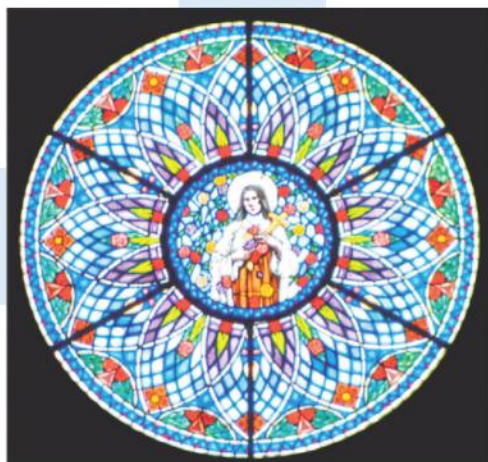


# CORPUS CHRISTI

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### SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

**Mass** Saturday: 5:00 PM  
Sunday: 9:30 AM, 6:00 PM  
Weekdays and Holy Days:  
Check inside the bulletin for schedule.

### Communion Services

Check inside the bulletin.

### Little Flower Church Mission Statement

Little Flower Church (St. Therese of the Infant Jesus) is a vibrant faith community in the Roman Catholic Tradition, striving to live out the Gospel values of Jesus Christ. Centered in the Eucharist, we are called by God to look beyond ourselves to respond compassionately to the needs of others.

## The Theresean

**OFFICE HOURS:** Monday - Friday 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM  
**PARISH CENTER** 317-357-8352 Fax 317-357-5316

**SCHOOL** 317-353-2282 Fax 317-322-7702  
The school offers Pre-school 3's and 4's through Grade 8.  
Extended Care is available until 6:00 PM.  
Contact the school for more information.

### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 3:45 PM to 4:30 PM or by appointment.

### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptisms are held on most Sundays during the year. Baptisms are held after the 9:30 am Mass. If you prefer to have your child's baptism scheduled during Mass, you may request this at the time you return the baptism information form. Requests for the date and time specified will be honored to the extent possible. Parents who have not yet received pre-baptismal instruction are required to attend a Baptismal Preparation Class that is held 5 times per year. Call the Parish Office well in advance so that class arrangements may be made.

### SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Contact the priest 9 to 12 months in advance. A Wedding Handbook is available from the Parish Office which provides the necessary information on arranging for a marriage.

### SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING/MINISTRY TO THE SICK

In an emergency, contact the parish at any time. Please contact the Parish Center if you or a loved one are hospitalized, or are confined to home or a nursing facility, to receive the Eucharist and/or Anointing. Hospitals and healthcare facilities no longer routinely inform churches when a parishioner is admitted.

### SACRAMENT OF HOLY ORDERS

Priesthood or Vocation as a Religious Sister or Brother. Those considering entering the Priesthood or a religious vocation, please contact our Pastor or the Archdiocesan Vocation Office at 317-236-1490.

### LITTLE FLOWER COUNSELING CENTER

Counseling services are available to Little Flower parishioners at a reduced rate. Please call Maureen Sweeney at (317) 617-2522.

### INTERESTED IN THE CATHOLIC FAITH?

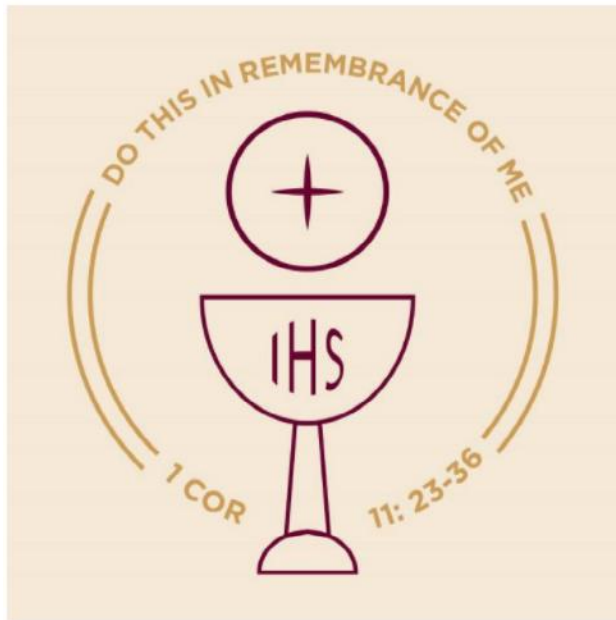
Inquiry Classes begin in late August as part of the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA). Call Parish Center for information.

