

LITTLE FLOWER PARISH

SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
FEBRUARY 23 & 24, 2019

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

Parish Staff Team

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"Jesus will reward you a hundredfold for the sweet joys you have given up for Him."

~ St. Thérèse of Lisieux

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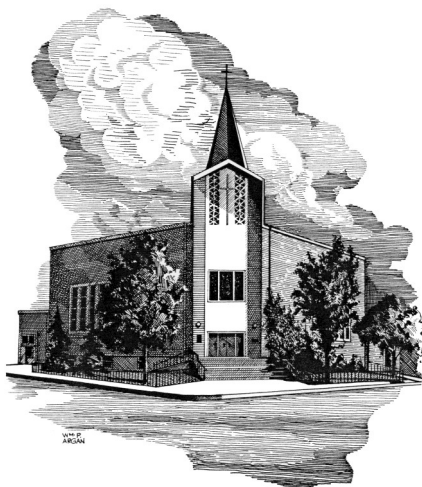
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Little Flower Parish is wheelchair accessible through the Edgar Street entrance.

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: A son has the nature of his father, and we are sons of the Most High; so we must have the loving, compassionate nature of God and be this way to everyone, not just to those people who are good to us.

This Week in the Parish . . .

Daily Mass intentions as listed below:

Tues., Feb. 26	8:00 am	Intentions of Diana Day
Wed., Feb. 27	8:00 am	Intentions of Walter Domshy
Thurs., Feb. 28	8:00 am	+Repose of John Rempel
Fri., Mar. 1	8:00 am	Intentions of Donna Costella
Sat., Mar. 2	5:00 pm	Intentions of Greg Pacholko

Weekday Lector/Altar Server: Gabe Seiferling

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

Events:

Sun., Feb. 24	4:00 pm	Restored Order Session #6
Thurs., Feb. 28	7:00 pm	Parish Council meeting

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

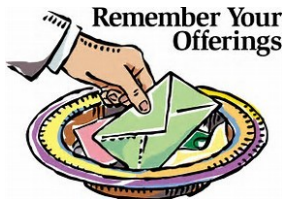
Also, please let your parish know if you are entering the hospital.

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—94
 Non-envelope collection
 Total collection

	Feb 17	Jan 1—Feb 17	Feb 17 Over	Jan 1—Feb 17 Over
	Collection Feb 17	Target Feb 17	(short) from target	(short) from target
Envelopes/Donations—94	\$ 3,318			
Non-envelope collection	\$ 294			
Total collection	\$ 3,612	\$ 3,274	(\$ 338)	(\$ 5,908)

“But rather, love your enemies and do good to them, and lend without expecting anything back.” (Luke 6:35)



Easier said than done, right? But, if we are to imitate Christ, most of us need to practice mercy and compassion more frequently. Start with the little daily annoyances that we experience, the unkind word or hateful glance we receive. Instead of plotting revenge on that person, try saying a quick prayer for that person. Mercy and compassion will put us on the path to holiness.

Old Palms



We now have bins available to collect your old palms. These will be burned for our Ash Wednesday ashes.

Retrouvaille Helps Hurting Marriages!

When couples experience difficulties in their marriage, they often feel alone; like there is no one who can help them. Retrouvaille cares about your marriage. Please consider registering for the Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vie) program **before you consider divorce**. For confidential information about or to register for the March 3—5, 2019 weekend in Saskatoon, call 306-652-7155 or email: retrouvaille@sasktel.net.

Vocation View

“Love your enemy and do good.” What would our world be like if we really did live this directive? You can make a difference!
(Luke 6:27-38)

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 Beurivage, Fr. Lorne Crozon, Adam Eberle, Tony Fahlman, Dean Hutchence, Mary Kish, Jean Leier, Fr. Don McNeil, Fr. Emmett Morrissey, Fr. Pat Murphy, 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.



Bravo Little Flower!

Since the beginning of 2019 the CWL of Little Flower has collected 491 pill bottles and 24 bras to go to people in Tanzania this year.

We also have accumulated 169 ties to help set a world record for *Most Ties* for a special needs boy in Moose Jaw.

Thank you for contributing and helping others. You are all a blessing and help to our CWL and the causes we support.

