All Souls Catholic Church
Sanford, Florida

Clergy of the Parish
Fr. Gilbert Medina, Pastor
Fr. Ed McCarthy, Retired
Fr. Kenneth Metz, Retired
Fr. Andrzej Jurkiewicz,
Latin Mass Celebrant
Fr. Mark Christopher, Retired
Rev. Mr. Marty Mueller, Deacon

Church Location
3280 W. 1st St. (SR #46), Sanford, FL
Saturday 5:00 pm Vigil Mass
Sunday 9:30 am, 11am,
12:30 pm (Spanish)
Confession: Saturday,
3:35 to 4:45 pm

Historic Chapel Location
800 S. Oak Ave., Sanford, FL
Daily Mass 8:30 am,
Monday—Saturday
Sunday 8:00 am,
2:00 pm (Latin)

The Sacraments
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.allsouls-sanford.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 homily by visiting:

www.allsouls-sanford.org

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.

Matthew 5:38-48
The 7th Sunday Ordinary Time

"Give to the one who asks of you, and do not turn your back on one who wants to borrow." Today Jesus continues the powerful teaching of his Sermon on the Mount. Typical of this famous sermon, here he urges us to see things in a new way, specifically regarding situations and people who bother us. First, he tells us not to seek revenge. Instead, we are to demonstrate incredible generosity. Then, he instructs us to "love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you."

These instructions don't come naturally to most of us. We are much more inclined to want to get even with those who cause us to suffer, and to wish ill for those who have hurt us. But Jesus proposes another way.

In truth, what good does it do to seek revenge or foster hate? It only continues the cycle of evil. Jesus encourages behavior that will not stop the cycle short. He gives us a model that—although it may not change the heart of our "enemies"—will nonetheless change OUR hearts for the better. When pressed into service for one mile, if we voluntarily go two, then WE are the ones whose attitude and experience is certain to change. Instead of spending the length of that one mile cursing and complaining, we spend the length of two enjoying a surprising kind of freedom: "I chose to do this," instead of "I am being forced to do this."

When we practice the generosity of giving more than we are asked, and the charity of praying for those who persecute us, we will find ourselves in a position to transcend the trouble. It sets us free to not be mastered by the evil around us. Thus, we are able to help end the cycle of evil and begin a new cycle of love and peace.

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7º Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

"Ustedes, pues, sean perfectos, como su Padre celestial es perfecto" (Mt 5, 48). Consiente Ud. o no, a todos nos gusta la perfección. Muy raras son las personas que no les importa el verse bien y el quedar bien con los demás. Pero, con referencia a las palabras de Jesús sobre la perfección parece que nos pide imposibles. Podemos entender su esperanza al comprender un poco el significado de la palabra. Jesús nos reta a responder a los otros sin límite. Para ampliar nuestro conocimiento aún más sobre la palabra "perfectos" veamos que nos dice el Catecismo de la Iglesia Católica en el número 41: "Todas las criaturas poseen una cierta semejanza con Dios, muy especialmente el hombre creado a imagen y semejanza de Dios. Las múltiples perfecciones de las criaturas (su verdad, su bondad, su belleza) reflejan, por tanto, la perfección infinita de Dios".

¿Qué concepto tienes tú de la perfección? ¿Significa lo mismo para ti la perfección humana que la divina? La invitación es ver con lo profundo del corazón lo que es justo e injusto, el amor y el odio y luego lanzarnos a actuar sin límite por lo perfecto, por lo bueno, por lo mejor para todos. Al participar cantando en la asamblea hoy, pidamos la santidad de Dios, que es ver con lo profundo del corazón lo que es justo e injusto, el amor y el odio y luego lanzarnos a actuar sin límite por lo perfecto, por lo bueno, por lo mejor para todos.

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Make All Souls your parish home

Become Part of Our Church Family

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.allsoulsanford.org. Why not sign up today?

We Love New Members!

Samuel, Yarimar, Lily & Alannah Woods
Frank & Joan Miro

Please complete and return the white registration card found in the Narthex of the Church or register online at the parish website allsoulsanford.org to ensure your official registration at All Souls Catholic Church!

Protecting God’s Family

Volunteers are an integral part of everything we do at All Souls Catholic Church and All Souls Catholic School. To create a safe environment for all volunteers and participants working with our children and vulnerable populations (the elderly, handicapped, homebound, etc.) the Diocese of Orlando, as mandated by the USCCB (United States Conference of Catholic Bishops), has instituted fingerprinting and criminal background investigation (FDLE-Level II) for all volunteers and employees, in addition to a Safe Environment Training (S.E.T.) video and test that must be completed before you can become an employee, or volunteer in an activity or ministry. This process is to be completed every five years for all those ages 15 years and older.