### PARISH REGISTRATION

We welcome all those visiting with us today. If you are interested in knowing more about our parish or wish to register for membership, please call the Parish Office. Registration forms are also available at each of the church doors.

### BULLETIN DEADLINE

Articles for the bulletin must be submitted in writing to the Parish center or by email to [lgibbons@littleflowerparish.org](mailto:lgibbons@littleflowerparish.org) by noon on Monday.



Dear Parish Family,

Today we welcome our visitors who are attending Summerfest 2024.

Today we celebrate the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of the Lord, often called Corpus Christi. Today we celebrate our faith in the Real Presence of Christ in the Eucharist. In the former Sacramentary, there was a beautiful alternate opening prayer for today’s Solemnity:

*Lord Jesus Christ, we worship you living among us in the sacrament of your body and blood. May we offer to our Father in heaven a solemn pledge of undivided love. May we offer to our brothers and sisters a life poured out in loving service of that kingdom where you live with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.*

Year Three of National Eucharistic Revival is the Year of the National Eucharistic Congress and Missionary Sending and commences with the National Eucharistic Congress set to take place July 17-21, 2024 in Indianapolis, IN. Remember that the mission of the Eucharistic Revival is “to renew the Church by enkindling a living relationship with the Lord Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist.”

Friday is the Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart. The opening words of the Introit or Entrance Antiphon in the pre-Vatican II Liturgy captured the meaning of the Solemnity: “The thoughts of his heart [are] to all generations: to deliver their souls from death and feed them in famine.”

Congratulations to the Seccina Memorial High School Class of 2024. Several Little Flower parishioners and/or graduates of Little Flower School graduated on Friday, May 26.

Adriana Adams  
 Rihanna Arrieta  
 William Battles  
 Eleanor Frances Broschart  
 Timothy Cavanaugh  
 Hannah Comley  
 Lilly Cunagin

Sydney Deiwert  
 Marisol Garcia  
 Lashanti Gunn  
 Reanna Hollada  
 Jessy Mariscal-Aguilar  
 Gabriele Medina  
 Katelynn Patino

Katelynn Phelan  
 Mia Santiago  
 Ellen Stillions  
 Seth Trimble-Sutherland  
 Gavin Turner  
 Susan Williamson  
 Olivia Young

William Battles and Gavin Turner graduated with High Honors and Academic Honors Diplomas and were members of the National Honor Society. Lilly Cunagin and Olivia Young graduated with Honors and Academic Honors Diplomas and were members of the National Honor Society. Reanna Hollada was a member of the National Honor Society. Katelynn Patino graduated with an Academic Honors Diploma and was a member of the National Honor Society. Seth Trimble-Sutherland graduated with Honors and was a member of the National Honor Society. Susan Williamson graduated with Honors and an Academic Honors Diploma.

Have a wonderful week.

*Fr. Bob*

**There is a special collection on the weekend of June 8/9 for the Education of Future Archdiocesan Priests.** Your generous support helps cover the expenses for their necessary education and formation. Please be as generous as possible and pray for vocations! You may use the envelope provided in your regular envelope packet.

## FESTIVAL NEWS

If you are reading this and it is not yet 5 p.m. on Sunday, come on over! The fun is going on now! See next week’s Theresean for this year’s raffle winners!

