



Little Flower Catholic School

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Rev. Allen Kemme, Pastor
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March 9, 2017

Dear Parents,

It has been a practice at Little Flower School to raise money during Lent for the missions. We've had Rice Bowls (which students may still use on an individual basis) and the Heifer Project the past two years. This year, we will raise money for the needy in our local community. Lent is a season of penance, prayer and fasting. Included in these is almsgiving. Please talk to your child about this preparation for Easter. Crisis Nursery will be our first charity for collecting contributions. They accept donations of food and snacks that feed the children, such as popcorn, canned vegetables and fruits, fruit snacks, applesauce, mac & cheese and pudding cups or a monetary donation. (This can be dropped off at the office any time.)

Please mark your calendars now for an important educational meeting regarding bullying. The Springfield Catholic elementary schools and Sacred Heart-Griffin High School are sponsoring a seminar on school bullying survival and prevention. **The meeting for parents will be held the evening of March 15, at St. Agnes School Gym from 6:30-8:00 p.m., and you are strongly encouraged to attend.** The presenter is *New York Times* bestselling author and anti-bullying activist Jodee Blanco. The workshop will include specific, practical advice on how to intervene if a child is the victim, bully or bystander, from the rare point of view of someone who's actually lived through it and has now dedicated her life to helping others. (Ms. Blanco will be presenting to our students the afternoon of March 13 and to our teachers on the afternoon of March 15.)

Other information, events and activities at LFS include:

~ Did you realize can lower your tuition bill for 2017-18? Along with our tuition freeze, LFS offers a \$300 tuition credit for families that refer new families for our K-8 program.

~ Make a contribution to our missions (Crisis Nursery) and dress down in green on St. Patrick's Day, March 17.

~ School will be dismissed at 11:30 on Wednesday, March 15. Teachers will be attending a conference in the afternoon. (All-school Mass will be on Tuesday, March 14.) There is NO LAP on the 15th.

~ Please pray for and congratulate our 8th Graders as they will be confirmed on Saturday, March 11 at 4:30 Mass.

~ The incentive sheet for Heritage Days Mega Raffle Tickets is enclosed in this packet. As a reminder, each family is required to sell ten tickets before the last day of school. Families will be charged \$50 for unsold ticket on that date.

~ Bring a friend and join us for the Men's Club Fish Fry this Friday and each Friday of Lent. You will experience Little Flower Parish community and plenty of food and drink.

Respectfully,

Josh Ebener

Principal, Little Flower School



Heritage Days Mega Raffle Ticket Sales - 2017

Each LFS family has an obligation to sell Heritage Days Mega Raffle Tickets. While the cost of tickets is high, our payout of **\$25,000** is high. In addition to selling tickets, we hope you will join us at our Heritage Days Celebration on June 2, 3 and 4. The winning ticket will be pulled and announced on June 4.

Overall Goal – To Sell 2,500 tickets at \$50 each. Our fundraising efforts go to help keep tuition low. Tuition accounts for 40% of the cost of educating our students. While each family is required to sell **10** tickets, we would like to set a goal this year to have each family sell **15** tickets.

We will have the following goals/incentives throughout the remainder of the school year:

Thursday, April 13th – Ticket sales turn in due date - Each family who sells **10** tickets will be eligible to have their name put in the **Tax Day Drawing!** (2 families will be drawn for \$250 each) Drawing will be after we return from Spring Break.

Friday, May 5th -Ticket sales turn in due date - Each family who sells **12** tickets will receive a dress down pass starting Tuesday, May 9th, for the rest of the school year! You read that right!!! *Your children will get to dress down EVERY day from May 9th until the last day of school. But don't worry if you sell 12 tickets after May 5th you will still qualify to dress down for the rest of the year starting the day after you turn in the 12 tickets.*

Friday, May 19th -Ticket sales turn in due date - Each family who sells **15** tickets will receive:

- A 1-day pass to **Knights Action Park** for each child enrolled at Little Flower.
- Entry into a drawing for carnival wristbands at the Heritage Days Festival. Families will receive 1 entry for **15** tickets sold, with and an additional entry for each increment of **5** tickets sold.



2017/2018 Tuition Incentive



The raffle for tuition credit is contingent on selling a total of 2100 tickets. If less than 2100 tickets are sold as of the final day of Heritage Days, Little Flower reserves the right to reduce the amount of the tuition credit, with no tuition credit given if ticket sales fall below 2000 tickets.

Each family who sells **15** tickets will receive one entry for the tuition credit drawing. Each additional **5** tickets sold will earn families an additional entry for the tuition credit drawing. The names will be drawn on June 4th, the final day of Heritage Days.

