

ST. JOSEPH

CATHOLIC CHURCH



WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday

5:00 PM Vigil Mass (English)

7:00 PM Vigil Mass (Spanish)

Sunday

8:00 AM, 10:00 AM, & 12:00 PM (English)

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday (The Presentation of the Lord)

7:00 AM, 12:00 PM

Tuesday

12:00 PM

Wednesday

7:00 AM, 7:00 PM

Thursday

12:00 PM

Friday

7:00 AM, 12:00 PM

FIRST SATURDAY

Mass 9:00 AM (English)

EUCARISTIC ADORATION

Thursday 9:00 AM - 6:00 PM

Wednesday After 7:00 PM Mass until 9:00PM

SACRAMENT

OF RECONCILIATION

Thursday 4:30 PM - 6:30 PM

Saturday 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Or by appointment: 407.275.0841

FEBRUARY 1, 2026 | 4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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February 1, 2026

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1:00 PM—2:00 PM

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Facebook:

@stjosephorlando

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For after-hours emergencies, call

407-275-0841 ext.7 to reach a priest.

MASS INTENTIONS

4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Monday, February 2 | The Presentation of the Lord

7:00 AM Ely & Dorothy Degamo

12:00 PM

Tuesday, February 3 | St. Blaise, St. Ansgar

12:00 PM Beatrice Hurtado / Dominic Medina / † Maureen Casanova

Wednesday, February 4

7:00 AM

7:00 PM

Thursday, February 5 | St. Agatha

12:00 PM Lourdes Pablo (Bday)

Friday, February 6 | St. Paul Miki and Companions

7:00 AM

12:00 PM † Jin Sullivan / † Marielle Roberge

Saturday, February 7

9:00 AM

5:00 PM

7:00 PM † Jayling Marie Hernandez / † Maria de los Santos Fernandez

Sunday, February 8 | 5th Sunday in Ordinary time

8:00 AM Maria Dickson

10:00 AM † Maria Quintanilla / † Ashley Powell / † Sergio Bernardi

12:00 PM For the People of the Parish

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS...

...the sick of our parish family:

Maritza Santiago, Kathleen Choi, Ryan Nelson, Barry Jones, Aida Santos, Li McCombs, Rafaela Vidro, Nelson Jewett, Rafaela Vidro, Antonio U. Hernandez, Sonia Salcedo, Deacon Gary Tester, Aida Bray, Beryl Plaskett, Carmen Cruz

...and the deceased of our parish family:

† Felicia Alvarez
 † Robert A. Telleria
 † Barbara Feeser
 † Carmen Amalia Viera
 † Rosalinda Torres
 † Bethany Megan White

THIS WEEK

4th Sunday in Ordinary Time



4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

“Dear Brothers and Sisters,

On this Fourth Sunday of Ordinary Time, the Gospel presents the first great discourse that the Lord addresses to the people on the gentle hills encircling the Sea of Galilee. “Seeing the crowds,” St Matthew writes, “he went up on the mountain, and when he sat down his disciples came to him. And he opened his mouth and taught them” (Mt 5:1-2).

Jesus, the new Moses, “takes his seat on the cathedra of the mountain” (*Jesus of Nazareth*, Doubleday, New York 2007, p. 65) and proclaims “blessed” the poor in spirit, those who mourn, the merciful, those who hunger for righteousness, the pure in heart, the persecuted (cf. Mt 5:3-10). It is not a new ideology, but a teaching that comes from on high and touches the human condition, the condition that the Lord, in becoming flesh, wished to assume in order to save it.

Therefore “the Sermon on the Mount is addressed to the entire world, the entire present and future, and yet it demands *discipleship* and can be understood and lived out only by following Jesus and accompanying him on his journey” (*Jesus of Nazareth*, p. 69).

The Beatitudes are a new programme of life, to free oneself from the false values of the world and to open oneself to the true goods, present and future. Indeed, when God comforts, he satisfies the hunger for righteousness, he wipes away the tears of those who mourn, which means that, as well as compensating each one in a practical way, he opens the Kingdom of Heaven. “The Beatitudes are the

transposition of the Cross and Resurrection into discipleship” (*ibid.*, p. 74). They mirror the life of the Son of God who let himself even be persecuted and despised until he was condemned to death so that salvation might be given to men and women.

