

SUNDAY, APRIL 20, 2025

THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

† Mass Intentions at *Little Flower Church*
 Sunday, Apr. 20 – 8:15am New Catholics
 Sunday, Apr. 20 – 10:45am Pro Populo
 *Monday, Apr. 21 – † Stanislaw Marczyk
 *Tuesday, Apr. 22 – † Merida R. Ramirez Molina
 *Wednesday, Apr. 23 - Poor Souls; Pres. Trump Admin;
 John Claxton; Randall Terry's Intention; Georjina Espinoza
 *Thursday, Apr. 24 – Pobres Almas (Poor Souls)
 *Friday, Apr. 25 - † Jean Baker
 Saturday, Apr. 26 – 8:15am Intentions of Fr. Gonzalez
 Sunday, Apr. 27 – 8:15am † Esperanza Llanes
 Sunday, Apr. 27 – 10:45am Pro Populo

***NO DAILY MASSES THIS WEEK:** Monday, April 21 - Friday, April 25. The next Mass will be this Saturday, April 26 at 8:15 am. All Mass intentions will be fulfilled.



DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY
 Join us as we close the Easter Octave with **Vespers and Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament at 3 pm on Sunday, April 27.** We will pray the chaplet of Divine Mercy and Father will be available for confessions. We will close with Vespers and Benediction at 4 pm.

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. .

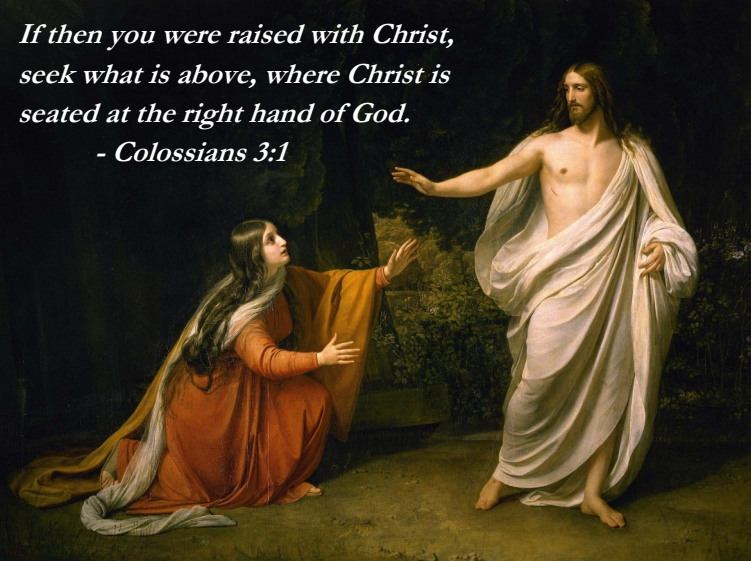
Sanctuary Candle Dedication

The candles that burn before the Blessed Sacrament in red globes are weekly offerings to God for particular intentions. We have 2 week candles for \$20 and 1 week for \$10. Candle offering envelopes can be found in the votive candle stands.

- 2 Week Candles / Veladoras de 2 Semanas Little Flower / Santa Teresita:**
1. Familia Murguía Cermeño
 2. New Catholics of Our Parish
 3. † Juan Carlos Coss Vargas
- Blessed Sacrament Chapel / Santisimo Sacramento:**
1. In Reparation for Lukewarm Christians



† Mass Intentions at *Blessed Sacrament Chapel*
 Saturday, Apr. 19 – 8:00pm (LF) Easter Graces for the Parish
 Sunday, Apr. 20 – 1:45pm † Maria del Refugio Guerrero
 Saturday, Apr. 26 – 4:00pm Poor Souls; Conversion of USA; Elijah Oltremari; Israel Oltremari
 Sunday, Apr. 27 – 1:45pm Vazquez-Guerrero Family



If then you were raised with Christ, seek what is above, where Christ is seated at the right hand of God.
 - Colossians 3:1

Weekly Offerings (Sunday Apr. 6, 2025) Fiscal Year 07/24 - 6/25

General:	\$4,635.51	YTD:	\$138,590.08
Building:	\$235	YTD:	\$20,431
St. Martin:	\$480	YTD:	\$24,052.07

ST. JOSEPH'S PROJECTS PHASE ONE 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: \$200,674.72

Today's 2nd Collection is for the Holy Name Society
"When we give to God, we are just taking our hands off what already belongs to Him."

