Staffed by the Franciscan Friars, TOR
Father Robert D’Aversa, TOR
Father Nelson Javier, TOR

Ministerio Hispano
Father Gianni Agostinelli

Deacon William Fisher (ret)
Deacon Paul Gaucher
Deacon Chuck Lee
Deacon Miklos Beregszaszi
Sister Judy Waldt, MHSH

Celebration of Eucharist
Daily Mon-Fri  9:00am
Saturday Vigil  4:00pm
Sunday 7:30, 9:30 & 11:30am
Misa En Español
Domingos 1:30pm

Parish Office Information
Hours: Monday-Thursday
8:00-12:00pm — 1:00-4:00pm
Friday 8:00am-12:00pm

email: stpatrick@cfl.rr.com
Phone 352-383-8556
Fax 352-383-8443
www.stpatrickmtdora.org
**Youth Group Activities**

- **St. Vincent de Paul Opportunities:** We will be unloading the truck and helping clients the following upcoming dates: 1/20, 2/3, and 2/17 from 8:45 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. I am in need of some adult volunteers willing to supervise the youth during this truck unloading one Wednesday a month. Please contact me if you are interested.

- **Middle School Youth Group:** Our next regular meeting will be on Sunday, January 10th from 3:00—5:00 p.m.

- **High School Youth Group:** Our next regular meeting will be Sunday, January 17th from 3:00—5:00 p.m.

- **Ice Skating:** Both middle and high school youth are invited to go ice skating at the RDV Sportsplex Ice Den on Friday, January 22nd. Admission including skates is $14.00. Bring extra money for snacks. We will meet in the St. Patrick parking lot at 6:00 p.m. and return by 10:30 p.m.

  Fingerprinted adults are needed for chaperoning.

- **Spaghetti Dinner Organizational Meeting:** Parent volunteers wishing to help with our dinner please meet in the youth room on Sunday, Jan. 10th after the 9:30 mass. If you plan on helping but cannot participate in the meeting, please email me your areas of interest. stpyouth@cfl.rr.com.

- **Upcoming Dates:** The Annual Spaghetti Dinner will be held Sat., 2/20. COR, our high school retreat, will be held 2/26—2/28. COR Team meetings begin on 1/25 at All Souls.

**DEAD MAN WALKING: THE JOURNEY CONTINUES**

On Thursday, Jan 14th, at 6:30pm, Bishop Moore Catholic High School, 3901 Edgewater Dr., Orlando, welcomes Sister Helen Prejean. Sr. Helen is a renowned advocate for the abolition of the death penalty and the best selling author of the 1993 “Dead Man Walking: An Eyewitness Account of the Death Penalty in the US.” *Dead Man Walking: The Journey Continues,* will explore life, death and social justice. Join us for this thought provoking event. The FREE event will be held in the school gymnasium.

Spanish/ English speaking volunteers needed for English as a second language class being taught at St Patrick Church. Contact Kathy Card 352-455-3580 for further information.

**BLESSED REMEMBRANCES**

The oil in the sanctuary lamp is burning the week of January 9th – January 15th in loving memory of Janet Simunek donated by her husband William.

If you would like to donate the oil in the Sanctuary Lamp or the flowers near the altar in memory of a loved one, an anniversary or special occasion, please contact Eileen in the Parish Office at 352-383-8556.

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- **3/5-3/9** Lenten Mission
- **4/2/16** Matthew Kelly

**St. Patrick’s Mardi Gras**

When: Sunday, February 7, 2016

12:00pm – 4:00pm

Where: St. Patrick Church

Why: To have fun before Lent starts and to raise money for our Parish Debt

**Chinese auction** **beer** **music** **food** **sangria**

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**TAX-RETURN-TIME**

If you would like a 2015 tax statement, please fill out this form and return it to the Parish Office or place it in the collection basket.

Thank You.

| Name: ___________________________ |
| Address: _________________________ |
| Phone #: _________________________ |
| Email Statement to: _________________________ |
| Pick Up Statement: __________ Mail Statement: __________ |

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**PARISH SUPPORT**

Next week’s second collection is for Religious Education. This collection goes towards supplies, training for teachers, retreats, Diocesan certifications, etc.
SATURDAY  JANUARY 9 – VIGIL – THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD
4:00 PM  Steven Malik
Frank Classen
SUNDAY  JANUARY 10 – THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD
7:30 AM  John Hayes
Marie Brown
9:30 AM  Agnes Poch
Helen Hohman
11:30 AM  Jill Fulater
Kathleen M Jarvinen & Eric G. Saltzmann
1:30 PM  For the People of the Parish
MONDAY  JANUARY 11 – WEEKDAY – FIRST WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME
9:00 AM  Bob Ibach
Vera H. Thorsen
TUESDAY  JANUARY 12 - WEEKDAY
9:00 AM  Janet Simunek
Special Intention for Clarice Fourari
WEDNESDAY  JANUARY 13 – SAINT HILARY
9:00 AM  Gil & Dorothy Hostage
The Pfeifer Family
THURSDAY  JANUARY 14 - WEEKDAY
9:00 AM  Janet Simunek
Special Intention for Ethella Ballard
FRIDAY  JANUARY 15 - WEEKDAY
9:00 AM  Gertrude Netwal
Special Intention for Ann Irelan
SATURDAY  JANUARY 16 – VIGIL – SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
4:00 PM  Colleen Dreason
Sophie Braneau
SUNDAY  JANUARY 17 – SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
7:30 AM  Tom Harvey
9:30 AM  Vincent & Frances D’Amico
Tom Harvey
11:30 AM  Dorothy Hostage
The Peter Meehan Family
1:30 PM  For the People of the Parish

