



All
Souls

CATHOLIC CHURCH

January 8, 2023 Issue



THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD



They were overjoyed at seeing the star, and on entering the house they saw the child with Mary his mother. They prostrated themselves and did him homage. - Mt 2:10-11a

Al ver de nuevo la estrella, se llenaron de inmensa alegría. Entraron en la casa y vieron al niño con María, su madre, y postrándose, lo adoraron. - Mt 2, 10-11

With Christ as our center, we will embrace ALL SOULS as we worship, welcome, educate and serve in an environment of love and compassion.

GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

A friend of mine is a young priest who teaches high school physics at a Catholic boys' prep school. Like many today, the boys often think science and religion are enemies. So, he delights in their raised eyebrows when he reminds them his first full-time job as a priest was to be an astrophysicist. He cataloged the size, shape, and matter of distant stars. He tells them, "Science gave me more love for God, not less."

The Magi were something like scientist-astronomers. Like today's scientists, they employed disciplined methods of discovering dependable patterns in the world. Their rigorous commitment to the truth led them to the joy of discovering Jesus. Their love for knowledge leads them to worship the Source of all knowledge. Luke says of them, "They were overjoyed at seeing the star."

We may see the universe as cold and empty and feel sad. But why should we do that? The Magi, like my priest-friend, show us there is another way to experience the world. We use our intelligence to discover the beautiful patterns in the world — in mathematics, physics, astronomy, biology, neuroscience, and so on — and allow this to lead us to greater love for God. So, my fellow Magi: the world needs us to be overjoyed at finding God in science and, finally and fully, in Jesus.

— Father John Muir

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MEDITACIÓN DEL EVANGELIO – ALENTAR UN ENTENDIMIENTO MÁS PROFUNDO DE LA ESCRITURA

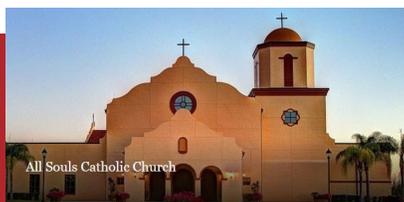
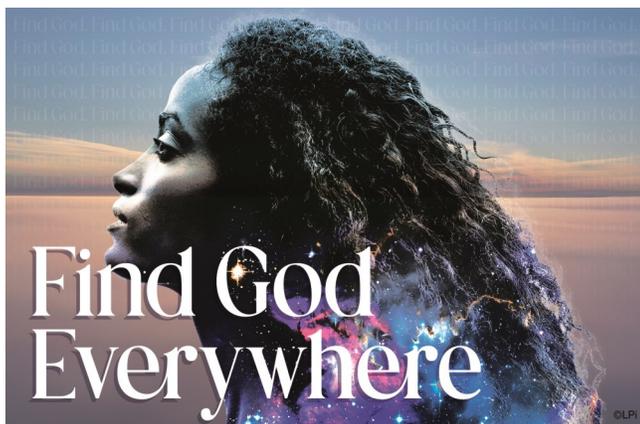
Existe un refrán popular que dice así: "No hay peor sordo que el que no quiere oír". Y le agregaría el que no quiere ver. Los Magos del Oriente no se hicieron sordos ni ciegos, sino que, presurosos siguieron la estrella que los guiaba a Jesús. Preguntaron y escucharon su historia, por aquello de no perderse del lugar donde se encontraba aquel famoso recién nacido. "¿Dónde está el rey de los judíos que acaba de nacer? (Mateo 2,2). ¿Dónde está Jesús en nuestros días?

¿A quién hemos preguntado donde encontrarlo? Quizá, se encuentra en los corazones de los padres de familia que han perdido a sus hijos(as) en la violencia, o tal vez está ahí donde el inmigrante sufre y muere luchando por una vida mejor.

La liturgia de este Domingo de la Epifanía, manifestación de Jesús como salvador de

todos los pueblos, nos invita a no ser oyentes pasivos sino activos, comprometidos a la esperanza de una sociedad mejor. La voz del Papa Francisco es el eco de Dios que motiva a ver la luz de la estrella reflejada en el corazón de todo aquel que desea la paz. "El día de hoy debemos sentir cerca a los Magos, ellos tenían el corazón abierto al horizonte: «Vieron la estrella porque se habían puesto en el camino» (San Juan Crisóstomo). Su ejemplo nos anima a contemplar la estrella y a no conformarnos, sino a dejarnos fascinar por la bondad y la verdad. Ellos reflejan la imagen de todos los que no dejamos de levantar la mirada hacia el firmamento, poniendo en nuestro camino a nuestro Dios, Rey del Universo".