The mission of this program is to protect children, the elderly, and the disabled and to effectively screen out current and prospective volunteers and employees who are not suitable for contact with children, the elderly, or the disabled. Should you have any questions regarding the Diocesan Safe Environment Policy, or need to complete the S.E.T./Background Check to begin ministry or volunteer service at All Souls, please contact our parish office at 407.322.3795. Working together we can protect our vulnerable populations.

Stewardship

Offertory Collection Weekend of 02/12/17 $11,478
St. Vincent de Paul 02/12/17 354
Church Mortgage Principle Bal. 12/31/16 $ 1,874,910
Debt Reduction Collection 02/12/17 1,516

Did you forget your envelopes? Register for online giving today! Lost or forgotten envelopes? Do you prefer to set up automatic donations? It’s easy to give online with our secure site: WeShare. Visit: https://allsoulsanford.weshareonline.org

Give Online with WeShare

Our Council of Catholic Women

Dear Sisters in Christ, Peace be with you! This weekend I would like to remind everyone of our Mission Statement: “The All Souls Council of Catholic Women acts through its affiliated organizations to support, empower and educate all Catholic women in spirituality, leadership and service. All Souls Council of Catholic Women programs respond with Gospel values to the needs of the Church and society in the modern world.”

Lead with your heart

Eleanor Tolley, President ~ 407.637.2236, etolley16@gmail.com

The Knights of Columbus

Men of the parish—come join the Knights of Columbus! The council meets at 7:00 pm on the first and third Tuesdays of each month at the Columbus Club of Sanford. First Tuesdays are Social meetings, and everyone is invited. Third Tuesdays are Officer and Council Business meetings and open only to Knights of Columbus. The Columbus Club officers meet at 7:00 PM on the last Wednesday of each month. For more information see a Knight after Mass or contact our Grand Knight, Ken Conrad at 407.493.0785.

If you’ve got what it takes to go round after round, then you’ll enjoy BINGO with the Knights of Columbus Council 5357. 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, 5:30 pm. State law requires that all persons playing Bingo must be at least 18 years of age. For more information call 407.324.3699.
All Souls Catholic School

United States
Department of
Education
National Blue
Ribbon School
Excellence in
Catholic Education
810 S. Oak Avenue, Sanford, FL 32771

If you are considering enrolling your child in All Souls Catholic School please contact the school office for more information.

Dr. Kathleen Kiley, Principal
Mrs. Mary Moran, Asst. Principal
Phone: 407.322.7090
FAX: 407.321.7255
Visit our website: www.allsoulscatholicschool.org

Florida Tax Credit Scholarship

The Florida Tax Credit Scholarship window is now open for new families! You may be eligible for a $5,886 scholarship to All Souls Catholic School. Visit www.stepupforstudents.org to apply or call the school office at 407.322.7090 for more information. Register now for 2016-17.

All Souls School Annual Gala

Mark your calendar for the next Gala & Awards Dinner to be held on Saturday, March 25, 2017, at the Lake Mary Marriott. 6:00pm to 11:00 pm. Early Bird Tickets are just $75 per person. Don’t delay! Purchase your tickets now! Call the school office at 407.322.7090 to purchase your tickets. Or purchased online here: https://allsoulscatholicschool.org/dinner-gala

Give the Gift of Life!

One Blood Orlando and our Knights of Columbus Council #5357 are teaming up to host a parish-wide blood drive in March. You are invited to take part in this opportunity to help save lives on Sunday, March 5th from 8:30 am to 1:00 pm by visiting the Big Red Bus, which will be parked at the Church on SR#46. All donors will receive special gift and a wellness check.

Faith Formation News

Upcoming Parish Mission—mark your calendar!

Make plans to attend our upcoming Parish Mission—Monday, March 13 through Wednesday, March 15th at our Historic Chapel, 800 S. Oak Avenue. Our featured speaker and mission leader will be Father Dan Cambra MIC, the director of the Marian Evangelization Team and member of the Mother of Mercy Province of the Marians of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary. The mission entrusted to the MIC is to spread the message and devotion of Divine Mercy. Father Dan will speak at all of our Masses the weekend of March 11/12. Each day we will have a new message and presentations will be offered at 9:15 am (after Daily Mass) and in the evening beginning at 6:45 pm. On Tuesday evening we will have our Communal Lenten Penance Service which gives us all an opportunity to attend confession during Lent.

For more information about our mission, please visit http://www.thedivinemercy.org/events/?loc=Florida

Daddy Daughter Dance!

