



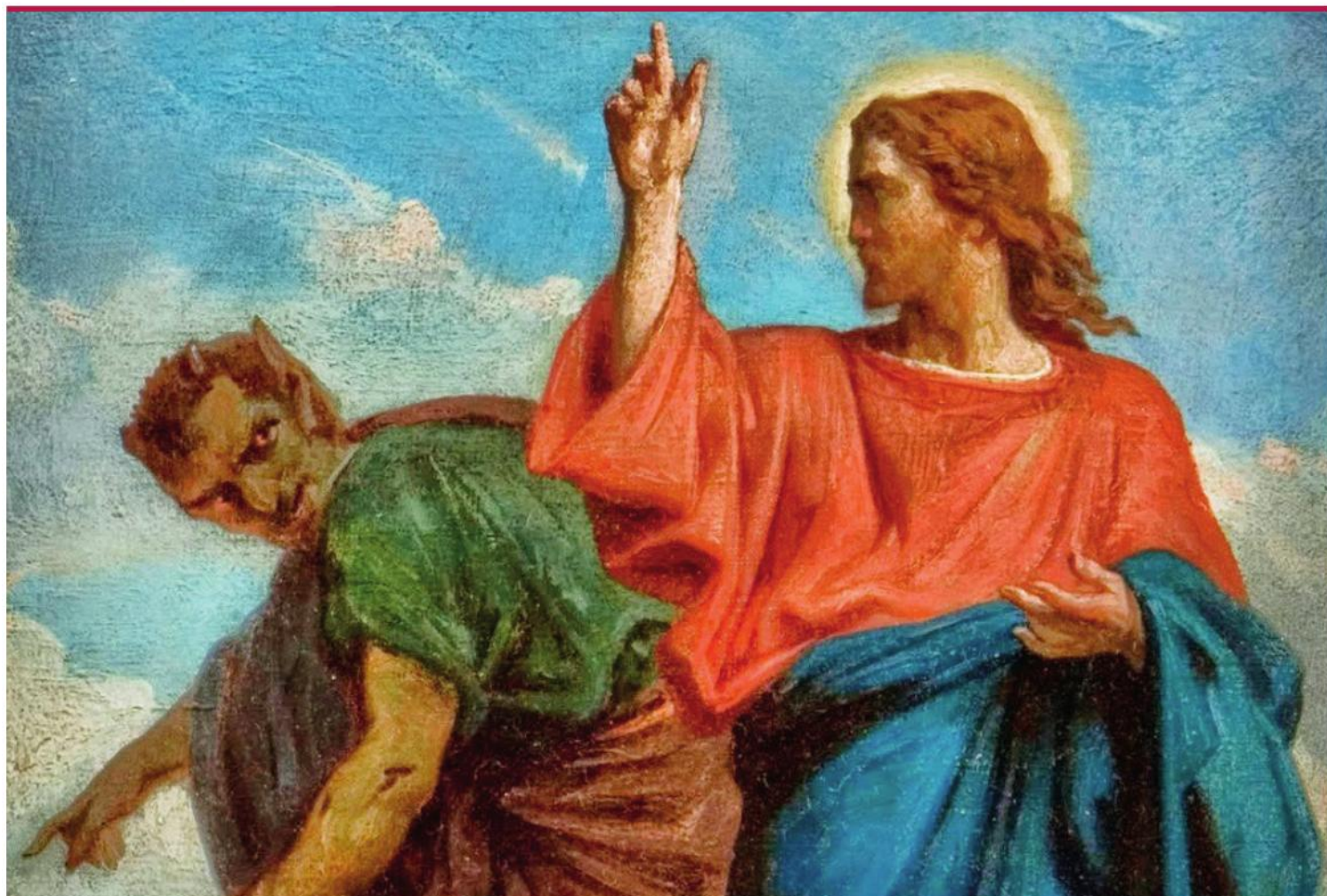
# Church of the LITTLE FLOWER



The  
Light

*February 18th, 2024*

*I SUNDAY OF LENT  
I DOMINGO DE CUARESMA*



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Juntos, Adorando al Señor, Formando Discípulos, Sirviendo en Nombre de Jesús*



## MASS SCHEDULE

### Monday - Friday

Time	Language
6:15 am	English
8:00 am	English
5:30 pm	Español

### Saturday

Time	Language
8:00 am	English
5:00 pm	English Vigil

### Sunday

Time	Language
7:30 am	English
9:00 am	English
10:30 am	English
12:30 pm	Español
5:30 pm	English

## CONFESSIONS

Priests are available to hear Confessions every Saturday morning, from 8:30am to 10:00am.