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Church Location:

3280 W. 1st St. (SR #46), Sanford, FL 32771

Vigil Mass: (Sat) 5:00pm

Sunday Masses: 8:00am & 10:00am (English),
12:00pm (Spanish)

Historic Chapel Location:

800 S. Oak Ave., Sanford, FL 32771

Mon.-Sat. Daily Mass: 8:30am

Confessions: (Sat) 9:00-10am

Sunday Latin Mass: 2:00pm (Latin Tridentine)

Join an All Souls Ministry or Group



The Holy League

All men of the parish, and their sons, are invited to join Father Jeremiah, on the **third Thursday of every month, at 7:00pm** in the Historic Chapel, for a gathering of the Holy League. The Holy Hour begins with adoration and a reflection. The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available. The Holy Rosary is recited at 6:30pm.



Grupo de Oración

El Grupo de Oración "Jesús, María y José" te invita **todos los lunes a las 7:15pm** a la Capilla Histórica. Comenzamos con el Santo Rosario, música, canto, oraciones, lectura de la palabra de Dios y reflexión. Únase a nosotros en alabanza, meditación y en agradecimiento al amor que Jesús, María y José nos tienen. María y José te invita a presentar tus situaciones y tu amor al que siempre te espera, Jesús. **Para información: 407-468-9075**



Ministerio Padres y Madres Orantes

El MPMO es un grupo parroquial de padres y madres llenos de amor por Dios y por su familia. Nos reunimos **el primer viernes de cada mes** (800 Oak Ave., Sanford), de 7:00-8:00pm, especialmente dedicados a pedir misericordia, protección y conversión de nuestros hijos. Para más información: **407-402-9933** o <http://www.ministeriopmo.org>



Ministerio de Parejas "Caminando juntos con Jesús"

Somos un movimiento abierto para todas las parejas Católicas estén o no casados por la iglesia que quieran crecer junto a Jesús. El próximo encuentro será publicado aquí en el boletín. Renueva tu amor, ¡te esperamos!



Ministerio de Estudio Litúrgico

Servimos ayudando a acercar a las personas a Dios y a una mejor comprensión de su fé. Este ministerio es parte del programa de formación de adultos de la parroquia. Se reúne para estudiar y discutir las lecturas a leerse en la misa del domingo. Su propósito es preparar a la comunidad para recibir y entender mejor la homilía del celebrante. Están invitados a acompañarnos todos los miércoles de 6:30pm a 7:30pm en la oficina parroquial, 301 W. 8th Street, Sanford, FL 32771 **Para más información llame al 407- 468-9075.**



All Souls Council of Catholic Women

The ladies of All Souls Council of Catholic Women are always looking for new members. **Our Mission Statement:** *The All Souls Council of Catholic Women (ASCCW) acts through its affiliated organizations to support, empower and educate all Catholic Women in spirituality, leadership and service. ASCCW programs respond with Gospel values to the needs of the Church and society in the modern world.*

For more information please contact **Katherine Breehl, president**
katherinebreehl@gmail.com

Meetings: 1st Tuesday of the month at 7pm.
Location: 2504 S. Oak Ave, Sanford, FL 32771
Knights of Columbus Hall



The Knights of Columbus

"In a spirit of bravery and charity, Knights are called to aid the vulnerable and build a culture of life... Answering that call also requires heroism." Supreme Knight Patrick E. Kelley

The Knights of Columbus are committed to serving those in need in our community. See any Knight for information on joining or come to a social meeting at the Knights of Columbus Hall.

Meetings: 1st Tuesday of the month (Social), and 3rd Tuesday of the month (Business), at 7pm.
Location: 2504 S. Oak Ave, Sanford, FL 32771
Website: www.kofc5357.org, For more information call 321-262-5865



The Society of St. Vincent de Paul

Founded in 1833, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul is a worldwide organization of lay Catholics, following Christ's call to serve the poor, the suffering, and the deprived. Read more on page 5, or call us at **407-330-4400**.



Prayer Shawl Ministry

If you feel you need a prayer hug, there are prayer shawls at the church office just waiting for you.

If you would like more information about this ministry or would like to make a donation, please contact me at

scalhoun2092@gmail.com.



Welcome!

All Are Welcome Here

If you are alienated or upset, we welcome you lovingly. If you are in

need of forgiveness, Jesus forgives you completely — with unconditional love. If you have been hurt by the Church, we are truly sorry. If you are angry, Jesus offers you peace. If life has become burdensome, we are here to support you. We are happy you are here and want you to stay. We would like to share our lives with you. Come join us each week so we can worship God together.

All Souls Loves Visitors!

We accept anyone who wants to share in the life of the parish regardless of where they live. Please register as an affirmation of your wish to share in the community life of All Souls. Registration cards may be found in the narthex of the church or chapel, the parish office during the week, or online at our parish website: asccsanford.org. Why not sign up today? We love new members!

