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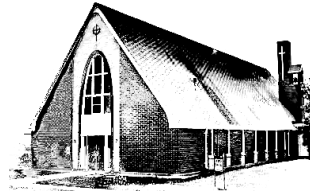


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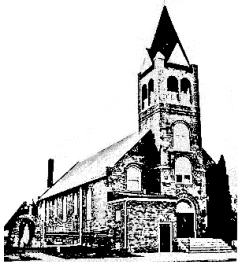
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OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL

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St. Therese Little Flower Parish

Rectory: 776-6388
Parish Office: 776-6388
www.littleflowerrugby.org

Eucharistic Liturgies

Saturday Vigil 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 8:00 a.m.
Sunday 10:30 a.m.
Weekday Mass as scheduled on back page

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 8:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.
Saturday 4:15 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.
Tuesday 6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Eucharistic Adoration

Monday 5:45 p.m. - midnight
Tuesday 8:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Thursday 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

If a funeral is scheduled at 11am adoration begins at 1:00pm; if a funeral is scheduled at 2:00pm adoration will be from 8:00am - noon.

TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME JUNE 23, 2024 THE HISTORIAN VOL. 47 NO. 25

Message from our Pastor

The Greatest Love Story

Create: You are not an accident. The God who created the universe, who set the moon and stars in place, loves YOU and chose YOU, even before the world was formed.

He knows you better than you know yourself, and he loves you simply because you are YOU. There are no conditions on his love: at every moment you are infinitely loved by him.
You are dear to him.

Fallen: The original harmony between us and God was shattered when sin entered the world. Even though God's understanding is beyond human reason, Adam and Eve refused to trust his omniscience and took it upon themselves to be their own gods, choosing themselves above their creator.

We continue to turn our back on God, selfishly distorting the good gifts he has given us. Our sin has torn at the very fabric of creation, allowing disease, darkness, and death to inundate our world. Our relationship with God has been ruptured. Refusing to follow God's plan of love, we have been enslaved to sin.

Saved: God loves us so much that he became man and died for us. Christ outstretched his arms and submitted to death to reconcile us to his Father. Death and sin do not have the final word: Christ's Resurrection opens for us the doors to new life in him.

Christ's sacrifice and victory transcends space and time, and it is made present on the altar at every Mass! No one is excluded from his offer of love and mercy, no matter how great a sinner we might be! This includes YOU.

Restored: Jesus has opened the door for you, and through his Church, he invites you into a personal relationship with God, but God won't force you to choose him.

Christ comes to us in the Eucharist, offering himself to us: Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity. He nourishes us, offering himself as "our daily bread." It is easy for us to overlook this extraordinary gift. Even people who go to Mass each Sunday forget that Jesus is not merely symbolically present, but truly and substantially.

It's time for us to entrust ourselves to the One who gave his life for us and invites us to encounter him in the Eucharist. It's time for a Eucharistic Revival.

(www.eucharisticrevival.org)



St. Mary's Parish
Eucharistic Liturgy
Sunday 8:30 a.m.



Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Parish
Eucharistic Liturgy
Sunday 10:30 a.m.
Wednesday 9:00 a.m.



Infant Baptism
Please contact priest before birth or selecting baptismal sponsors.

Marriage Preparation
Prior to setting a wedding date, at least six months in advance, please arrange a first meeting with one of our priests.

New Parishioners
Please register at the parish office 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. or contact the parish office.

Communion to the Sick & Homebound
Parish ministers bring the Holy Eucharist to the homebound and the hospitalized. Please call the parish office to arrange for visitation.

Anointing of the Sick
Please contact a priest when hospitalized or preparing for surgery or significant medical procedure.