## ST. JOSEPH PERPETUAL ADORATION CHAPEL

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## CHURCH OF THE LITTLE FLOWER - REILLY PARISH CENTER

### Parish Office Hours

Monday - Friday  
8:00 am - 4:00 pm

### Address

2711 Indian Mound Trail  
Coral Gables, FL 33134

### Contact

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### School Office Hours

Monday - Friday  
7:15 am - 3:15 pm

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## SACRED STEPS | SACRAMENTAL CELEBRATIONS AT COTLF



Welcome to the Catholic Church!  
Congratulations to our newly Baptized.

- † Ines Tilleli Perez
- † Anthony Jorge Infante
- † Gabriel Ricardo Zulueta
- † Sebastian S. Pino
- † Griffin Pino



Congratulations and God's blessings to our newly married couples.

- † Sean Wilburn & Nina Batista



Rest in Peace.  
We pray for our recently deceased.

- † Michael Anthony Paez
- † Esther Maria Gamez

## SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

- Arrangements must be made with the Parish Office at least two (2) months in advance. Visit [cotlf.org/baptism](http://cotlf.org/baptism) for more information.

- Arreglos de bautizos se deben hacer en la oficina por lo menos con dos (2) meses de anticipación. Visitar [cotlf.org/baptism](http://cotlf.org/baptism) para mas información.

## SACRAMENT OF HOLY MATRIMONY

- Arrangements must be made with the Parish Office at least six (6) months in advance. Visit [cotlf.org/weddings](http://cotlf.org/weddings) for more information.

- Arreglos de bodas se deben hacer en la oficina por lo menos con seis (6) meses de anticipación. Visitar [cotlf.org/weddings](http://cotlf.org/weddings) para mas información.

# SIGNS OF OUR STEWARDSHIP

FEBRUARY 11<sup>TH</sup>

Attendance: 2,388

In-Church Collection:	\$11,725
Online Giving Offertory:	\$15,826
Drop-off/Mail-in Offering:	\$2,800
Children's Collection:	\$1,563
Devotional Candles:	\$767
Poor Box/Charities*:	\$402

\* Combined in-person and online

*Thank you for your generosity!  
¡Gracias por su generosidad!*

**Grand Total: \$33,083**

## MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

## WEEKLY EVENTS @ COTLF

### Sunday, February 18<sup>th</sup>

I SUNDAY OF LENT

5:00 pm Sat	50th Wedding Anniversary of Viviane and Vahe Kokorian
7:30 am	+ Ann Munley
9:00 am	+ Delia Ramona Borro
10:30 am	<b>Missa Pro Populo - For All Members of Our Parish Family</b>
12:30 pm	+ Antero Macias
5:30 pm	+ Raul Barreto

### Monday, February 19<sup>th</sup>

Monday of Week I of Lent

6:15 am	Lilly Rangel Diaz' Birthday
8:00 am	+ Manuel Davila
5:30 pm	<b>Misa Comunitaria</b>

### Tuesday, February 20<sup>th</sup>

Tuesday of Week I of Lent

6:15 am	+ Fr. Mario Vizcaino
8:00 am	Matthias Santibanez' Birthday
5:30 pm	<b>Misa Comunitaria</b>

### Wednesday, February 21<sup>st</sup>

Wednesday of Week I of Lent

6:15 am	+ Miguel Santibanez, Sr
8:00 am	+ Carlota Haller
5:30 pm	<b>Misa Comunitaria</b>

### Thursday, February 22<sup>nd</sup>

Feast of the Chair of Saint Peter, Apostle

6:15 am	Intentions of the Murdock Family
8:00 am	+ Arturo Fernandez
5:30 pm	<b>Misa Comunitaria</b>

### Friday, February 23<sup>rd</sup>

Friday of Week I of Lent

6:15 am	+ Matias Jesus Pons
8:00 am	Melissa Ortega's Birthday
5:30 pm	<b>Misa Comunitaria</b>

