OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

The rulers sneered at Jesus and said, “He saved others, let him save himself if he is the chosen one, the Christ of God.” - Lk 23:35
Dear Brothers and Sisters In Christ,

How can we become more aware of the God’s Majesty and Power?
This Sunday as we celebrate the end of our calendar year, we acknowledge Jesus As Our King.

His kingship is not just sitting down on a throne to be served, rather He hangs on the cross establishing His kingdom of Mercy, Forgiveness and Love. What makes Him a King is when He continues to give His life yesterday, today, and tomorrow. Jesus makes an offer to those who firmly believe, “today you will be with me in paradise.” No king in this world can do that. His Kingship is not territorial nor has boundaries for He reigns in our hearts and minds.

In the coming weeks we further the reign of Christ as King of our lives in Prayer, in building our community, in the spirit of Christian stewardship.

Thanksgiving may come once a year, let us recognize the gifts and graces given to us with hearts filled with love and gratitude every day.

Fr. David Vivero

Queridos Hermanos y Hermanas en Cristo,

¿Cómo podemos estar más conscientes del poder y majestad de Dios?
Este domingo, al festejar el fin de nuestro calendario actual, reconocemos a Jesús como nuestro rey. Su reino no consiste sólo de sentarse en un trono para que lo sirvan. Al contrario. El cuelga en la cruz y establece su reino de misericordia, perdón y amor. El es rey porque sigue dando su vida ayer, hoy y mañana. Jesús nos propone una gran oferta a aquellos que creemos firmemente en El: “hoy estarás conmigo en el paraíso”.

Ningún rey de este mundo puede hacernos la misma oferta. Su reino no es territorial, ni tiene fronteras, porque El reina en nuestros corazones y mentes.

En las próximas semanas, avanzaremos el reino de Cristo como rey de nuestras vida por medio de plegarias, edificación de nuestra comunidad, y en nuestro espíritu de mayordomía cristiana. El día de Acción de Gracias sólo ocurre una vez al año. Reconozcamos los dones y gracias divinas que recibimos todos los días, con corazones llenos de amor y gratitud.

Be with Me in Paradise! ~ Estén conmigo en el paraíso!
Gospel Meditation
For Your Day

“The rulers sneered … the soldiers jeered … one of the criminals hanging there reviled Jesus.” Is this the King of the Jews, the King of the Universe? If it is so, perhaps his kingdom is not at all what we would expect! In his letter to the laity, St. John Paul II spoke about how Christians share in the kingly mission of Christ. First, “they exercise their kingship as Christians, above all in the spiritual combat in which they seek to overcome in themselves the kingdom of sin.” In other words, before we give any thought to transforming society, we must first allow God to transform us. Through daily prayer, regular self-examination, and frequent confession, we can recognize our faults more readily and choose love instead!

Second, St. John Paul II writes that the laity “make[s] a gift of themselves so as to serve, in justice and in charity, Jesus who is himself present in all his brothers and sisters, above all in the very least.” Christ’s kingship, and our own participation in it, requires us to look beyond the privileged of society. It goes beyond networking and struggles of power. It goes with Jesus to the Cross!

Still, the kingship of Christ ought to affect society. “The lay faithful are called to restore to creation all its original value … ordering creation to the authentic well-being of humanity.” Jesus does this in a radical way through his death and resurrection. We, too, are invited to bring new life to the world around us. This means holding the world and everything in it as sacred. It means advocating for civil policies that respect life and paying special care to the vulnerable and marginalized in every stage of life. It means being disciples of Jesus, inviting people into authentic love so that one day we will together “be with [him] in Paradise!” ©LPI

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: allsoulsanford.org. Why not sign up today? We love new members!