Register Today at:
www.asccsanford.org/parish-registration



WATCH THE MASS
VEAN LA MISA



www.asccsanford.org/watch-the-mass

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Blessed William Carter's Story



Born in London, William Carter entered the printing business at an early age. For many years he served as apprentice to well-known Catholic printers, one of whom served a prison sentence for persisting in the Catholic faith. William himself served time in prison following his arrest for "printing lewd [i.e., Catholic] pamphlets" as well as possessing books upholding Catholicism.

But even more, he offended public officials by publishing works that aimed to keep Catholics firm in their faith. Officials who searched his house found various vestments and suspect books, and even managed to extract information from William's distraught wife. Over the next 18 months, William remained in prison, suffering torture and learning of his wife's death.

He was eventually charged with printing and publishing the *Treatise of Schisme*, which allegedly incited violence by Catholics and which was said to have been written by a traitor and addressed to traitors. While William calmly placed his trust in God, the jury met for only 15 minutes before reaching a verdict of guilty. William, who made his final confession to a priest who was being tried alongside him, was hanged, drawn, and quartered the following day: January 11, 1584.

He was beatified in 1987.

Reflection

It didn't pay to be Catholic in Elizabeth I's realm. In an age when religious diversity did not yet seem possible, it was high treason, and practicing the faith was dangerous. William gave his life for his efforts to encourage his brothers and sisters to keep up the struggle. These days, our brothers and sisters also need encouragement—not because their lives are at risk, but because many other factors besiege their faith. They look to us.

Reflections on the Baptism of the Lord, By Fr. Antony Kadavi

The Baptism of the Lord is the great event celebrated by the Eastern churches on the feast of Epiphany because it is the occasion of the first public revelation of all the Three Persons in the **Holy Trinity**, and the official revelation of **Jesus as the Son of God** to the world by God the Father. Hence, it is described by all four Gospels. It marks the beginning of Jesus' public ministry. The Christmas season, celebrating the Self-revelation of God through Jesus, comes to an end with the feast of the Baptism of Our Lord. Christmas is the feast of God's Self-revelation to the Jews, and Epiphany celebrates God's Self-revelation to the Gentiles. At his Baptism in the Jordan, Christ reveals himself to repentant sinners. The liturgical season of Christmas comes to a conclusion this Sunday with the celebration of the Baptism of the Lord.

Neither John nor Jesus invented baptism. It had been practiced for centuries among the Jews as a ritual equivalent to our Confession. Until the fall of the Temple in 70 AD, it was common for Jewish people to use a special pool called a *Mikveh* -- literally a "collection of water" -- as a means of spiritual cleansing, to remove spiritual impurity and sin. Men took this bath weekly on the eve of the Sabbath; women, monthly. Converts were also expected to take this bath before entering Judaism. The Orthodox Jews still retain the rite. John preached that such a bath was a necessary preparation for the cataclysm that would be wrought by the coming Messiah. Jesus transformed this continuing ritual into the one single, definitive act by which we begin our life of Faith. In effect, He fused His Divine Essence with the water and the ceremony.

Why did Jesus, the sinless Son of God, receive the "baptism of repentance" meant for sinners? 2) Why did Jesus wait for thirty years to begin his public ministry? The strange answer for the first question given by the apocryphal book, *The Gospel according to the Hebrews*, is that Jesus received the baptism of John to please his mother and relatives. In this humble submission, we see a foreshadowing of the "baptism" of his bloody death upon the cross. Jesus' baptism by John was the acceptance and the beginning of his mission as God's suffering Servant. He allowed himself to be numbered among sinners. Jesus submitted himself entirely to his Father's will. Out of love, He consented to His baptism of death for the remission of our sins. Many Fathers of the Church explain that Jesus received John's baptism to identify himself with his people, who, as a result of John's preaching, for the first time in Jewish history became aware of their sins and of their need for repentance. The Jews had the traditional belief that only the Gentiles who embraced Jewish religion needed the baptism of repentance, for, as God's chosen people, the Jewish race was holy. Jesus might have been waiting for this most opportune moment to begin his public ministry. The Fathers of the Church point out that the words which the Voice of the Heavenly Father speaks are similar to Psalm 2:17, revealing Jesus' identity ("*This is My beloved Son*") and to Isaiah 42:1 referring to the "suffering servant" ("*with whom I am well pleased*"), revealing Jesus' mission of saving mankind by His suffering and death.



WE PRAY
All Souls
Catholic Church



WE TEACH
School and
Jesus Christ



WE SERVE
All Souls
Cemetery



WE ENDURE
All Souls
Historic Chapel

PARISH & MINISTRY

10 Simple Spiritual Resolutions for the New Year, by Fr. Edward Looney

1. Begin your day with the Morning Offering

What is the first thing you do when you wake up in the morning? Hit the snooze button? Roll over? Complain that you need more sleep? St. Josemaría Escrivá wrote about the heroic minute, meaning that once the alarm rings, get up, and say a prayer. There is a traditional prayer you could learn called the Morning Offering. It's a beautiful prayer which helps us give to God everything we will do during the day.