Bulletin announcement deadline:
Noon on Wednesday

TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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WEEKLY EVENTS

Sunday, June 23

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- Little Flower Mass 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM
- St. Mary's Mass 8:30 AM
- Our Lady of Mount Carmel Mass 10:30 AM

Monday, June 24

- Little Flower Mass at 7:30 AM and 5:15 PM
- Adoration 5:45 PM - midnight
- Cor Christi Missionary XLT 4:00 - 6:30 PM

Tuesday, June 25

- Little Flower Mass 7:30 AM
- Adoration 8:00 AM - 9:00 PM
- Haaland Home Mass 9:00 AM
- LF Confession 6:30 - 7:30 PM

Wednesday, June 26

- Little Flower Mass 7:30 AM and 5:15 PM
- Our Lady of Mount Carmel Mass 9:00 AM
- St. Mary's Blood Drive 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Thursday, June 27

- Little Flower Mass 7:30 AM
- Adoration 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM
- Haaland Home Mass 9:00 AM
- Hospital Mass 10:30 AM
- Saint Vincent de Paul meeting 7:00 PM

Friday, June 28

- Little Flower Mass 7:30 AM
- Little Flower Mass 9:00 AM with fellowship in Dorothy's Room following
- Robert Koble Funeral Mass 11:00 AM
- Fireworks Fundraiser 9:00 AM - 9:00 PM

Saturday, June 29

- Little Flower Mass 8:00 AM
- Confession 8:30 - 10:30 AM; 4:15 - 4:45 PM
- Little Flower Vigil Mass 5:00 PM
- Fifth Saturday Potluck following 5 PM Mass
- Fireworks Fundraiser 9:00 AM - 9:00 PM

Sunday, June 30

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- Little Flower Mass 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM
- St. Mary's Mass 8:30 AM
- Our Lady of Mount Carmel Mass 10:30 AM
- OLMC Parish Council meeting after Mass

Attention CYO Parents: Share this with your teens to come hang out with the Cor Christi Missionary XLT team from the Diocese of Fargo on Monday, June 24, 2024 from 4:00 - 6:30 PM. We will meet at the High School Football field at 4:00 PM for Ultimate Frisbee followed with supper at Little Flower Church with a keynote speaker and Adoration. XLT stands for exalt. Let's all have some fun while lifting up our Lord!! This is a free event for all youth in grades 6-12. If you would like more details or to sign-up please email Brady Borslien at the Diocese of Fargo at brady.borslien@fargodiocese.org or contact Lisa Volk-Little Flower CYO Coordinator at 701-583-2338.

Beginning Tuesday, June 25 the sacrament of Reconciliation will be offered from 6:30 - 7:30 PM at Little Flower.



St Mary's is sponsoring a blood drive on Wednesday, June 26 at the Evangelical Free Church from 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM. Contact Wanda Follman at 583-2382 with any questions.



The St. Therese the Little Flower Conference of the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul will be meeting on Thursday, June 27 at 7:00 PM in Dorothy's Room.

Little Flower, St. Mary's and Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parishes extend our condolences to the family of Robert Koble whose funeral will be on Friday, June 28 at 11:00 AM at Little Flower. May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in the peace of Christ.



Fifth Saturday Summer Potluck and Bingo Party on Saturday, June 29 following the 5:00 PM Mass. Bring a potluck food item to share and enjoy an evening of good food, bingo and great fellowship with friends. Everyone is welcome.

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish Council meeting following Mass on Sunday, June 30.



Please consider supporting the Little House Childcare Fundraiser when purchasing fireworks for your 4th of July celebration. We will be selling fireworks from June 28 - July 5, (except Sunday, June 30) on the SW corner of Hwy 2 & 3 from 9:00 AM - 9:00 PM. Volunteers are needed to unpack,

price, setup and sell the fireworks. Please sign up on the sheets at the church entrances. Your assistance is greatly appreciated.

Wedding Banns: Alissa Volk and Westen Feickert will be united in marriage on July 6, 2024 at Little Flower Church.

There are openings to sponsor the 8:00 AM Sunday Mass on KZZJ 1450 AM and 92.1 FM radio beginning on July 28. The total cost is \$75.00; the broadcast is \$65.00 and the Mass stipend \$10.00 and may be made in memory of loved ones or in honor of special occasions. To sponsor a broadcast please contact the parish office at 776-6388 or drop the information in the collection basket. Mass intention/KZZJ broadcast forms are available on the table at the front entrances of the church.

Little Flower Choir CDs are still available! A recording was made in honor of the legacy of Little Flower Choir and in memory of Robert Graber. It has favorite music from both the mixed and ladies choirs, as well as archived music of Robert. It also contains music sung by James Maertens and Lexi Birnbaum. If interested stop by the parish office and pick up your copy/copies for a free will offering.