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

Our New Parishioners
Christina Harris
Dorothy Pollock
Scott Wheeler
Jennifer Wheeler
Timothy Lynch
Mary Ann Lynch

Your generosity supports your Parish and Catholic Schools in the Diocese of Orlando

WE TEACH
School and Jesus Christ

WE SERVE
All Souls Cemetery

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All Souls Historic Chapel

We Serve…
Your gifts to Our Catholic Appeal have raised more than $2 million annually for our schools, supporting student scholarships, tuition assistance, and our 1,200 staff members, including lay faculty, religious sisters and brothers, and priests. This resource helps parishes with schools, as well as all other parishes, by promoting faith to a new generation of Catholics who are encouraged to volunteer, form strong families, and become generous Catholic parishioners of the future.

We Pray
All Souls Catholic Church

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Our Parish, Our Future...

All Souls “Parish Priority Plan”
This weekend, Fr. David will speak at all the Masses on the All Souls Parish Priority Plan. There is an insert in the bulletin which highlights the various aspects of the plan and where our initial parish-wide focus will be.

Please reflect on the information contained in the bulletin insert and let us know what you think. You can email comments, thoughts and suggestions to... bulletin@allsoulsanford.org

Our parish-wide focus will be in these areas:
El enfoque de nuestra parroquia en torno al plan será:

Spiritual Development
Desarrollo espiritual

Building Community
Eficacia comunitaria

Stewardship For All
Mayordomía y servicio para todos

“Plan de Prioridad Parroquial”
de la Iglesia All Souls
Este fin de semana, el Padre David hablará en todas las misas sobre el Plan de Prioridades de la Parroquia All Souls. En el boletín de esta semana, encontrarán un encarte que destaca los varios aspectos del plan, y explica cuál será el enfoque de nuestra parroquia.

Les pedimos que evalúen y reflejen sobre la información que contiene el encarte, y que nos comuniquen sus pensamientos. Pueden mandar sus comentarios y sugerencias por e-mail a bulletin@allsoulsanford.org.

Holiday Concert at Basilica
The Choir and Orchestra of the Basilica of the National Shrine of Mary, Queen of the Universe, will present their annual holiday concert entitled Christmas with the Basilica Choir on Friday, December 6th at 7:30 pm, as part of the Basilica’s 2019-2020 Concert Series. At this popular annual event, the Basilica Choir will present a wide variety of sacred and secular Advent and Christmas music.

The singers in the choir are all professional musicians in the Orlando area and are under the direction of Dr. William Picher. Before the concert, the Basilica Gift Shop and Fine Arts Museum will offer its Annual Holiday Open House. Gift store discounts, refreshments, hor d’oeuvres and door prizes will add to the festive event.

Admission charge for the concert is $25 for adults, under 12 are free. Tickets online: http://maryqueenoftheuniverse.org/concerts/ or call Ph: 407-239-6600. Tickets are also available in advance at the Basilica Gift Shop.

The Basilica of the National Shrine of Mary, Queen of the Universe is located at 8300 Vineland Avenue in Orlando, near the Lake Buena Vista of I-4 (exit 68). Complimentary parking is available.

Donations for Santa’s Workshop
Our annual Santa’s Workshop will be happening soon!
We need donations of nice gifts, small and large! Women’s, men’s and, children’s gifts - all are welcome. Your donation will help our children shop for moms and dads, siblings, grandparents, and other family members. (Please send only new and/or slightly used items.)

We are also in need of Christmas gift bags (all sizes)!
And, lots of tissue paper, along with stick on tags. We won’t turn down wrapping paper and tape but we REALLY NEED GIFT BAGS.

All donations can be dropped off at the Parish Office: 301 W. 8th Street, Sanford
Sponsored by DAWG Youth Ministries
Contact: Michelle 407-322-3795

Save the date for Breakfast with Santa and Santa’s Workshop Shopping
December 14, 2019
Breakfast with Santa

When: Saturday, December 14th,
Where: All Souls Social Hall
Time: Breakfast is served from 9am-12:00pm
What: Pancakes, sausage, juice, coffee, milk

Child’s Breakfast - $4 (ages 2-12)
Adult Breakfast - $6

(Children must be accompanied by an adult.)

