# LITTLE FLOWER PARISH

# SEVENTEENTH TO TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAYS IN ORDINARY TIME AUGUST 2017

#### **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, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday 8:00 a.m. Friday Adoration 7:30—8:00 a.m.

#### College Park I Retirement Residence Liturgy Every Thursday 10:30 a.m.

**College Park II Retirement Residence Liturgy** 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Friday of the month 10:30 a.m.

### **Little Flower Summer Office Hours**

Monday to Friday 8:30 a.m.—12:00 noon



#### Parish Staff Team

Administrator: Rev. Jose Periyilkatte Pastoral Assistant: Bonnie Thiele Hunt Office Manager: Donna Costella

Caretaker: Jose Antony



I long for no other treasure but love, for it alone can make us pleasing to God.

~ 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:** To face tragedy and disaster in life is pain enough. To see all events as working together unto good can be torture. God's love manifested in Jesus Christ shows that even death, graciously accepted, is really the acceptance of life. That vision then clarifies every choice and decision of our lives.

Saturday, July 29: 5:00 pm

Altar Servers: Rese Catarina, John Arevalo,

Community Leader: Irwin Blank

Lector 1: Willy Staples Lector 2: Tom Kraemer Sunday, July 30: 10:00 am

Altar Servers: Minwoo Yoo, Madelyn Probe, Zoe Stradeski

Community Leader: Wanda Lamberti

Lector 1: Gabe Seiferling Lector 2: Tara Singh

Weekday Lector/Altar Server: Gabe Seiferling



All things work together for good.

Rom 8:28

#### This Week in the Parish . . .

Daily Mass intentions as listed below:

Tues., Aug. 1

8:00 am

Intentions of Sr. Mel Hruska

Wed., Aug. 2

8:00 am

+Repose of Shirley Schmidt

Thurs., Aug 3

8:00 am

Intentions of Annie Dormuth

Fri., Aug. 4

8:00 am

Intentions of Edith Seiferling

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

Events:

August 12 & 13 Parish Food Drive—All contributions are wel-

come. Thank you for sharing your treasure with those around you. Hunger does not take a sum-

mer vacation.

Please be mindful that we do not accept package ing that has been opened, items that are partially

used or those beyond their expiry date.



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



#### **Financial Update**



	Collection	Target	July 2-23	Jan 1 - July 23
			Over (short)	Over (short)
	July 2-23		from target	from target
Envelopes/Donations - 191	\$ 10,564			
Non-envelope collection	\$ 1,040			
Total collection	\$ 11,604	\$ 14,462	\$ (2,858)	\$ (23,505)

"We know that all things work for good for those who love God, who are called according to his purpose." - Romans 8:28



Do you really trust God? Do you believe that all things work for good? Faith is a challenge for everyone at times. Putting our trust in God, in everything we do, means that God's plan for our lives

may be different than our plan. When one door closes, another one opens. Trust in God, His plan is always better.

#### Summer's Here!



The Parish Office will be closed Mondays— August 7 & 14. In case of an emergency, please leave a message on the answering machine. Summer office hours for August will be

Monday to Friday, 8:30 am to noon; closed afternoons.



Loving and merciful God, you have commissioned your angels to guide and protect us. Command them to be with us from our leaving until our return; keep us safe from all injury, accident or malice and sin.

Through Jesus Christ, our Lord, Amen.

We wish everyone a safe and happy holiday!



Many thanks are extended to Lucille Bouvier of The Plant Ranch for donating the bedding plants that have been planted around the Thank You! church and rectory.

Thank You Allan Chapiel, Sebastian Dreher and Mike Zimmerman for your help in painting the rectory deck! Many hands make light work.



#### Vocation View

God invites us to ask for what we need. Consider what Solomon requested—an understanding heart. What do you need as you seek to follow Jesus?

(1 Kings 3:5, 7-12)

## **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, Alfred Boehme, Tony & Kay Fahlman, Fr. Joe Firkola, Dean Hutchence, Mary Kish, Fr. Ken Koep, Maxine Lefebvre, Carolynn Thoughts Meginbir, Thomas & Theresa and Prayers Perivilkatte, Claudia Sali, Dianne Stromich, 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 Michael Kolody, Katharina Baer.