Dedicación de la Vela del Santuario

Las velas que arden antes del Santísimo Sacramento en globos rojos son ofrendas con intenciones particulares. Tenemos velas de 2 semanas por \$20 y de 1 semana por \$10. Los sobres de ofrenda se pueden encontrar donde están las veladoras.

- 1 Week Candles / Veladoras de 1 Semana Little Flower / Santa Teresita:**
1. Conversion of Family Members
 2. Graces for Fr. Gonzalez
- Blessed Sacrament Chapel / Santisimo Sacramento:**
1. Easter Graces for Our Families
 2. Benefactors of the Parish

OUR BLESSED LORD compared Himself to a seed, saying that unless the seed fell to the ground and died, it would not spring forth to life. He now by the power of God rises with the flowers of springtime in the newness of life, and gives to the earth the only serious wound it ever received - the irreparable wound of an empty grave.

The birth of the Son of God in the form of man was announced to a Virgin; the first announcement of His Resurrection was made to a repentant sinner, Magdalen, that none of us would be without hope. Thomas the Apostle would not believe until he had put his hand into His side, and his fingers into our Lord's hands. Thus do we know that our Lord kept not His wounds but His scars as proof of His love: "With these was I wounded in the house of those who love Me." (Zechariah 13:6)

The Resurrection begins to affect our lives the day of Baptism. When baptized, we are plunged into the waters as if "buried in the sepulcher to sin and death; emerging from the waters clothed with grace as the principle of Divine Love, we are like the Christ rising from the tomb in the glory of the Resurrection." Though we are risen in spirit with Christ, so that "our conversation is in heaven," our bodies will not share that glory until our own final resurrection. In the meantime our body must be crucified with Christ's that we may rise with Christ. On the road to Emmaus on Easter Sunday, our Lord said to His disciples, "Was it not to be expected that the Christ should undergo these sufferings, and enter so into His glory?" But if that be the law of Innocence, then how shall we, the guilty, hope to escape from it?



- from *Meditations on the Mysteries of the Rosary* by Ven. Fulton J. Sheen

LOS ANUNCIOS DE MATRIMONIO: Sea notado por todos que **José Eduardo Espinoza**, hijo de José Cruz Espinoza y Manuela Saucedo, de nuestra Parroquia de Santa Teresita y **Erika Ortega Romero**, hija de Luis Ortega y Rosalía Romero, de la misma Parroquia tienen la intención de unirse en Santo Matrimonio.

Por lo que, por la presente amonestamos a todos y cada uno que, si alguien tiene conocimiento de algún impedimento existente que les impida casarse, ya sea un impedimento de parentesco de sangre, parentesco a través del matrimonio, parentesco espiritual o de cualquier otra clase, está obligado a hacerlo saber al Párroco o al Obispo lo antes posible.

THE BANNNS OF MARRIAGE: Be it known to all that **Jose Eduardo Espinoza**, son of Jose Cruz Espinoza and Manuela Saucedo, of our Parish of St. Theresa the Little Flower and **Erika Ortega Romero**, daughter of Luis Ortega and Rosalia Romero, of the selfsame Parish intend to be united in Holy Matrimony.

Wherefore, we hereby admonish each and all that, if anyone has knowledge of an impediment existing which would prevent their marrying, whether it be an impediment of blood relationship, relationship through marriage, spiritual relationship, or of any other kind, you are bound to make it known to the Pastor or the Bishop as soon as possible.

MAY CROWNING & PARISH POTLUCK FOR MOTHERS

Sunday, May 4th
 following the 10:45 a.m. Mass. Bring flowers for Our Blessed Mother and a dish for our Moms!

Easter Egg Hunt for the kids THIS MORNING! Between 8:15 & 10:45 Masses

Donut Social Next Sunday, April 27 after 10:45 a.m. Mass.

Make sure to join in the *Annual Catholic Appeal!*
 We can all give, even if only \$1, so **PARTICIPATE!**

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

FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT: "Witness to Hope: The Life of Karol Wojtyla, Pope John Paul II" Friday, April 25 at 6:30 PM.

We will have concessions for sale, but bring your own dinner. Proceeds go to help our Parish Religious Education which helps teach our Catholic faith to all ages.