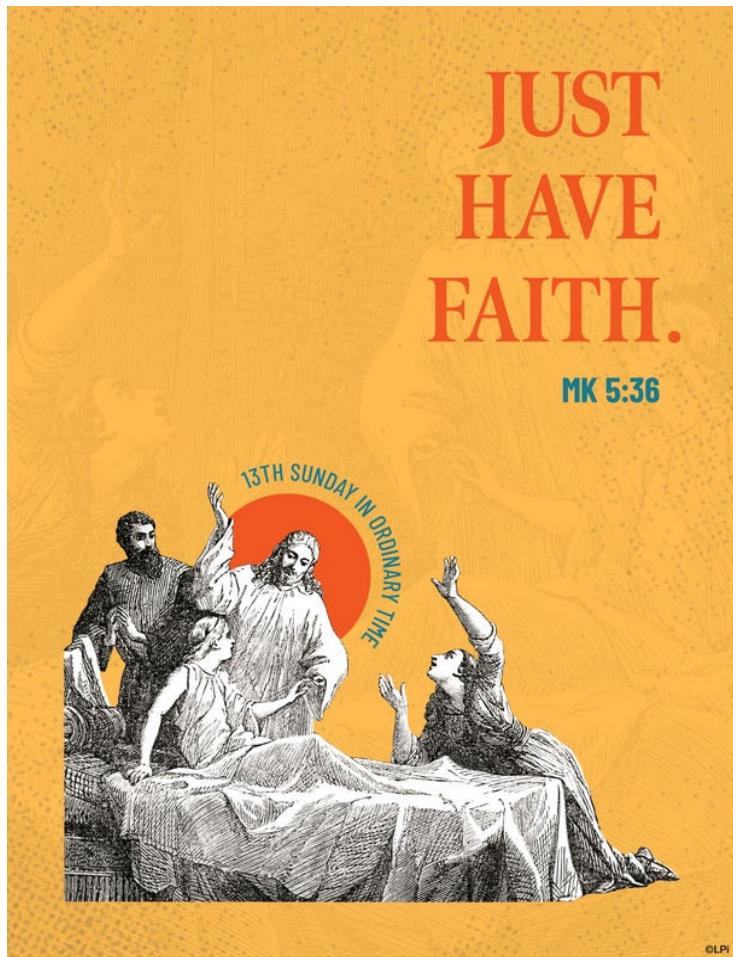


Church of the Little Flower

June 30, 2024

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time



*"We Remember"
"We Celebrate"
"We Believe"*

MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Eucharistic Community of the Little Flower is to deepen the relationship of its members with God and with each other; to witness to and, therefore, to reveal Jesus Christ and His Good News to the local and wider communities; and to serve as a model of Catholic Christian community valuing the diversity of backgrounds and sharing the gifts of its varied members.

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MASS & SACRAMENTS

SUNDAY MASSES:

Saturday: 5:00pm
Sunday: 8:00am & 10:30am
Sunday, Latin Mass: 9:15am
Liturgy of the Word for Children at 10:30am Mass during the school year

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Monday - Friday: 7:00am
Saturday: 8:00am
Holyday Masses: Please check the bulletin for Mass schedule
Legal Holidays: 9:00am
School Mass: 8:15am Wednesdays (during school year)

MORNING PRAYER of the LITURGY of the HOURS:

Monday through Sunday: 7:30am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Saturday: 4:00-4:45pm or by appointment and before every Mass

PERPETUAL HELP DEVOTIONS:

Tuesday: 6:45am (before 7:00am Mass)

ROSARY:

Saturday: 8:30am

ADORATION:

Friday: 8:00am-5:00pm

BAPTISMS:

Baptisms are a cause for celebration and may be celebrated with the entire parish at one of the weekend Masses. Parents are asked to complete the preparation sessions prior to scheduling the date for the baptism. Please call the parish office to arrange the sessions. A baptism class will be offered monthly on the second Sunday after the 10:30 Mass.

MARRIAGES:

Arrangements must be made six months in advance.