O Jesus, through the Immaculate Heart of Mary, I offer you my prayers, works, joys, and sufferings of this day for all the intentions of your Sacred Heart, in union with the holy sacrifice of the Mass throughout the world, for the salvation of souls, the reparation of sins, the reunion of all Christians, and in particular for the intentions of the Holy Father this month. Amen.

2. Daily or weekly rosary

Many Catholics learned the rosary as a child. Some pray it every day. Others occasionally. And the rest, rarely. The rosary is a great way for us to reflect on the life of Jesus and Mary, and to pray with the scriptures. Not only that, at Fatima, Mary asked us to pray the rosary daily for peace in the world. Maybe this is the year to take the rosary more seriously. If you are a new to the rosary, begin with a decade each day, and move your way up. Pray it once a week. Or strive to pray it daily. Give the rosary a chance.

3. Meatless Fridays

Canon law 1250 says: "The penitential days and times in the universal Church are every Friday of the whole year and the season of Lent." We typically think meatless Fridays pertains only to Lent, but it is encouraged year-round. Some conferences of Catholic bishops have re-instituted the practice for every Friday. Consider being a bit more conscious about your Friday meals, and perhaps plan to abstain from meat.

4. Weekly Stations

Not able to abstain from meat on Fridays? Canon law also suggests some other suitable form of penance in place of abstinence. For me, if I don't do meatless Fridays, I choose to pray the Stations of the Cross as my "suitable form of penance." It allows me to recall Christ's passion and death, and most importantly the reason why we abstain from meat on Fridays. The Stations aren't just meant for Lent, you can pray them anytime of the year.

5. Pray through a devotional book

There are many devotional books, filled with meditations that will help us deepen our relationship with God. There are two I'll be tackling in the early days of 2019: *Called: Becoming an Everyday Disciple in a Post-Christian World — A Five-Week Guide* by Kevin Cotter (Ave Maria Press, 2018) and *52 Weeks with Saint Faustina: A Year of Grace and Mercy* by Donna-Marie Cooper O'Boyle (Marian Press, 2019). If you are looking for a Marian meditation book, I recommend my 31 daily devotional, *A Heart Like Mary's: 31 Daily Meditations to Help You Live and Love as She Does* (Ave Maria Press, 2017).

6. Read a spiritual book

There are many books written by Catholic authors available for you to deepen your knowledge of Jesus, Mary, the Church, the saints, and other topics relevant to Christian living. Check out the catalogues for the prominent Catholic publishers such as Twenty-Third Publications, Ave Maria Press, Our Sunday Visitor, Sophia Institute Press, Tan Books, and Ignatius Press. Decide to read one book this year that will benefit your spiritual life. For me, I've decided to read books about saintly priests, so that I can be inspired by their example to strive for holiness as I serve God and his people as a priest.

7. Read or pray with the Bible

There are different apps and books that could help you read the entire Bible. Or maybe choose to read a certain section of the Bible and expand your selection once you completed your goal. Read the Gospels, or the letters of St. Paul, or the prophetic writings. Come to a greater knowledge of the word of God. And while you are at it, you can pray with the Bible, through a process called *lectio divina*, in which one reads a passage and spends a few moments meditating on a word or phrase, or engaging one's imagination with the Scripture passage. Through this prayer, God speaks in a deeper way to our souls about the Scripture contemplated.

8. Go on a pilgrimage

We are all on a pilgrimage in this life as we journey toward the kingdom of heaven. For Christians throughout time, one of the most coveted places to go on a pilgrimage was to the Holy Land. But there has always been a custom to make pilgrimages to shrines of the Blessed Mother (such as Marian apparition sites, or shrines erected out of the people's devotion), or the saints. There are many shrines in the United States, and even more in other countries throughout the world! If you are able, decide to go and pray at a shrine, either locally or internationally. In early January, I will visit the National Shrine Our Lady of Prompt Succor in New Orleans and in October, I'll lead a pilgrimage to the Holy Land. Consider joining me!

9. Choose a saintly intercessor

Catholic author Jen Fulwiler has a saint generator to help you to choose a patron saint for the new year. It's a custom that even St. Faustina did. Choose a saint, whose intercession you wish to implore throughout the year. Maybe even read a book about them. If you need help choosing one, let the saint generator help you: SaintsNameGenerator.com.

10. End your day with an Examen

We often do an examination of conscience before we celebrate the sacrament of Penance and Reconciliation. But what if every day you did an Examen? It's not just identifying our faults, but also calling to mind how God was with you throughout the day, where you received his grace, and how you could respond to grace better tomorrow. Just as we begin our day offering it to God, it's just as good to end our day asking, "How did I live for God today?"