### Saturday, February 24<sup>th</sup>

Saturday of Week I of Lent

8:00 am	Andres Berisiartu's Birthday
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### Sunday, February 25<sup>th</sup>

II SUNDAY OF LENT

5:00 pm Sat	+ Ignacio and Juana Perez
7:30 am	+ Carmen Espinosa
9:00 am	Juan Manuel Sanchez
10:30 am	<b>Missa Pro Populo - For All Members of Our Parish Family</b>
12:30 pm	+ Eduardo Rodriguez Arias
5:30 pm	+ Ernestina Valladares Hurtado

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF FEBRUARY 18<sup>TH</sup>

Sunday	Gn 9:8-15; Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9; 1 Pt 3:18-22, Mt 4:4b; Mk 1:12-15
Monday	Lv 19:1-2, 11-18; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15; Mt 25:31-46
Tuesday	Is 55:10-11; Ps 34:4-5, 6-7, 16-17, 18-19; Mt 6:7-15
Wednesday	Jon 3:1-10; Ps 51:3-4, 12-13, 18-19; Jl 2:12-13; Lk 11:29-32
Thursday	1 Pt 5:1-4; Ps 23:1-3a, 4, 5, 6; Mt 16:18; Mt 16:13-19
Friday	Ez 18:21-28; Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-7a, 7bc-8; Mt 5:20-26
Saturday	Dt 26:16-19; Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 7-8; Mt 5:43-48
Sunday	Gn 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18; Ps 116:10, 15, 16-17, 18-19; Rom 8:31b-34; Mk 9:2-10

### SUNDAYS

1:30 pm	Homeless Ministry Service Days <i>Date Varies Monthly — <a href="mailto:homelessministrycotlf@gmail.com">homelessministrycotlf@gmail.com</a></i>
6:30 pm	COTLF Youth Group Izzy Rennella, <a href="mailto:IRennella@cotlf.org">IRennella@cotlf.org</a>

### MONDAYS

10:00 am	Seekers Bible Study (Morras Conference Room AND Via Zoom) <i>Every other Monday, Mercy Gonzalez, <a href="mailto:drmom92@gmail.com">drmom92@gmail.com</a></i>
7:00 pm	Adult Bible Study Group (Zoom) Julie Otero, <a href="mailto:JOtero@vistacolor.com">JOtero@vistacolor.com</a>
7:30 pm	Ejercicios Espirituales de San Ignacio (Morras Conference Room) Marcia Iglesias, <a href="mailto:marcia@amprex.net">marcia@amprex.net</a> — <i>Resumes Sept 18th</i>
7:30 pm	Emaus de Hombres (Reilly Conference Room) Juan Guillermo Garcia, <a href="mailto:jgarcia@msn.com">jgarcia@msn.com</a> , 786-474-0758

### TUESDAYS

6:30 pm	Reaching for a Smile Rosary (St. Joseph Chapel) Maru de Castro, 305-335-4104
7:00 pm	OCIA Classes (Cafeteria) <i>Classes begin on September 26th</i>
7:00 pm	Legion of Mary (Legion of Mary House) Maria Lopez, 786-247-3872
7:30 pm	Talleres — Curso Matrimonial (Morras Conference Room) Eva y Francisco Guia, 305-984-5944, <a href="mailto:evaguia11@gmail.com">evaguia11@gmail.com</a>
8:00 pm	English Charismatic Prayer Group (Chapel Conference Room) Felipe Vizcarrondo, <a href="mailto:fevmd@bellsouth.net">fevmd@bellsouth.net</a>

### WEDNESDAYS

4p & 6:30p	Religious Education Classes (St. Theresa School) <a href="http://www.cotlfrreligioused.org">www.cotlfrreligioused.org</a>
7:30 pm	Women's Emmaus (Reilly Conference Room) Marifer Ordoñez, <a href="mailto:mfordonez@earthlink.net">mfordonez@earthlink.net</a>
8:00 pm	Communion & Liberation (Chapel Conference Room)
8:00 pm	Grupo Carismatico: Corazon de Jesus (Cafeteria) Maru de Castro, <a href="mailto:leo12mariposa@gmail.com">leo12mariposa@gmail.com</a>