Our Lady of Mount Carmel, THANK YOU to everyone who came and worked so hard to get the general cleaning done, upstairs, downstairs and the church yard. Thank you very much for a job well done.

Little Flower Parish is seeking a Director of Religious Education for the upcoming 2024-2025 school year. Contact Rebecca Leier or Fr. Frank Miller at 776-6388 for additional information regarding this 10-month position.

The Diocese of Fargo will be hosting the Made for Greatness Men's Leadership Summit on June 28-30 at Stiklestad Lodge near Fort Ransom, ND. The Summit will form and equip parish groups of men to step into the breach and call forth a renewal of Catholic masculinity right where they live. Through spiritual formation, leadership training, and practical "how-to's" men will be given all they need to begin preparations for building a dynamic brotherhood of men - men who are striving to be the husbands, fathers, brothers, and men of God that they are called to be. **Visit www.fargodiocese.org/mfg to find out more.**

Putt 4 a Purpose - Golf Event. Bishop John Folda invites you to Putt for a Purpose, at the 18th Annual Bishop's Charity Golf Classic, benefiting Seminarian Education and Youth Programs. Join the fun and fellowship by heading to Rose Creek Golf Course in south Fargo on **Monday, August 5** for a round of golf, dinner and prizes. Register three golfers and bring your Priest, Deacon or Seminarian as your 4th player for free. If you are not a golfer, please consider sponsoring a priest or seminarian or a hole on the golf course. Your contribution will help support the event and defray costs. Register online at: www.fargodiocese.org/puttpurpose. For further information, please contact Steve Schons in the Stewardship and Development Office at steve.schons@fargodiocese.org or 701-356-7926.

Bishop Folda invites the people of the Diocese of Fargo to join him at the Jamestown Civic Center on September 6-7 for the Redeemed Eucharistic Congress. This two-day Eucharistic event will serve as the local diocesan launch of the National Eucharistic Revival's Year of Mission. An impressive slate of speakers such as Dr. Scott Hahn, Julianne Stanz, and Msgr. Thomas Richter will usher us deep into an encounter with Our Eucharistic Lord so that we can bring Jesus Christ out into the world. In addition to powerful presentations, the Congress will begin with a Eucharistic procession from St. James Basilica to the Jamestown Civic Center and will feature Holy Mass with Bishop Folda, Eucharistic Adoration, opportunities for confession, and a Eucharistic healing service. This is a chance for the people of our diocese to come together in worship of Christ the Lord as we beg for an outpouring of grace and renewal in our area. You can secure your place at this historic event by visiting www.fargodiocese.org/redeemed. (The deadline for the early registration discount ends August 1, so be sure to claim your spot now.)

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- Knights of Columbus**
 Brian Blessum, Grand Knight
- Christian Mothers**
 Theone Stevenson, President
- Catholic Daughters**
 Dorice Duchscherer, Regent
- Parish Music Ministry**
 Glenda Mack - 776-5179
- Society of Saint Vincent de Paul**
 Deb Black, President 681-0192



- St. Mary's Catholic Church**
- Religious Education**
 Lisa Volk
- Parish Council**
 Kenny Bohl
- St. Mary's Ladies Society**
 Kristen Bohl
- Parish Music Ministry**
 Susan Hoffert



- Our Lady of Mt. Carmel**
- Religious Education**
 Samantha Wentz
- Parish Council**
 Pete Burgard
- Altar Society**
 Bernice Axtman 542-3385
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 Deacon Jonathan Brewer
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2024 GOD'S GIFT APPEAL

**Diocese of Fargo
Capital Campaign**

STEWARDSHIP OFFERING

June 15-16, 2024	2024	2023
Little Flower	\$6,530.00	\$5,709.00
June 16, 2024	Week	Year to Date
St. Mary's	\$258.59	\$5,938.24
OLMC	\$	\$5,587.00

Little Flower	Year to Date
Goal	\$65,993
Pledged	\$49,710
St. Mary's	
Goal	\$4,556
Pledged	\$1,830
OLMC	
Goal	\$9,147
Pledged	\$7,925