Our 6th Annual Daddy Daughter Dance is Coming! Saturday, March 11, 2017, 6:30 pm Photos, 7-9pm Dance, All Souls Catholic School Social Hall!
$25 for Dads, Uncles, Grandpas, etc., $10 per daughter. Includes: 5”x7” photo w/special guy; Yummy Treats; Party Favors and Prizes.
Purchase your tickets online now at: https://allsoulssanford.weshareonline.org/ws/opportunities/DaddyDaughterDance
Contact Michelle Murphy
407.322.3795 or mmurphy@allsoulssanford.org

DAWG Summer Mission Trip!

Exciting News! 8th Grade—High School students—Join the All Souls Youth (DAWG) on our Summer Mission Trip—July 16 to 22 in Charleston, SC. Reserve your place with a $45 (non-refundable deposit) Cost is $345 dates due: 2/15 $45; 4/30 $100; 5/31 $100; 6/30 $100. Please contact Michelle Murphy, Youth Minister at mmurphy@allsoulssanford.org for complete details. *Some financial assistance is available. Please contact Michelle if you want to attend! Read more here: http://heartworkcamp.com
Week Day Readings

Readings for the Week of February 19, 2017

Sunday: Lv 19:1-2, 17-18; 1 Cor 3:16-23; Mt 5:38-48
Monday: Sir 1:1-10; Mk 9:14-29
Tuesday: Sir 2:1-11; Mk 9:30-37
Wednesday: 1 Pt 5:1-4; Mt 16:13-19
Thursday: Sir 5:1-8; Mk 9:41-50
Friday: Sir 6:5-17; Mk 10:1-12
Saturday: Sir 17:1-15; Mk 10:13-16
Next Sunday: Is 49:14-15; Cor 4:1-5; Mt 6:24-34

Observances for the Week of February 19, 2017

Sunday: 7th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday: Presidents’ Day
Tuesday: St. Peter Damian, Bishop and Doctor of the Church
Wednesday: Chair of St. Peter the Apostle
Thursday: St. Polycarp, Bishop and Martyr
Next Sunday: 8th Sunday in Ordinary Time

“If we do not risk anything for God we will never do anything great for him.”
~Louis Grignion de Montfort

Mass Intentions

Saturday, February 18
8:30 am  Chapel  by his granddaughter
†Joseph Hai Ngo
5:00 pm  Church  by the Parishioners of All Souls
The People of the Parish

Sunday, February 19
8:00 am  Chapel
†Louis & †Catherine Baumann  by the Palmer Family
9:30 am  Church  by the Robles Family
†Pam Fortunato  by Lissette Rodriguez
11:00 am  Church
†Angelita Cruz  by Maria Mikarsky
12:30 pm  Church (Spanish)
†S. Lera Miguel  by Maria Mikarsky
2:00 pm  Chapel (Latin)
†Jamie Fernandez, Jr.  by the Fernandez Family

Monday, February 20
8:30 am  Chapel
†Mary Vezina  by Angela FitzPatrick

Tuesday, February 21
8:30 am  Chapel
†Rudy Rosado  by Mary Rosado

Wednesday, February 22
8:30 am  Chapel
†Carmen Green  by her family

Thursday, February 23
8:30 am  Chapel
†Romeo & †Betty Desjardins  by their family

Friday, February 24
8:30 am  Chapel
†Mary Lou Klutho  by the Palmer Family

Saturday, February 25
8:30 am  Chapel
†Winifred Hughes  by Michele Cleer & Family
†Italia Fanin  by Mr. & Mrs. Lorenzo Mattioli

Sunday, February 26
8:00 am  Chapel  by the Parishioners of All Souls
People of the Parish
9:30 am  Church  by the Scott Family
†Amelia LeFils  by John & Laura Lischke
11:00 am  Church
†Thomas Prendergast  by Olga Cuevas
12:30 pm  Church (Spanish)
†Cesar Augusto Serna-Londono  by Olga Cuevas
2:00 pm  Chapel (Latin)
Velia Coppa  by the Coppa-Cross Family

The Sanctuary Light in our Church burns in loving memory of Gabrielle Laverde, as requested by Regina Neff. May she rest in peace.

If you would like to reserve the Sanctuary Light in either our Historic Chapel or our Church on SR#46 please contact the parish office. You may reserve the Sanctuary Light in memory of a loved one or in thanksgiving or celebration of a special occasion.

Have you been asked to be a sponsor?

Requirements for baptismal and confirmation sponsors, according to Canon Law are: (Can. 874 §1) To be permitted to take on the function of sponsor a person must:
1. be designated by the one to be baptized, by the parents or the person who takes their place, or in their absence by the pastor or minister and have the aptitude and intention of fulfilling this function; 2. have completed the sixteenth year of age; 3. be a Catholic who has been confirmed and has already received the most holy sacrament of the Eucharist and who leads a life of faith in keeping with the function to be taken on; 4. not be bound by any canonical penalty legitimately imposed or declared; 5. not be the father or mother of the one to be baptized or confirmed.