**THANK YOU FOR ALL OF YOUR SUPPORT!**

# MASSES For The Week

For the Week of June 3 - 9, 2024

- 03 June Monday**  
5:30 p.m. Souls in Purgatory by John T. Kelly
- 04 June Tuesday**  
5:30 p.m. Susan Hendrix by Ladies Club
- 05 June Wednesday**  
5:30 p.m. Willie Mae (Towe) Cooley by Paul Commiskey
- 06 June Thursday**  
No Mass
- 07 June Friday**  
5:30 p.m. For the Intentions of Fr. Bob by the Legion of Mary
- 08 June Saturday – The Vigil the 10<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
5:00 p.m. Patrick & Margaret Moriarty by Michael Moriarty
- 09 June Sunday – The 10<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
9:30 a.m. Paul Tuttle by Family & Friends  
6:00 p.m. For the People

## THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

June 2 - 9, 2024

DAY	ROOM	TIME	GROUP
<b>Sunday</b>	Parish Grounds	11:00 a.m.	Summerfest
New Parishioner Registration after all Masses.			
<b>Wednesday</b>	St. Therese (Parish Center)	5:00 p.m.	SVDP
	St. Patrick (Parish Center)	7:00 p.m.	School Commission
<b>Thursday</b>	St. Therese (Parish Center)	8:00 p.m.	AA
<b>Friday</b>	St. Therese (Parish Center)	4:00 p.m.	Legion of Mary
<b>Saturday</b>	Blood Pressure Check after all Weekend Masses.		
<b>Sunday</b>	Church	9:30 a.m.	Children's Liturgy
	Duffey Hall (school café)	10:30 a.m.	Coffee and Donuts



The **Adventuresome Group** will meet on **Wednesday, June 12 following the 11:00 a.m. Mass**. This month we will be heading to the Knights of Columbus in Shelbyville, IN for an all you

can eat Salad Bar Luncheon, sponsored by the Daughters of Isabella. The cost of the luncheon will be \$15.00. Every type of salad you can imagine will be available for your eating pleasure, along with some fabulous desserts! We will carpool from Little Flower. Please call Jeannie in the Parish Center, 317-357-8352, or email [pcegg@littleflowerparish.org](mailto:pcegg@littleflowerparish.org) if you plan on attending.



Please keep our ill and homebound parishioners and friends in your thoughts and prayers, especially the following people who have requested prayers for various reasons:

Bill Ajamie, Tricia Allstatt, Fr. Mike Barton, Jane Bell, Merrill & Marylyn Blackwell, Esther Capps, Joe Clegg, Mark Clevenger, Dan Dugan, Sherri (Ruegamer) Dugger, Joanna Estes, Forestal Family, Carol Freeland, Olivia Garrison, Haydee Gloria, Katie Goodin, Margie Greene, Linda Hedges, Mary Lou Hoggatt, Lois Irwin, Carrie Jones, Bob Lawless, Bobby Leszcynski, Larry Lynch, Catherine McKenna-Sexton, Sally Meth, Gene Miller, Carol Murphy, Jimmy Murphy, Mike Payne, Ray Quinn, Bill Rathz, Judy Rathz, Mary Rector, Scott Rhinehart, Lourdes Riedeman, Bill Schlosser, Gary Walters, Janet Wilkerson.

If you get a chance, please send them a card or a note. It will brighten their day. This week we especially want to remember:

**Merrill and Marylyn Blackwell**  
11050 Presbyterian Dr #1020, Indianapolis, IN 46236

### Pray for our active military family/friends:

**Brian Ledgerwood**, serving on the USS Theodore Roosevelt, son of Diane Anderson

**Victor Franco**, serving at Malmstrom Air Force Base in Great Falls, MT.

**Matthew Hughey**, serving in Tokyo, Japan – nephew of Rita Cooning.

**Aden S. Haigerty**, United States Navy, serving with Naval Security Forces, Deveselu, Romania – nephew of Mike Haigerty.

**Javier Estrada** – United States Navy, serving in Dalgren, VA. son of Liliana Estrada, grandson of Martin and Shannon Estrada.

**Jared Cox** - United States Army at Fort Riley, Kansas, grandson of Ed and Cindy Wernsing.

**Juan Santiago** - United States Army at Fort Riley, Kansas, son of Velma Cecilio and brother of Edgar Santiago.

**Zach Meyer**, Marine Reserve in South Bend, son-in-law of Dave and Dora Hughey.

**Ian Carter**, serving on the Dwight D. Eisenhower Aircraft Carrier in the Persian Gulf, great nephew of Pauline and Charlie Graf.

