



# *House of Prayer, Temple of Worship*

## *The 2010 Little Flower Festival*

*in conjunction with the Cathedral Festival of Flowers*

Floral Designs for Sacred Spaces  
created by church Art & Environment Teams

St. Mary's Cathedral Event Center  
September 30—October 3, 2010

### About this year's Little Flower Festival theme: *House of Prayer, Temple of Worship*

The Cathedral of Saint Mary of the Assumption is celebrating its 40th Anniversary year! We salute the mother church of the Archdiocese of San Francisco with floral designs that proclaim the greatness of God. Like any sacred art, floral design for churches invites and inspires passive observers to become active contemplators of Divine Mysteries. Flowers and greenery, by the work of human hands, become a gateway to prayer and worship. The Little Flower Festival opens its doors to all comers and celebrates a great variety of designs — from the most simple to the most ornate.

### **Little Flower Festival Rules**

1. Entries are limited to one per parish or other church community.
2. Arrangements may not occupy a space larger than 5' (feet) wide x 4' deep x 7' high.
3. Arrangements may have an orientation but should also be suitable for viewing from 360°.
4. Artificial flowers or greens, fountains, recorded music, and extra lighting are not permitted. Dried flowers, wood, stones, bricks, and textiles are permitted. A maximum of one statue, icon or sacred image is permitted, but not required. Arrangements that leak water may be removed.
5. Installation of non-floral elements of a display may take place 1-4pm on Wednesday, Sep. 29. Flowers and greenery are to be arranged on Thursday, Sep. 30 only, beginning at 9am. Installations must be completed by Thursday, Sep. 30 at 4pm.
6. A representative of the parish art & environment team is asked to be at the Archdiocesan Festival of Choirs concert, Sunday, October 3 at 4:00pm at St. Mary's Cathedral for the Little Flower Festival recognition ceremony to take place during concert.
7. Installations must be removed in their entirety by the parish participants on Monday, Oct. 4, between 9am-4pm.
8. Registration forms for entries in the Little Flower Festival must be postmarked by September 13, 2010.

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*visit [www.cathedralflowers.org](http://www.cathedralflowers.org)*

### **Cathedral Little Flower Festival Registration Form**

Parish \_\_\_\_\_

Floral designer name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Address for Coordination Designer \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Contact E-mail (if available) \_\_\_\_\_

Return to: Office of Worship, One Peter Yorke Way, San Francisco CA 94109. Must be postmarked by Sept. 13, 2010.