

LITTLE FLOWER PARISH

**32ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
NOVEMBER 10TH, 2024**

Little Flower Weekend Masses

Saturday 5 p.m.

Sunday 10 a.m.

Reconciliation prior to mass OR by appointment

Weekday Masses

Tuesday 4 p.m.

Wednesday to Friday 8 a.m.

College Park I Retirement Residence Liturgy

1st & 3rd Thursday of the month 10 a.m.

College Park II Retirement Residence Liturgy

2nd & 4th Friday of the month 10 a.m.

Office Hours (for in-person service)

Monday to Friday: 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Saturdays: 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Parish Staff

Parish Administrator: Rev. Jake Ibay

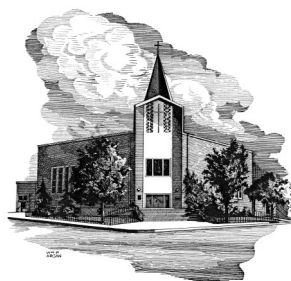
Office Administrator: Valerio Quirino &

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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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.



Little Flower is wheelchair accessible through the Edgar Street entrance.

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Theme: Jesus did not command us to be materially poor. He taught us to use creation unselfishly and in simplicity. If we are able to perceive the divine reflection in all material things, we will cherish them and treat them with reverence. Poverty itself is no virtue; treating material creation with an unselfish openness, using it divinely, is the height of Christian virtue.



Mass intentions for this week are:

- Tue. 12 **Repose of Shirley Boys**
Repose of Singh's family and relatives
- Wed. 13 **Repose of Clair Wingerter**
- Thu. 14 **Repose of Majok Majok**
- Fri. 15 **Repose of Helen & Ceci**
- Sat. 16 **Repose of Brenda Dyck**

Altar Server of the week: Jean Zdunich

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.



**St. Thérèse of Lisieux often wondered about prayer:
How great is the power of prayer?**



She wrote:

"To be heard it is not necessary to read from a book, some beautiful formula composed for the occasion. There are so many of them it really gives me a headache and each prayer is more beautiful than the others. For me, prayer is an aspiration of the heart. It is a simple glance directed to heaven, a cry of gratitude and love in the midst of trial as well as joy."

St. Thérèse said: "What do I say to Jesus? I don't say anything. I love Him."

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 Bit
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"I say to you, this poor widow put in more than all the other contributors to the treasury. For they all contributed out of their abundance; but she out of her poverty has put in everything she had, her whole living." (Mark 12:43-44) .

Jesus gets right to the point – we are all called to give money to support the mission of the Church, regardless of our circumstances. No gift is too small or insignificant! Giving money to support the mission of our local parish is a matter of our faith, just like praying and participating in parish ministries. When you make a financial offering, is it from your "first fruits" or from what is "left over"?

Join the Catholic Women's League



Are you looking to challenge your faith and connect with like-minded women? We invite you to join the Catholic Women's League (CWL)! Whether you want to volunteer for our events, attend meetings, or simply gather more information, we welcome you!

For more details, please contact Judy at 306-789-6980 or email her at jklenk@myaccess.ca .

We look forward to seeing you!

The Chosen



Little Flower Parish invites you to join us for a special viewing of *The Chosen* Series, based on the true stories of the Gospel of Jesus Christ. We will be watching the season on **Tuesday nights at 6:30pm** throughout the month of **November on the 5th, 12th, 19th and 26th**.

The sessions will be held at **Little Flower Parish** located at **430 College Ave**. It's a wonderful opportunity to come together in fellowship and experience the life of Christ as portrayed in this powerful series.

For more details or if you have any questions, please contact:

Cindy Walker at 306 510-1610 or Norine Schmalz 306 737-2140.

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: Ann Dormuth, Jose Estioco, Agnes Fahlman, Dean Hutchence, Shelly Joubert, Don Morrell, Lima Perras, Anthony & Louise Wingerter, Claudia Sali, Theresa Sokalski, Judy Klenk recovering from surgery.

Pray especially for: Gabriel Blank for the successful completion of his pediatric doctor exam.

Little Flower Parish Raffle

Join us for our Raffle Fundraiser and support our parish!

Prizes:



- **First Prize:** \$1,000 Cash
- **Second Prize:** King Size Quilt (\$800 value)
- **Third Prize:** Double Size Quilt (\$400 value)

Quilts donated by Barb Aman, a talented quilter from our parish.