An ancient hermit says: “The Beatitudes are gifts of God and we must say a great ‘thank you’ to him for them and for the rewards that derive from them, namely the Kingdom of God in the century to come and consolation here; the fullness of every good and mercy on God’s part ... once we have become images of Christ on earth” (Peter of Damascus, *In Filocalia*, Vol. 3, Turin 1985, p. 79).

The Gospel of the Beatitudes is commented on with the actual history of the Church, the history of Christian holiness, because, as St Paul writes, “God chose what is weak in the world to shame the strong, God chose what is low and despised in the world, even things that are not, to bring to nothing things that are” (1 Cor 1:27-28).

For this reason the Church has no fear of poverty, contempt or persecution in a society which is often attracted by material well-being and worldly power. St Augustine reminds us that “it serves nothing to suffer these evils, but rather to bear them in the Name of Jesus, not only with a serene soul but also with joy” (cf. *De sermone Domini in monte*, i, 5,13: ccl 35, 13).

Dear brothers and sisters, let us invoke the Virgin Mary, the Blessed par excellence, asking her for the strength to seek the Lord (cf. Zeph 2:3) and to follow him always, with joy, on the path of the Beatitudes.”

— Pope Benedict XVI

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sun 1	4th Sunday in Ordinary Time Zep 2:3; 3:12-13/Ps 146:6c-7, 8-9a, 9b-10/1 Cor 1:26-31/Mt 5:1-12a	Mon 2	The Presentation of the Lord Mal 3:1-4/Ps 24:7, 8, 9, 10/Heb 2:14-18/Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32	Tues 3	St. Blaise, St. Ansgar 2 Sm 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30-19:3/Ps 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/Mk 5:21-43	Wed 4	2 Sm 24:2, 9-17/Ps 32:1-2, 5, 6, 7/Mk 6:1-6
Thurs 5	St. Agatha 1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12/1 Chr 29:10, 11ab, 11d-12a, 12bcd/Mk 6:7-13	Fri 6	St. Paul Miki and Companions Sir 47:2-11/Ps 18:31, 47 and 50, 51/Mk 6:14-29	Sat 7	1 Kgs 3:4-13/Ps 119:9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14/Mk 6:30-34	Sun 8	5th Sunday in Ordinary Time Is 58:7-10/Ps 112:4-5, 6-7, 8-9/1 Cor 2:1-5/Mt 5:13-16



FORMATION

February 1, 2026

FORMATION SESSIONS FOR CHILDREN AND ADULTS ARE IN FULL SWING!

See program times below. For any questions, please contact the parish office.

FORMATION TIMES

MONDAY

High School: 6:30 PM—8:00 PM
Adult + OCIA: 6:30 PM—8:00 PM

TUESDAY

Adult (Español): 7:00 PM—8:30 PM

WEDNESDAY

Grade School: 4:30 PM—6:00 PM
Adult: 4:30 PM—6:00 PM

THURSDAY

Middle School: 6:30 PM—8:00 PM
Adult: 6:30 PM—8:00 PM

FRIDAY

Young Adult Cornerstone meeting: Every 4th Friday at 7:00 PM

WANT TO JOIN OUR PARISH?

If you would like to become a member of our parish, please contact Wendy Taylor at **407.275.0841 ext. 107** or wtaylor@stjosephorlando.org.

You can also find the parish registration form on our website at www.stjosephorlando.org.

OCIA:

Are you interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith or considering becoming Catholic? OCIA is a welcoming process for adults who wish to explore the teachings and life of the Catholic Church in a supportive and friendly environment.

For more information or to begin the journey, please contact faithformation@stjosephorlando.org. Sessions are held on Mondays at 6:30 p.m. in the church, with additional meetings on selected Saturdays.

GET FORMED WITH FORMED.ORG

FORMED.org is available to everyone. Read, listen, and watch to grow your faith. A broad array of books, audio books, movies, and digital content are at your disposal. Check it out with your computer, laptop, tablet, or smartphone.