On another note, the CWL will be doing a rice offering from Saturday, March 9 to Sunday, March 24, 2019. We look forward to this annual event which supports Development & Peace.

Once again. Thanks so much!!!

*Faith is daring the soul to go
 where the eyes can't see.*

Office Manager Required for Little Flower Parish

The successful candidate will provide support in the areas of reception, general office administration, and basic accounting. Computer skills in Word, Excel and Publisher as well as above average communication and telephone skills are also required. The successful candidate will show initiative, be highly organized, and will be able to execute multiple tasks. Preference will be given to practicing Catholics. This full-time Monday to Friday position offers competitive remuneration. To apply submit your resume to Little Flower Parish Finance Committee by March 8, 2019.

The Miriam Family House

February Family Activities may be found on the bulletin boards.

World Day of Prayer 2019

Come—Everything is Ready!

Friday, March 1

2 pm

Living Spirit Centre

3018 Doan Drive, Regina

Funeral Pre-Planning Seminar

Little Flower Parish will be hosting a funeral pre-planning seminar, sponsored by Speers Funeral & Cremation Service on **Thursday, March 7** at 7 pm in the auditorium. This is open for anyone wishing information on pre-planning their funeral.

Sign-up sheets have been placed on the tables at the back of the church if you plan on attending. This will help us plan for the evening's refreshments. Thank you.



No Greater Love: A Biblical Walk through Christ's Passion

The Holy Cross Parish Spiritual Education committee is offering a brand new bible study to help us prepare for Easter. **NO GREATER LOVE: A BIBLICAL WALK THROUGH CHRIST'S PASSION**, narrated by Edward Sri, is a five-part study that will begin on Thursday, March 7, 2019, from 7 to 9 pm in the Gerein Center. The study guide is \$30.00. Please register before February 24, 2019 to patricia.schiessler@sasktel.net or phone 306-751-0202. Late registration will not be accepted due to the short length of the study.

Save the Date

The Ursuline Sisters announce the 100th anniversary of their Foundation at Prelate, SK.

A celebration of thanksgiving will take place on Saturday, June 1, 2019.

at the Cathedral of the Holy Family, 123 Nelson Road, Saskatoon.

12:45 p.m. - Historical Presentation

1:00 p.m. - Mass with Bishop Mark Hagemoen, Presiding Celebrant

Reception, program and open microphone

(Open invitation to follow)

REJOICE! ONE HUNDRED YEARS OF BLESSINGS!

TF127: Deacons Where Are They Now - Part 2

In just four years our Archdiocese has gone from 3 Permanent Deacons to a full dozen! The question is, what do you do with them all? From hammers and saws to work with our indigenous partners, we dig into what all our new Deacons have been up to these past few months this week on Thinking Faith!

<http://thinkingfaith.libsyn.com/tf127-deacons-where-are-they-now-part-2>

Join the "Call for Conscience"

We are asking the Saskatchewan legislature to create and support a bill which would deal with conscience rights for doctors, nurses and healthcare professionals who cannot participate in euthanasia/assisted suicide in good conscience. Please visit www.CanadiansforConscience.ca/saskatchewan to learn more, join the "Call for Conscience" and write directly to your Health Ministers, asking them to support to push for legislative protection for Saskatchewan healthcare professionals.

The Saskatchewan Call for Conscience 2019 Campaign is underway. Christians across the province are being asked to review and sign a letter to the Minister of Health addressing our need for legislation to protect healthcare professionals from having to participate in Medical Aid in Dying (MAID) - ending their patient's life. We hope to see 14,000 people participate in writing the Minister of Health by the end of February 2019.

Please take a moment to review and sign the pre-scripted letter to the Minister of Health at the back of the church on February 23 and February 24. Thank you for living a faith that acts! *Please return your signed letter March 2 & 3.*

Some people come in our life as blessings.
Some come in your life as lessons.

Mother Teresa

Coming Home Catholic

COME JOIN US! Holy Family Parish is hosting "Coming Home Catholic" with Hudson Byblow on Sunday, March 3, 2019 at 7 to 8:30 pm. Hudson will honestly share his life story-addressing red-hot topics of sexual attraction and gender identity. Recommended for young adults and adults. Childcare will be provided. Free will offering is greatly appreciated.

Common sense is not so common.

Voltaire