If you or someone in your family is ill or serving our country and would like their name listed in the bulletin so others can pray for them, please contact Peggy Clegg at 317-357-8352 or [pcegg@littleflowerparish.org](mailto:pcegg@littleflowerparish.org).



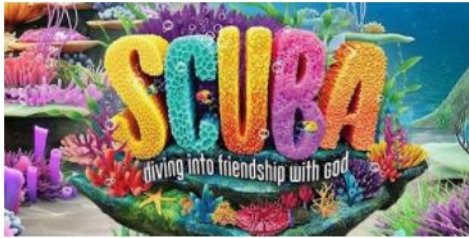
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Your Gifts of Treasure

Weekly Budget Goal	\$	13,200.00
Collection of May 25 and 26	\$	5,500.02
Electronic Contributions 5/20-5/24	\$	3,559.09
Fiscal Year 2023-2024 Actual	\$	657,619.44
Fiscal Year 2023-2024 Budget	\$	633,600.00
Fiscal Year 2023-2024 YTD	\$	24,019.44

Home Improvement Fund

March Contributions	\$	2,670.00
April Contributions	\$	2,423.00
May Contributions	\$	2,572.75



**SAVE THE DATE**  
**Vacation Bible School**  
**June 24 – 28, 2024**  
**6:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m.**

For children entering Pre-4 to 4<sup>th</sup> grade in the fall. Spend the week making friends, playing, making fun crafts, and most of all seeing Jesus in everything we do!

**Save with Early Bird Sign Up with Paid Registration!**  
**If you register and are paid before June 3, the cost is only \$15 per child or for a family of three or more \$40.00. After June 3 the activity fee will be \$20 per child. Register Early!**

**Volunteers are needed to be leaders during VBS.**  
**Please contact the parish office at 317-357-8352, or email [lgibbons@littleflowerparish.org](mailto:lgibbons@littleflowerparish.org) to register your child, or if you are interested in volunteering.**

**Little Flower Euchre Nights**

Sponsored by the Little Flower Men’s Club

**Who:** Ladies and Gents at least 21 years of age  
**Where:** Little Flower Parish Center – St. Patrick Room  
**When:** The following Thursday nights from 6:30-9:00 p.m.

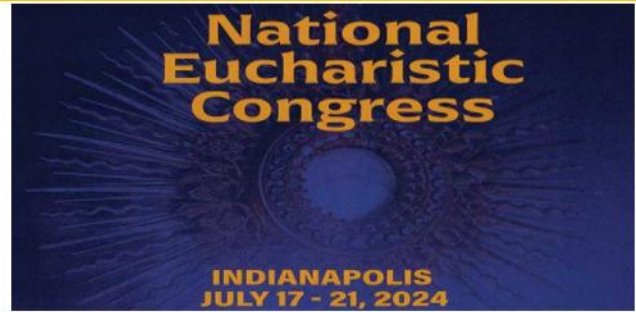
**June 13 & 27**  
**July 11 & 25**  
**August 8 & 22**

Little Flower Euchre Rules will be handed out when you register.  
 Questions – contact Chris Johnson (317) 513-8168 or [johnsojc@iupui.edu](mailto:johnsojc@iupui.edu).



The next **Baptism Preparation Class is Monday, June 17 at 7:00 p.m.**, in the Parish Center. This class is required for parents who are requesting baptism for their child and have not previously attended a preparation class.

Please call the parish center at 317-357-8352 to let us know you plan to attend. Plan ahead as the next class will not take place until August.



Over the next several weeks we will be featuring biographies of the speakers that will be at the National Eucharistic Congress in July.