SPECIAL PROGRAMS AND WORKSHOPS 2026

Estudio Bíblico ofrecido por los Peregrinos de la Esperanza: Los Hechos de los Apóstoles (Español)

Miércoles 7:00 PM
2/4/26 - 5/13/26
Room G-H

Prayer and Life Workshop for Young Adults

Tuesdays 6:30 PM
1/27/26 - 4/7/26
Room B-C

SACRAMENT INQUIRIES

BAPTISMS

Please contact the formation team at least 3 months in advance at faithformation@stjosephorlando.org

MATRIMONY

Please contact the formation team at least 6 months in advance upon engagement at faithformation@stjosephorlando.org

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

If you or a family member is hospitalized or in need of the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick, please contact receptionist.

CONFIRMATION

Please contact the formation team at faithformation@stjosephorlando.org

1. Go to: FORMED.org.
2. Select: Sign-Up.
3. Choose: I belong to a Parish or Organization.
4. Search: St. Joseph Catholic Church (Orlando).
5. Enter: your Name and Email.

FORMED.org is a premiere access portal for all parishioners.

FORMATION

4th Sunday in Ordinary Time



WEEKLY FORMATION TOPICS

ONE TOPIC, THREE PERSPECTIVES PER WEEK
BY OUR ELITE CATECHISTS
MONDAY—6:30PM, WEDNESDAY—4:30PM, THURSDAY—6:30PM

Week of Feb. 2 | Encounter Night

Mon: NO ENCOUNTER NIGHT
Wed/Thurs: Prayer and Adoration

Week of Feb. 9 | Sin & Forgiveness

Mon: Bill—*Justification: The big issue of the Reformation*
Wed: Fernando—*The Justification through the Lamb's Sacrifice*
Thurs: Melanie—*TBA*

Week of Feb. 16 | Mental Health

Mon: —
Wed: —
Thurs: Lisa Sojourner—*Mental Health*

FUNDAMENTOS DE NUESTRA FE

(Español)
MARTES—7:00PM

Feb. 3 | El pecado y el perdón

Fernando—*El pecado y el perdón*

Feb. 10 | Hora Santa

Organizada por el Diácono Wilmar

Feb. 17 | Los tiempos de las Iglesia

Diácono Jesus—*Adviento, Navidad, Ordinario, Cuaresma, Pascua*

Reunión social en el área social después de la Hora Santa. Traigan snacks para compartir.



We have great news for Young Adults! Prayer and Life Workshops returns this semester to St. Joseph offering a special workshop just for you.

Do you want to have a closer and more personal relationship with God?

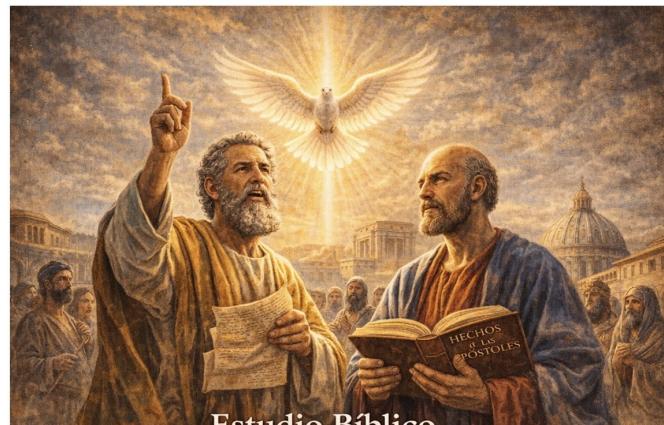
Do you want to improve your prayer life?

Do you want to be more like Jesus?

Do you want to live happier and more free?

Come to the Prayer and Life Workshop for Young Adults! The opening/information session will be on Tuesday, January 27th at 6:30 pm in classroom B-C of the Social Area.

Text Sandra Garcia at 407-701-9092 if you have any questions.



Estudio Bíblico Hechos de los Apóstoles El Evangelio del Espíritu Santo

La Iglesia naciente, guiada por el Espíritu, enviada al mundo

Objetivos del Estudio

Este estudio bíblico busca:

- ✓ Conocer la historia de la Iglesia en sus comienzos, comprendida como continuidad viva de los Evangelios.
- ✓ Acercarnos a la primera comunidad cristiana con una mirada teológica y espiritual. ¿Cuál era el mensaje de los primeros cristianos?
¿Qué nos enseñan hoy para nuestra vida de fe?