News & Events

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WEEK AHEAD

MONDAY, January 9

8:30 AM Daily Mass (Fr. KM*).....Chapel
7:00 PM Grupo de Oración "Jesus, María José".....Capilla

TUESDAY, January 10

8:30 AM Daily Mass (Fr. KM).....Chapel
6:30PM RCIA Classes (Spanish).....ASCS MS Campus

WEDNESDAY, January 11

8:30 AM Daily Mass (Fr. JP).....Chapel
6:00PM Faith Formation Classes #11.....Chapel, ASCS and Social Hall
6:30 PM Lectionary Bible Study (Spanish).....Conf. Room

THURSDAY, January 12

8:30 AM Daily Mass (Fr. JP).....Church

FRIDAY, January 13

8:30 AM Daily Mass (Fr. KM).....Chapel
9:00 AM Adoration (until 10am).....Chapel

SATURDAY, January 14

K of C Food Drive Bags out

8:30 AM Daily Mass (Fr. JP).....Chapel
9:00 AM Confessions (Until 10am).....Chapel
5:00 PM Vigil Mass (Fr. KM).....Church

SUNDAY, January 15

K of C Food Drive Bags out

Blood Drive/ K of C

8:00 AM Mass (Fr. JP) (English).....Church
10:00 AM Mass (Fr. JP/ also online) (English).....Church
12:00 PM La Misa (Fr. KM) (Spanish).....Church
2:00 PM Traditional Latin Mass (Fr. AJ).....Chapel

* Subject to change



Parish Office Hours

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

Phone: 407-322-3795 Fax: 407-322-1131

Parish Website: www.asccsanford.org

Parish Office address: 301 W. 8th Street, Sanford, FL 32771

In Remembrance of Our Dear, Departed Diocesan Clergy

Their names and the impact of their lives on our own, remain in our hearts.

May they forever rest in God's love.

1/01/2021	Rev. Eamon Tobin	1/04/2021	Rev. Luis Bastos
1/08/1975	Rev. Hugh J. Flynn	1/13/1982	Rev. William Holmes
1/13/2015	Rev. Mark Wegg	1/16/1988	Rev. Michael Flynn
1/23/1972	Rev. Michael M. Reynolds	1/27/2007	Rev. James F. Edwards
1/30/2016	Rev. Peter Quinn		



St. Vincent De Paul (1581–1660)

Vincentian Reflections

“Today we celebrate the feast of the Epiphany, where the Magi find the newborn king and offer him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh. In the spirit of the Magi, please be generous to St. Vincent de Paul so comfort and peace can once again be given to a newborn child.”

We Give Together

Are you or someone you know in need of assistance?

Please call us at 407.330.4400
Confidentiality assured.

Food Pantry Needs Of The Week:
Canned Fruit

Last Week:

102 items with a retail value of \$408! Thanks!

News From SVdP Orlando

Season 2 of “Our Faith in Action: Today’s Society of St. Vincent de Paul,” just premiered on EWTN. If you weren’t able to watch live, you can catch up with the first five episodes online! Visit <https://ssvpusa.org/about-us/our-faith-in-action/> to watch Vincentians as they help neighbors in need and share stories of Christ’s love.



St. Vincent de Paul Case Management Report

All Souls Conference - Dec. 2022

- Total Number of Families Served: 26
- Total Number of Food Orders: 18 valued @ \$2,450
- Number of Clothing Vouchers: 1 @ \$50
- Total Number of Families Receiving Financial Assistance: 12 valued @ \$5,833.19
 - Rent: 7 @ \$5,402.68
 - Utilities: 3 @ \$385.51
 - Bus Passes: 3 @ \$25
 - Gas Vouchers: 1 @ \$20

Total Cash and In-Kind Assistance: \$8,333.19

What is Stewardship?

“As each one has received a gift, use it to serve one another as good stewards of God’s varied grace” (1 Pt 4:10)

What identifies a steward? Safeguarding material and human resources and using them responsibly is one answer; so is generous giving of time, talent, and treasure. But being a Christian steward means more. As Christian stewards, we receive God’s gifts gratefully, cultivate them responsibly, share them lovingly in justice with others, and return them with increase to the Lord.

The life of a Christian steward models the life of Jesus. It is challenging and even difficult, in many respects, yet intense joy comes to those who take the risk to live as Christian stewards. Women and men who seek to live as stewards learn that “all things work for good for those who love God” (Rom 8:28).