### THURSDAYS

6:00 pm	Young Adults Praise & Worship Holy Hour (St. Joseph Chapel)
7:00 pm	Choir Rehearsal (STS Music Room) Luis Cuza, <a href="mailto:LCuza@cotlf.org">LCuza@cotlf.org</a>
7:00 pm	Scouts (STS Cafeteria) St Theresa Pack 16, <a href="mailto:stspack16@gmail.com">stspack16@gmail.com</a>
7:30 pm	Men's English Emmaus (Reilly Conference Room) Core Team, <a href="mailto:contact@littlefloweremmaus.org">contact@littlefloweremmaus.org</a>
7:30 pm	Talleres — Curso de Jovenes (Chapel Conference Room) Arminda Baez — 305-927-3191

### FRIDAYS

10:00 am	Prayer Shawl Ministry (Morras Conference Room) <i>3rd Fridays, Monthly, Katy Dunn, 305-443-5947</i>
6:00 pm	American Heritage Girls (Cafeteria) <i>2nd and 4th Fridays, Monthly, Holly Gomez</i>
7:00 pm	Amor en Accion Monthly Meeting (Reilly Conference Room) <i>Last Fridays, Monthly</i>
8:00 pm	English Marriage Covenant (Zoom) Janetsy Christensen, <a href="mailto:JanetsyC@bellsouth.net">JanetsyC@bellsouth.net</a>

### SATURDAYS

7:00 am	First Saturday Devotion Rosary (Church) <i>1st Saturday, Monthly, Mercy Gonzalez, <a href="mailto:drmom92@gmail.com">drmom92@gmail.com</a></i>
9:00 am	Baptism Preparation Classes (Reilly Conference Room) <i>1st Saturday (SPA), 2nd Saturday (ENG), Monthly</i>





## FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

*My Dear Friends,*

Silence. That sound is so rare. Many of us avoid silence. I know there have been times in my life that I have avoided it, but yet the most blessed times I have had in my spiritual life are when I have embraced it. Only in silence can we listen to the voice of God. Only in silence can we listen to one another in a culture where we constantly try to yell over the other. On this First Sunday of Lent, we journey with Jesus into the desert where the gospel tells us that he had no food and was tempted by the devil. Another thing Jesus encountered in the desert was silence. There was no better way to prepare for his bout with the devil and for his public ministry than to be embraced by the silence that allows the voice of the Father to be crystal clear.

So why are we afraid of silence? Why do we feel the need to constantly fill our lives with noise? We are told that friendships are fostered by good communication, but I have found that my greatest friends and I can be together in perfect silence in a car, at a restaurant, or just about anywhere and not say a word and yet communicate so much. My grandfather was one of the gentlest souls I ever encountered, and he rarely spoke. In the silence of his actions is how he communicated his greatest lessons. My father and I when we go fishing have sometimes gone through long periods of time without talking while our lines are in the water. The only sound is the waves and the breeze. It's not that we have nothing to talk about. Quite the contrary. Silence at times speaks volumes and I'm not talking about passive aggressive silent treatment. I'm talking about the silence that communicates so much love. Just look at St. Joseph who said nothing in the Bible. Look at the brief words of Mary who through her silence taught her son so much. We need to make room in our lives for silence.

This is our challenge this Lent. As we journey with Jesus into the desert, we must make room for silence in our lives. Sit in the church in the afternoon when it is empty. Go for a walk or a jog without your headphones and without music and just listen to the wind. Listen to what our Lord listened to during his 40 days in the desert: nothing but silence that welcomes the voice of the Father.

*Praying you have a blessed and fruitful Lent,*

*Mis Queridos Amigos,*

Silencio. Ese sonido es tan raro. Muchos de nosotros evitamos el silencio. Sé que ha habido momentos en mi vida que lo he evitado, pero, sin embargo, los momentos más bendecidos que he tenido en mi vida espiritual son cuando lo he aceptado. Sólo en silencio podemos escuchar la voz de Dios. Sólo en silencio podemos escucharnos unos a otros en una cultura en la que constantemente tratamos de gritar sobre el otro. En este primer domingo de Cuaresma, viajamos con Jesús al desierto, donde el Evangelio nos dice que no tenía comida y fue tentado por el diablo. Otra cosa que Jesús encontró en el desierto fue el silencio. No había mejor manera de prepararse para su lucha con el diablo y para su ministerio público que estar envuelto por el silencio que permite que la voz del Padre sea cristalina.