● Comienza Miércoles 4 de Febrero

● Reuniones semanales hasta Mayo 6

● 7:00pm - 8:30pm

● Parroquia St. Joseph
1501 N. Alafaya Trail
Orlando, FL 32828

Contenido del Estudio

- ✓ Introducción general a Hechos
- ✓ Pentecostés y el nacimiento de la Iglesia
- ✓ La comunidad cristiana y los signos
- ✓ Servicio, martirio y expansión
- ✓ La Iglesia se expande más allá de Jerusalén
- ✓ Pedro y la apertura a los gentiles
- ✓ Antioquía y la Iglesia misionera
- ✓ El Concilio de Jerusalén
- ✓ Pablo, testigo incansable
- ✓ Prisión, testimonio y fidelidad

 **Peregrinos de Esperanza**



<https://stjosephorlando.org/estudio-biblico-peregrinos-de-la-esperanza-los-hechos-de-los-apostoles/>



WAYS TO SERVE

February 1, 2026

GIVE ONLINE WITH VANCO

- 1 Visit our church website at www.stjosephorlando.org
- 2 Click on the New Online Giving button
- 3 Click on the Create Profile button
- 4 Follow the onscreen instructions to create an online profile and to schedule your contributions

TEXT TO GIVE

StJosephOrlando
to 73256

OR SCAN
THIS QR
CODE



PAST WEEKEND'S COLLECTIONS

1/18/26	Offertory	\$32,270.03
1/18/26	Funded Depreciation	\$9,449.00

Thank you for your generous donations!

OUR CATHOLIC APPEAL

You may visit orlandodiocese.org/oca/ to view Bishop Noonan's homily video, read through the Our Catholic Appeal brochure and learn more about the life-changing impact of your gifts.



If you have already received your 2025 Our Catholic Appeal packet in the mail and made your pledge, thank you. If you have not yet made your pledge, please prayerfully consider doing so today. Please go online (choose St. Joseph Orlando in the Choose your Parish menu) to make your pledge or gift or complete the pledge form and mail it back or bring it to Mass with you next weekend. If you give cash, please make sure your name is on the envelope. For those who prefer to give later in the year, please note your gift to be made later in the year on the pledge form. This will help us track our progress earlier so that we can budget appropriately for the new fiscal year which began July 1, 2025. If you did not receive a mailing or have not had time to respond, please join our faith family by going online to orlandodiocese.org/oca/.

OUR CATHOLIC APPEAL COUNT

Our parish goal: \$235,942.30

Pledges to date: \$242,507.68

Over/Under Goal: \$6,565.38

Participation: 23.9% (519 Gifts)

You can make your pledge at
www.orlandodiocese.org/oca

OR

Scan the QR code now!



Giving through the Sunday collection is a meaningful act of stewardship, reflecting our gratitude for God's blessings. If no envelopes or online donations are received for six months, your account will be marked inactive and envelopes discontinued. To resume stewardship envelopes or for registration assistance, please email Wendy at wtaylor@stjosephorlando.org.

ACTIVE PARISHIONER GUIDELINES

A Registered and Active family/individual is one who:

1. Has formally registered and is participating in the life of the parish community for at least three months.
2. Attends Sunday Mass and Holy Days of Obligation
3. Contributes financially to the parish according to ones means
4. Places the offertory envelope each week in the collection basket, or participates in online or electronic giving.

Active member status in our database is essential for requesting the following:

- Parishioner tuition rate at a Catholic School.
- Endorsement to serve as a sacramental sponsor for Baptism or Confirmation
- To receive the Sacraments of First Holy Communion, Confirmation or Marriage (for oneself or for one's children) at St. Joseph.

MASS INTENTION GUIDELINES

- Mass intentions are scheduled on a rolling three-month schedule. Requests for the newest month open on the first day of each month (e.g. on November 1, requests for January open).
- To ensure all parishioners have an opportunity to request, only one mass intentions per month per parishioner is allowed.
- We cannot hold lists of future requests for intentions.
- Donations are not required for Mass intentions. If you wish to make a donation, please simply add it into your regular offertory.
- To request a mass intention, please email or call the parish office at office@stjosephorlando.org or 407-275-0841.
- Mass cards are available upon request.

