And suddenly there came from the sky a noise like a strong driving wind, and it filled the entire house in which they were.

Acts 2:2
Pentecost Sunday

"Jesus came and stood in their midst and said to them, 'Peace be with you.'" Then, he said it again. And then, "he breathed on them and said to them, 'Receive the Holy Spirit.'" Jesus brings peace, and he brings the Holy Spirit. Peace, in fact, is one of the fruits of the Holy Spirit. Today, on this feast of Pentecost, we remember the dramatic outpouring of the Holy Spirit that came upon those first apostles and the peace that came along with it. But we do more than remember. We also celebrate the presence of this same Spirit in our midst.

Through the sacrament of baptism, every Christian receives the indwelling presence of the Holy Spirit in his or her soul. Thus, the gift of peace is already ours! The question is whether or not we have really begun to appreciate and utilize this most precious gift. Like the apostles who had locked themselves up "for fear of the Jews," we too are capable of imprisoning ourselves in our own anxieties. We fret and worry about the future, about our sufferings or our disappointments, and too often let these concerns stifle the true peace that Jesus offers us.

But the Church today urges us to rejoice and to step out in faith like the apostles who left their fears behind them. Peace not only alleviates our fears, it also frees us to live our faith to the fullest, to have the courage to take risks, and to leave our comfort zone for the sake of the Gospel. This is what we are called and, not only that, empowered to do. Anything less is a comfort zone for the sake of the Gospel. This is what we are called to be Church.

The Sacraments

The Sacrament of Reconciliation: Confessions are heard each week on Saturday at the Church (SR #46) from 3:45pm to 4:45pm. 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 Father 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 Souls Parish Office Staff
Phone: 407.322.3795 - Fax: 407.322.1131

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Parish Cemetery Location: Corner of 25th St. & Hardy Ave., Sanford 32771
Church Location: 3280 W. 1st Street, (SR#46), Sanford 32771
Historic Chapel Location: 800 S. Oak Ave., Sanford 32771
Email: office@allsouls-sanford.org

Secretary to Fr. Medina/Office Manager: Ann Cammarata
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Faith Formation Director: Jenny Mansingh
Youth Minister: Michelle Murphy
Director of Music & Liturgy: David McGhee
Associate Director of Music: Nancy Pfingsten
Business Manager: Mimi Costa
Facilities: Mary Valente

For Cemetery information: Contact Mary Valente at the Parish Office.

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

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301 W. 8th Street, 32771
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(Not please summer hours)

Church Location
3280 W. 1st St. (SR #46), Sanford 32771
Saturday 5:00 pm Vigil Mass
Sunday 9:30 am, 11am,
12:30 pm (Spanish)
Confession: Saturday,
3:30 to 4:45 pm

Historic Chapel Location
800 S. Oak Ave., Sanford 32771
Daily Mass 8:30 am, Monday—Saturday
Sunday 8:00 am, 2:00 pm (Latin)

The parish office will close at 12:00 noon each Friday beginning June 2nd through August 4th.
Dear Sisters in Christ, Peace be with you!

Our last meeting of the season is June 6th at 7:00 pm at the Knights of Columbus Hall. Our Theme is: Picnic! We will present the parish with a check to start the Sound System Project for the Social Hall/Gym. Other funds from all our endeavors will be given to local charities. Our Hospitality Chair, Ronnie Capalino always has the best refreshments. School Moms and Parish Ladies, please come join us for a special fun meeting.

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

Dear Folks at All Souls:
I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for the time that I was with you. I am grateful for your being receptive to my words and for the support, both spiritual and financial, that you offered. I ask that you continue to pray for the Diocese of Juticalpa, that we will truly be a sign of the love that God has for all peoples and that we may proclaim the Good News when it is convenient and inconvenient. God bless you for your generous donations of $6,265 for this Mission appeal.
I also want to thank Fr. Medina for his warm welcome and his being sure that I was always ok. In gratitude for all,
Fr Dan St. Laurent

Church Mortgage Principal Balance 03/31/2017 $1,849,778
Debt Reduction Collection May 28, 2017 1,297

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: allsoulssanford.weshareonline.org

If you’ve got what it takes to go round after round, then you’ll enjoy BINGO in our topnotch BINGO Hall. We offer three game packages plus extras, a snack bar and full meals, intermissions, and a guaranteed payout. Located at 2509 Myrtle Ave, Sanford, 407.324.3699. State law requires that all persons playing BINGO must be at least 18 years of age.
Meetings 1st (Social) and 3rd (Business) Tuesdays at 7pm, 2504 S Oak Ave, Sanford. kofc5357.org

Mark your calendars: The Knights of Columbus will hold a Rosary for the Unborn at the All Souls Catholic Cemetery on Tuesday, June 13 at 6:30. The site is the Memorial to the Unborn near the entrance to the cemetery. All are welcome and encouraged to attend.
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

Due to construction projects which must be completed over the summer months at All Souls Catholic School, we have cancelled Vacation Bible School for this summer. We apologize for any inconvenience this causes our families who always look forward to our week together. Please read the following diocesan offering for upcoming summer camps.

