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WEEKEND MASSES

Sundays- 10:30 a.m. *English* & 1:15 p.m. *Spanish*
First Sunday of the month - 8:30 a.m. *Latin*

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, & Saturday
8:15 a.m. Tuesday - 5:30 p.m.

ADORATION

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is on
Thursdays from 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.
with opportunity for Confession.

First Friday Adoration from 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Join us for the Rosary and the Divine Mercy Chaplet:
Monday through Friday at 3:00 p.m.
in the Church.

CONFESSION

Confessions are heard
Monday through Friday, 3:30 - 4:00 p.m.
Saturday Confessions are from 7:30 - 8:00 a.m.
Confession is also available by appointment.

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturdays - 4:00 p.m. *English*
Sundays - 8:30 a.m. *Latin*

WEEKDAY MASSES

All weekday Masses are at Little Flower.

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SACRAMENTS

Baptisms— Need to be registered parishioners for at least 3 months.

Marriages— Couples must contact Pastor 6 months prior to desired wedding date.

Sick Calls— Anytime. Please let us know if someone is in the hospital or needs a home visit.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults— Please contact the DRE regarding these classes.

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Sunday, April 23, 2023
Third Sunday of Easter

✝ Mass Intentions

At Little Flower

Sunday, April 23 –10:30 a.m. Pro Populo
Sunday, April 23 –01:15 p.m. Georgina Espinoza
Monday, April 24 – 08:15 a.m. Repose of Elsa Velos Roman
Tuesday, April 25 – 05:30 p.m. Father Gonzalez's Intention
Wednesday, April 26 – 08:15 a.m. Repose of Elsa Velos Roman
Thursday, April 27 – 08:15 a.m. Repose of Elsa Velos Roman
Friday, April 28 – 08:15 a.m. Maksymilian Zawada
Saturday, April 29 – 08:15 a.m. Repose of Maria Elena Terrazas Salinas
Sunday, April 30 –10:30 a.m. Pro Populo
Sunday, April 30 –01:15 p.m. For the Poor Souls in Purgatory

At Blessed Sacrament
Saturday, April 22 – 04:00 p.m. Intentions of Lifsey Children & Grandchildren
Sunday, April 23 – 08:30 a.m. Repose of Charles Farrell Holloway Jr.
Saturday, April 29 – 04:00 p.m. Repose of August C. Mahon
Sunday, April 30 – 08:30 a.m. For Miles & Eliza Mohrland

Note: Rosary is prayed on Saturday at 3 p.m. & on Sunday before 8:30 a.m. Mass.

Sunday Scripture Readings
Acts 2:14, 22-33 Psalms 16:1-2, 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11
1 Peter 1:17-21 Luke 24:13-35
Lecturas bíblicas dominicales
Actos 2:14, 22-33 Salmos 16:1-2, 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11
1 Pedro 1:17-21 Lucas 24:13-35

Eucharistic Vigil Confraternity



Father has extended an invitation to the *men* of our parishes to join him in a *Eucharistic Vigil Confraternity*. Once a month, on the Thursday evening before First Fridays, the Blessed Sacrament will remain exposed throughout the night into Friday morning. The men of our parishes are invited to commit to a monthly hour of adoration. At least two adorers are necessary for every hour. The sign-up sheet is located at Little Flower next to the image of St. Cecilia along with the sign-up sheet for First Friday Adoration throughout the day. The sign-up sheet will be brought to Blessed Sacrament for a few weekends. The women of the parish are invited to commit to an hour throughout the day on First Fridays and/or accompany their husbands for the nocturnal adoration.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

On Thursdays from 5-7 p.m. with opportunity for confession at Little Flower. Please sign up for First Friday Adoration from 9 a.m. -Noon. Sign up sheet by St. Cecilia image.



ADORACIÓN DEL SANTÍSIMO SACRAMENTO

Los jueves de 5 p.m. a 7 p.m. con oportunidad de confesión en Santa Theresa. Regístrese para la Adoración del Primer Viernes de 9 a.m. al mediodía. Hoja de registro esta a un lado de la imagen de Sta. Cecilia.