Calendar of Events

MASSES WILL BE LIVE-STREAMED

Monday **July 01 (Fr. Rubie)**
6:45-6:55 **Confessions**
7:00am **Mass**

Tuesday **July 02 (Fr. Rubie)**
6:45-6:55 **Confessions**
7:00am **Mass**
10:00am **Legion of Mary**

Wednesday **July 03 (Msgr. McCumber)**
6:45-6:55 **Confessions**
7:00am **Mass**

Thursday **July 04 (Independence Day)**
9:00am **Mass (Fr. Herzog)**

Friday **July 05 (Fr. Herzog)**
6:45-6:55 **Confessions**
7:00am **Mass**
8:00am-5:00pm **Adoration**

Saturday **July 06 (Fr. Herzog)**
4pm-4:45pm **Confessions**
5:00pm **Mass**

Sunday **July 07**
8:00am **Mass (Fr. Rubie)**
9:00am-9:15am **Confessions**
10:30am **Mass (Msgr. McCumber)**

Ministers of Service July 06 & 07 2024

MINISTERS OF SERVICE

07/06 5:00pm ~ M. Husmann M. Basi **Server needed**

07/07 8:00am ~ **Server needed** Addie Annelise

07/07 10:30am ~ M. Dietz W. Dietz B. Acosta

THE GUILD of MOTHER ERNESTINE

(Sacristan Helpers)

07/06 5:00pm ~ A. Lewis & P. Williams **Team B**

07/07 8:00am ~ R. Jacknewitz

07/07 10:30am ~ C. Flottmann

LECTORS

MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY

07/06 5:00pm ~ L. Waugh

07/07 8:00am ~ Pat Dolan Patrick Dolan

07/07 10:30am ~ E. & B. Carmody

07/06 7:30pm ~ Volunteer Volunteer

07/07 8:00am ~ Volunteer Volunteer

07/07 10:30am ~ Volunteer Volunteer



From the Pastor's Desk

The suffering and blood of the first Christians became the seed of many thousand others. Jesus must become visible in his members. With Paul every true Christian must be able to say, "I bear the wounds of Jesus on my body". **Trust and Dare** Words for Each Day by Mary Theresa of Jesus Gerhardinger foundress of the School Sisters of Notre Dame

In today's Gospel it is proclaimed: "While he was still speaking, people from the synagogue official's house arrived and said, 'your daughter has died; why trouble the teacher any longer?' Disregarding the message that was reported, Jesus said to the synagogue official, 'Do not be afraid; just have faith.'"

The virtue of faith and the necessity of faith is the dominating theme of today's readings. Faith is our personal response to a God who continues to reveal himself to us and invites us to recognize his holiness and beauty. Bible shows us the ways in which God reveals himself to human persons and invites him to respond in faith. Every situation in the world presents a very great contrast between human powerlessness in the face of sickness and death on the one hand, and the striking force of faith on the other. We are in a constant relationship with a God of wonder who transforms us, heals us and removes our pains and transforms them into joy. Faith works miracles and there are the thousands of small miracles that no-one notices them except those concerned. Certainly, people are aware of the work of the power of God in human situation. In this rational world we need the spiritual insight to recognize the working of these miracles. But faith is there like a small seed which when planted in the human heart grows slowly to yield fruit. Today's readings invite us to reflect on how profoundly faith influences our view of the world and our actions

Today's Gospel tells us about the divine power and infinite mercy of Jesus. Apart from proving his claim to be the promised Messiah, all his miracles had as their aim and their end to remove the pain and sufferings of human persons. He did not perform any miracle for the sake of astonishing people or to satisfy idle curiosity of people. Each one was performed to help someone in distress. All who were helped by his miracle of mercy had one thing in common, namely, they were motivated by faith in him and trusted fully in his mercy and power.

It is the faith that brings about the healing. Hopefully, we can be and are people of faith so we can experience healing.

God Bless—Fr. H



"...as a matter of equality your abundance at the present time should supply their want, so that their abundance may supply your want, that there may be equality."

(2 Corinthians 8:14)

One of the tenants of living a grateful and generous lifestyle is giving without expecting anything in return. It is important that we not only grow, nurture, and share our gifts; but that we also teach our children and encourage others to do the same. This is the communal aspect of our Catholic faith. We are the "Body of Christ." We are called to be dependent on each other and not live in isolation.

