomes a member of the Catholic Church? Jesus invited His first followers to come ad see. Their first step was to say yes. They then listened and they were amazed. Do you have questions? Do you want to confirm your faith? The process of the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults invited you to do just that. To know more about RCIA please contact the parish office at 306-522-8583. The sessions will begin Thursday, October 4 at 7 pm.

The Archdiocese of Regina Lay Formation Program Share the Joy of the Gospel!

Forming Catholic leaders for service and evangelization "Learning about apologetics has been a highlight for me because it involves the defense of the faith. When it is done in a kind and gentle way, conversations with all sorts of people open up." - Dean Vey, Resurrection Parish, Regina.

One weekend a month from October to June, Catholics just like you are gathering at Campion College in Regina to receive the tools and the guidance they need to speak confidently about the church, their faith, and Jesus Christ in their homes, parishes and the world. Why not make their story your story? We are currently accepting applications for the Fall intake of this three-year program. For more information or to register, please contact our Program Coordinator, Eric Gurash at 306.352.1651, Ext 211 or email him at egurash@archregina.sk.ca



Thinking about Separation or Divorce?

Is your marriage or that of a relative or friend heading for divorce? Do you know how to save that marriage? Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vie) is designed to help troubled marriages regain their health and re-awaken the love, trust and commitment that originally brought them together. For confidential information about or to register for the weekend in Saskatoon October 12th-14th, 2018, call Ben & Joanne at (306) 652-7155 or email: retrouvaille@sasktel.net

Bereavement Sessions

If you have experienced the death of a loved one, bereavement sessions are being offered by a Diocesan grief support team. It is a journey of healing & transformation, offering support & encouragement. Tuesdays, October 9 to November 13, 1 to 3 pm at Holy Trinity Parish, 5020 Sherwood Drive, Regina. Limited spaces. To register, call the parish office 306-543-3838.

TF105: Christology 101

Part 4 Incarnation Answers Every Question

If you've ever been in a classroom with younger kids talking about church stuff you figure out pretty quick that their answer to every question is going to be Jesus. Brett and Eric head back to school on this one where the Incarnation suddenly seems to be the answer to everything this week on Thinking Faith!

<http://thinkingfaith.libsyn.com/tf105-christology-101-part-4-incarnation-answers-every-question>.



Join LIFE CHAIN on September 30 from 2—3 pm at the corner of Albert Street and College Avenue to quietly pray for the end of abortion. All materials for the event will be provided, as well as refreshments afterwards. Hosted by Regina Pro-Life



Sask Pro-Life newsletter is now available online: newsletter@saskprolife.com

Needs of the Church in Canada

"This Collection allows all the Catholic faithful to express their solidarity with their diocese/eparchy, and also provides opportunity to support the work of their regional Episcopal assembly as well as the national mission of our conference." [Bishop Lionel Gendron, Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (CCCCB)]. The collection for the Needs of the Church in Canada will take place September 29 & 30, 2018. This annual charitable initiative assists the Bishops in their ministry of leading, shepherding, teaching, guiding, sanctifying and caring for the Church in Canada.

St. Basil's Parish

Fall Supper

Sunday, September 30

4—6:30 pm

1717 Toronto Street

Adults (13 & over) \$16

Youth (6 to 12 years) \$6

Children (5 & under) Free

Tickets available at the door, day of the supper

Paroisse St. Jean Baptiste

Fall Supper

Sunday, September 30

4—6 pm

Before the Event:

Adults—\$15 Child 6—12—\$8

At the Door:

Adult—\$18 Child 6—12—\$9

2517—25th Avenue

Office hours 1—5 pm Wednesday to Saturday

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