

LITTLE FLOWER PARISH

**THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER
MAY 1, 2022**

Little Flower Weekend Masses

Saturday 5:00 pm

Sunday 10:00 am

Little Flower Weekday Masses

Tuesday 4:00 pm

Wednesday to Friday 8:00 am

College Park I Retirement Residence Liturgy

1st & 3rd Thursday 10:00 am

College Park II Retirement Residence Liturgy

2nd & 4th Friday of the month 10:00 am

Little Flower Office Hours (For In-person services)

Monday to Thursday 4:00 pm to 5:30 pm

Friday 1:00 pm to 6:00 pm

Saturday 8:00 am to 4:00 pm

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Treaty Acknowledgement



Little Flower Parish is located on Treaty 4 Territory, the traditional lands of the Nêhiyawak (neh HEY o wuk), Nahkawé (NUK ah way), and Nakota, and homeland of the Dakota, Lakota, and Métis peoples



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: Signs of the risen Christ invite the world to believe. We who believe are the signs of the risen Christ. Healings abound. People come to life again. Life is not drab but colourful. Signs flash life's treasures to all. Some understand the signs; some do not. Our task is to be for others a sign of Christ, present and caring.

This Week in the Parish . . .

Daily Mass intentions as listed below:

Tues., May 3	No Mass Intentions
Wed., May 4	Mass In memory of Alice Goebel
Thurs., May 5	No Mass Intentions
Fri., May 6	No Mass Intentions
Sat., May 7	Intentions of Annie Dormuth

Altar Server: Gabe Seiferling

Events:

Restored Order Retreat - Sunday, May 8 at 2:00 pm

We ask you to please continue remembering our parish with your weekly donations. Your collection envelopes may be placed in the parish mail box outside the office door. Thank you for all the support!



Mass Request



We have a good number of open dates to accept your requests to have Masses offered for the intentions or repose of family and friends. This is a wonderful way to remember birthdays or anniversaries as well. Call or email the parish office to book.

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). Masses may also be offered for the intentions of the living or in thanksgiving. Masses may be requested through the parish office. If you'd like to offer a mass on a specific date, please make arrangements at least one month in advance.

Stewardship Bulletin Bit May 1, 2022

3rd Sunday of Easter



"...Peter was distressed that Jesus had said to him a third time, 'Do you love me?' and he said to him, 'Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you.' Jesus said to him, 'Feed my sheep.'"

John 21:17

How often do you actually say the words "I love you" to Jesus, to family members, or to friends? We are made to be in relationship with God and each other. Sincerely telling someone that you love them is the best gift you can give them because it comes from your heart. You are giving them the gift of yourself. We all crave love. Tell someone you love them every day.

Third Sunday Of Easter



For the third time since his resurrection, Jesus appeared to the disciples. It seems that the disciples had returned to their former lives—those they had lived before they left to follow Jesus—because they were fishing in the Sea of Galilee. Jesus stood on the shore and called out to the men in the boat asking if they had caught anything. The disciples replied that they had caught nothing. Jesus then instructed them to cast their net on the right side of the boat. When they did, they had a huge catch of 153 fish. They knew from this sign that it was Jesus on the shore. When they came ashore, Jesus cooked their breakfast of fish. When they finished eating, Jesus asked Peter three times if Peter loved him. This was a great example of reconciliation because the opportunities for Peter to affirm his love of Jesus matched the same number of times he denied knowing him. It was then that Jesus commissioned Peter to care for the sheep in Jesus' flock.

Reflection for Families

As parents know a great deal about caring for sheep in the flock. We work long, hard, and diligently to make sure that our children receive the physical, emotional, and spiritual care they require. We are challenged by this Gospel reading to move outside our immediate "flock" and care for all of God's children. Our own children will learn the essence of this Gospel when they see us reconcile with others and go outside our small worlds to help others.

Bringing the Gospel into Your Family

Jesus invites us to follow him in the ordinary ways of our lives. An example of following Jesus can be seen in the reconciliation that transpired between Jesus and Peter. Out of paper, cut out some fish. On each paper fish invite every family member to put the name of someone they might need to reconcile with during this Easter season. You might even help one another decide on what action you will take.