The first family drawn will receive \$1,500 in tuition credit. The second family drawn will receive \$1,000 in tuition credit, and the third family drawn will receive \$500 in tuition credit. Families are only eligible to win one tuition credit.

If you have any questions, please feel free to email Tom and Katie Madonia at madonia5@yahoo.com. Or you can call Tom and Katie at 498-9938.

Thank you for all of your help.

The Heritage Day Committee





LFS Spring BOGO Book Fair

March 31, 2017- April 7, 2017

Volunteer opportunities are around the corner!! The spring book fair is just a few weeks away. Please give a few hours to help our children and our school. All shifts and times listed below are available. Please circle as many shifts as you would like to volunteer. Thank you and Happy Spring BOGO!!

3/30 Thursday Set up 2-4:30pm

3/31 Friday 8-11am 3 spots; 11am-2pm 2 spots; 2-5:30pm 2 spot

4/3 Monday 8-11am 3 spots; 11am-2pm 2 spots; 2-5:30pm 2 spot

4/4 Tuesday 8-11am 2 spot; 11am-2pm 2 spots; 2-5:30pm 2 spot

4/5 Wednesday 8-11am 3 spots; 11am-2pm 2 spots; 2-5:30pm 2 spot

4/6 Thursday 8-11am 2 spot; 11am-2pm 2 spots; 2-5:30pm 2 spot

4/7 Friday 8-11am 3 spots; 11am-2pm 2 spots; 2-5:30pm 2 spot

4/10 Monday Tear down 2-4:30pm

Name: _____ Number: _____

Please Return As Soon As Possible ☺

Call-Text-Email any questions or availability

Thanks, Heather Bosie, 217-416-0795, heat_23@sbcglobal.net

St. Therese Guild 2017 Geranium Sale

LOCALLY GROWN PLANTS: SUPER HEALTHY,
BEAUTIFUL LONG LASTING BLOOMS!

Only \$2.50 per plant. Payment due when placing order.

Orders with payment due at least by Friday, April 14, 2017

Checks payable to: St. Therese Guild

Pick up date: Little Flower Parish Center Saturday, April 29, 2017

8:00 AM to 12:00 Noon

Questions: Contact Nancy (494-3077) or Janet (494-4743)

Download order forms: <http://littleflowerchurch.net>, St. Therese Guild
Geranium Sale, obtain from the LF church office or a guild member.

GERANIUM SALE

For office use only
Date order received: _____

Customer Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

Salesperson: _____ Phone: _____

COLORS		QUANTITY	PRICE	TOTAL
	Red		@ 2.50 =	
	White		@ 2.50 =	
	Salmon		@ 2.50 =	
	Pink		@ 2.50 =	
	Fuchsia		@ 2.50 =	
Total # of Plants=			Cash or check Amt=	

Return this order form with total payment to:
St. Therese Guild, 800 Stevenson Drive, Springfield, IL 62703.

LITTLE FLOWER SCRIP ORDER FORM

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I will pick up my SCRIP (check one):

school office

Friday Backpack

Last Name:	First Name:
Address:	
Phone:	Order Date:

Student: _____ Class: _____

To place an order online visit www.shopwithscrip.com

Online enrollment code is 11A5472385LL. Deadline is Monday at noon.

Orders are available for pick up on Friday. Include payment for face value of SCRIP with your order payable to Little Flower School.

Questions? Contact Little Flower School at 529-4511.

Are you a SCRIP Tuition Saver's Club member yes no

(complete an enrollment form to become a member)

