The Sacrament of Reconciliation: Confessions are heard each week on Saturday at the Church (SR #46) from 3:45pm to 4:45pm or by calling the parish office to make an appointment with a priest. Learn more about this beautiful sacrament by visiting our website: www.allsoulssanford.org/reconciliation.

The Sacrament of Baptism: Call the parish office to learn the necessary requirements and make an appointment with Fr. Kenneth Metz to have your child baptized. Ask us about the requirements for Godparents.

The Sacrament of Marriage: Getting married? Congratulations! The process of being married in the Catholic Church could take between 6 months to a year to complete. Please contact Ann Cammarata at the parish office as soon as possible after your engagement if you would like to be married at All Souls Catholic Church.

Anointing of the Sick: Please call the parish office. The Rite of Anointing tells us there is no need to wait until a person is at the point of death to receive the Sacrament. Did you know that the Sacrament may be repeated if the person becomes sick again? A person should be anointed before surgery when a dangerous illness is the reason for the intervention.

Eucharistic Ministry to the Sick and Homebound: If you are unable to attend Mass, please call the parish office so we may assist you in having a visit from one of our ministers or one of our priests.

Catholic Funeral and Burial: Please call the parish office or have the funeral home director contact us to arrange the Funeral Mass and for more information about burial at All Souls Catholic Cemetery.

Our Online Homilies: If you missed Mass over the weekend you may view the weekly homily by visiting: www.allsoulssanford.org

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Scripture Reflection
21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Behold, some are last who will be first, and some are first who will be last." For Jesus' original audience, this reference was meant for those Jews who presumed their salvation while judging others as being unworthy of entering the kingdom of God. Jesus was always quick to teach that believing in him was what mattered, not membership in a certain class or a particular religious circle. Therefore, some of the (last) Gentiles who professed faith in Jesus were ready to enter the kingdom before some of the (first) Jews who rejected the Messiah.

But we should not assume that this Gospel was only for those people in that time and place. Today, there is perhaps a different stratum of first and last. In our Christian era, we can be tempted to have the same presumptuous attitude that afflicted too many of the Jewish contemporaries of Christ. We can think that our salvation is assured just because we bear the title Christian. Likewise, we can fall prey to the idea that we are somehow better or more deserving of Christ's mercy than those who do not "belong" to our Church. This simply isn't true. God's mercy is available to everyone who humbly recognizes one's need for it. The minute we become complacent or overconfident, we close ourselves off to the gift of mercy God offers to the repentant sinner.

Jesus tells us today that we must "strive to enter through the narrow gate." This means that we must not take the easy road of presumption, assuming that we are in good shape because we look like most of the people around us. On the contrary, Jesus calls us to take the more challenging road of real repentance in order to "recline at table in the kingdom of God."

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21º Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

Para entender el Evangelio y vivirlo debemos de tener un corazón puro y una mente abierta. La cerrazón de cabeza no lleva a ningún lado; hay que abrir el corazón a su palabra. Esto es lo que Isaías trataba de hacerle entender a la gente de su tiempo: "De entre ellos escogeré sacerdotes y levitas" (Is 66, 21). La lección puede ser aprovechada hoy en la comunidad de creyentes a aceptar sacerdotes de toda raza, color y de diferentes culturas para servir en nuestras parroquias. También es un verdadero gozo el poder colaborar y trabajar juntos con otras culturas y tradiciones.

El texto del Evangelio por el otro lado inicia con una pregunta que hacen los discípulos a Jesús. "¿Es verdad que son pocos los que se salvarán?" La pregunta viene por la tendencia del pensamiento religioso de la época de Jesús. Según algunos se salvarían todos los hebreos que participaban del reino futuro, según otros solo los que observaban la ley. Jesús rompe el esquema y da respuesta para todos. No basta con ser religioso y fiel a las propias tradiciones, o cumplir con algunos preceptos. Lo único para Jesús es que haya un esfuerzo sincero en atravesar la puerta angosta. Es decir, no perder tanto tiempo en nuestras devociones e ideas religiosas, más bien pidamos que Dios nos dé fuerza de su Espíritu, para que superemos con valentía cristiana las pruebas que nos da la vida. Porque no vaya a ser que ni veamos esa puerta angosta entretenidos en otras cosas vanas de la vida. Ojo, recuerda: "Los que ahora son los últimos, serán los primeros; y los que ahora son los primeros, serán los últimos" (Lc 13, 30).