Santa will be with us throughout the morning! Don’t forget your camera to take pictures with Santa! Craft area will be available with our teens for the little ones.

Shopping at Santa’s Workshop

Shopping at Santa’s Workshop 9am –12:00pm

Let your kids have fun and do their Christmas shopping with us! Everything will take place in the Social Hall. Parents can wait and have breakfast or coffee while children shop for family and friends.

Gifts will range in price from .50 cents to $5 dollars, and will be wrapped and labeled for the children.

**We can accept cash, checks and credit cards**

**No parents (or adult accompaniment) allowed in the shopping area**

**Santa’s Workshop is only open to children up to the 5th grade**

This event is sponsored by the Youth Ministry. All proceeds will go towards Youth Ministry Events.

For more on Santa’s Breakfast and/or Workshop, contact: mmurphy@allsouls-sanford.org / 407-322-3795

Calendars

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 24
3:00PM Thanksgiving Dinner (served 4pm)…Social Hall

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 25
6:00 PM Prayer & Life Workshops……..Suite C
7:15 PM Spanish Prayer Group..............Chapel

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 26
6:00 PM Spanish Choir.............................Choir Room
7:00 PM Parish Choir.............................Choir Room

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 27
ALL DAY Chapel Closed/Fumigation.....Chapel

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 28 - Thanksgiving Day
ALL DAY Chapel Closed/Fumigation.....Chapel
ALL DAY Parish Office Closed...............Office

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 29
ALL DAY Chapel Closed/Fumigation.....Chapel
ALL DAY Parish Office Closed...............Office

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 30
3:45 PM Confessions.............................Church

Thanksgiving Prayer

Let us pray…

God our Father, Graciously accept from your humble people a thankful heart and spirit. Everything we have and are able to share with others ultimately comes from your love of your creations. Often we think that everything we have is our own creation; we ask you this day to create in us a spirit of gratitude, that we may always know that all good gifts come from you.

We ask this through Christ our brother, in the power of the Holy Spirit. Amen.
Vincentian Reflections

“Today, as we celebrate Christ the King, may we open the door of our heart so wide that we may listen to the voice of Jesus calling us to help build his kingdom here on earth. Thank you for helping us help others!”

Happy Thanksgiving from your friends with St. Vincent de Paul!

We Give Together

Food Pantry Needs of the Week
18oz. Peanut Butter & Jelly. LAST WEEK: 208 items donated with a retail value of $552. Thanks, All Souls Catholic School students and parishioners!

How You Help Us Help Others...
We helped a woman who had a work-related injury with emergency food, and we helped keep the lights on. Casey is now back to work and her family’s situation has stabilized. Please keep Casey in your prayers.

News From St. Vincent De Paul Orlando
We Need Your Shoes! St. Vincent de Paul is in a shoe shortage! We don’t have enough shoes to fill our Vouchers. Gently used shoes are much appreciated! Please drop off at our Stores in Apopka or Clermont, in the blue SVDP bin or we can pick up shoes and clothing with other large items of furniture or appliances.
FREE PICKUP: 888.986.4483

How Would You Rule Your Kingdom?
It would be kind of awesome to be a king or queen! Absolute rule, untold wealth, and people answering your every beck and call are things that wouldn’t be half bad.

As great as that sounds, the King of kings could have had all that as well, but instead, he chose quite a different path. He gave up absolute rule so all his subjects could have the free will to choose to follow him. He gave up untold wealth so he could be treated like a common criminal and receive a death sentence. He gave up having servants at his disposal so he could be the servant of all his subjects himself. Yes, he was the King of kings, but he was nothing like a typical king. As much as I think it would be great to be a king myself, I would rather emulate this King instead.