Morning of Reflection for MATS

There will be a Ministry to the Sick, Morning of Reflection on Saturday, February 25th from 9:00am to 11:30am in the All Souls Catholic School Social Hall. Please contact Adam Heyborer at 407.697.4402 or email him at: jmjunlimited2@bellsouth.net if you plan to attend.
The Society of St. Vincent de Paul

Food Pantry Needs of the Week: 18 oz. jelly. Last Week: 253 items were donated with a retail value of $694. Thanks!

Vincentian Reflection: In today’s Gospel, Jesus challenges us by saying: “You must be perfected as your heavenly Father is perfect.” When we give to the poor, God indeed pours his love, peace and joy into our hearts and into our lives.

News from St. Vincent de Paul Orlando: Recently, St. Vincent de Paul Orlando provided four beds, a washer and dryer and clothing to a single mom who recently came out of an abuse shelter. SVDP utilizes a Voucher Program to serve families in need across Central Florida. Learn more about the Society at: svdporlando.org

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

*Scheduled Sunday*

The 2017 Society of St. Vincent de Paul Scholarship application for students in Post-Secondary Schools is now available online: https://www.allsoulssanford.org/2017-scholarship-information

The Society is accepting applications through the deadline of March 3, 2017.

Catholic Moms Ministry

Catholic Moms Ministry will next meet Monday, February 27th from 7 PM to 9 PM in the Parish Conference Room. We’ll be discussing Chapter 3 of Divine Mercy for Moms, available from Amazon.com. Don’t worry if you don’t have the book—come for the fellowship! All moms are welcome! For more information, contact Polly DeLucia at pdelucia@cfl.rr.com or 407.324.2684.

Prayer & Life Workshops/Talleres de Oración y Vida—You are invited to participate in our Prayer & Life Workshops. We meet each week for a two hour session of profound learning. Our first session is Thursday, February 23, from 6:30 to 9:30pm at the Parish office—Conference Room & Suite C.

Contact Rosa Bartline at 407.416.1046 for the English sessions.

Talleres de Oración y Vida - un método para aprender a orar; el propósito es ayudarte a buscar al Señor de una manera íntima y personal por medio de la oración. Aprenderás diversos modos de relacionarte con Dios. Los talleres te llevaran del encanto de Dios al encanto de la vida. Amanda Porras y Liliana Novak estarán a la salida para más información. 407.963.7433.

LET’S STAY CONNECTED!

Like and post to us on our Facebook Pages:
- All Souls Catholic Community
- All Souls Catholic Cemetery

Sign-up to receive parish emails or text messages through our Flocknote service. We regularly send updates about parish activities, events, and announcements. You can sign-up to receive our email and free* text alerts by texting Allsouls to: 84576 (*Standard messaging rates may apply from your cell phone provider)

Follow us on Twitter: @AllSoulsSanford

Watch: Parish Media Ministry for our priest’s Weekly Homily online at our parish website: https://www.allsoulssanford.org

This week in the parish

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The importance of prayer and community cannot be overstated. Men of the parish are invited to join us each Monday morning or each Saturday morning at 6:00 am (a repeat of the Monday morning meeting), at the Knights of Columbus Meeting Hall, 2509 S. Oak Ave., Sanford. That Man is You! honestly addresses the pressures and temptations that men face, especially those relating to their roles as husbands and fathers. Contact Scott Kinser: scottkinser@gmail.com for more information.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul
All Souls Conference
Case Management Report: January 1 – 29, 2017
Total Number of Individuals/Families Served: 41
Number of Food Orders: 34 valued at $2,080
Number of Bags of Care: 20 valued at $500
Number of Clothing/Furniture Vouchers: 3 valued at $495
Meat Purchased for Freezer: $82.02
Number of Individuals/Families Provided with Financial Assistance: 24 for $4,900.81
Utilities: 6 for $1,103.34
Water: 2 for $197.00
Rent/Lodging/Mortgage: 9 for $3,660.23
Gas Vouchers: 3 for $60.00
Bus Passes: 2 for $23.50
Bedding: 2 for $100.74
Furniture Delivery: 1 for $50
Total Cash and In Kind: $8,057.83

TMIY: That Man Is You! focuses on helping men grow in their roles as husbands and fathers. It addresses the pressures and temptations that men face, especially those relating to their roles as husbands and fathers. Contact Scott Kinser: scottkinser@gmail.com for more information.