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All Souls Cemetery Location: Corner of 25th St. & Hardy Ave.

Everyday Stewardship: Recognize God in your ordinary moments

“For behold, some are last who will be first and some are first who will be last.”  Luke 13:30

Our standards in our society are so different from God's standards. We often rate or rank people by what they have, how powerful they are, or how successful they are. Jesus reminds us that God will not judge us by the same earthly standards.

At the heart of the Bible are the Psalms, prayers from God that help us learn to pray. These sacred hymns become our heartfelt response to God’s loving and wondrous deeds for us.

Please join us for a 12 week study of Psalms: The School of Prayer beginning Mon., Sept. 12 at either 9:30 am or 6:30 pm in Suite C of the Parish Office. For information or to register for the study, visit: allsoulsanford.org/adult-bible-study-groups or call Christina Kalisz 407.506.3958 email: stinaqueen@aol.com Cost is $25

All Souls Catholic School
Donor Appreciation Reception
Lake Forest Clubhouse
5350 Shoreline Circle
Sanford, FL 32771
Friday, September 17, 2016 – 6:30 PM

Mark your calendar for our next Donor Appreciation Reception, Saturday, September 17, 2016 at the Lake Forest Clubhouse. Everyone is invited! Our Donor Appreciation is a great opportunity to learn about our sponsorship program, meet school families, business partners, parishioners and alumni who are long-term supporters of our wonderful school. Join Fr. Medina for cocktails and hors d’oevres! This event is FREE but space is limited so contact the school office to RSVP 407.322.7090.
Make All Souls your parish home, today!

Often people attend Mass at All Souls for several years, but never register. Registering here is a declaration of your desire to be part of a Catholic community and to make a commitment to the life of All Souls Church. Being a registered parishioner makes the process much easier when it is time for infant baptism, school or religious education registration, weddings, when asked to be a baptismal or confirmation sponsor, and even funerals. A registered parishioner receives all parish mailings, too.

Church law advises that territories or boundaries no longer limit parish registration. All Souls accepts anyone who wants to share in the life of the parish regardless of where they live. In order to register, you need to complete a registration card. These may be found in the narthex of the church or chapel, the parish office during the week or online at our parish website: www.allsoulssanford.org. Why not sign up today?

Welcome:
Steve, Kayla & Ella Hill and Michelle Demers
We Love New Members!
Please complete and return the white registration card found in the Narthex of the Church to ensure your official registration at All Souls Catholic Church!

“Act as if everything depended on you; trust as if everything depended on God.” --St. Ignatius of Loyola

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2016 ELECTIONS: DISCERNING YOUR VOTE
Primary Election, August 30
General Election, November 8
ELECTION GUIDE & CANDIDATE QUESTIONNAIRE
The Catholic faithful are urged to choose their political leaders according to principle, not party affiliation or mere self-interest. We are called to political engagement shaped by the moral convictions of well-formed consciences and focused on the dignity of every human being, the pursuit of the common good, and the protection of the weak and the vulnerable. To help parishioners become informed on where candidates stand on key issues, the Florida Conference of Catholic Bishops has polled those running for U.S. Congress and the Florida Legislature. To see how candidates appearing on the August 30 Primary Election / November 8 General Election ballots responded to the questionnaire, visit: www.flaccb.org/2016-election-candidates.

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Our Council of Catholic Women
We, the Sisters in Christ of All Souls Council of Catholic Women, wish all our Students a wonderful reunion with their Teachers, Cafeteria and Maintenance Workers and Friends. Studying and working together will assure us all a very successful school year.