Retail & Services	we earn	denom-ination	Quant-ity	Total Price	Retail & Services	we earn	denom-ination	Quant-ity	Total Price
Ace Hardware	4%	\$25.00			JCrew	13%	\$25.00		
Ace Hardware	4%	\$100.00			JCPenney	5%	\$25.00		
					JCPenney	5%	\$100.00		
Amazon.com	3%	\$25.00			Jos. A. Bank	10%	\$25.00		
Amazon.com	3%	\$100.00			JoAnn Fabrics	6%	\$25.00		
AMC Theaters	8%	\$25.00			Journey's	10%	\$25.00		
American Eagle Outfitters	10%	\$25.00			K Mart	4%	\$25.00		
American Girl	9%	\$25.00			K Mart	4%	\$50.00		
Arbonne International	15%	\$25.00			Kohl's	4%	\$25.00		
Barnes & Noble	9%	\$10.00			Kohl's	4%	\$100.00		
Barnes & Noble	9%	\$25.00			Land's End	16%	\$25.00		
Bass Pro Shops	9%	\$25.00			Land's End	16%	\$100.00		
Bath & Body Works	13%	\$10.00			Limited	9%	\$25.00		
Bath & Body Works	13%	\$25.00			L.L. Bean	16%	\$25.00		
Bed Bath & Beyond	7%	\$25.00			L.L. Bean	16%	\$100.00		
Bergner's (Younker's)	8%	\$25.00			Lowe's	4%	\$25.00		
Bergner's (Younker's)	8%	\$100.00			Lowe's	4%	\$100.00		
Best Buy	3%	\$25.00			Lowe's	4%	\$500.00		
Best Buy	3%	\$100.00			Luers Kidz Kloz	5%	\$20.00		
Best Buy	3%	\$250.00			Macy's	10%	\$25.00		
Build A Bear Workshop	8%	\$25.00			Macy's	10%	\$100.00		
Burlington Coat Factory	8%	\$25.00			Marshalls	7%	\$25.00		
Casual Male XL	9%	\$25.00			Maurices	7%	\$20.00		
Claire's	9%	\$10.00			Menard's Home Center	3%	\$25.00		
Crate & Barrel	8%	\$25.00			Menard's Home Center	3%	\$100.00		
Crazy 8	13%	\$25.00			Meijer	3%	\$25.00		
CVS Pharmacy	6%	\$25.00			Meijer	3%	\$50.00		
CVS Pharmacy	6%	\$100.00			Meijer	3%	\$100.00		
Carters	10%	\$25.00			Michael's	4%	\$25.00		
Dell	4%	\$100.00			Office Max	5%	\$25.00		
Dennis Uniform	5%	\$20.00			Office Max	5%	\$100.00		
Dick's Sporting Goods	8%	\$25.00			Old Navy (Gap)	14%	\$25.00		
Dillard's	9%	\$25.00			Payless Shoes	13%	\$20.00		
Disney Gift Card	2%	\$25.00			PetSmart	4%	\$25.00		
Disney Gift Card	2%	\$100.00			Pier 1 Imports	9%	\$25.00		
Disney Gift Card	2%	\$1,000.00			Regis/Master Cuts/Trade Secret	8%	\$25.00		
Dress Barn	8%	\$25.00			Sally Beauty Company	12%	\$25.00		
Eddie Bauer	10%	\$25.00			Sears	4%	\$25.00		
Express	10%	\$25.00			Sears	4%	\$100.00		
Family Video	8%	\$10.00			Shoe Carnival	6%	\$25.00		
Famous Footwear	12%	\$10.00			Shutterfly	9%	\$25.00		
Finish Line	10%	\$25.00			Staples	5%	\$25.00		
Footlocker/Lady/Kids Footlocker	9%	\$25.00			Staples	5%	\$100.00		
GameStop / Babbage's	3%	\$25.00			T.J. Maxx / Marshall's	7%	\$25.00		
Gander Mountain	8%	\$25.00			T.J. Maxx / Marshall's	7%	\$100.00		
GFS Marketplace	4%	\$25.00			Talbot's	11%	\$25.00		
GFS Marketplace	4%	\$100.00			Target	2.5%	\$25.00		
GNC	8%	\$25.00			Target	2.5%	\$100.00		
Gordman's	7%	\$25.00			The Children's Place	12%	\$25.00		
Gymboree	13%	\$25.00			Toys-R-Us/Kids/Baby-R-U's	3%	\$20.00		
Hallmark	4%	\$25.00			Walgreens	6%	\$25.00		
Home Depot	4%	\$25.00			Walgreens	6%	\$100.00		
Home Depot	4%	\$100.00			Walmart / Sams	2.5%	\$25.00		
iTunes	5%	\$15.00			Walmart / Sams	2.5%	\$100.00		
					Walmart / Sams	2.5%	\$250.00		
Total Column 1					Total Column 2				