Who would you rather be like? You could have it all or choose to give away everything. You could choose a path of luxury or a path of trial. You could be respected by many or find yourself in a culture that increasingly finds you objectionable. Who would you rather be like? Do you arrive at an answer quickly, or do you need some time to think about it? The King of kings awaits your reply.

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Happy Thanksgiving from your friends with St. Vincent de Paul!
Confirmation Information

Confirmation information will be mailed out to all those families of eligible Confirmation Candidates. If your family does not receive this information by early December please contact Holly Hooton at 407.322.3795 or hhooton95@allsoulssanford.org. Your son/daughter will be considered eligible for Confirmation in the Spring of 2020 by fulfilling the following expectations:

- Baptized Catholic (or Welcomed into the Catholic Church if baptized non-Catholic)
- Celebrated 1st Reconciliation and First Eucharist (at least one year prior)
- Is in at least 8th grade or higher
- Attended program (or Catholic School) last year.

All Souls believes that faith formation is a lifelong journey and encourages families to remain in formal program even outside of sacrament years. As a parish, let us lift these young people in prayer as they discern becoming fully initiated members of the Catholic Church.

All Souls Catholic School
United States Department of Education National Blue Ribbon School of Excellence in Catholic Education.

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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Are you looking for technology friendly FREE VPK for your child? All Souls Catholic School is currently enrolling new students! With some of the highest “readiness Rates” in Seminole County, our VPK students are Kindergarten ready! Call us and come tour our campus. Phone: 407.322.3795
St. Catherine of Alexandria

According to the Legend of St. Catherine, this young woman converted to Christianity after receiving a vision. At the age of 18, she debated 50 pagan philosophers. Amazed at her wisdom and debating skills, they became Christians—as did about 200 soldiers and members of the emperor’s family. All of them were martyred.

Sentenced to be executed on a spiked wheel, Catherine touched the wheel and it shattered. She was beheaded. Centuries later, angels are said to have carried the body of Saint Catherine to a monastery at the foot of Mt. Sinai.

Devotion to her spread as a result of the Crusades. Immensely popular during the Middle Ages, there were many chapels and churches devoted to her throughout western Europe, and she was reported as one of the divine advisors to Saint Joan of Arc. Catherine is one of the 14 Holy Helpers, venerated especially in Germany and Hungary.

Saint Catherine of Alexandria is the Patron Saint of: Lawyers, Librarians, Philosophers, Students, Teachers

Sacraments

The Sacrament of Reconciliation
Confessions are heard each week on Saturday at the Church (SR #46) from 3:45 pm to 4:45 pm.

The Sacrament of Baptism
Call the parish office to learn the necessary requirements and make an appointment to have your child baptized.

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 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.

And Jesus Said...

The rulers sneered at Jesus and said, "He saved others, let him save himself if he is the chosen one, the Christ of God." Even the soldiers jeered at him. As they approached to offer him wine they called out, "If you are King of the Jews, save yourself." - Lk 23:35-37


Rezamos Juntos

Jesús, María y José Cordialmente los invita todos los lunes de cada mes a las 7:15pm, en la Capilla Histórica, para 1 hora de Oración, Rosario, y Adoración del Santísimo Sacramento.

Las autoridades le hacían muecas, diciendo: "A otros ha salvado; que se salve a sí mismo, si él es el Mesías de Dios, el elegido". También los soldados se burlaban de Jesús, y acercándose a él, le ofrecían vinagre y le decían: "Si tú eres el rey de los judíos, salvate a ti mismo". - Lc 23, 35-37

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Our Faith Community

For ALL 8th, 7th and 8th Graders

Email
mmurphy@allsoulsanford.org

By Dec. 1st to register and get forms

Backwards Dinner
cost $35

Meet at Big Church Soccer Field a 4:45PM
Pick Up at Airport Lanes at 9:45PM

12/7/2019

1st Dessert @ Denny’s 2nd dinner @ Patio Grill
3rd Appetizers and Bowling

Chapel Closed Nov. 27-29
The Historic Chapel will be closed Nov. 27-29 for the rescheduled termite fumigation process. Daily Mass on Nov. 27 and 29 will be held at the Church at 8:30am, as usual. The Nov. 28 Thanksgiving Day Mass will be at 9:00am at the Church.