Lead with your heart....
Eleanor Tolley, President 407.637.2236 etolley16@gmail.com

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Stewardship
Offertory Collection Weekend of 8/14/2016 $10,800
St. Vincent de Paul 08/14/2016 430
Church Mortgage Principle Bal. 06/30/16 $ 1,905,108
Debt Reduction Collection 08/14/2016 1,540

Did you forget your envelopes?
Register for online giving today! www.allsoulssanford.org

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Share your construction talents!
The Mission Office of the Diocese of Orlando needs your help to complete three major construction projects in our Sister Diocese in the Dominican Republic. Help needed includes: concrete, carpentry, stucco, plumbing, and electrical. All missions are one week. For a complete listing of mission dates contact Emmett Sapp at esapp@orlandodiocese.org or visit the website at: www.orlandodiocese.org/ministries-offices/mission-office-welcome

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Retreat for Widowed
San Pedro Spiritual Development Center will be offering "Joyful Again", a retreat for all widowed men and women on October 1 and 2, 2016. This is a two-day retreat for widows and widowers who want to resolve the grief they feel inside and begin to live again after the death of their spouse.

Joyful Again is sponsored by the Diocese of Orlando, Office of Family Life and Pastoral Care. For more information or to make a reservation please contact: Sharon Groholksi 386.717.4452.

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Knights of Columbus
Knights of Columbus in service to one. In service to all.
Father Richard J. Lyons Council 5357
Sanford, Florida
www.KofC5357.org
council@KofC5357.org

If you’ve got what it takes to go round after round, then you’ll enjoy BINGO with KofC. We offer three game packages plus extras, a snack bar and full meals, intermissions, and a guaranteed payout. Located in the Columbus Club of Sanford, 2509 Myrtle Ave, Sunday & Thursday night, 5:30pm. State law requires that all persons playing Bingo must be at least 18 years of age.
**Help Wanted!**

All Souls Catholic School cafeteria is looking for an individual to work in the school kitchen serving lunch to students and cleaning afterwards. Hours are 10:30 AM to 7:00 PM. (Ages 3 and up) The fee is $5 per child for lunch. Lunch will begin at 11:30 AM.

For more information, call the school office at 407.322.7090 or email kkiley@allsouls catholic school.org.

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**Golf Tournament**

Golfers, mark your calendars and plan to participate in the 23rd Annual Golf Tournament for All Souls Catholic School at the DeBary Golf & Country Club on Friday, September 23, 2016 – 1:00 PM.

Get your foursome together and join Fr. Medina for a great day of golf. Lunch will begin at 11:30 AM provided by Firehouse Subs with shotgun start at 1:00 PM. Each year, this popular event draws members of the school, parish and the local community to support one of our primary fundraisers. For registration forms, go to www.allsouls catholic school.org, “Events” and click on “Golf Tournament” or contact Sandy Godinho: sgodinho@allsouls catholic school.org; 407.322.7090.

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**Registration for Faith Formation 2016-2017**

We are now accepting Registrations for Faith Formation (Grades K-12) and Registrations for Sacramental Preparation Classes (First Communion, First Reconciliation, or Confirmation) for the 2016-2017 year at the parish office during business hours. You may also visit the parish website and download the appropriate forms under the Grade K-12 area under the Faith Formation tab, complete them and return to the parish office.

Please note that Faith Formation parent orientation is for all parents in K-12 Faith Formation or Sacramental Programs, and will be held on August 30 and 31 and our Faith Formation classes will begin on September 6 and 7.

Please note that registration in our Faith Formation Classes will NOT be accepted during the first week of classes—so do not delay in registering your child/ren. Additionally, a baptism certificate with notations (if any) is to accompany all registrations. Contact the Faith Formation Office at 407.322.3795 to verify that your child’s baptism certificate is on file, if in doubt.

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**Adult Faith Formation News**

Are you interested in learning more about our Catholic Faith?