Weekly Stewardship Report (December 24-25, 2022)

MASSES:

Time	Attendance	
4:00PM	(694)	\$23,968.31
6:00PM	(270)	\$6,501.00
8:00PM	(93) Latin	\$656.00
8:00PM	(123) Spanish	\$250.75
12:00AM	(245)	\$2,396.00
8:00AM	(105)	\$2,135.00
10:00AM	(302)	\$3,442.00

Online and Mail Stewardship.....\$6,601.00

TOTAL ATTENDANCE.....1,832
TOTAL STEWARDSHIP.....\$45,950.06

Special Gifts.....\$20,000.00
Building & Maintenance Fund.....\$205.00
Debt Reduction.....\$1,179.00
Mortgage Balance (Nov.).....\$1,370,837.44



Sign up on the All Souls Website:
www.allsoulssanford.org.weshareonline.org



All Souls Catholic School



OPEN HOUSE

JANUARY 29TH 11AM—2PM
810 S. OAK AVE, SANFORD
407-322-7090

An Investment for Life

A Catholic education at All Souls Catholic School is an investment in the future of your child. Our students learn to share their gifts through service and leadership in a culture of respect and moral responsibility. All Souls offers an educational experience focused on academic excellence, creativity, and problem-solving skills, balanced with arts, technology and physical education.

Discover

All Souls Catholic School

PreK—8th grade



All Souls Catholic School

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If you are interested in a Catholic school education for your student, we would love to introduce you to our campus! Please contact our school office and schedule a tour today.



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All Souls School Alumni

Are you an alumni of All Souls Catholic School? Have you updated your contact information with us? Contact Sue Mohr via email: suebo32@aol.com or phone: 407-415-1918. And please like our Facebook page: All Souls Catholic School Alumni

Mission Statement

All Souls Catholic School is guided by the Trinity to empower our school community to live, love and learn through Christ. We are committed to excellence in education while preparing our students for a life of service, leadership, and compassion.

Step Up Scholarships For Students

All Souls Catholic School works with “Step Up for Students”, the scholarship funding organization. Families may apply by following the link below or scanning the QR Code. Scholarships are available now, so please apply today!

<https://www.stepupforstudents.org> McKay and Gardiner Scholarship opportunities are also available.

Florida Tax Credit Scholarship Programs

To expand educational opportunities for children of families that have limited financial resources and to enable children in this state to achieve a greater level of excellence in their education, the Florida Legislature created the Florida Tax Credit Scholarship Program in 2001. The law provides for state tax credits for contributions to nonprofit scholarship funding organizations, (SFOs). The SFOs then award scholarships to eligible children of low-income families.

Please contact All Souls Catholic School if you want more information. 407-322-7090



All Souls Faith Formation



Thank you for all of you who answered the Lord's call and was faithful to it! We were able to fill all classrooms with catechists and assistants! But we are still looking for extra volunteers to help in other duties, such as sign in and out table, hall monitors, cleaning crew, catechists for ongoing parent formation and subs for when some catechists or assistants aren't able to come on certain dates. This is a wonderful opportunity to share your gifts and talents with the community. No teaching experience needed. We will provide the necessary training for you to be well prepared for this upcoming school year. If you're interested, please email Valeria Lebron, our Parish Catechetical Leader at vlebron@asccsanford.org We are looking forward to having you with us!

¡Gracias a todos aquellos que respondieron el llamado del Señor y son fieles a él! ¡Podimos llenar todas las aulas con catequistas y asistentes! Pero todavía estamos buscando voluntarios adicionales para ayudar en otras tareas, como la mesa de entrada y salida, monitores de pasillo, equipo de limpieza, catequistas para la formación continua de padres y suplentes para cuando algunos catequistas o asistentes no pueden asistir en ciertas fechas. Esta es una oportunidad maravillosa para compartir sus dones y talentos con la comunidad. No es requerido experiencia docente. Le proporcionaremos la capacitación necesaria para que esté bien preparado para este próximo año escolar. Si está interesado, envíe un correo electrónico a Valeria Lebron, nuestra líder catequética parroquial en vlebron@asccsanford.org ¡Esperamos tenerlo con nosotros!

Baptism Preparation Classes

Are you interested in having your child Baptized at All Souls? We offer Baptism classes for parents and godparents in *English on the third Thursdays of each month and in Spanish the third Saturdays of each month.* Please call the parish office for more information about preparing your child for the Sacrament of Baptism.

Clases de preparación para el bautismo

¿Está interesado en bautizar a su hijo en All Souls? Ofrecemos clases de bautismo para padres y padrinos en *inglés los terceros jueves de cada mes y en español los terceros sábados de cada mes.* Llame a la oficina parroquial para obtener más información sobre cómo preparar a su hijo para el Sacramento del Bautismo.