Entonces, ¿por qué tenemos miedo del silencio? ¿Por qué sentimos la necesidad de llenar constantemente nuestras vidas de ruido? Se nos dice que las amistades son fomentadas por una buena comunicación, pero he encontrado que mis mejores amigos y yo podemos estar juntos en un silencio perfecto en un coche, en un restaurante, o casi en cualquier lugar y no decir una palabra y sin embargo comunicarnos tanto. Mi abuelo era una de las almas más gentiles que he encontrado, y rara vez hablaba. En el silencio de sus acciones es cómo comunicó sus mayores lecciones. Mi padre y yo cuando vamos a pescar a veces hemos pasado por largos períodos de tiempo sin hablar mientras nuestras varas están en el agua. El único sonido son las olas y la brisa. No es que no tengamos nada de qué hablar. Todo lo contrario. El silencio a veces habla mucho y no estoy hablando del tratamiento silencioso agresivo pasivo. Hablo del silencio que comunica tanto amor. Sólo miren a San José que no dijo nada en la Biblia. Miren las palabras breves de María que a través de su silencio le enseñó tanto a su hijo. Tenemos que hacer espacio en nuestras vidas para el silencio.

Este es nuestro reto esta Cuaresma. Al viajar con Jesús hacia el desierto, debemos hacer espacio para el silencio en nuestra vida. Siéntense en la iglesia por la tarde cuando está vacía. Vayan a dar un paseo o a trotar sin los auriculares y sin música y sólo escuchen la brisa. Escuchen lo que nuestro Señor escuchó durante sus 40 días en el desierto: nada más que el silencio que le da la bienvenida a la voz del Padre.

*Orando que tengan una Cuaresma bendita y fructífera,*



## STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Every Friday during Lent, in the church

8:30am in English

6:00pm en Español

## WOMEN'S EMMAUS RETREAT

The Church of the Little Flower Women's Emmaus Ministry cordially invites you to our next retreat. Join us for a weekend of joy, hope and renewal. Make new friends and take time to strengthen your relationship with God. You will be pampered and loved. Come to an Emmaus retreat and you will never be the same again!

**When:** March 1st, 2nd, and 3rd, 2024

**Where:** Casa Manresa 12190 S.W. 56th Street

**Cost:** \$200 donation

Scan the QR Code to Register! For more information, please contact:

Marta Garcia at [martamariagarcia77@hotmail.com](mailto:martamariagarcia77@hotmail.com), 305-609-6927

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## RETRO DE EMAUS DE HOMBRES

Los hombres de grupo de Emaus en Español te invitan a un fin de semana lleno de esperanza, renovación y gozo del 8 - 10 de Marzo. El retiro tendrá lugar en Casa Manresa, 12190 SW 56th St. Las solicitudes de inscripción están disponibles en la oficina parroquial o en el sitio web de la iglesia, [www.cotlf.org](http://www.cotlf.org)

Para mas información:

Juan, 786-474-0758, Paco 305-632-1019, Jim 305-546-8530 o Yancy 305-989-1256

## MMH IS BACK FOR SEASON 7!

Join Fr Manny and Jorge Santibáñez every Monday Morning as they dive deeper into the readings and preaching of the previous Sunday, and then stick around as they have some fun talking life and sports on the official COTLF Parish Podcast, *Monday Morning Homilist*.

Check your favorite Podcast service for new episodes around 11am every Monday!



## Make your ABCD 2024 Pledge or Gift

The Church is called to be an "advocate of justice and of the poor" in the face of intolerable social and economic inequalities, which "cry to heaven". Your gift to the ABCD helps the Church here in South Florida to walk with the poor as their friend. Your support of the ABCD changes lives and through its many works of tenderness, compassion and mercy you make Christ's kingdom real for so many. Please join us in making a donation to the ABCD today.

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Be sure to select "Little Flower Catholic Church, Coral Gables" when making your gift.

Thank you to all who donated for your generosity and support.