Registration is open for San Pedro’s Summer Camp, “Heart of the Gospel”. Students are invited to join an amazing journey this summer to dive into the heart of the Gospels, uncovering God’s Truths that will transform their lives!

At San Pedro Summer Camp, campers trade the distractions (and tech) of daily life for a week of faith, friends and fun! They become immersed in faith through the Sacraments and prayer. They build lifelong friendships through the fun of low ropes course, archery and a giant slip and slide. They encounter Christ through well trained young adult counselors who infectiously spread their love for God through witnesses and silly skits.

Camps run June – July and are available as day camps or overnight camps for elementary through high school students. Call 407.671.6322 for more details or visit the website to register: www.sanpedrocenter.org/summercamp

Those left behind when a family member is incarcerated are just as affected as the inmates themselves. "Outmates" need not be isolated by this experience. Families reaching out to each other can help ease the pain. We offer each other information and support. If you would like to be in contact with others in this situation, please join us in the Mother Theresa Room of St. Mary Magdalen’s Parish Life Center on Saturday, June 17th at 9:00am. Coffee, tea and light refreshments will be available.

For further information please contact Jean or Jack Canatsey at fmforlando@gmail.com or call 407.463.5780 or 407.695.6818.

Now is the time to register your child/ren for our 2017-2018 Faith Formation Classes. Please visit: www.allsouls-sanford.org/grade-k-through-12, download the form and return to the parish office to ensure your child’s spot in our classes beginning this August.

Dear DAWG participants—you and your loved ones are invited to a Mass at the church on SR#46, on June 11th at 12:30 pm (Spanish) for the repose of the soul of Luis Sergio Vielma. Since many of you work, you may want to request the time off to attend this Mass for our beloved Luis. Please wear your “Luis” t-shirt, if you have one, if not, please wear the color blue.
Pentecost Sunday

Week Day Readings

Readings for the Week of June 4, 2017

Sunday: Acts 2:1-11; 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13; Jn 20:19-23
Monday: Tb 1:3; 2:1b-8; Mk 12:1-12
Tuesday: Tb 2:9-14; Mk 12:13-17
Wednesday: Tb 3:1-11a, 16-17a; Mk 12:18-27
Thursday: Tb 6:10-11; 7:1bcde, 9-17; 8:4-9a; Mk 12:28-34
Friday: Tb 11:5-17/Ps 146:1b-2, 6c-10/Mk 12:35-37
Saturday: Tb 12:1, 5-15, 20; Mk 12:38-44
Next Sunday: Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9; 2 Cor 13:11-13; Jn 3:16-18

“The Church is like a great ship being pounded by the waves of life’s different stresses. Our duty is not to abandon ship but to keep her on her course.”

--St. Boniface

Mass Intentions

Saturday, June 3
8:30 am
†Joyce Dual
5:00 pm
†James Paquette

Sunday, June 4
8:00 am
Karen Thompson
9:30 am
†Richard Vargas
11:00 am
†Nicole Scrodon
12:30 pm
People of the Parish
2:00 pm
†John F. Clarke, Sr.

Monday, June 5
8:30 am
†Walter Carr
8:30 am
Tiffany Boland

Tuesday, June 6
8:30 am
†Fr. Domingo Gonzalez

Wednesday, June 7
8:30 am
†Elizabeth Dempsey
8:30 am
†Paul Graffeo

Thursday, June 8
8:30 am
†Michael Terry Pyle
5:00 pm
†Sotero Fanin

Friday, June 9
8:00 am
†Luther ‘Pete’ Long
9:30 am
†Brian O’Connor
11:00 am
†Francis Antonio
12:30 pm
†Luis Sergio Vielma
2:00 pm
People of the Parish

Saturday, June 10
8:30 am
†James Paquette
5:00 pm
†Sotero Fanin

Sunday, June 11
8:00 am
†Luther ‘Pete’ Long
9:30 am
†Brian O’Connor
11:00 am
†Francis Antonio
12:30 pm
†Luis Sergio Vielma
2:00 pm
People of the Parish

Our Friend, Fr. Mark Christopher

Father Chris will celebrate 60 years of priesthood on June 15th. He would love to receive your good wishes. He is doing well under the care of personal friends from St. Anastasia parish in Fort Pierce, in the Diocese of Palm Beach. He sends us his love and good wishes.

If you would like to send Father Chris good wishes please mail:

Father Mark Christopher
c/o Mr. and Mrs. Bob Borrow
604 Juan Ortiz Circle,
Fort Pierce, FL 34947

Recognizing God in the Ordinary Moments...

There are some things I miss now that my children are older. Fewer snuggles, fewer moments of awe and wonder, and fewer crazy questions that make me laugh. However, if I’m honest, there are some things I do not miss, especially the birthday party. I loved the aspect of celebrating my child’s birth, but most years the party cost too much, involved too much stress, and resulted in a lot of presents that ended up in my garage. Today, nice dinners with family and friends sharing time together have taken the place of the "birthday party" and that is fine with me.