Ray & Joan Smith—July 30—52 years Sean & Toni Nisbet–July 31 –7 years John Oh & Sue Lee—August 23—14 years Alex & Rosemary Hajdu—August 3—54 years Mario & Tara Gaudet—August 6—12 years Jaime & Thonilyn Blasé—August 9—18 years John & Joan Mansuy—August 11—44 years David & Jessica Graham—August 11 Ronald & Eileen Strassburger—August 15—36 years Jason & Jackie Stich—August 16—9 years Ron & Brenda Perras—August 17—32 years Dennis & Thelma Charette—August 19 Bill & Maria Folk—August 23—31 years Mel & Sophie Hinds—August 24—58 years Ron & Lori Volk—August 24—54 years Raymond & Rose Fulawka—August 24—49 years Rosil & Sharon Dodman—August 24—26 years Jeff & Peggy Sydorko—September 1—16 years

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



This bulletin is for the month of August. Please retain for future reference

#### **Our Lady of Peace Grand Opening**

Our Lady of Peace Parish, 425 Broad Street North, Regina invites you to the Grand Opening of our new worship space and hall. Sunday, August 27, 2017 Mass at 10:30 am with Archbishop Don Bolen presiding. Blessing of the building and Installation of Father James Owolagba. Old fashioned church picnic – noon to 3 pm. Visiting, food, games, memorabilia, family activities.

#### **Ministry of Care Training**

Are you called to visit the sick, elderly or homebound? "Ministry of Care Training" (sponsored by the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Regina) is open to all faith communities. This one-day program is an introduction to those who would like to know more about being a Spiritual Care Visitor within a health care facility but also valuable for parish/church home and nursing home ministry. The workshop will occur Saturday, September 9, 2017 – please contact Karen Ziegler at 306-766-5991 or Susan Askin at 639-625-7092 for further information or for a registration form.

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

One weekend a month from October to June, Catholics just like you are gathering at Campion College in Regina as they become more deeply aware of God's personal love and activity in their lives. 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 306-325-1651 ext 211 or email him at egurash@archregina.sk.ca

#### **Summer Vacation**

When you go on vacation don't forget to mail or deliver your church envelope to your <u>own</u> church. Regular expenses continue through the summer months and we rely on your donations. Thank you.

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Are you going on vacation? If you will be staying in hotels or motels, please consider saving the little soaps and bottles of shampoo, conditioner and lotions to donate to Visitation House and Marian Centre. We have a tub at the back of the

church to collect these items.

#### **Summer Pilgrimages**

If you are interested in taking a pilgrimage this summer, the Archdiocesan website has all the up to date information, location and dates: <a href="https://archregina.sk.ca/our-archdiocese/annual-pilgrimage-sites">https://archregina.sk.ca/our-archdiocese/annual-pilgrimage-sites</a>

- Our Lady of Lourdes Shrine, Kronau, August 12 & 13. Saturday 5:30 pm BBQ followed by homecoming Mass. Sunday 1pm rosary in the grotto, reconciliation and 2 pm pilgrimage Mass. A medal will follow Mass. You may purchase or bring your own and visit under the tent.
- Our Lady of Lourdes, Rama: August 14 & 15. Rama is 45 km NW of Canora, next to St. Anthony's Church on Highway #5. Monday begins with supper at 5 pm by calling 306-593-6120 before August 1. Tuesday, Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, begins at 8:30 am.
- Plan to attend the August Pilgrimage at Our Lady of Lourdes Shrine, St. Laurent (NE of duck Lake, SK), held on the Assumption of Mary into Heaven, Tuesday, August 15. The evening begins at 6 pm with Marian Prayer & rosary, a talk by guest speaker Fr. Mark Blom at 6:30, Celebration of Eucharist at 7:30 pm.
- Our Lady of Lourdes Shrine, Kaposvar, Sunday, August 20. The Shrine is 5 km S of Esterhazy.

A person without a sense of humour is like a wagon without springs—jolted by every pebble in the road.

- Henry Ward Beecher

#### **School Division Opening Mass**

The Regina Catholic School Division would like to invite all former employees to the Division's Opening Mass on Thursday, August 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017 at 8:30 a.m. at Resurrection Parish (3155 Windsor Park Road). Special reserved seating for all former employees will be provided. Please join all current employees of Regina Catholic Schools in this wonderful celebration!

#### **Summer Masses at the Lake**

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Masses will be held in Silton on Saturdays at 7 p.m. from June 3 to September 2 at the Silton United Church. Turn right off Main Street at the community hall. For more information contact Margaret Molloy at 306-352-2908.

Mass is held every weekend at St. Rita's Catholic Church in Strasbourg. For times please call Jan Leibel at 306-537 -8648.