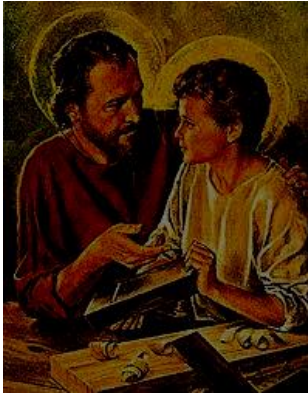




**Little Flower Catholic Elementary School -- Newsletter for Thursday,  
March 19, 2015**

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Today, Thursday, March 19 is the feast day of Saint Joseph.

[<https://www.google.com/search?q=pictures+of+Saint+Joseph>]

The Heavenly Father chose Joseph a young carpenter of Nazareth to be the foster father of Jesus and the husband of the Blessed Virgin Mary. After they were betrothed an angel appeared to Joseph in a dream and told him that Mary would bear a Child who would be the Son of God.

Mary and Joseph had to travel to Bethlehem to register for the census. They could find no place to stay except in a stable. There Mary brought forth her Son and laid Him in a manger. At the word of an angel Joseph took Jesus and Mary to Egypt and stayed there till the angel told him to go back to Nazareth.

When Jesus was twelve years old he was lost in Jerusalem. For three days Mary and Joseph looked for Him with great sorrow and found Him in the Temple. At Nazareth Joseph worked hard for Jesus and Mary. Later, Jesus also worked along with Joseph in the carpenter shop and obeyed him. Joseph died in the arms of Jesus and Mary.

*Almighty God, You entrusted to the faithful care of Joseph the beginnings of the mysteries of man's salvation. Through his intercession may Your Church always be faithful in her service so that Your designs will be fulfilled. Saint Joseph, pray for us!* [New Picture Book of Saints by Rev. Lawrence G. Lovasik: Catholic Book Publishing Corp.1962]

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**+++ Parent Teacher Conferences** are set for Monday and Tuesday, March 23rd and 24<sup>th</sup> from 4:00 to 7:00 PM. Your scheduled times have been mailed out.

**+++ Little Flower School** will be hosting a **“Kindergarten Open House”** for any **families interested in attending Kindergarten at Little Flower School**. The open house will be held Thursday, March 26th from 5:30 to 6:30 PM in the Kindergarten room. The Kindergarten teacher, PTO member, and administration will be available to give you and your children a tour of the school and answer any questions you may have.

**+++ Kindergarten registration** for the 2015-16 school year is set for March 30th-April 2nd, from 8:00 AM to 3:00 PM in the school office. To be eligible for kindergarten, students must turn 5 years of age by midnight July 31st of 2015. Please bring a copy of your child's birth certificate and immunization record.