LITTLE FLOWER SCRIP ORDER FORM

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Restaurants	we earn	denom-ination	Quant-ity	Total Price	Lodging / Travel	we earn	denom-ination	Quant-ity	Total Price
Applebee's	8%	\$25.00			Avis Rent A Car	8%	\$50.00		
Applebee's	8%	\$50.00			Best Western Int'l	12%	\$25.00		
Arby's	8%	\$10.00			Best Western Int'l	12%	\$100.00		
Baker's Square	13%	\$25.00			Budget Car Rental	8%	\$50.00		
Bob Evans	10%	\$10.00			Carnival Cruises	8%	\$100.00		
Buffalo Wild	8%	\$10.00			Choice Hotels	3%	\$50.00		
Buffalo Wild	8%	\$25.00			Choice Hotels	3%	\$100.00		
Burger King	4%	\$10.00			Choice Hotels include Comfort Inn, Comfort Suites, Quality Inn, Sleep Inn, Clarion, & MainStay Suites				
Cheesecake Factory	5%	\$25.00			Hyatt Hotels	9%	\$50.00		
Chili's /	11%	\$25.00			Hyatt Hotels	9%	\$100.00		
Chipotle	10%	\$10.00							
Chick E.	8%	\$10.00			Auto / Gas				
Cracker Barrel	9%	\$10.00			Advance Auto Parts	7%	\$25.00		
Cracker Barrel	9%	\$25.00			Auto Zone	8%	\$25.00		
Cold Stone	8%	\$10.00			BP Gas	1.5%	\$50.00		
Dairy Queen	3%	\$10.00			BP Gas	1.5%	\$100.00		
Denny's	7%	\$10.00			BP Gas	2.5%	\$250.00		
Domino's Pizza	8%	\$10.00			Circle K (Shell, Marathon, BP)	1.5%	\$25.00		
Fannie Mae Candies	25%	\$10.00			Exxon/Mobile	1.5%	\$50.00		
Hard Rock Café	10%	\$25.00			Exxon/Mobile	2.5%	\$250.00		
Hardee's	5%	\$10.00			Jiffy Lube	8%	\$30.00		
IHOP	8%	\$25.00			Lauterbach Tires	6%	\$50.00		
Krispy Kreme Doughnuts	8%	\$10.00			Lauterbach Tires	6%	\$100.00		
Little Caesar's Pizza	8%	\$20.00			Lauterbach Tires	6%	\$200.00		
Long Horn Steakhouse	9%	\$25.00			Lauterbach Parts & Labor	10%	\$25.00		
Noodles & Company	8%	\$10.00			Lauterbach Parts & Labor	10%	\$100.00		
O'Charley's	13%	\$25.00			Lauterbach Parts & Labor	10%	\$200.00		
Outback	8%	\$25.00			Marathon Gas	3%	\$25.00		
Palermo's	15%	\$30.00			Marathon Gas	3%	\$100.00		
Panda Express	8%	\$25.00			Marathon Gas	4%	\$250.00		
Panera Bread	9%	\$10.00			Shell Gas	2.0%	\$25.00		
Panera Bread	9%	\$25.00			Shell Gas	2.0%	\$50.00		
Papa John's Pizza	8%	\$10.00			Shell Gas	2.0%	\$100.00		
Papa Murphy's Pizza	8%	\$10.00			SuperAmerica	4%	\$25.00		
Pizza Hut	8%	\$10.00			SuperAmerica	4%	\$100.00		
Pizza Ranch	8%	\$25.00							
Pizzeria Uno	12%	\$25.00			Miscellaneous				
Qdoba Mexican Grill	7%	\$25.00			SCRIP cascading card file	25%	\$3.00		
Rainforest Cafe	9%	\$25.00			Gift Card Wrapper (everyday)	20%	\$0.20		
Red Lobster/Olive Garden/Longhorn	9%	\$25.00			Gift Card Wrapper (holiday)	20%	\$0.35		
Red Robin	9%	\$25.00			LF SCRIP Voucher (write in value)				
Ruth's Chris Steak House	10%	\$50.00			LF SCRIP Voucher (write in value)				
Smashburger	10%	\$10.00			Providers not listed on this form (please refer to the complete list at www.glscrip.com)				
Starbuck's	7%	\$10.00							
Starbuck's	7%	\$25.00							
Steak N Shake	8%	\$10.00							
Subway	6%	\$10.00							
Subway	6%	\$50.00							
					ORDER GRAND TOTAL				
					Total Column 1				
TGI Friday's	9%	\$25.00			Total Column 2				
Taco Bell	3%	\$10.00			Total Column 3				
Texas Roadhouse	8%	\$25.00			Total Column 4				
Wendy's	4%	\$10.00			Order Total				
Grocery					THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING LITTLE FLOWER! SCRIP gift certificates & prepaid cards are used just like cash. You can use SCRIP for your everyday expenses like food, clothing, gas, etc. With every purchase, you raise funds for Little Flower. SCRIP certificates are the same gift certificates you would buy if you went to the participating retailer and purchased them yourself. We purchase them at a discount (reflected on this order form) and sell them to you for the full face value. So the				
County Market	5%	\$25.00							
County Market	5%	\$50.00							
County Market	5%	\$100.00							
Shop 'N Save	4%	\$25.00							
Shop 'N Save	4%	\$100.00							
Whole Foods Market	3%	\$25.00							
					Total Column 3				

Orders may be placed online. Or, bring this order form with full payment to the church or school office during business hours. You may also put it in an envelope marked "SCRIP" and drop it in the collection basket at mass.