Faith Formation Registration for 2022-2023

Our Faith Formation classes started on Wednesday, September 21 from 6:00pm – 7:45pm. **Registrations are closed for K-5.** If you have a child in grades 6 – 8 that would like to enroll in the Faith Formation / Sacramental Preparation programs or if you are an adult seeking for ongoing formation or preparations for a Sacrament, please register at the Parish Office or give a call at 407-322-3795 and ask for Valeria Lebron, Parish Catechetical Leader to see if there are available spots. We look forward to accompanying you on your faith formation journey this coming year!

Registraziones de Formación de la Fé para 2022-2023

Nuestras clases de Formación de Fé comenzaron el miércoles 21 de septiembre de 6:00 p. m. a 7:45 p. m. **Las inscripciones están cerradas para los grados K-5.** Si tiene un hijo en los grados 6- 8 que le gustaría inscribirse en los programas de Formación de Fé / Preparación Sacramental o si es un adulto que busca formación continua o preparativos para un sacramento, regístrese en la oficina parroquial o llame al 407-322-3795 y pregunte por Valeria Lebron, Líder Catequética Parroquial para ser si hay espacios disponibles.

¡Esperamos acompañarlos en su formación de fe este próximo año!

Valeria Lebron, Parish Catechetical Leader:

Vlebron@asccsanford.org

WEDNESDAY EVENINGS

Grades 1st to 8th, RCIA, RCIC

6:00PM to 7:45PM

ASCS, Social Hall & Chapel

January 11th

January 18th

January 25th Family Night Circle of Grace

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

First Holy Communion

6:00PM to 7:45PM

Social Hall, ASCS

February 27th, 2023, Prep Class 1

March 6th Prep Class 2

March 20th Prep Class 3

April 10th Prep Class 4

April 17th Prep Class 5

May 6th 1st Communion Retreat 9AM – Noon Social Hall

May 13th 1st Communion 10:00 Mass at CHURCH

Confirmation Preparation

February 28, 2023 Sponsor forms due

April 15, 2023 Confirmation retreat (9am-3pm @ Social Hall)

April 15, 2023 Confirmation rehearsal (6pm @ Church on 46)

April 29, 2023 Confirmation Day (10:00am @ Church on 46)

OTHER IMPORTANT DATES!

* Feb 4, and Apr 1 Cemetery Workdays 8:30 – 11:30 All

Souls Cemetery for **Middle School and High School Volunteers**

* Feb 24th, Mar 3rd, Mar 10th, Mar 17th, Mar 24th, and Mar 31st Fish

Fry 4:00p Knights of Columbus Hall



Calling All Cursillistas!

The next Ultreya is December 11th at noon hosted by All Souls at the Knights of Columbus hall.

To learn more about the Cursillo movement and for an invitation to the next retreat please feel free to reach out to Stephanie Fuoco at 407-491-2991, or email: sfuoco2093@gmail.com for information.

News & Events



Thank you, All Souls!

Once again, the Parish has been very supportive of our local Crisis Pregnancy Center.

You, by way of the Baby Bottle

Campaign provided the Center with \$13,400, and you returned 65 percent of the bottles taken.

We also thank Fr. Jeremiah and Fr Ken for their Pulpit support of "The Pregnancy Center" and the volunteers who helped with the 'at Mass' assistance. Feel free to visit the center. Andrea, or a staff member, will gladly provide a tour of the facility.

David and Avonne Segbers. Chairman of the campaign



The Knights of Columbus entry into the 2022 Sanford Christmas Parade of Lights won for the 2nd year in a row!

The theme of Hark the Herald Angels Sing and Keep Christ in Christmas was a big hit! Congratulations to the Knights and Council of Catholic Women for their support.



All Souls Catholic Cemetery is the eldest of the Diocese's two historic Cemeteries.

It has been in continuous operation since 1890, shortly after our parish was founded.

For a Catholic, burial in a Catholic cemetery is a final act of faith, to one's belief in the resurrection of the body and everlasting life.

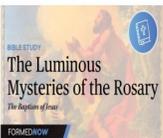
The Catholic cemetery is a sacred place set aside by the Church for the burial of the faithful. The bodies of those buried there rest under the watchful eye of the local Bishop until the last day.

The Catholic cemetery is an extension of the parish community where those who have worshipped together in life now rest together in peace, awaiting Christ's return in glory.

We welcome you to visit our cemetery and spend some quiet time in prayer for all the souls buried there.

THIS WEEK ON FORMED

Week of January 08, 2023



A Bible Study on the Luminous Mysteries: The Baptism of Jesus (Part 1)
Why was Jesus baptized by John the Baptist and what does this mean for the Sacrament of Baptism? Sit down with Taylor Kemp and Dr. Michael Barber as they unpack the first Luminous Mystery of the Rosary.



Reborn - Episode 1: A New Creation
This week, as we contemplate Jesus' Baptism, dive into the mystery of the Sacrament of Baptism! Through our Reborn series, you will come to understand the deeper meaning behind your Baptism!