## ONGOING PEW SEATING ADJUSTMENTS

As we continue to adjust to our new seating arrangements with the music ministry's move to the balcony, please be mindful of your fellow parishioners and, as much as possible, slide all the way towards the center of the pew, leaving any available seating at the outside ends. This will help our ushers to more easily identify available seating and will allow for minimal disruption as no one will have to "jump over" someone else to get to an available seat. We understand if families with strollers or young children, or those with walkers or wheelchairs, need to sit at the ends, but we ask all others to please slide all the way into the pews whenever possible. This will help ensure that everyone has a seat for Mass, particularly in these seasons of Lent and Easter, when our weekly Mass attendance is traditionally highest. Thank you for your cooperation!

## HOMELESS MINISTRY MISSION HOPE PROJECT



During the month of February, the Homeless Ministry at the Church of the Little Flower will be participating in a "Mission Hope" hygiene kit campaign benefiting the Caring Place (Miami Rescue Mission). As part of this campaign, we have secured over 100 empty purple plastic bags that need to be filled with personal hygiene items for homeless men and women in need. Instead of collecting food items this month, we will be collecting the following personal hygiene items for both men and women: Soap Bars, Shampoo, Deodorant, Toothpaste, Toothbrushes, Shaving Cream, Disposable Razors, Baby Wipes, Combs, and Brushes.  
(Note: Please make sure these are not travel sized items).

Personal hygiene items can be dropped off during the following weekend masses at the designated COTLF Homeless Ministry Donation Collection Area inside the church:

- Saturday, February 17, 2024 (Evening Mass)\
- Sunday, February 18, 2024
- Saturday, February 24, 2024 (Evening Mass)
- Sunday, February 25, 2024

For more information, please email [homelessministrycotlf@gmail.com](mailto:homelessministrycotlf@gmail.com).

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Dios Padre, a través de la oración.  
Un Dios vivo y personal que  
llene de alegría tu corazón y  
le dé sentido a tu vida.*

## Taller de Oración y Vida Una Nueva Evangelización

**Taller para Jovenes: desde 18 años hasta 30 años**

Consta de 10 sesiones, una semanal

Inicia el Martes 27 de Febrero a las 7:30pm - 9:15pm.

**Contactar a Arminda Baez al 305-927-3191**

**Taller para Adultos:**

Consta de 15 sesiones, una semanal

Inicia el Martes 20 de Febrero a las 9:00am - 11:00am.

**Contactar a Carmen Garcia 786-333-4252**

**Lugar:** Church of the Little Flower. - Salon Frente al Santisimo  
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# WHAT EXACTLY IS SACRED MUSIC?

EXCERPTS FROM ARTICLE BY MICHELLE LA ROSA, [WWW.PILLARCATHOLIC.COM/P/WHAT-EXACTLY-IS-SACRED-MUSIC](http://WWW.PILLARCATHOLIC.COM/P/WHAT-EXACTLY-IS-SACRED-MUSIC)

*The Pillar, an exceptional Catholic News Service, recently posted a long-form article on Sacred Music. In light of our Centennial campaign and plans to install an authentic, mechanical-action pipe organ, we are sharing some key excerpts from the article below. Be sure to check out the entire article and follow or subscribe to The Pillar at [www.pillarcatholic.com](http://www.pillarcatholic.com)*

The phrase “sacred music” has gained a lot of traction in Catholic conversations in recent years, with many liturgists and other Church leaders emphasizing the importance of “sacred music” in the Church’s liturgies.

But to the average Catholic in the pew - even one who attends weekly Mass and takes his or her faith life seriously - the meaning of the phrase may not immediately be clear.

What makes music “sacred”? Must it be in Latin? Chanted? Accompanied by an organ? Can any music be sacred if it is intended for use in the liturgy?

And why does it matter what music gets played at Mass?

Sacred music is discussed by Pope Pius X in the 1903 *motu proprio Tra Le Sollecitudini*. The pope lays out three criteria for sacred music: sanctity, goodness of form, and universality.

Sacred music is discussed further in *Sacrosanctum concilium*, the Second Vatican Council’s constitution on the liturgy, which devotes a full chapter to the subject.

The document describes sacred music as “a treasure of inestimable value” for the Church, and says its purpose is “the glory of God and the sanctification of the faithful.”

“[S]acred music is to be considered the more holy in proportion as it is more closely connected with the liturgical action, whether it adds delight to prayer, fosters unity of minds, or confers greater solemnity upon the sacred rites,” *Sacrosanctum concilium* states...

