

"In the Heart of the Church, I will be love."

St. Theresa of the Infant Jesus

Celebrating the
Centenary of the
Canonization of
St. Theresa
of the
Infant Jesus
1925 - 2025

HOLY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday- 4:00 PM English at Blessed Sacrament Chapel

Sunday- 8:15 AM

10:45 AM

1:45 PM Spanish at Blessed Sacrament Chapel

Monday & Wednesday-Saturday- 8:15 AM

Tuesday- 5:30 PM

First Friday- 8:15 AM & 6:00 PM

Holy Days- See Bulletin or Call the Office for Times

CONFESSIONS

Monday -Friday- 3:30 PM - 4:00 PM

Thursday - 3:30 PM - 4:00 PM & 5:30 PM - 7:00 PM

Saturday - 7:30 - 8:00 AM

3:30 PM - 3:45 PM at Blessed Sacrament Chapel

Sunday - 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM

ADORATION & DEVOTIONS

Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament:

Thursday - 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM

First Fridays - 9:00 AM - 6:00 PM

Holy Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet:

Monday - Friday - 3:00 PM

Saturday - 3:00 PM at Blessed Sacrament Chapel

Sunday - Rosary before 8:15 & 10:45 Masses

Little Flower Novena:

Thursday after Mass & after evening Benediction

SACRAMENTS

Baptisms - Parents of children to be baptized must be registered parishioners for at least 3 months and complete a baptism course

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

Sick Calls - Anytime. Please let us know if someone is hospitalized or needs a home visit.

Order of Christian Initiation of Adults - please contact the DRE for information on becoming Catholic.



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SUNDAY, JUNE 8, 2025 PENTECOST SUNDAY



† Mass Intentions at Little Flower Church

Sunday, Jun 8 – 8:15am Sunday, Jun 8 – 10:45am Monday, Jun 9 – 8:15am Tuesday, Jun 10 – 5:30pm Wednesday, Jun 11– 8:15am

Thursday, Jun 12 – 8:15am Friday, Jun 13 – 8:15am Saturday, Jun 14 – 8:15am Sunday, Jun 15 – 8:15am Sunday, Jun 15 – 10:45am Chris Sowell Pro Populo Poor Souls

† Fr. Albert Callis
Poor Souls; Conversion of USA;

†Caridad Rodriguez Poor Souls

Graces for Seminarians
Angela Grant

Father's Day Spiritual Bouquets Pro Populo



Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of Your faithful and kindle in them the fire of Your Love.

Send forth Your Spirit and they shall be created, and You shall renew the face of the earth.

Remember in Your Prayers - Recuerde en Sus Oraciones: Shawn Canale, Xiomara Valldejuli, Vanessa Jones, Mary Blanchard, Deborah Ottawa, Henry Olivi, Helen Johnson

Contact the office to add names to our prayer list. .

Sanctuary Candle Dedication Dedicación de la Vela del Santuario

Dedicate the candles that burn continually before the Blessed Sacrament for your intentions! 2 week candles for \$20 and 1 week for \$10. Offering envelopes are in the votive candle stands.

2 Week Candles / Veladoras de 2 Semanas

Little Flower: Pope Leo XIV; Graces for Confirmandi; † Juan Carlos Coss Vargas Blessed Sacrament Chapel: Conversions from our Families

1 Week Candles / Veladoras de 1 Semana Little Flower: Benefactors of the Parish; Contemplative Vocations

Blessed Sacrament Chapel: In Reparation to the Blessed Sacrament; Families of the Parish



Saturday, Jun 7 – 4:00pm Sunday, Jun 8 – 1:45pm Saturday, Jun 14 – 4:00pm Sunday, Jun 15 – 1:45pm Poor Souls; Conversion of USA Vazquez-Guerrero Family Poor Souls; Pres. Trump Admin Rodolfo Morales



Time to register for our Couples Dinner! The Evening begins with the Mass of Sts. Louis & Zelie Martin, the first married couple canonized together, at 6 p.m. followed by an elegant served dinner. This is for married spouses of our parish only. Since space is limited, please only RSVP if you are coming.