Tickets available before and after Mass. All proceeds support our parish.

For more information, please contact: Edith Seifering: [\(306\) 757-1230](tel:3067571230) or Kathy Szarkowicz: [\(306\) 352-0836](tel:3063520836).

Parish Food Drive



We are excited to announce our Food Drive, taking place this weekend, **November 9th and 10th**! We invite you to bring non-perishable food items to help those in need in our community.

Additionally, we welcome monetary donations, which will be used to purchase perishable items. Your generosity makes a difference!

Thank you for your support!

Donut Day



We're excited to announce that Donut Day is happening this Sunday, November 10th, right after Mass. We'll be serving delicious donuts and coffee downstairs.

Don't miss out!

RISE UP: EVENT BY CCO

Rise Up is an event put on by CCO (Catholic Christian Outreach) every year over the Christmas holidays. This year's event for young adults (ages 18 & up) will take place **Dec. 29-Jan. 1st** in Calgary, Alberta. It will include opportunities for workshops, faith sharing, prayer and a unique New Year's gala experience. The Office of Youth and Young Adult Ministry of the Archdiocese of Regina is happy to provide a bus for those wishing to attend. (The bus will be free, but you will need to pay for your own registration) If joining the bus is of interest to you, please let us know NO LATER than **November 30**. bit.ly/oyyamtrip.

World Youth Day 2024

Do you know that WYD is celebrated EVERY year all around the world on the feast of Christ the King? The theme for this year's WYD is "Those that hope in the Lord, will run and not grow weary." The Office of Youth & Young Adult Ministry invites all young adults ages 18 and up to join us **Sunday Nov. 24th** for an afternoon of Laser Tag, a guest speaker, discussion and community prayer. The cost is \$20. Please register at bit.ly/archoy-yam

Join "Companions in Hope: A Prayerful Space for Healing and Support

An Online Mental Health Prayer Group Emmaus Mental Health Ministries warmly invites you to Companions in Hope, an online prayer group for those living with mental health challenges and the allies who accompany them. This is a sacred space of safety, acceptance, and healing, where we come together in prayer and reflection, offering support to one another on our journey toward hope. Through the practice of Lectio Divina and other traditional contemplative prayers, we will reflect on God's healing presence and our need for grace, fostering peace, consolation, and connection. Whether you're seeking comfort in your mental health challenges, or encouragement as you accompany and support loved ones, you will find a quiet, peaceful community of prayer and support. We meet on Zoom every **second Thursday of the month**. To Register: Please contact emmausmentalhealth@gmail.com to receive the Zoom link and join us in this journey of healing and hope.

Archbishop's Appeal Bulletin Reflection

Gospel: Mark 12:38-44

Jesus honors the poor widow who offers two small coins—all she has—to the temple treasury. Her generosity teaches us that the value of a gift lies not in its monetary worth but in the love and sacrifice it represents. In supporting the Archbishop's Appeal, even modest contributions become powerful when given from the heart. Our collective offerings, big or small, unite to make a significant impact. Like the widow, let us give not from surplus but from faith, trusting that God will multiply our gifts for His greater glory.

Prayer of Intercession

That we would grow in our understanding of what it means to be Many People united in the heart of Christ. That we would live out the call to unity, and open our hearts to the beauty of Christian generosity through this year's Archbishop's Appeal.

Vatican II and Synodality with Dr. Catherine Clifford

Dr. Catherine Clifford is a Canadian laywoman appointed as a delegate to the XVI Assembly of the Synod of Bishops. She is a professor of theology and director of the Centre for Vatican II and 21st Century Catholicism at the Université Saint Paul in Ottawa. A specialist in ecumenism and ecclesiology (the theology of church), Dr. Clifford has over two decades of experience as a member of Anglican-Roman Catholic and other ecumenical dialogues. Dr. Clifford will be visiting Regina soon after returning from the Synod. She will be speaking on how a renewed attention to the ancient practice of synodality is giving a renewed attention to the teaching of the Second Vatican Council. Wednesday, **November 27 at 7:00 pm** at Campion College. All are welcome! For further information, contact Nick Jesson, Archdiocesan Synod Coordinator, njesson@archregina.sk.ca

Pope Francis' Monthly Intentions - November

For Parents Who Have Lost a Child

"Let us pray that all parents mourning the death of a child find support in the community and receive heart's peace from the consoling Spirit." popevideo.org