WAYS TO SERVE

4th Sunday in Ordinary Time



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JOIN THE HOSPITALITY MINISTRY!

We are currently looking for individuals who would like to serve as ushers for our parish. Ushers play a vital role in creating a warm, welcoming environment at Mass and helping things run smoothly. If you enjoy meeting people and have a heart for hospitality, we invite you to join our ministry. Please reach out to parishushers@gmail.com for more information.



RECRUITING CATECHISTS FOR THE 2026-2027 YEAR!

We invite you to join our team of Catechists/Catechist Assistants for the upcoming 2026-2027 Formation year. Previous teaching experience is preferred. For more information, please visit our parish website at www.stjosephorlando.org/ministry/catechist



CALLED TO BE A EUCHARISTIC MINISTER?

Help serve Christ and to our Parish by helping distribute Holy Communion at Mass. If you are a confirmed Catholic with a heart for service, we invite you to join this meaningful ministry. Training is provided. Contact Jeff Bartz at jeffbartz@gmail.com for more details.



INTERESTED IN JOINING THE MUSIC MINISTRY?

The Music Ministry at Saint Joseph Catholic Church welcomes dedicated singers to help lead our parish in joyful worship. Whether you're a seasoned vocalist or simply love praising God through music, there's a place for you in our choirs. Contact Steven Rabanal at srabanal@stjosephorlando.org for more details.



LOOKING FOR MINISTERS TO THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND!

If you are a fully initiated Catholic, 18 years of age or older, an active member in the life of the St. Joseph parish community, and feel the call to serve God helping others, contact the parish office.





UPCOMING EVENTS

February 1, 2026

SAVE THESE DATES

FEBRUARY 7

ANOINTING OF THE SICK MASS

FEBRUARY 8

VALENTINES BAKE AND CRAFT SALE
Women's Guild

FEBRUARY 14

MARRIAGE CELEBRATION

FEBRUARY 15

CCW MONTHLY MEETING
Council of Catholic Women

FEBRUARY 18

ASH WEDNESDAY

FEBRUARY 21

OUR LADY OF SORROW AND HOPE – WOMEN'S LENTEN MORNING OF REFLECTION
Formation

MARRIAGE CELEBRATION

2/14 | 9:00 AM

You are warmly invited to a special celebration of marriage and commitment on February 14. Our day will begin in the Church at 9:00 AM, where we will gather in prayer and thanksgiving for the gift of married life.

Following the service, all married couples—as well as those who are preparing for marriage—are invited to continue the celebration with a joyful fellowship gathering in the Social Hall from 10:00 to 11:00 AM.

Come share in community, encouragement, and God's blessings upon the sacred journey of love and unity. Please scan the QR code on page 11 to register.



ANOINTING OF THE SICK MASS

2/7 | 9:00 AM

Join us for our special Anointing of the Sick Mass on Saturday, February 7th at 9:00 AM. All are welcome to attend, receive the anointing and to join us afterward for a warm bowl of soup.



VALENTINES BAKE AND CRAFT SALE

2/8 | After 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM, & 12:00 PM Masses

Time to pickup some sweet treats for all your Valentines! We are offering a wide variety cakes, cookies, brownies, breads and pies. Please pickup something sweet and help support St. Joseph's Church and the Women's Guild.

COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN MONTHLY MEETING

2/15 | 5:30 PM

All ladies of the parish are warmly invited to join us for our monthly meeting on February 15, 2026, in the Parish Hall.

- Chat & Chew: 5:30 PM
- Business Meeting: 6:00 PM

This month's topic: Sacramentals — Come for fellowship, faith, and fun!



OUR LADY OF SORROW AND HOPE – WOMEN'S LENTEN MORNING OF REFLECTION

2/21 | 8:30 AM – 12:30 PM

Kick off your Lenten journey with your fellow parishioners with a morning of adoration, private prayer, Confession, bilingual Mass, a talk on Our Lady of Sorrow and Hope (given in English by Jen Settle and in Spanish by Keyla Rivera), and short time of small group sharing. Registration is required and the cost is \$5.00. Registration ends February 14, 2026. Use the QR code to register! Contact Johanna at jcedeno@stjosephorlando.org with any questions.