Get Published...
Please e-mail Information to be published in the bulletin and announcements to bulletin@allsoulsanford.org, or drop off at the parish office (include your name and contact information)

Our Faith Community

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Mass Readings & Prayer Intentions

November

23 Sat
1 Mc 6:1-13/Ps 9:2-3, 4 and 6, 16 and 19 [cf. 16a]/Lk 20:27-40

24 Sun
2 Sm 5:1-3/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4, 4-5 [cf. 1]/Col 1:12-20/Lk 23:35-43

25 Mon
Dn 1:1-6, 8-20/Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56 [52b]/Lk 21:1-4

26 Tue
Dn 2:31-45/Dn 3:57, 58, 59, 60, 61 [59b]/Lk 21:5-11

27 Wed
Dn 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28/Dn 3:62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67 [59b]/Lk 21:12-19

28 Thu
Dn 6:12-28/Dn 3:68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74 [59b]/Lk 21:20-28

29 Fri
Dn 7:2-14/Dn 3:75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81/Lk 21:29-33

Observations

Blessed Miguel Augustin Pro
Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

Our Lady of Guadalupe
Our Lady of Lourdes

Prayer Intentions

23 SATURDAY
8:30am
† Grace Hults
Requested By: Sandra Hults

5:00pm
† Thomas Nutty
Requested By: Mary Nutty

24 SUNDAY
8:00am
† Louis Baumann
Requested By: Palmer Family

11:00am
Javier Mendoza
Requested By: Sarah Basham

12:30pm
† Rafael Jimenez
Requested By: Cesar Jimenez and Family

2:00pm (Latin)
† Velia Coppa
Requested By: Tim Gergeley

Masses Available in 2020

We have Masses in 2020 available for reservation (Sunday & Weekday) for a loved one, living or deceased. Please stop by the parish office to reserve a Mass for your intentions.

This Week’s Catholic Resources

Bishop approved apparitions with Vatican recognition.

MARIAN APPARITION: Guadalupe, Mexico (1531)
Archbishop approved in 1555. Total of 5 apparitions. Mary proclaimed herself “the Mother of the true God who gives life” and left her image permanently upon the tilma of Juan Diego.

Title: Our Lady of Guadalupe

MARIAN APPARITION: Siluva, Lithuania (1608)
Pope approved in 1775. Many apparitions over 4 years. Complete conversion of a Calvinist town which had lost its Catholic faith.

Title: Our Lady of Siluva

MARIAN APPARITION: Lourdes, France (1858)
Bishop approved in 1862. Total of 18 apparitions. Mary called for penance and prayer for the conversion of sinners. Many healings and conversions at this site have been thoroughly investigated and confirmed.

Title: Our Lady of Lourdes (“The Immaculate Conception”)

MARIAN APPARITION: Fatima, Portugal (1917)
Bishop approved in 1930. Total of 6 apparitions. Mary urged prayer of the rosary, penance for the conversion of sinners, and consecration of Russia.

Title: Our Lady of Fatima/Our Lady of the Rosary

MARIAN APPARITION: Banneux, Belgium (1933)
Bishop approved in 1942. Total of 8 apparitions. Mary promised to intercede for the poor, the sick and the suffering.

Title: The Virgin of the Poor

MARIAN APPARITION: Kibeho, Rwanda (1981)
Bishop approved in 2001. Many apparitions. One vision is considered a prophecy of the ethnic genocide that would take place 13 years later.

Title: Mother of the Word (“Nyina wa Jambo”)


Our Sanctuary Light burns at the Church this week in loving memory of Valencia Sofia Castro and Milagros Iglesia as requested by Gloria Alvarez. May they rest in eternal peace.