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

That we turn our daily focus to God and others to develop A "God-centered" lifestyle.

Amen



OCIA LESSON – HOW DID CHRIST ESTABLISH THE SACRAMENT OF CONFESSiON?

Scripture states that only God can forgive sins. (Mt 2:7) However, Jesus Christ gave his power to forgive sins to his apostles and subsequently in an unbroken line to their successors. “He breathed on them, and said to them, ‘Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained.’” (Jn 20:22-23)

The format of the sacrament consists of verbal confession, the penitent’s expression of sorrow for sins and firm purpose of amendment, the priest assigning a penance followed by the priest’s powerful words of absolution. “God, the Father of mercies, through the death and resurrection of His Son has reconciled the world to himself and poured out the Holy Spirit for the forgiveness of sins; through the ministry of the Church may God grant you pardon and peace, and I absolve you from your sins in the name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.”

Source: Evangelium Interested in becoming Catholic?
Please call 314-645-1445



Little Flower Parish



We need everyone to help make this next year fabulous!

Call Deb at the office
314.645.1445 to sign up

NATIONAL Eucharistic Pilgrimage

St. Louis is the final stop on one of the four routes of the National Eucharistic Pilgrimage, the Junipero Serra Route.

Beginning in California, these pilgrims will travel with our Eucharistic Lord over 2,200 miles, crossing the Rocky Mountains and Great Plains on foot!



While in St. Louis on July 5–7, 2024, the pilgrims will participate in a service activity and Eucharistic Adoration. All are welcome and encouraged to join them!

JOIN US FOR ST. LOUIS EVENTS BEFORE THE NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS

Eucharistic



Stewardship Prayer of St. Ignatius Loyola

Take, Lord, and receive all my liberty, my memory, my understanding and my entire will – all that I have and call my own.

You have given it all to me.

To you, Lord, I return it.

Everything is yours; do with it what you will.

Give me only your love and your grace. That is enough for me.

Are you interested in creating more adult faith formation opportunities here at Little Flower? We are looking to form a committee to discuss ideas for formation outside of Mass. It could be anything from a bible study to a video presentation or even guest speakers. If you are interested in helping, please contact Jackie Waugh at 314-704-5619 or jwaugh123@charter.net.

Rectory Summer Hours

The rectory office hours for the summer are Monday thru Thursday 6:45am to 2:45pm. The office will be closed on Fridays.

Eucharistic Revival News

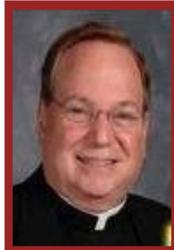
The Eucharistic Congress is fast approaching. It will be held in Indianapolis July 17-21. Also, the Eucharistic Pilgrimage will be coming through St. Louis this July 5th. I have some people who are interested in going out and being part of the pilgrimage while they are here. We are going out to St. Charles on the 5th. If you would like to join us, contact Jackie Waugh at 314-704-5619 or email jwaugh123@charter.net. All are welcome!



THE LITTLE FLOWER COMMUNITY OPPORTUNITY



All are Welcome, First Friday
JULY 5, 2024



For more information on the
sodality, our events, and
enrollment, visit:

MostSacredHeart.net

4:30 PM - Adoration, Reconciliation &
Benediction
5:30 PM - Celebration of the Holy Sacrifice
of the Mass. Celebrant, Rev. Lawrence
Herzog, Associate Pastor,
St. Mary Magdalen and Little Flower
Churches
*No Activities after Mass

Saint Mary Magdalen Church
2618 S. Brentwood Blvd, 63144



THE LADIES CLUB COLLECTED 62 BAGS OF
CLOTHES FOR THE WELLSTON CENTER.

Thank You!



Remember that nothing is small in the
eyes of God. Do all you can with love.

THANK YOU FOR THE LOVE YOU SHOWERED ON
THE PEOPLE OF WELLSTON.



THANKS SO MY MUCH!



We are grateful to Liz Gibbs, Ramona Jacknewitz
& Katie Flanagan
for all your hard work keeping
the flowers looking so pretty around the parish.