Please prayerfully consider becoming part of our Adult Faith Formation program. The R.C.I.A. (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) is a program for those who are seeking to be fully initiated into the Catholic Church.

- If you have not been baptized: THIS program is for you!
- If you were baptized in another Christian Church and desire to be brought into full communion with the Catholic Church: THIS program is for you!
- If you were baptized Catholic but did not receive all your sacraments: THIS program is for you as well!
- Also invited are those fully initiated Catholics who might feel a call to accompany another on their journey.

Classes are usually held on Tuesdays from 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm. Please contact me at jmansingh@allsoulssanford.org or 407.322.3795.

**Interested en aprender más acerca de nuestra fé católica?**

Les insto a que consideren en oración formar parte de nuestro programa de R.C.I.A. (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) R.C.I.A. es un programa para aquellos que están buscando iniciarse completamente en la Iglesia Católica. Si usted no ha sido bautizado: **Esto es para usted**! Si usted fue bautizado en otra Iglesia Cristiana y desea ser llevado a la plena comunión con la Iglesia Católica: **Esto es para usted**! Si usted fue bautizado Católico, pero no recibió todos sus sacramentos: **Esto es para usted**! Están invitados los que desean aprender y entender más sobre la fe y la Iglesia. También necesitamos personas completamente iniciadas como católicos que puedan sentirse llamados acompañar otras personas en su viaje. Las clases se llevan a cabo generalmente los martes 7:00 pm a 8:30 pm. Por favor, póngase en contacto conmigo en jmansingh@allsoulssanford.org.

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Our Adoration Chapel—Is open Monday through Friday from 9 am to 9 pm. Please plan a visit to relax and pray before our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament. Before your first visit to the Adoration Chapel, please stop by the parish.

Let us remember the truly remarkable priests who have impacted our lives and especially those deceased priests of the Diocese of Orlando. Let us pray during this month of August for the repose of the soul of:

8  Rev. Sean Shane  2008
10  Rev. Richard Gaffney  1983
12  Rev. Patrick Grogan  1997
21  Rev. Edward O’Shea  1977
23  Rev. Edward Hughes  1992
26  Rev. Bronis Benesevich  1993
27  Rev. Patrick Murphy  1982

Prayer for our Deceased Priests: O God, you raised your servants, to the sacred priesthood of Jesus Christ, according to the Order of Melchisedech, giving them the sublime power to offer the Eternal Sacrifice, to bring the Body and Blood of your Son Jesus Christ down upon the altar, and to absolve the sins of men in your own Holy Name. We beseech you to reward their faithfulness and to forget their faults, admitting them speedily into your holy Presence, there to enjoy forever the recompense of their labors. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Mass Intentions...

Saturday, August 20
8:30 am  †Sean Macher  Chapel  by Don, Cheri & Rachel Macher
5:00 pm  †Alice Daniels  Church  by Hochfelder Family

Sunday, August 21
8:00 am  †Jamie Baquero  Chapel  by the Baquero-Martinez Family
9:30 am  †Katrina Long  Church  by the Long Family
11:00 am  †John Bransky  Church  by Tom & Diane Doyle
12:30 pm  †Manuel de Jesus Estevez  Church (Spanish)  by Mercedes Garcia
2:00 pm  The People of the Parish  Chapel (Latin)  by the Parishioners of All Souls Catholic Church

Monday, August 22
8:30 am  Miriam Rivera  Chapel
Special Intention by her family

Tuesday, August 23
8:30 am  †Sofia Rodriguez  Chapel  by Vida Olsen

Wednesday, August 24
8:30 am  †Barbara “Pee Wee” Bosse  Chapel  by her family

Thursday, August 25
8:30 am  †Charlie Calderone  Chapel  by Pat & Sonny Blake

Friday, August 26
8:30 am  †Luther “Pete” Eugene Long  Chapel  by the Bornstein Family

Saturday, August 27
8:30 am  †Bernardo Manansala  Chapel  by Narlene Cotas
5:00 pm  †Will Olsen  Church  by the Hagen Family

Sunday, August 28
8:00 am  †Tom Lawlor  Chapel  by the Palmer Family
9:30 am  †Margaret Basso  Church  by the All Souls Choir
11:00 am  People of the Parish  Church (Spanish)  by the Parishioners of All Souls
12:30 pm  Sanctity of Life  Chapel (Latin)  by the Knights of Columbus
2:00 pm  †Ann Antonio  by her children

The Sanctuary Light burns this week at our Church in loving memory of Luther “Pete” Eugene Long, as requested by the Scott Family. May he rest in eternal peace.

