

# LITTLE FLOWER PARISH

**4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER  
MAY 11, 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

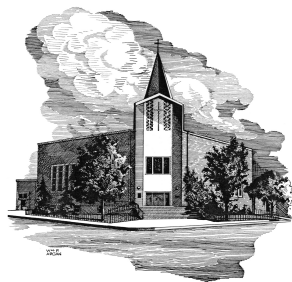
Office Administrator: Valerio Quirino &

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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## MAY 11, 2025

**Theme:** Jesus is our good shepherd who leads us into the joy of eternal life. Since we are established in God's steadfast love through Jesus, we have nothing to fear. Our Shepherd is always with us. He calls us to the fullness of life, in this passing age and for eternity.



### Mass Intentions

Tuesday	4:00 pm	Int. of Marnie Schmidt + Peter, Ron & Ronnie Strassburger
Wednesday	8:00 am	Int. of Anthony & Louise Wingerter
Thursday	8:00 am	No Mass Intention
Friday	8:00 am	No Mass Intention
Saturday	5:00 pm	Int. of Annie Dormuth

**Altar Server: Jean Zdunich**

**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

If you are admitted through the emergency room, you may not be asked about spiritual care, so please call the number above or notify your parish.

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

**Stewardship Bulletin Bits**  
**May 11, 2025**  
**4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter**

*"The disciples were filled with joy and the Holy Spirit." (Acts 13:52)*

The disciples heard Our Lord's call and were able to spread the Gospel message with strength and vitality. We, too, can experience that same joy if we make room for the Holy Spirit to fill our hearts. When we use our gifts in the way that God intends, He fills us with supernatural joy. A joy that others notice and are attracted to!

**Mother's Day Prayer to Mary, Our Mother**



Mary, Mother of God and our Mother, pray for all mothers, so that they will be able to fulfill their maternal responsibilities. Help them to be lovers and nurturers of all human life from the moment of conception until natural death, all the while being examples for their own children. Pray for their children, so that they, too, will be faithful followers of your Son.

We pray for our mothers, who have given us life and love, that we may show them reverence and love. We pray for mothers, who have lost a child through death, that their faith may give them hope and their family and friend, support and console them. We pray for mothers who have died, that God may bring them into the joy of His kingdom. We offer these prayers through Christ, our Lord and your Son, in union with the Holy Spirit, one God forever and ever. Amen.

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Wishing all Mothers a Blessed and Happy Mothers' Day. May Mary, the Mother of our Lord Jesus Christ and our Mother, be a comfort to us all.  
With love and blessings,  
Little Flower Parish Team

**St. Pedro Calungsod Celebration**



A big thank you to the Filipino community for your generous contributions to the **Feast of Saint Pedro Calungsod** celebration on Sunday, May 4th.

The turnout was fantastic, and the food was absolutely delicious. It was a truly wonderful way to honour the occasion together as a community!

**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, Hartley O'Connor, Edmondo

Burchi and Pope Francis.

Pray especially for: Annie Dormuth, Jose Estioco, Agnes Fahlman, Dean Hutchence, Shelly Joubert, Don Morrell, Lima Perras, Anthony & Louise Wingerter, Claudia Sali, Judy Klenk, and Gabriel Blank, recently married. May God bless the new couple with love and joy.

**Mother's Day Breakfast**



Join us for a special **Mother's Day Breakfast this Sunday, May 11th, from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM** at the hall.

Enjoy pancakes, eggs, sausages, ham, strawberries with whipped cream, coffee, tea, and juice.

**Pricing:**

- Adults: \$12
- Children (5-12): \$5
- Children 4 and under: FREE

**Tickets available at the door.**

Cash or electronic transfer accepted.

It's a great way to celebrate together with good food and great company!

**Heartfelt Thanks for Supporting  
Our Clothing Drive**



Thank you to everyone who donated to our Clothing Drive last month. The response was overwhelming and deeply appreciated by the recipients.

You can be confident that your generosity is helping make life a little better for those in need.

**Confirmation & First Holy Communion Ceremony**



The **Confirmation and First Holy Communion ceremony** will be held on **Friday, May 16th at 7:00 PM** at **Little Flower Parish**.

All parishioners are invited to join us in prayer and support as our young members take this important step in their faith journey.

## CCCB Welcomes Pope Leo XIV with Rejoicing and Prayers



**8 May 2025, Ottawa** – Today, the Church in Canada and throughout the world rejoices, as His **Emi-nence Robert Francis Cardinal Prevost, O.S.A.**, after being duly elected by the College of Cardinals, has accepted to become the 267th Bishop of Rome, successor of Saint Peter, and vicar of Christ on earth!

Taking the name **Leo XIV**, the Roman Pontiff, as the successor of Saint Peter, is the “perpetual and visible source and foundation of the unity both of

the Bishops and the whole company of the faithful” (Lumen Gentium, no. 23). As our loving shepherd and spiritual guide, Pope Leo XIV’s ministry is to orient Christ’s flock toward the kingdom of heaven, where the citizenship of Christians truly lies (cf. Philippians 3:20-21).

Pope Leo XIV was born in Chicago, Illinois, on 14 September 1955. As a member of the Order of Saint Augustine (O.S.A.), in which he held various leadership positions, he dedicated many years of service to the Augustinian missions in Peru as a priest and seminary professor. He was eventually appointed Bishop of Chiclayo, Peru, by Pope Francis. As a Bishop of the Church in Peru, he served as Vice President and member of the Permanent Council of the Peruvian Bishops’ Conference. In 2023, Pope Francis appointed him as Prefect of the Dicastery of Bishops and elevated him to the College of Cardinals. Pope Leo XIV holds a doctorate in canon law from the Pontifical College of St. Thomas Aquinas in Rome.

Commenting on this historic moment, the President of the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops, the Most Rev. William T. McGrattan, Bishop of Calgary, asks the faithful to embrace the new Pope: “I encourage the faithful in Canada to unite with their local Ordinary in welcoming Pope Leo XIV as our new Holy Father, and to remember him daily in their prayers so that he may embark on his Petrine ministry with fidelity, confident that the Lord will help him.”

As the Church in Canada rejoices today with Christians throughout the world, let us remember our new Holy Father in prayer, that despite the considerable weight of his role and responsibilities, his yoke may be easy and his burden light (cf. Matthew 11:28-20).

May God grant strength and wisdom to our Holy Father Pope Leo XIV, and may Mary, Mother of the Church, be ever at his side, guarding him with her mantle of protection.

To pray for Pope Leo XIV, you are invited to use the prayers for the inauguration of the Petrine Ministry now available on the CCCB website.

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