Our parish is offering a convenient service for contributions! Online Giving is a web-based application that allows you to start, stop and change your contributions at any time. Please notice that our offering envelopes now have a check box which indicates "I've given online," which you can use to present during offertory at Mass. Online Giving is very easy to use and requires no special knowledge other than how to access the Internet. If you haven't already signed up, then go to our parish website at www.littleflowerstl.org and select Online Giving or you can register at our parish app. Simply scan with your Smart Device. It will take you to the on-line giving portal of our website.



DID YOU KNOW?

Did you know that the Pope is considered to be in a direct line of succession going back to St. Peter?

Need healing after abortion? Contact:
Abortion Healing Ministry, Archdiocese of St. Louis
Hopeline (call/text): 314.406.0815
hopehealing@archstl.org
www.abortionchangesyou.com
www.supportafterabortion.com

Please join us for a Catholic Charities Young Adult

MIDSUMMER MINGLE
Fundraising Event in support of the
Spirit of Saint Nicholas Ball benefitting
Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Saint Louis
For Ages 21+
Ticket Prices: \$65
Get Your Jingle On!
<https://ccyptnick24.givesmart.com>
JULY 20TH
SATURDAY | 6:30 - 10:30 PM
GRANT'S FARM
SEMI-FORMAL ATTIRE
OPEN BAR, APPETIZERS, MUSIC & DANCING, RAFFLES & PRIZES

Did you Know?

If you are homebound or know of anyone in the parish who is homebound, and would like to receive Communion please contact the rectory office at 314-645-1445. We will be happy to arrange that.

Also if you are homebound and do not have access to a computer, we would gladly send you a weekly copy of the bulletin. Please let us know what we can do for you by calling the rectory office. 314-645-1445

Footsteps of Apostle Paul First Class Tour

March 30, 2025 to April 8, 2025

*Land and Cruise starting at \$3480 per person
(based on double occupancy)*

"For we walk by faith, not by sight," wrote the Apostle Paul to the Corinthians. On this religious tour of Greece and Turkey, you'll stroll, skip, and sail by faith as you retrace the many missionary journeys of the Apostle Paul after he saw the light in Damascus. Both pilgrimage and picturesque journey, this land and cruise tour to mainland Greece, the Greek Isles, and Turkey leads you to many significant sites of the New Testament as well as some of the most magnificent sights of the Mediterranean. Scripture will take on new meaning as you visit the ancient communities where Paul established churches – and to whom he penned his epistles, including the Thessalonians, Philippians, Corinthians, and Ephesians. As you follow in the faithful footsteps of the Apostle Paul – with fantastic detours to Mykonos, Crete, and Santorini – you, too, will have much to write home about. Call Catholic Cruises and Tours at 1-860-399-1785 for more information

We Need You to PRAY

In November, there is a potential amendment that would enshrine abortion in the Missouri Constitution

If passed, it will:

- Allow unlimited, unrestricted abortions *for all 9 months of pregnancy*
- NO parental consent or notification
- NO health and safety standards
- NO ability to sue for malpractice
- Taxpayer funded

WHAT YOU CAN DO:

Pray the Rosary daily



Scan here or go to:
therosary.online

Pray the Cardinal Burke Novena daily



Scan here or go to:
novena.cardinalburke.com



*"There is no problem, no matter how difficult it is, I tell you, that we cannot resolve by the Rosary."
-Saint Lucia of Fatima*

"A Holy Hour in front of the Blessed Sacrament is worth more than a thousand years of human glory."

~ St. Padre Pio

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION is held in the Little Flower Chapel from 8:00am to 5:00pm every Friday. All are encouraged to come and spend whatever time you are able to in the Divine Presence of God.

For more information and/or if you are able to commit to your own weekly hour of adoration, please contact:
Margie Curran (645-1709) or Anita Blattenberger (330-6796)



Mass Intentions

<i>Monday</i>	<i>July 1</i>
7:00am	Sp. Intention-The Tom Anstey Family
<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>July 2</i>
7:00am	Jerold Danekas
<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>July 3</i>
7:00am	Ellie Condit
<i>Thursday</i>	<i>July 4</i>
9:00am	Souls in Purgatory
<i>Friday</i>	<i>July 5</i>
7:00am	Joe Kovarik
<i>Saturday</i>	<i>July 6</i>
5:00pm	John Hazelwood
<i>Sunday</i>	<i>July 7</i>
8:00am	Ellie Condit
10:30am	Alice Provaznik

Interested in answering Jesus' call to serve others? Join The Society of St. Vincent de Paul.