The Baptism of Jesus by John the Baptist The Bible and Baptism Episode 3
Dr. John Schorn joins Fr. Isaac Morales, OP, a Dominican friar of the Province of Saint Joseph and Associate Professor of Theology at Providence College. This episode highlights the significance of Jesus' baptism at the hands of his cousin, John the Baptist.

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Please Welcome OUR NEW MEMBERS

Lautaro Camacho
Luciano Camacho
Santiago Camacho
Luca Camacho
Camila Camacho
Eliana Camacho

Ricardo Camacho
Xzavier Caballer
Jasmine Caballer
Roberto Caballer
Angelina Giovanniello

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Fr. Kenneth Metz, Retired

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Latin Mass Celebrant

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Friday 8:00am-12:00pm

Phone: 407-322-3795

FAX: 407-322-1131

Parish Website:
www.asccsanford.org

All Souls Parish Office Address:
301 W. 8th Street, Sanford, FL 32771



All Souls Cemetery



All Souls Catholic Cemetery was founded in 1890. It is located in Sanford near 1825 W. 25th Street (just minutes

from historic downtown Sanford). The cemetery offers in-ground burial of caskets and cremations. Please call the parish office for information, and an appointment, at 407-322-3795. Or, learn more at www.asccsanford.org.

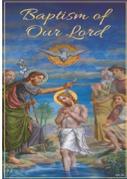
Mass Readings & Prayer Intentions

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<p>7 Sat 1 Jn 5: 14-21/ Ps 149: 1-2, 3-4, 5 and 6a and 9b/ Jn 2: 1-11</p>	<p>8 Sun Is 60: 1-6/ Ps 72: 1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13/ Eph 3: 2-3a, 5-6/ Mt 2: 1-12</p>	<p>9 Mon Is 42: 1-4, 6-7/ Ps 29: 1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10/ Mt 3: 13-17</p>	<p>10 Tue Heb 2: 5-12/ Ps 8: 2ab and 5, 6-7, 8-9/ Mk 1: 21-28</p>	<p>11 Wed Heb 2: 14-18/ Ps 105: 1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9/ Mk 1: 29-39</p>	<p>12 Thu Heb 3: 7-14/ Ps 95: 6-7c, 8-9, 10-11/ Mk 1: 40-45</p>	<p>13 Fri Heb 4/ Ps 78: 3 and 4bc, 6c-7, 8/ Mk 2: 1-12</p>
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Observations

Saint Raymond of Peñafort	Saint Angela of Foligno 	Saint Adrian of Canterbury 	Saint Gregory of Egypt	 BLESSED WILLIAM CARTER	Saint Marguerite Bourgeoys	Saint Hilary of Poitiers
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Prayer Intentions

7 SATURDAY	8 SUNDAY	9 MONDAY	10 TUESDAY	11 WEDNESDAY	12 THURSDAY	13 FRIDAY
<p>8:30am - Chapel † Joseph & Maria Ngo Requested By: Trung & Rachelle Nguyen</p> <p>5:00pm - Church † Manuel Bautista Requested By: Reimond Batac</p>	<p>8:00am - Church Missa Pro Polulo</p> <p>10:00am - Church Deceased members of Saint Vincent de Paul Requested By: SVDP</p> <p>12:00pm - Church † Ana Luisa Rivera Cruz Requested By: Samuel Ochoa</p> <p>2:00pm - Chapel † Thomas & Christina McMenemy Requested By: Bruce McMenemy</p>	<p>8:30am - Chapel † Mary Graciela Delgado Requested By: Martha Azcarete</p>	<p>8:30am - Chapel † Nicanor Capatan Sr. Requested By: The Canonizado Family</p>	<p>8:30am - Chapel † Peggy Hall-Heineman Requested By: Mary Sparks</p>	<p>8:30am - Chapel † Patrick & Elizabeth Carrol Requested By: Bruce McMenemy</p>	<p>8:30am - Chapel For the intentions listed in our cursillistas book. Requested By: Cursillo Group</p>
			 Our Sanctuary Light burns at the Chapel this week for Parish Intentions		 Our Sanctuary Light burns at the Church this week for † Dorothy & Edward Birtwell, as requested by Dottie Pollock.	

Catholic Resources

Reliable sources to help you learn more and grow your faith .

UNITED STATES CONFERENCE OF CATHOLIC BISHOPS

The United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) is an assembly of the hierarchy of bishops who jointly exercise pastoral functions on behalf of the Christian faithful of the United States and the U.S. Virgin Islands.

Daily readings (English)
<https://bible.usccb.org/>

Lecturas diarias (Español)
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Saint of the Day: <https://www.franciscanmedia.org/saint-of-the-day>

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