Weekly Offerings (Will be updated by June 22 Bulletin) Fiscal Year 07/24 - 6/25

 General:
 YTD: \$159,781.02

 Building:
 YTD: \$22,905

 St. Martin:
 YTD: \$27,944.20

ST. JOSEPH'S PROJECTS COLLECTION:

Repairing our roof as we look forward to the 100 year anniversary of Little Flower parish. Campaign to Date Total as of this Fiscal Year: \$217,453.44

Today's 2nd Collection is for the Sanctuary Beautification

"I shovel [money] out, and God shovels it back ... but God has a bigger shovel!" - R.G. LeTourneau

We have 92% PARTICIPATION. *ONLY 8% LEFT* to reach our goal in the Annual Catholic Appeal! Go and give; even \$1 helps, but *PARTICIPATE!*

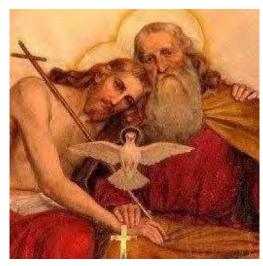
Parish Mission - October 6-10 in English Misión Parroquial en Español - Octubre 13-17



Just as [He took] a human nature from the womb of Mary, overshadowed by the Holy Spirit, so on Pentecost He took a Mystical Body from the womb of humanity, overshadowed by the Holy Spirit. Just as He once taught, governed, and sanctified through His human nature, so now He would continue to teach, to govern, and to sanctify through other human natures united in His Body or Church...Because this Body is not physical like a man...but heavenly and spiritual because of the Spirit which made it one, it is called a Mystical Body. As a human body is made up of millions and millions of cells, and yet is one because vivified by one soul, presided over by one visible head, and governed by an invisible mind, so this Body of Christ, though made up of millions and millions of persons who are incorporated into Christ by baptism, is one because vivified by the Holy Spirit of God and presided over by one visible head and governed by one invisible Mind or Head Who is the Risen Christ...

The Mystical Body of Christ, therefore, no more stands between Christ and an individual than His physical Body stood between Magdalen and His forgiveness, or His hand stood between the little children and His blessing. It was through His human Body that He came to men in His individual life; it is through His Mystical Body or His Church that He comes to men in His mystical corporate life...This Body had the four distinctive marks of life; it had unity, because vivified by one Soul, one Spirit, the gift of Pentecost. As unity in doctrine and authority is the centripetal force which keeps the life of the Church one, catholicity is the centrifugal force which enables her to expand and absorb redeemed humanity without distinction of race or color. The third note of the Church is holiness, which means that it endures on condition that it keep itself healthy, pure, and free from the disease of heresy and schism. This holiness is not in each member but rather in the whole Church. And because

the Holy Spirit is the soul of the Church, it can be the Divine instrument for the sanctification of souls. The sunlight is not polluted because its rays pass through a dirty window; neither do the Sacraments lose their power to sanctify because the human instruments of those Sacraments may be stained. Finally, there is the work of *apostolicity*. In biology, Omne vivum ex vivo or "All life comes from life." So too the Mystical Body of Christ is apostolic, because historically it took its roots in Christ and not from a man separated by centuries from Him. That is why the infant Church met to choose a successor of Judas who had to be a witness of the Resurrection and a companion of the Apostles. - Ven. Fulton J. Sheen, Life of Christ



Father's Day Spiritual Bouquets are due this week!

Be sure to submit your intentions to the office no later than this Wednesday, June 11.

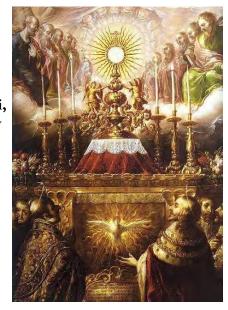
PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (PRE) REGISTRATION

is now open

Packets will be available all summer in the vestibule. Registration ends on August 3! Upcoming classes will be held between the 8:15 and 10:45 a.m. Masses so that more parishioners can enroll their children. This is a unique opportunity to help strengthen the faith of your children alongside their peers in the parish. Even if you are homeschooling, this will greatly benefit your children and prepare them for a life rich in the truths of Our Faith!

CORPUS CHRISTI:

Thursday,
June 19 is the
Solemnity of
Corpus Christi,
the Most Holy
Body and
Blood of
Christ. We
will have a
High Mass at
6:00 p.m.
followed by a
Eucharistic
Procession.
The External



Solemnity is the Sunday after. Please be sure to attend on Thursday, June 19. This is a unique opportunity to witness to the Truth of our Catholic Faith by reverently participating in the procession and publicly professing our belief in the Real Presence of Christ in the Eucharist.



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- · Esperanza Llanes
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