



SUNDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2025

29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



† Mass Intentions at *Little Flower*

Sunday, Oct 19 – 8:15am	Anniversary of Chuck & Char Claxton
Sunday, Oct 19 – 10:45am	Pro Populo
Monday, Oct 20 – 8:15am	Poor Souls
Tuesday, Oct 21 – 5:30pm	Intentions of Fr. Gonzalez
Wednesday, Oct 22 – 8:15am	†Pat Collins; Poor Souls; †Charles Claxton, Sr.
Thursday, Oct 23 - 8:15am	Janet Claxton
Friday, Oct 24 - 8:15am	Martha Claxton
Saturday, Oct 25 - 8:15am	Religious Vocation from LF
Sunday, Oct 26 – 8:15am	†Jonas Carter
Sunday, Oct 26 – 10:45am	Pro Populo



ALTAR FLOWERS OFFERED IN MEMORY OF ZACHARY TRACE

Please contact the Office if you would like to donate the flowers offered to Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament in honor or in memory of a loved one. Memorials will be published in the bulletin.

Please Pray For:

Shawn Canale, Jeanine Hilbert, Vanessa Jones, Helen Johnson, Shane Canale Jr., Michael Valdejuli, Ann Shorter, Megan Rogers, Whit and Carolyn Bell

Sanctuary Candle Dedication 2 WEEKS: \$20 & 1 WEEK: \$10

Candles Burn This Week For:

In Honor of Our Lady of Sorrows

† J. Guadalupe Longoria Samaniego

Benefactors of the Parish

Charles Claxton

† Juan Carlos Coss Vargas

Guillermo Ramos

Protection of Our Parish



† Mass Intentions at *Blessed Sacrament*

Saturday, Oct 18 - 4:00pm	Poor Souls; †Pat Collins; Ann Shorter
Sunday, Oct 19 – 1:45pm	Vazquez-Guerrero Family
Saturday, Oct 25 - 4:00pm	Poor Souls; †Pat Collins;
Sunday, Oct 19 – 1:45pm	†Maria del Refugio Guerrero



As long as Moses kept his hands raised up, Israel had the better of the fight...Moses' hands, however, grew tired; so they put a rock in place for him to sit on. Meanwhile Aaron and Hur supported his hands, one on one side and one on the other, so that his hands remained steady till sunset. And Joshua mowed down Amalek and his people with the edge of the sword.
Exodus 17:8-13

Weekly Offerings (Sunday October 5, 2025)

General:	\$3,935.65	YTD: \$48,857.05
Building:	\$375	YTD: \$4,650.78
St. Martin:	\$310	YTD: \$11,938.24

ST. JOSEPH'S PROJECTS COLLECTION:

Repairing our church as we look forward to the 100 year anniversary of Little Flower parish. Campaign to Date Total as of this Fiscal Year: \$27,237

Second Collection is for St. Joseph's Projects

Persevere in prayer AND in tithing, for Jesus praised the widows for these two things.

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HIS SUNDAY'S LITURGY offers us a fundamental teaching: the necessity to pray always, and without repining. Sometimes we grow tired of prayer; we take the view prayer is not useful for life, that it is not effective. Thus, we are tempted to dedicate ourselves to activity, to employ every human method to accomplish our goals; and we neglect God. But Jesus says we must pray always, and he does this through a specific parable. (cf. Luke 18:1-8)

This parable speaks of a judge who does not fear God and who respects no one; a judge with a negative attitude, who pursues only his own interests. He does not fear God's judgment; he does not respect his neighbor. The other figure is a widow, someone who is weak. In the Bible, widows and orphans are the most needy, because the most defenseless and without means. The widow goes to the judge and asks for justice. Her prospects of being heeded are almost non-existent; the judge despises her and she cannot pressure him. She cannot even appeal to religious principles because he does not fear God. She seems deprived of all recourse. But she persists; she does not tire; she harasses the judge, and so, in the end, succeeds in obtaining what she desires. Here, using an a fortiori argument, Jesus reflects: if a dishonest judge may allow himself to be convinced by the entreaties of a widow, how much more will God, who is Good, listen to those who beseech Him. God in fact is generosity personified; He is merciful; is always disposed to listen to those who beseech Him in prayer. Hence, we must never give up hope; we must always persist in prayer.

The conclusion of the Gospel passage speaks of faith: When the Son of Man comes, will he find any faith left on earth? (Luke 18:8). Our Lord intends the question to awaken a growth of faith in us. It is clear, in fact, that prayer must be an expression of faith, else it would not be true prayer. If one does not believe in the goodness of God, he cannot pray adequately. Faith is the basis of prayer.

- from a Homily of Pope Benedict XVI, October 17, 2010

ALL-SAINTS & ALL-SOULS SCHEDULE



ALL-HALLOWS EVE

Friday, October 31:
5 PM First Vespers

followed by All-Saints Gaud - 5:45 PM

ALL-SAINTS DAY

Saturday, November 1:
8:15 AM High Mass
4 PM (at Blessed Sacrament)

ALL-SOULS DAY

Sunday, November 2:
10:45 AM High Mass
1:45 PM (Spanish at Bl. Sacrament)

Monday, November 3:
6 PM Requiem Mass



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October 2025

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