

SUNDAY, APRIL 27, 2025 SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER



† Mass Intentions at Little Flower Church

Sunday, Apr. 27 – 8:15am Sunday, Apr. 27 – 10:45am Monday, Apr. 28 – 8:15am Tuesday, Apr. 29 - 8:15am Wednesday, Apr. 30 - 8:15am

Thursday, May 1 – 8:15am Friday, May 2 - 8:15am Friday, May 2 - 6:00pm Saturday, May 3 – 8:15am Sunday, May 4 – 8:15am Sunday, May 4 – 10:45am

† Esperanza Llanes Pro Populo Pobres Almas (Poor Souls) Blessings for Laurie Lewandowski Poor Souls; Pres. Trump Admin; Special Intention of Randall Terry Sunday, May 4 – 1:45pm Sanctification of little Joseph Holy Souls Memorial Reparation to the Sacred Heart Reparation to the Immac. Heart Sanctification of LF Parish

Please note: Office will be closed this Wednesday, April 30th

Pro Populo

Donut Social *TODAY* after 10:45 a.m. Mass.



DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY Join us as we close the Easter Octave with **Vespers and Exposition of the Most Blessed** Sacrament TODAY at 3PM!

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

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

2 Week Candles / Veladoras de 2 Semanas

Little Flower: Familia Murguia Cermeño; New Catholics of Our Parish; † Juan Carlos Coss Vargas

Blessed Sacrament Chapel: In Reparation for Lukewarm Christians

1 Week Candles / Veladoras de 1 Semana Little Flower: † Bruce Graham; † Collin Wood

Blessed Sacrament Chapel: Families of the Parish; Benefactors of the Parish

† Mass Intentions at Blessed Sacrament Chapel

Saturday, Apr. 26 – 4:00pm

Sunday, Apr. 27 – 1:45pm Saturday, May 3 – 4:00pm

Poor Souls; Conversion of USA; Elijah Oltremari; Israel Oltremari Vazquez-Guerrero Family Poor Souls; Conversion of USA; Jose Cruz Espinoza; †Jean Baker † Maria del Refugio Guerrero



"They even carried the sick out into the streets and laid them on cots and mats so that when Peter came by, at least his shadow might fall on one or another of them." - Acts 5: 15

Weekly Offerings (Sunday Apr. 13, 2025) Fiscal Year 07/24 - 6/25

General: \$3,165.52 **YTD:** \$141,755.60 \$1,065 **YTD:** \$21,496 **Building:** YTD: \$25,058.20 **St. Martin:** \$1,006.13

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: \$203,300.44

Today's 2nd Collection is for the Catholic Home **Missions**

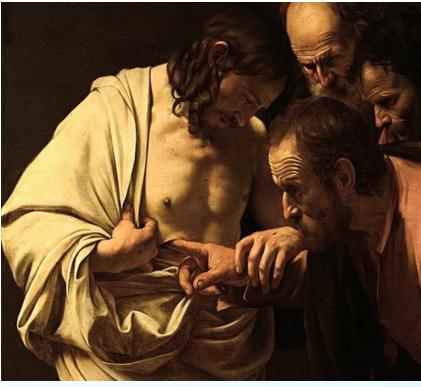
"Give to God what's right--not what's left."



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

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

BLESSING OF SACRAMENTALS: Saturday, May 31 after the 8:15 a.m. Mass. The next one after this will be in August. Remember, this is for parishioners only!



'THERE ARE SOME WHO WILL NOT BELIEVE even when they see, such as Pharaoh; others believe only when they see. Above both these types the Lord God placed those who had not seen and yet believed. Noah had been warned by God of the things that had not yet come to pass; he believed as he prepared his ark. Abraham went out of his own home not knowing whither he went, but still trusting in the God who promised that he would be the father of a progeny more numerous than the sands of the seas. If Thomas had believed through the testimony of his fellow disciples, his faith in Christ would have been greater; for Thomas had often heard his Lord say that He would be crucified and rise again. He also knew from the Scriptures that the Crucifixion was the fulfillment of a prophecy, but he wanted the additional testimony of the senses.

Thomas thought that he was doing the right thing in demanding the full evidence of sensible proof, but what would become of future generations if the same evidence was to be demanded by them? The future believers, the Lord implied, must accept the fact of the Resurrection from those who had been with

Him. Our Lord thus pictured the faith of believers after the apostolic age when there would be none who would have seen it, but their faith would have a foundation because the Apostles themselves had seen the Risen Christ. They saw that the faithful might be able to do so without seeing, believing on their testimony. The Apostles were happy men, not just because they had seen Our Lord and believed, they were far happier when they fully understood the mystery of Redemption and so lived in it, and even had their throats cut for the reality of the Resurrection. Some gratitude must always, however, be credited to Thomas, who touched Christ as a man, but believed in Him as God." - Ven. Fulton J. Sheen, Life of Christ