The society of St. Vincent de Paul provides clothes, shelter, food, medicine and more -and pays for utilities for people in need throughout the St. Louis region. Our personal, one-on-one approach gives people the help they need for today and helps them to see a better tomorrow. We are a Catholic lay organization, leading men and men to join together to grow spiritually by offering service to the needy and suffering. **Join Us.** See Christ in the face of the poor and to bring the love of God to those who are in material or spiritual need. You'll grow spiritually and make friends. **How to join us?** Call the rectory at 314-645-1445

*In your charity,
please Pray for*

all the souls of the faithful departed, May they rest in peace...

The sick and shut-ins of our parish, especially:

Andrew Blum	Beverly Haffner	Bob McShane
John Boland	Mary Ellen Havard	John McShane
Maxine Borowiak	Louise Haynes	G. Tracy Mehan
Jaxson Boyer	Adrianna Hubb	Mary Falk Mehan
Frankie Boyer	Chris Lewis Hutchcroft	Peg Mango
Steve Bradshaw	Stan James	Helen Mango
Joanne Buchholz	Barb Jones	David Nathe
Marissa Campeau	Chad Keeven	Sr. Jo Ann
Ellen Carmody	Donald Kenney	O'Connell, BVM
Kathleen Carter	Mary Kinsley	Lachlan Oddy
Rachelle Chaney	Kevin Koeller	Kristin Rafferty
Nicholas Coleman	Joanne Kraus	Christi Rice Blum
Katie Crouch Willett	Ken Kuhlman	Sue Rice
Clare Crouch	Jack Lally	Ken Roberts
Helena Czosnyka	Julie Lally	Marguerite Scheidegger
Chandelier Davis	Marianne Lally	Tom Schuette
James Davis	Jim LaMartina	James Smith
James E. Davis	Patty LaRochelle	Tony Snider
Nathan Glore Davis	Mary Laws	Hollie Soto
Patrick Dolan	Everleigh Lauber	Matthew Stuart
Bill Edwards	Jean Leonhardt	Gary Underwood
Kathryn Fischer	Sherry Lopez	Miriam Varas
Bill Flottmann	Greg & Shelley	Margaret Verzino
Peter Freundl	Lowrey	Charles Volk
Ron Garnier	Elizabeth Lyons	Billy Wells
Joyce Griffen	Emma Lyons	Joseph Wheeler
Linda Grobelny	Bob McShane	

Readings for the week of June 30, 2024

Sunday: Wis 1:13-15; 2:23-24/Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11, 12, 13 (2a)/2 Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15/

Mk 5:21-43 or 5:21-24, 35b-43

Monday: Am 2:6-10, 13-16/Ps 50:16bc-17, 18-19, 20-21, 22-23/Mt 8:18-22

Tuesday: Am 3:1-8; 4:11-12/Ps 5:4b-6a, 6b-7, 8/Mt 8:23-27

Wednesday: Eph 2:19-22/Ps 117:1bc, 2/Jn 20:24-29

Thursday: Am 7:10-17/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11/Mt 9:1-8

Friday: Am 8:4-6, 9-12/Ps 119:2, 10, 20, 30, 40, 131/Mt 9:9-13

Saturday: Am 9:11-15/Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14/Mt 9:14-17

Next Sunday: Ez 2:2-5/Ps 123:1-2, 2, 3-4 (2cd)/2 Cor 12:7-10/Mk 6:1-6a

**PLEASE PRAY for our PARISHIONERS
and/or LOVED ONES SERVING in the United States
Military**



Allen Conrey
Mollie Conrey
Rebecca Conrey
Blaise Coultier
Alex Garofalo
Derek Hirtz
Brian Kloppenburg
Justin Kloppenburg
Alexander LaRochelle

Maurice Muro
Ashton Piper
Christopher Wamhoff
John Weber
Jonathon Habbe
Dashawn Arrendondo
Ean Eicher