**Chris Stefanick**



**BIO:**  
 Archbishop Charles J. Chaput calls Chris Stefanick “one of the most engaging defenders of the Christian faith on the scene today.” Chris’ seminars reach more than 85,000 people per year. His reality TV show, videos, and radio spots reach millions of people. He authored the Chosen: Your Journey to Confirmation program which has already formed more than 500,000 teens. A graduate of Franciscan University of Steubenville, Chris is also the founder of Real Life Catholic. He is proud to be the husband to his wife Natalie and father to their six children.

LFNA PRESENTS:

# COMMUNITY SALE

14-16 JUNE

Our neighborhood yard sales are a cherished tradition that bring together families and individuals from across the area. They provide an excellent opportunity for community members to declutter their homes, find new treasures, and most importantly, foster a sense of togetherness and community spirit. A detailed map and list of participating homes will be available on the day of the event at our Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/LittleFlowerNeighborhood>

## Mother Teresa... Faithful Disciple

A Day or Evening of Prayer and Reflection with Fr. Jim Farrell

Tuesday, June 11, 2024  
8:30am - 2:00pm

Wednesday, June 12, 2024  
5:00pm - 9:00pm

Many of us are familiar with the outline of the life of St. Mother Teresa, but few have taken time to reflect upon her way of life and her wisdom. This day or evening of reflection will give us the opportunity to do just that with Fr. Jim Farrell as our guide.

*As we ponder her life, her prayers and her words during this day or evening of reflection, may this beautiful Saint lead us to a deeper awareness of God's Love and Providence...*

Registration: \$45 per person  
Includes lunch or dinner, program and Mass

To Register online please go to [www.archindy.org/fatima](http://www.archindy.org/fatima) & click on "Program Calendar & Registration" at the top of the page OR scan the QR code to the right - scroll down to find the day or evening program. For questions about this program or if you would like to register over the phone, please contact Lisa Coons, Registrar at 317-545-7681; [lcoons@archindy.org](mailto:lcoons@archindy.org)

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The National Eucharistic Pilgrimage began on Monday, May 19 from New Haven, CT on the Seton Route and will make their way to Indianapolis for the National Eucharistic Congress July 17-21. **St. Michael in Greenfield will host the pilgrims July 12-14.**

We have planned several public events during the time the pilgrims are with us and would like to invite you to attend. Below is a schedule of events.

## EUCHARISTIC PILGRIMAGE SETON ROUTE

July 12	July 14
Exposition 11:30 a.m.	Mass 8:30 a.m.
Adoration 11:35 a.m. <i>Adoration will continue through the day and overnight.</i>	Begin procession immediately after Mass
Dinner and fellowship 5:30 - 7:00 p.m.	*End procession 10:15 a.m.
Holy Hour with reflections from Fr. Roger Landry 7:00 p.m.	*Benediction 10:20 a.m.
Confessions 8:00 p.m.	Mass 11:00 a.m.
	<small>*Times are approximate. The procession will begin in the church parking lot and will move south on Jefferson Blvd. to Winfield St. We will follow Winfield St. to Madison St. and end in the church parking lot. The total distance is about 3/4 of a mile.</small>

### July 13

Benediction 8:30 a.m.  
Mass 8:45 a.m.

Pilgrims will complete a service project at the Hancock County Food Pantry in the afternoon and then take a well deserved break for the remainder of the day.

**All are welcome to all events!  
RSVP for the dinner by July 7  
at [www.stmichaelsgrfld.org](http://www.stmichaelsgrfld.org)**

### Want to help?

Volunteers are needed to:

- help with the dinner on July 12
- provide meals for the pilgrims staying at Our Lady of the Apostles Family Center
- welcome guests and visitors attending public events

See the parish website for sign up links in the next few weeks.

St. Michael Catholic Church  
519 Jefferson Blvd, Greenfield, IN 46140

### Weekend Mass Attendance (weekly averages)

December 2019 - February 2020 (pre-pandemic)	608
June 2020 - May 2021	249
June 2021 - May 2022	434
June 2022 - May 2023	483
June 2023 - December 2023	480
Christmas Mass Attendance	1,027
January- April 2024	500
Easter Vigil/Easter Masses	806
May 1 <sup>st</sup> -19 <sup>th</sup> 2024	545

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