

Susan Lucci Visit Little Flower



On November 19th, a dear longtime friend of Little Flower, Susan Lucci, made a special visit to our Monsignor John T. Fagan campus in Wading River.

Susan, beloved by television audiences worldwide for her roles as Erica Kane in *All My Children* and Genevieve Delatour in Lifetime's global hit, *Devious Maids*, was first introduced to Little Flower by Father John Fagan. Together in the 1980s, they led a highly public campaign to place hundreds of HIV positive newborns languishing in hospitals into loving adoption homes across NYC.

Little Flower carries forward that spirit of humanitarian leadership to this day!

Susan and her husband, Helmut Huber, toured the campus and school. They were greeted by six youth at St. Therese's Cottage who asked Susan what advice she would give to her 18-year-old self, the role mentors played in her life and what it was like to win her first Emmy Award after being nominated 18 times. Susan answered graciously and thoughtfully.



A gift ceremony followed with over 30 staff, donors and young people gathered in front of the Father Fagan statue to greet Susan, who made a special donation to Little Flower with a portion of the proceeds generated from a recent auction of some of Susan's personal items.

It was a wonderful and hopeful afternoon. We are most grateful for Susan's generous support!

Connect With Us!

Strengthening our commitment to Forever Families



November has been designated National Adoption Month to bring attention to the children in foster care waiting to find their forever families. Little Flower is hard at work all year long connecting families and youth in need of loving and safe homes.

Our efforts were recently recognized by the Administration of Children Services (ACS) for achieving 117% of our yearly adoption target. Tasked with finalizing 41 adoptions, we are thrilled to say that 48 children have found what they need most, love and home.

We're also proud to announce that we have been chosen as one of two foster care agencies to pilot an ACS program geared toward finding kinship homes (home of relatives and close friends) for children in care. We look forward to continuing our work of increasing each child's chance of success of finding their forever family!

Catch Little Flower on TV!

Showcasing our residents

On Giving Tuesday, Rose House, Little Flower's home for individuals with developmental disabilities, and one of its residents, Rosa, were featured on *Currents News*. Viewers got a look inside the home and what a typical day is like for Rosa. Click below to get to know Rosa and to learn more about this much-needed program.

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Adoption awareness

Little Flower Director of Foster Care and Adoption, Antonio Esposito, joined the *Currents News* team in studio for a discussion on adoption and Little Flower's history of helping children find their forever family. Click below to get the inside scoop and helpful information!

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Upcoming Events

NOV

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Annual Holiday Tree Lighting Come together with Little Flower staff, residents, families, and the Wading River Community as we celebrate the beginning of this joyous time of year with our Annual Holiday Tree Lighting!

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LI Harley Owners Group Annual Toy Run Join us as we spend the afternoon celebrating 32 years of the LI HOG's Annual Toy Run.

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