Little Flower	Year to Date
Goal	\$489,716
Pledged	\$265,497
St. Mary's	
Goal	\$22,891
Pledged	\$6,900
OLMC	
Goal	\$42,604
Pledged	\$14,500

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becoming a sponsor of the Little
Flower Historian please contact
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776-6388.**



Mass Schedule (LF-Little Flower; SM-St. Mary; OLMC-Our Lady of Mt. Carmel; HE-Haaland Estates; HOSP - Hospital)

Monday, June 24
7:30 AM (LF)
5:15 PM (LF)
5:45 PM (LF)

Is 49:1-6; Acts 13:22-26; Lk 1:57-66, 80 Nativity of St. John the Baptist
† Pius and Regardia Schaan and son, Duane by family
† Agnes Heilman by Delilah Scherr
Adoration

Tuesday, June 25
7:30 AM (LF)
8:00 AM (LF)
9:00 AM (HE)

2 Kgs 19:9b-11, 14-21, 31-35a, 36: Mt 7:6, 12-14
† Roy and Janice Pfeifer and deceased ancestors by family
Adoration
† George and Elizabeth Leier by Ray and Diane Leier and family

Wednesday, June 26
7:30 AM (LF)
9:00 AM (OLMC)
5:15 PM (LF)

2 Kgs 22:8-13; 23:1-3; Mt 7:15-20
† Bruce Baumann by Myrna Baumann and family
† Betty Zacher by Pat and Dick Jensen
† Richard Volk by the Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Thursday, June 27
7:30 AM (LF)
8:00 AM (LF)
9:00 AM (HE)
10:30 AM (Hosp)

2 Kgs 24:8-17; Mt 7:21-29 Saint Cyril of Alexandria
† Gerald Wolf by Ray and Diane Leier
Adoration
† Daniel Koenig by Delores Koenig
† Fr. Al Bitz

Friday, June 28
7:30 AM (LF)
9:00 AM (LF)
11:00 AM (LF)

2 Kgs 25:1-12; Mt 8:1-4 St. Irenaeus
† Kathryn Busch by Walt and Angie Busch
† Dennis Muffenbier by Richard and Arlene Schmaltz
† Robert Koble Funeral Mass

Saturday, June 29
8:00 AM (LF)

Acts 12:1-11; 2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18; Mt 16:13-19 Saints Peter and Paul
† Mike Brossart by Rita Graber
Wis 1:13-15; 2:23-24; 2 Cor 8:7, 9,13-15; Mk 5:21-43 Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Fr. Frank Miller and Fr. John Aerts for their service to LF parishioners by
Chuck and Linda Duchscher

Sunday, June 30
8:00 AM (LF)
8:30 AM (SM)
10:30 AM (LF)
10:30 AM (OLMC)

Wis 1:13-15; 2:23-24; 2 Cor 8:7, 9,13-15; Mk 5:21-43 Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
† Raymond and Rosanna Heilman by family
† Glen Miller by friends and family
† Daniel Koenig by Brian and Sue Blessum
Mass for the People

The broadcast of the 8:00 AM Sunday Mass on 1450 KZZJ AM and 92.1 FM is sponsored in memory of Raymond and Rosanna Heilman by family

SERVING OUR PARISHES JUNE 29-30

St. Therese	Altar Servers		Lector	Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion		
5:00 PM Saturday	Volunteers Needed		Chuck Teigen	Joyce Teigen Chuck Teigen		
8:00 AM Sunday	Volunteers Needed		Rose Schneibel	Valerie Bachmeier		
10:30 AM Sunday	Xavier Fritel Lyric Fritel Finnley Zwingel		Vernice Brossart	Brian Blessum Sue Blessum		
St. Mary	Sacristan/Reader	Altar Servers	Ushers	EMHC	Gifts	Church Cleaning
8:30 AM Sunday	Charlet Bohl Chris Brossart	Bently Bohl Bryant Bohl Brookelynn Bohl	Joe Bohl Tim Sattler	Bob Fritel	Jerald Bohl Family	General Cleaning
Our Lady of Mt. Carmel	Lector	Altar Servers	EMHC	Church Care		
10:30 AM Sunday	Julie Baustad	Caleb Schaan Meagan Schaan	Diane Muffenbier	General Cleaning		