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, our farmers, those who are affected by COVID-19 and the health professionals working on the front line, those in nursing homes and those who care for them, especially: Agnes Fahlman, Fred Fry, Shelly Joubert, Lima Perras, Jose Estioco, Germain Beaurivage, Jack Gebert, Dean Hutchence, Judy Klenk, Don Morrell, Claudia Sali, Ron Strassburger, Louise Wingerter, Father Lorne Crozon, Fr. Peter Pham



Juliano & Generose Cabanda—May 1—21 years

Art & Audrey Hector—May 3—64 years

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

Vocation View



A person can have many different callings in life. For instance a person can have a calling to marriage, to fatherhood, and to a certain occupation. In the Catholic worldview everything we do should be ordered toward discerning and responding to the will of God, the ultimate good in an imperfect world.

Parish Office Hours



Effective April 25, temporary office hours for in-person services are 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Monday through Friday

We respond to emails and phone calls from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Women's Evening of Reflection



Join in a special evening of reflection and prayer with Fr. Kenneth LeBlanc, LC, followed by social time to see old friends and make new ones. Monday, May 16 at 7 p.m., Little Flower parish (enter via Edgar Street doors). Nursing babies welcome. Hosted by the women of Regnum Christi.

Did You Know?



itwewin Corner (itwewin is the Cree word which means 'the word' or 'as it is said...') Fr. John Weckend, Archdiocese of Regina Truth and Reconciliation Healing Committee

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Cross Canada Marian Tour



Canada was Consecrated to the Immaculate Heart of Mary in Ottawa in 1947. This year, we celebrate the 75th Anniversary of this event. The Marian Statue that was used at the time was from Canada’s National Marian Shrine located at Cap de la Madeleine near Trois Rivières, Quebec. The original statue is known as Our Lady of the Cape. As a result, the Marian Devotional Movement is spearheading pilgrim statue tours of Our Lady of the Cape to provide opportunities for Canadians to venerate Canada’s National Madonna, to promote consecration to the Immaculate Heart of Mary and to promote enrollment in the Confraternity of the Most Holy Rosary. The statue will be in the Archdiocese of Regina from May 12-14. Mark your calendars and watch for full details as to times and places next week. Information about the Cross Canada Tour visitationproject.org/collections/75th-anniversary-1947-marian-congress

Medieval Madness; A Leadership Camp



The Office of Youth and Young Adult Ministry will host a leadership camp this summer for teens. Join us for a medieval themed week of fun, faith, growth & community. Complete with Beach time, Sports, Archery, Music, Games, Talks, Nature, Campfires, Great Food and Important Conversations. Camps will be held at Glen Harbour Kids Camp which is located on the East side of Last Mountain Lake; about 40 minutes from Regina. Cost \$185 (Contact us, if cost is a barrier) To register, go to tiny.one/ArchCamp For more information contact us at oyyam@archregina.sk.ca

Dates are as follows:

July 18 @ 2:00 - July 21 @ 1:00 for those ENTERING Gr. 10 - 1st yr. University in Fall

July 25 @ 2:00 - July 27 @1:00 for those ENTERING Gr. 7- 9 in Fall

Our Lady of Peace Garage Sale



May 25- May 28. Donations accepted.

Call: Marg O' Byrne for info: 306-949-8995.

TF294: Brett Fawcett on Jacques Maritain and Human Rights - Part 2



Returning guest, Brett Fawcett discusses the development of Just War Theory and universal human rights as developed through the middle ages into modernity through the work of Jacques Maritain. "So Maritain, he's writing this during World War Two, he's very influential, and he writes this book on the Rights of Man and natural law and says 'once this war is over we've got to really establish these rights for everyone to know about and his appendix is like a bill of international human rights...' thinkingfaith.libsyn.com/brett-fawcett-on-jacques-maritain-and-human-rights-part-2

Walking Together: Session for giving input into the Synod of Bishops



The Synodality experience is taking place at the local levels throughout the Church and our Archdiocese. We are engaging in conversations around things like discernment, accessibility, cultural awareness, inclusion, partnership, respect, transparency and fairness but most especially how we as a Church can move forward together guided by the Spirit. While these discussions are happening with pastors and parishes at many levels, one area that was identified as a special focus is “especially those on the periphery who are often excluded and forgotten”. To encourage some who may have felt left out in the Church in some way, we have scheduled specific sessions to give input for the Synodality effort in the Catholic Church. These are some times and locations:

- Session for divorced and/or divorced and remarried Catholics, on Thursday, May 5th, 7:00 pm, at Blessed Sacrament Parish, 2049 Scarth St, Regina
- Session with LGBTQ2SP+ Catholics and family and friends who are supportive, on Saturday, May 7th, 1:00 PM, at Blessed Sacrament Parish, 2049 Scarth St, Regina.