Gregorian chant is “specially suited to the Roman liturgy” and “should be given pride of place in liturgical services.”

But the Vatican II text also says that “other kinds of sacred music, especially polyphony, are by no means excluded from liturgical celebrations, so long as they accord with the spirit of the liturgical action.”

A few years after Vatican II, *Musicam sacram* was released as a post-conciliar document, designed to implement what *Sacrosanctum concilium* had taught about sacred music.

The document offers guidelines about the use of sacred music. It notes several general preferences, but it also allows for significant flexibility in the liturgical music that is chosen.

It says the pipe organ holds a special place in divine worship, but other instruments can also be used, provided that they “are suitable for sacred use, or can be adapted to it, that they are in keeping with the dignity of the temple, and truly contribute to the edification of the faithful.”

While it says that “[a]bove all, the study and practice of Gregorian chant is to be promoted,” it also allows for the creation of new works of sacred music, as long as they are fitting with the dignity of the Mass, and follow the general principles of the Church’s established sacred music tradition.

Gregorian chant *and* “sacred popular music.”

The pipe organ *and* other instruments.

Latin *and* the vernacular.

When it comes to defining sacred music, balancing these “ands” is where the rubber meets the road — and where scholars of liturgical music have developed differing viewpoints about the ideal type of music to be used at Mass...

*Read more, including some excellent viewpoints on the primacy of place of Gregorian chant, the role of liturgical music in “elevating the soul in prayer” rather than “exciting the passions,” incorporating hymns and songs, including popular praise and worship music, into the liturgy, singing the Mass, and Pope Pius’ three marks of sacred music at The Pillar, [www.pillarcatholic.com](http://www.pillarcatholic.com)*



## OFFICE CLOSED ON MONDAY

The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, February 19th in observance of the President's Day holiday. Masses will still be celebrated as regularly scheduled at 6:15 am and 8:00am in English and at 5:30pm in Spanish.



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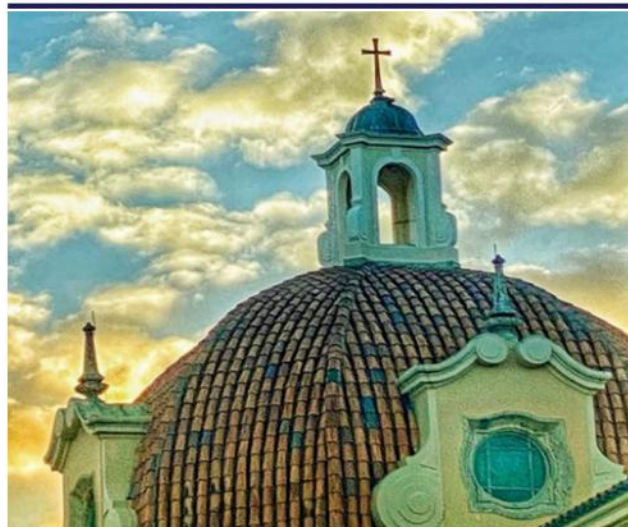
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## *COTLF PARISH PRAYER LIST*



As the number of names being added to our Parish Prayer List has continued to grow, we've moved the list online, under the Perpetual Adoration page of our parish website. Please visit [www.cotlf.org/Adoration](http://www.cotlf.org/Adoration) to view those added to the list and please pray for them during your next visit to the Adoration Chapel.

To add or remove the name of a parishioner, relative, or friend to our Parish Prayer List please contact us at the Parish Office.


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Your ways, O Lord, are love and truth to those who keep your covenant.

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Do you remember that the priest wore purple during Advent? That was when we were waiting for Jesus to be born at Christmas. The priest is wearing purple again while we wait for Jesus to rise at Easter.



## Gospel



Jesus lived in the desert for 40 days! The devil tried to tempt Him to turn the rocks into bread when He was hungry. Jesus got help from the angels and knew that He could wait. He didn't listen to the devil.





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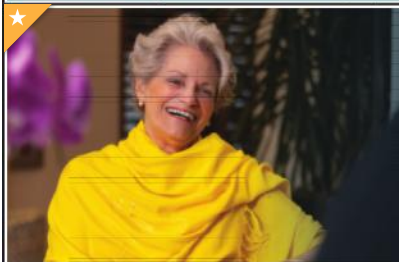
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