The Sanctuary Light burns this week at our Historic Chapel in loving memory of Armando Perez-Leeffmans & Family, as requested by the Perez-Koeneke Family. May they rest in eternal peace.

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.

Saint of the Week—Rose of Lima—Aug. 23rd

1586-1617—Born in Lima, Peru, the infant Isabel de Flores got her more familiar name from an Indian maid who said she was “like a rose.” As a child Rose was given to fasting and mortification. After her parents refused to let her enter the convent and she refused to marry, she lived at home in seclusion. At 20 she joined the Third Order of St. Dominic, using a backyard hut for prayer and caring for poor children and elderly sick in a one-room infirmary in her parents’ home. She died at 31, and was declared the first saint from the Americas in 1671.
The Society of St. Vincent de Paul

Countdown to September 18: The Young Vincentians Need You! We’re looking for another great group of kids to check out the Young Vincentians as they serve people in need and have fun and make new friends.

Save the date: Sunday, September 18 at 6 pm in the Social Hall - Our Pizza Party kicks off another great year!!

Food Pantry Need of the Week: 18 oz. jelly. Last Week: 197 items with a retail value of $329. Thanks!

Large Item Pickup? The St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Store Truck makes house calls for large items, including furniture and appliances! Call us at 888.986.4483. SVDP Assistance Hotline call: 407.330.4400

SVDP for Pick up of donations: 1.888.986.4483

Thrift Store Location: 216 N. Hwy 17-92, Suite #150 – Big Lots Plaza Longwood, 32750

Hours: Mon. to Fri.: 10 am to 7 pm; Sat. 9 am to 6 pm

Closed Sunday*

Test Drive the Parish Choir

...at the 9:30 am Mass...If you have ever thought about singing in the choir, this is an open invitation to sing with the group for the next three weeks (August 28, September 4 and September 11) at the 9:30 Mass. You can sing for any of the three weeks or all of them.

Singers must be 10th grade age or older. If you would like more specifics, please stop by after Mass and speak with David or contact him at dmcghee@allsoulsanford.org.

Rehearsals will be held on Sunday morning at 8:45 am in the choir room at the Church (SR #46). We hope you will consider singing with us!

All Souls Music and Liturgy

David McGhee, Director of Music and Liturgy

Test Drive the Parish Choir

Come to the Bunco Party!

Ladies & Gents, the Council of Catholic Women of St. Ann’s Catholic Church, DeBary, 26 Dogwood Trail, is hosting their bi-annual Bunco Party August 25th, at St. Ann’s Parish Hall. Doors opens at 11:30 am and lunch is served at noon! All proceeds from this event will benefit the homeless high school students from University High, to help pay for their required school uniforms. We are hoping to sell 80 tickets, and with our raffle baskets & 50/50, make our goal of $1,000. Call Regina at 386.668.1417 or Linda at 386.789.6256 for tickets or information.

Spanish Prayer Group

Nuestro Grupo de Oración Jesús María y José cordialmente te invita a su reunión tradicional en la Capilla Histórica en Sanford a las 7:15 pm, comenzando con el rezo del rosario, oraciones y la adoración del Santísimo Sacramento. Todos están invitados a asistir.

Our Spanish Prayer Group cordially invites you to their Monday evening meeting in the Historic Chapel beginning with the recitation of the Rosary at 7:15, prayer meeting and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. All are invited to attend.

Your favorite cheesesteak sandwich will be back.

The Church of the Holy Family

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