El Santo Rosario se reza los Domingos a las 12:30 p.m. Rosary is prayed daily (M-F) at 3 p.m. at Little Flower.



REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS ~ RECUERDE EN SUS ORACIONES:

Mary Blanchard, Lillie Burns, Warren Canale, Laura Ramirez Feldman, Ian Hudson & Ashley Portis, Dcn. Bill Lifsey, Joseph Jones, Gloria Martin, Rosangela Taverna, Leslie Xochipa, Michael Wills, and patients at St. Jude & Le Bonheur Hospitals, Susan Higginbotham.

Please contact the office to update the prayer list.



SANCTUARY CANDLE DEDICATION: CHRIST IS THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD

Candles are used in worship as a reminder of Christ our light and the light in us that is His grace. They are also a symbol of His sacrifice. As the candle burns, it sacrifices itself in order to give light. When we light a candle, we make an offering for a particular intention. The candles that burn before the Blessed Sacrament in red globes are offerings to God for particular intentions. We have 2 week candles that costs \$20 and 1 week that cost \$10. Candle offering envelopes can be found in the votive candle stands.

2 week candles / Veladoras de 2 semanas

The Candles at **Little Flower** burn before the Divine Presence this week for:

1. For the Special Intention of Dylan and Daniel Taylor
2. En Memoria de Juan Carlos Coss Vargas
3. Por la Santificación de los Sacerdotes, especialmente para el P. González

The Candle at **Blessed Sacrament** burns before the Divine Presence this week for:

1. En Memoria de Rafael Coronado Ortiz

DEDICACIÓN DE VELA DEL SANTUARIO: CRISTO, LA LUZ DEL MUNDO

Las velas se utilizan en la adoración como un recordatorio de Cristo, nuestra luz y la luz en nosotros que es Su gracia. También son un símbolo de Su sacrificio. Cuando la vela arde, se sacrifica para dar luz. Cuando encendemos una vela, hacemos una ofrenda con una intención particular. Las velas que arden ante el Santísimo Sacramento en globos rojos son ofrendas a Dios con intenciones particulares. Tenemos velas de 2 semanas y cuesta \$20 y velas de 1 semana y cuestan \$10. Los sobres de ofrenda de velas se pueden encontrar en los candelabros.

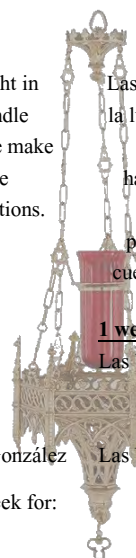
1 week candles/veladoras de 1 semana:

Las Velas en **Santa Theresita** arden ante la Divina Presencia esta semana por:

1. Por las animas del Purgatorio
2. Por la conversión de la Familia Hernandez Ramirez

Las Velas en **Blessed Sacrament** arden ante la Divina Presencia esta semana por:

1. En Memoria de Enedina Ramirez
2. For the Sanctification of our Parishioners



Weekly Offerings at St. Theresa—Fiscal Year 07/22-6/23;

Sunday, April 09, 2023

General: \$ 2,990.79 YTD: \$ 182,143.17
 Building: \$ 847.00 YTD: \$ 135,595.06
 St. Martin Offering: YTD: \$ 31,490.21

ST. JOSEPH'S PROJECTS PHASE ONE COLLECTION: Repairing our Spanish tile roof as we look forward to the 100 year anniversary of our Little Flower parish. Campaign to Date Total: \$ 499,780.48.

