

The Shrine Of The Little Flower

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MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKEND: Saturday - 4:00 PM
Sunday - 7:00 - 9:00 - 11:00 AM

HOLY DAY: As Announced in the Bulletin
WEEKDAY: 8:00 AM Monday through Saturday
FIRST FRIDAY: 8:00 AM Adoration from 8:30 through 10AM

NOVENA MASS:

Miraculous Medal Novena and Mass, Monday evening,
7:30 P.M.

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE:

Saturday: 3:00 to 4:00 P.M.
Other times as announced in the bulletin.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

Second Sunday of the month at 12:15 P.M. Please call the
Rectory for information concerning Baptismal instruction for
parents and for registration.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:

Couples planning to be married should contact the priest at
least 6 months in advance.

CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS:

Persons interested in inquiring about the faith should call the
Rectory - 410-483-1700.

RELIGION CLASSES:

For public school children in the Religious Education Center:
Pre-K to 8, Saturday morning at 10:00 A.M.
To register, contact the Rectory, 410-483-1700.

THE SICK:

Please notify the Rectory when a member of the parish is in
the hospital, or is unable to attend Church and wishes to
receive Holy Communion at home.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP:

The use of Church envelopes is the responsible way to support
your Parish. Parishioners are requested to register at the
Rectory Office, Monday through Friday, 9:00 A.M. to 3:30 P.M.
or complete the following form:

Name _____

Street _____

Phone: _____ Zip _____

Check:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> New Registration | <input type="checkbox"/> Moving out of Parish |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Change of Address | <input type="checkbox"/> Want Envelopes |

Please cut out and drop in the Collection Box or mail to Rectory.

(BULLETIN DEADLINE — MONDAY, 12:00 NOON)

SHRINE of the LITTLE FLOWER
10th SUNDAY OF Ordinary Time

June 4 & 5, 2016

1 Kgs 17:1-6 Ps 121:1b-8 Mt 5:1-12
Tuesday, June 7 | Kgs 17:7-16 Ps 4:2-5, 7b-8 Mt 5:13-16
Wednesday, June 8 Kgs 18:20-39 Ps 16:1b-2b 4-5b
,8,11 Mt 5:17-19
Thursday, June 9 St. Ephrem, Deacon, Doctor
Kgs 18:41-46 Ps 65:10-13 Mt 5:20-26
Friday, June 10 Kgs 19:9a, 11-16 Ps 27:7-9c
Saturday, June 11 Saint Barnabas, Apostle
Acts 11:21b-26, 13:1-3 Ps 98:1-6 Mt 5:33-37
Sunday, June 12 Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
2Sm 12:7-10,13 Ps 32:1-2,5,7,11 Gal 2:16, 19-21 Lk 7:36-8.3

SACRIFICIAL GIVING May 28 & 29)

Envelopes:(108) \$3050 avg. per envelope 28.24
Loose 484
Total: \$3534

POOR BOX

Weekend (4-28-29) **St. Vincent DePaul Society =263**
Weekend (6-5-6/6) **St. Vincent's**
Weekend (6/11-6/12) **St. Vincent's**

**The Lord is my light and my
salvation; whom shall I fear? The
Lord is the stronghold of my life;
whom should I dread? When those
who do evil draw near, they stumble
and fall.**

*O, God from whom all good
things come, grant that we, who
call on you in need, may at your
prompting discern what is right,
and by your guidance do it.*

*Through our Lord Jesus Christ,
your son, who lives and reigns
with you in the unity of the
Holy Spirit one God forever and
ever. Amen*

**I have been teased over
the years about how fast I
walk. A work colleague even named me
Flash for running by his Office "in a flash"**

every day. He claimed no one wanted to get in my way for fear of being run over. I do walk quickly, and it probably has to do with my predilection for getting a lot done in little time, I'm all about efficiency. But in my single-minded focus, I can miss opportunities to connect, help, or simply be present to someone- a colleague, my spouse, or even a stranger. When I take time to stop, I have remarkable moments of holy companionship. Jesus, while not necessarily a divine speed-walker, was heading to Nain in today's Gospel, probably with a particular destination in mind. He could have easily walked by the passing funeral procession, But Jesus was deeply moved by this grieving widow. Jesus not only interrupts his plans-he touches the women's dead son, rendering Jesus ritually unclean.

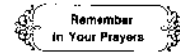
Yet this risky action brings life-not just to the man, but also to his mother, whose legal standing in society was dependent on her son's. Her life is also restored. Jesus' actions remind us the while our plans and projects are good, God is regularly found in interruptions-if we're willing to stop and risk reaching out. Instead of speeding past the homeless man, might we stop and invite him for a sandwich? Instead of deftly the coworker who always has family problems to share, might we take time to listen with real empathy?

Let the interruptions come-God may be bringing new life to someone through you.

Janel Esker

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PRO-LIFE CORNER

At his installation as Pope on March 19, 2013 Pope Francis preached the following words, which show us why we as a Church reject abortion and euthanasia, which kills the vulnerable rather than protect them: "The vocation of being a "protector" is not just something involving us Christians alone. It also has a prior dimension which is simply human, involving everyone. It means protecting all creation, the beauty of the created world, as the Book of Genesis tells us and as Saint Francis of Assisi showed us. It means respecting each of God's creatures and respecting the environment in which we live. It means protecting people, showing loving concern for each and every person, especially children, the elderly, those in need who are often the last we think about. It means caring for one another in our families: husbands and wives first protect one another, and then, as parents, they care for their children, and children themselves, in time protect their parents."

INTERCESSION FOR LIFE

That the world may see clearly the love we have for the poor, the sick, the oppressed and the unborn.

LET US PRAY TO THE LORD

www.priestsforlife.org



Let us always remember and pray for **all** the souls of the faithful departed, may they rest in Christ's Peace. Let us also pray for the **recently** deceased in our parish and community, and for their loved ones, that they may be consoled by God's Tender Love and Divine Mercy:

Constance Conley	Helen Thumma
Joseph Byer	Rae Byer
Lynn Armstrong	Terri Armstrong

Let us pray for the sick, dying and homebound of our parish and community, our families and friends, the special intentions on the Little Flower Prayer Chain; the elderly, lonely, downhearted; the poor, destitute, oppressed; unemployed, homeless, helpless, addicted, prisoners, sinners and those who have no one to pray for them; for caregivers, ministers to the sick, those in Nursing homes and hospice care and those in (or recently released from) the hospital:

Brightview: **Jean Sobus**
Caritas House: **Dorothy Donohue**
Franklin Woods: **Anna Knach**
Genesis (German Hill Rd.): **Marie Nelles**
Keswick: **Jackie Watts, Mary Finck**
Little Sisters of the Poor: **Anna Hagerman**
Lorien (BelAir): **Helen Bialek**
 Shock Trams: Fred Schwing

Masses ~~WOL~~ ~~THE~~ Week

Mon.	6/6	8:00	Robert Cleary
		7:30	David Derus
Tue.	6/7	8:00	Lawrence & Doris Vojik 65th wedding anniversary
Wed.	6/8	8:00	Melissa Davis Carter
Thurs.	6/9	8:00	Charles & Kathleen Doherty Arthur Hall, Jr. ..
Fri.	6/10	8:00	Emma Colbert
Sat.	6/11	8:00	Diane Decker
		4:00	Catherine Rose Colvin & family.
Sun.	5/8	7:00	For the people
		9:00	Robert Bialek
		11:00	Anthony Ritmiller

Father, You hear our prayers, With a love beyond all our imagining. As you fulfill our needs, Keep us faithful and joyful in serving you. We ask this through Christ Our Lord. Amen.

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