Centuries ago, God moved in such a profound way and sent his Holy Spirit upon us, imparting to the Church gifts that remain with us today. That first Pentecost was a first birthday party of sorts, with people gathered to celebrate their common faith in Jesus Christ. Of course, that party had none of the trappings of a child’s event at Chuck E. Cheese's, but instead presented us all with generous gifts that could be used for the glory of God instead of the stuff children discard after a few weeks.

Every year I think it is important to really celebrate what God has given to us, the Church, on the feast of Pentecost. The generosity of God knows no limits and the Holy Spirit is alive. It’s just that the gifts from this celebration need to be used or the celebration will be hollow. The gifts are free to us even though they are priceless. It would be poor stewardship to toss them in the garage with all those toys that time forgot.

--Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

Live the Liturgy, LPI.

The Sanctuary Light in our Church burns in loving memory of Olin Voorhies, as requested by the Sherman Family. May he rest in eternal peace.

The Sanctuary Light in our Historic Chapel burns in loving memory of Jayne Swiderski Fischer, as requested by the Peters Family. May she rest in eternal peace.

Wednesday, June 7
†Luis Sergio Vielma
12:30 pm
†Francis Antonio
5:00 pm
†Michael Terry Pyle
8:00 am
†Luther ‘Pete’ Long
9:30 am
†Brian O’Connor
11:00 am
†Francis Antonio
12:30 pm
†Luis Sergio Vielma
2:00 pm
People of the Parish

Saturday, June 3
Chapel
by Leah, Joe & Karen Dual
Church
by his family

Sunday, June 4
Chapel
by her family
Church
by his family
Church
by Richard Scrodon
Church (Spanish)
by the Parishioners of All Souls
Chapel (Latin)
by Thomas Clarke

Monday, June 5
Chapel
by Lynda Carter

Tuesday, June 6
Chapel
by Pat Southward

Wednesday, June 7
Chapel
by Sister Giovannia Saleby

Thursday, June 8
Chapel
by the Doughtery Family

Friday, June 9
Chapel
by Nancy Whitman

Saturday, June 10
Chapel
by Andrew Pyle
Church
by Mr. and Mrs. L. Mattioli

Sunday, June 11
Chapel
by the Long Family
Church
by Pat Blake
Church
by his children
Church (Spanish)
by his family
Chapel (Latin)
by the Parishioners of All Souls
The Society of St. Vincent de Paul

Food Pantry Needs of the Week: 18 oz. Jelly/Peanut Butter. Last Week: 196 items were donated with a retail value of $572. Thanks All Souls Catholic Students and Parents and parishioners!

Join Us: Won’t you please consider joining us this Monday, June 5, at 7 pm at the Knights of Columbus Hall (2504 S. Oak Ave.) in Sanford for our SVDP Meeting? Join us for prayer and fellowship.

Vincentian Reflection: Today, as we celebrate Pentecost, Jesus says to his disciples: “Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you.”

Is there a family you know who needs assistance? Please call the Society of St. Vincent de Paul so together we can bring peace to those who are hungry.

News from St. Vincent de Paul Orlando: Help us help others! You can make a difference by donating or shopping at any St. Vincent de Paul Orlando Thrift Store. Your donations allow us to provide furniture and furnishings at no cost to families in need and your purchases provide us the resources to help keep the lights on and people in their homes. Check us out at www.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
*Closed Sunday*

Grupos de Oración Spanish

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

Por favor únase a Padres y Madres Oración el sábado, 3 de junio a las 7:00 pm en la Capilla Histórica y permanezca después para la confraternidad en el Salón Social. Nuestro grupo se reúne el primer sábado de cada mes. Se proporciona cuidado de niños.

LET’S STAY CONNECTED!

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

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.allsoulsanford.org

SVDP Annual Scholarships Awarded

Vincentians with the St. Vincent de Paul Conference at All Souls Catholic Church awarded Scholarships during their Annual Ceremony.

Recipients, from left: Chelsea Mason (Journalism at Daytona State), Mercedes Oduardo (Obstetrics/Gynecology at Seminole State & UCF); Patrick Sawyer (History/Political Science at the University of Mary Washington); Father Gilbert Medina - Pastor of All Souls Catholic Church; Jai Brown (Information Technology at South Florida); Maria DelPalazzo (Education at South East University); and Holly Knecht (Nursing at Seminole State & UCF).

In addition to the Scholarship, each student has been assigned a Vincentian Mentor who will stay in touch throughout the upcoming year. We are blessed by your generosity that allows for this systemic change project to thrive again this year.

Thank you!

This week in the parish

June 6  Spanish Prayer Group, 7:15 pm (CP)
June 7  Spanish Choir, 6:00 pm (CH)
Parish Choir, 7:00 pm (CH)
June 8  Prayer & Life Workshop, 6:30 pm (CR)
Contemporary Chori, 7:00 pm (CH)
June 9  Parish Office Closes at 12:00 noon
June 11 Knights & Ladies of Peter Claver, 2:00 pm (CR)