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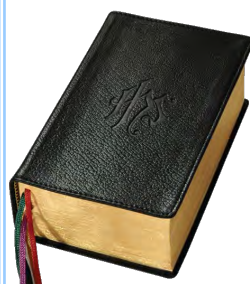
General: \$ 1,395.35 YTD: \$ 150,780.02
 Building: \$ 0.00 YTD: \$ 48,633.57
 St. Philomena Offering: YTD: \$ 30,567.50
 St. Martin Offering: YTD: \$ 8,705.86

Second Collection Schedule at Little Flower

Horario de la segunda colecta en Santa Theresa

APRIL 23 CATHOLIC HOME MISSIONS

"One man gives freely, yet gains even more; another withholds unduly, but comes to poverty. A generous man will prosper; he who refreshes others will himself be refreshed."
 ~Proverbs 11:24-25



PRAY THE MASS WORKSHOP

Saturday, May 6, 9:30 -11:30 a.m. in Leppert Hall

In this workshop Fr. Gonzalez will explain how to use the missal. For both "forms" of the Mass. Please make sure to bring a missal with you.

"Your prayer should be liturgical. How I would like to see you using the psalms and prayers from the missal..."
 - St. Josemaria Escriva, *The Way*, 86.

DIOCESAN 50TH ANNIVERSARY BOOKS

50th Anniversary Books are in and will be sold after Masses over the next few weeks. The Commemorative book is rich in our Diocese's history with beautiful photography, from its many Parishes, throughout its pages. The Illustrated version is wonderful little book, and beautifully illustrated for our children to get engaged and learn about our history as a Diocese. Please visit the table in the vestibule and pick yours up! The Commemorative books are \$40, and the illustrated books are \$20.

Ofrenda Semanal en Sta. Theresa— Año Fiscal 07/22-06/23;

Domingo, 09 de Abril, 2023

General: \$ 2,990.79 YTD: \$ 182,143.17
 Edificio: \$ 847.00 YTD: \$ 135,595.06
 Ofrenda a San Martin: YTD: \$ 31,490.21

LOS PROYECTOS DE SAN JOSÉ FASE UNO: Reparando nuestro techo de tejas españolas mientras esperamos el aniversario de 100 años de nuestra parroquia Sta. Theresa. Total de la campaña: \$ 499,780.48.

Ofrenda Semanal en Santísimo Sacramento—

Año Fiscal 07/22-6/23; Domingo, 09 de Abril, 2023

General: \$ 1,395.35 YTD: \$ 150,780.02
 Edificio: \$ 0.00 YTD: \$ 48,633.57
 Ofrenda a Sta. Filomena: YTD: \$ 30,567.50
 Ofrenda a San Martin: YTD: \$ 8,705.86

Second Collection Schedule at Blessed Sacrament:

Horario de segunda colecta en el Santísimo Sacramento:

ABRIL 23 MISIONES CATOLICAS

"Un hombre da libremente, pero gana aún más; otro retiene indebidamente, pero llega a la pobreza. El hombre generoso prosperará; el que refresca a otros, él mismo será refrescado."
 ~Proverbios 11:24-25

SIGN UP FOR OUR PARISH DIRECTORY PICTURES

If you missed our Sunday Social last week, be sure to stop by the vestibule to sign up for your spot to take pictures for our Parish Directory.



An Attitude of Gratitude

Frank T. Masur, Ph.D., Clinical & Health Psychologist

Join us May 3 for a Seminar with Dr. Masur! In this 90 minute Seminar, combining didactic training with experiential learning, Dr. Masur will review and critique the burgeoning research that convincingly demonstrates that daily expressions of "thankfulness" have remarkably positive effects across a wide spectrum of human experience. Over a thousand published studies have now shown that daily journaling about the people and things that we are grateful for has a consistently positive effect on our physical, emotional, social, and even spiritual lives. The biopsychosocial mechanisms by which these results have been demonstrated include increased optimism, reduced depression, increased stress tolerance and the enhancement of the body's immunologic processes. Summarizing these research findings into a Cognitive-Behavioral approach to expressing genuine gratitude will form the basis of a practical guide that participants will be able to use on a daily basis.



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- Msgr. Joseph Leppert
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- Eladio Gonzalez
- Esperanza Llanes
- Allen & Armantine Keller
- Benito & Geneva Pierotti
- Howard Pierotti
- Neal Holcomb
- Bob & Juanita Moore
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