Variety Night 2022



Variety Night is back! This year’s show is entitled “FAME” and will feature tributes to famous singers, dancers and performers. Please consider supporting the Office of Youth and Young Adult Ministry by joining us for the first Variety Night Performance in 3 years! And it will have been worth the wait! So please consider joining us for an absolutely delightful night of music, drama, dance and comedy. The show runs from June 3-6 and is being hosted this year at Christ the King Parish Hall. Tickets are only \$12 this year. They can be purchased at the Christ the King Parish Office or online at the following link: Tinyurl.com/varietynight2022

We are having our annual meeting this May 13th-14th, for the dioceses of Regina, Keewatin-Le Pas, Saskatoon & Prince Albert. Everyone is welcome!



You are invited to come celebrate the past year with us! During our yearly meeting, Saskatchewan and Keewatin-Le Pas will come together to:

- Discuss the changing landscape of our movement
- Celebrate our accomplishments in this busy year
- Experience a discussion bringing together all four of our dioceses — this is the 3rd and final stage of our Orientation Assembly preparations (our 5-year plan consultation)!

Our Keynote speaker is still being confirmed but we WILL have a dynamic, charismatic speaker to kickstart our proceedings... STAY TUNED! (This event will be held on Zoom. However, we are pulling together plans for members to meet locally if they wish. Stay tuned for more info!)

2022 CHAMPION ALUMNI OF DISTINCTION AWARDS GALA



Thursday, May 12, 2022

The Atlas Hotel, 4177 Albert Street, Regina

Cocktails: 6 pm

Program begins: 7 pm

Tickets: \$100 each

Table of 8: \$700

Corporate table: \$800 (with your logo displayed)

Student sponsor table: \$700 (You buy a table of 8, take 6 tickets for yourself and we seat 2 Champion students with you!)

PURCHASE TICKETS AT:

<https://championcollege.ca/alumni/dinner/>

Praise at the Beach



An Evening of Christian Worship Music

Sunday, May 15, 2022

St. Jerome Catholic Church

118 Nicoll Ave, Regina Beach

Local Musicians Include:

St. Jerome Parish Choir, Michelle Wrubleski, Regina Beach United Church Choir, and Highwood Worship (Michael and Loralie Hoffort)

Doors Open at 6:00 PM, Program Starts at 6:30 PM

Everyone Welcome! Free Admission

INTERPRETING THE BIBLE IN THE EARLY CHURCH:



First 4 centuries with Fr. Scott Lewis, SJ May 2, 9, 16, 24, & 30 via Zoom 11 am Regina time

US\$75 This course will examine the interpretation of Scripture in the early Church from the

formation of the New Testament through the 4th century CE. We begin by focusing on the various ways in which the Scriptures were interpreted in the Jewish tradition in the three centuries BCE and the continuation of these traditions in the composition and of the New Testament. We will cover the allegorical approach, visual displays of biblical stories and themes, the influence of the Christological debates in the 4th century, the bible and the Desert Fathers, and the ways in which challenges to early Christianity affected the interpretation of Scripture. The two main schools of interpretation – Alexandria and Antioch – will be studied, along with some of the influential interpreters in these schools. Special attention will be given to anti-Judaic and supersessionist elements in the composition and interpretation of Scripture. **itwewin Corner** (itwewin is the Cree word which means 'the word' or 'as it is said...')

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Rummage Sale - Christ the King



In the Parish Hall

3239 Garnet St. Regina

Thursday, May 12, 2022: Time: 12 pm - 5:00 pm

Friday, May 13, 2022: Time: 10 am - 5:00 pm

Saturday, May 14, 2022: Time: 9:30 am – 3:30 pm

Come and shop 'til you drop! Everything from buttons to hammers, lamps to sports equipment, treasures of all kinds and much, much more

Proceeds to go towards: Christ the King capital fund Cuernavaca Project, for safe water, healthy homes, education for families in Mexico, TRC Healing fund, Archdiocese of Regina.