ADORATION

Join us for a Holy Hour of Adoration — a quiet, peaceful time to rest in the presence of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. Whether you need a moment of silence, a space to pray, or simply want to be near Him, all are welcome. Come as you are.

Every Thursday | 9:00AM - 6:00 PM

HORA SANTA

Te invitamos a vivir una Hora Santa de Adoración, un momento de encuentro íntimo y sereno para descansar en la amorosa presencia de Jesús en el Santísimo Sacramento. Si buscas silencio, consuelo, fortaleza o simplemente estar con Él, este espacio es para ti. Todos son bienvenidos. Ven con el corazón abierto, tal como eres.

Adoración al Santísimo Sacramento – Segundo Martes de cada Mes a las 7:00pm Oración y Reflexión en Español. Despues de la Hora Santa quédate para compartir en el salón social.

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS



4th Sunday in Ordinary Time



2025 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS

2025 Contribution Statements were sent January 20 to the email we have on file for you. We encourage you to have it printed out to put with your tax records.

Please check your junk email if you did not receive yours.

If we do not have your email, please provide it so we can communicate with you.

If you have any questions please contact Wendy Taylor at wtaylor@stjosephorlando.org.

JOIN US

IN

The Fellowship Cafe



EVERY FRIDAY AFTER 12:00 MASS

Come for coffee and conversation!
Make new friends with your parish family.
Bring your own lunch if you wish.

DONUTS & COFFEE

Join us for donuts and coffee and socialize with your fellow parishioners after Sunday 8am & 10am Masses in the Parish Hall.
(Free will donations appreciated)



LOCAL BUSINESS?

Interested in advertising on the back of our bulletin? Contact Rob Kennedy at 804-366-4838 or r kennedy@4lpi.com for more information.



UPCOMING SCHEDULE:

THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD MASS (2/2)

7:00 AM | 12:00 PM

ASH WEDNESDAY MASS (2/18)

7:00 AM | 12:00 PM | 5:00 PM | 7:00 PM

LITURGY OF THE WORD (2/18)

3:00 PM



MINISTRY NEWS

February 1, 2026



ROSARY PRAYER GROUP

"To recite the rosary is nothing other than to contemplate with Mary the face of Christ."

- Saint Pope John Paul II

Join us and pray with your parish family in the church:

- Mondays at 5:00pm (Bilingual)
- Saturdays at 6:15 PM (Spanish)
- First Saturday following 9AM Mass (English)
- Tuesdays/Fridays at 11:10 AM (English)
- Thursdays at 11:00 AM (English)



MARRIED COUPLES

Couples.....want to give each other something really special this Christmas? How about a gift filled with Romance and Excitement? That's just the beginning of what you will receive on a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. Sign up today to attend an upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend on Feb 6-8 in Tampa or July 31-Aug 2 in St Johns. For more information or for other scheduled weekends, visit our website at wwme.org or e-mail: Applications@FLCN-wwme.org Or contact Walt & Viv Paskowski at waltviv.wwme@gmail.com if you have any questions.



PROJECT RACHEL HELPLINE

If you or someone you know has been impacted by an abortion, confidential non-judgmental help is available through the Diocese of Orlando's Project Rachel helpline. Call or text (407) 222-8584 or email projectrachel@cflcc.org. Next year's post-abortive healing retreats are scheduled to take place in Orlando during January, May, June, September and November.

For more information, please visit cflcc.org/culture-of-life.



OUR LADY OF SORROW AND HOPE: WOMEN'S LENTEN MORNING OF REFLECTION

FEBRUARY 21ST, 8:30AM - 12:30PM

SOCIAL HALL

\$5 ENTRY

SPEAKERS:



KEYLA RIVERA
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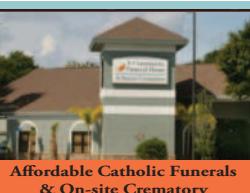
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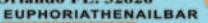
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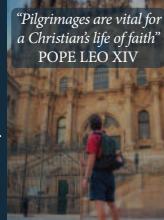
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