Readings for the Week of January 10, 2016

Sunday  The Baptism of the Lord  Is 42:1-4, 6-7 or Is 40:1-5, 9-11;
Ps 29:1-2, 3-4, 9-10 or Ps 104:1b-2, 3-4 24-25, 27-28, 29-30; Acts 10:34-38 or Ti 2:11-14, 3:4-7; Lk 3:15-16, 21-22

Monday  1 Sm 1:1-8, Ps 116:12-13, 14-17, 18-19; Mk 1:14-20

Tuesday  1 Sm 1:9-20; 1 Sm 2:1, 4-5, 6-7, 8abcdn; Mk 1:21-28

Wednesday  Saint Hilary, Bishop and Doctor of the Church  1 Sm 3:1-10, 19-20; Ps 40:2, and 5, 7-8a, 8b-9, 10; Mk 1:29-39

Thursday  1 Sm 4:1-11; Ps 44: 10-11, 14-15, 24-25; Mk 1:40-45

Friday  1 Sm 8:4-7, 10-22a; Ps 89:16-17, 18-19; Mk 2:1-12

Saturday  1 Sm 9:1-4, 17-19, 10:1a; Ps 21:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, Mk 2:13-17

Sunday  Second Sunday in Ordinary Time  Is 62:1-5; Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 7-8, 9-10; 1 Cor 12:4-11; Jn 2:1-11
HAPPENINGS IN THE PARISH

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT every Wednesday after the 9:00am Mass until 12:00 pm.

ADVOCACY AND JUSTICE COMMITTEE—“Human life must always be defended from its beginning in the womb and must be recognized as a gift of God that guarantees the future of humanity.” - Pope Francis. Contact Bernie Welch (352) 350-3663 or Terri Stephens (407) 497-0866

CENTERING PRAYER MEDITATION – Learn the prayer of silence. Call Dan Wagner at 352-508-9473 or dwagner119@gmail.com for more information.

CHOIR NEWS: If you would like to be a part of this vital ministry of the church, please contact the Director of Music, Rick Robinson, or the Assoc Director Marybeth McCaulum. Rehearsals: Adult—Wed 7:00pm. Contemporary—Thurs 7:15pm. St. Cecilia—Thurs 7:15pm. Boys and Girls—Thurs 6:00pm. Resurrection—before a funeral.

CUB & BOY SCOUTS – Venturing Crew meets on Tuesday at 7:00pm and scouts meet on Thursdays at 7:00pm in the Shepherd’s Gate. For more information please contact Deacon Chuck Lee at mrchucklee@gmail.com.

CURSILLO—Ultreya: Last Wednesday of the month in the social hall, 6:30pm. Contact Bernie & Marie Welch (407) 814-1612.

HELPING HANDS MINISTRY serves our parishioners and neighbors in need of transportation, company, and temporary meals. Call Flora Sitzman at 352-702-8903.

MIDDLE SCHOOL & CONFIRMATION RELIGIOUS EDUCATION Wednesdays at 6:30—7:45. Children must be registered before attending class.

MORNING PRAYER of the church’s official Liturgy of the Hours takes place at 8:30am every weekday.

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY—Meet on the 1st & 3rd Tuesdays in the Shepherd’s Gate from 10:00am—noon. Please contact Sharon Torres at 352-241-0173 or email: sprcracker2@aol.com. Extra yarn and material accepted.

RECESSIONAL PRAYERS after the 9:00AM Mass each weekend.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION – Sunday Session: Pre-Sch/Elementary after the 9:30 Mass. Children must be registered before attending class.

R.C.I.A Contact Sr. Judy at ext. 34 or srjudy@cfl.rr.com if you or someone you know are interested in becoming Catholic.

ST. PATRICK’S COUNCIL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS meets the 1st Tuesday (Business Meeting) & 3rd Tuesday (Family Social) at 7:00PM in the Shepherd’s Gate. For more info call Barry Larsen at 407-590-6388 or email him at saintpatrickknights@gmail.com.

ST. PATRICK’S WOMEN’S GUILD meets the 3rd Tuesday of the month at 1:00PM in the Social Hall. Next meeting Jan. 19, 2016. The next Bake Sale is January 2nd & 3rd. For more information contact Leonora Trybus at 352-385-0022 or email her at Leonora.Trybus@gmail.com.

SENIOR SUNDAY will meet January 31st in the Shepherd’s Gate. Contact Joan Koonitz at 352-385-0082.

Stewardship Bulletin Reflection for the Week

Today we celebrate the Solemnity of the Baptism of the Lord. This officially brings to an end the season of Christmas. You might say this is a second Epiphany. It is important to us as Catholics and Christians because it represents a second creation involving the entire Trinity.

In fact in the Eastern Church this feast is called Theophany because God appears in three persons. Jesus the Son is baptized; the Holy Spirit descends upon Him; and God declares “You are my beloved Son; with You I am well pleased.”

We recall our own Baptism on this day, because Christ’s Baptism represents in many ways what occurred at our Baptism. At Christ’s Baptism the Holy Spirit descended upon Him. At our Baptism the Trinity occupied our soul; Christ was declared the “Beloved Son”; at our Baptism we became a child of God. At Jesus’ Baptism the heavens were opened, and at our Baptism heaven was opened to us.

On this Holy Day we need to reflect upon our own Baptismal calls — calls to live and love on this earth, a command to seek holiness, to actively be disciples of Christ, calls which can be achieved in part by embracing stewardship as a way of life. The Catechism of the Catholic Church (#1213) states: “Holy Baptism is the basis of the whole Christian life, the door which gives access to the other sacraments. We are incorporated into the Church and made sharers in her mission.”

Baptism: Celebrated on the fourth Sunday of the month. Parents must be registered, active members of the parish for three months prior to the Baptism. Call the Parish Office to make arrangements.

Marriage: Arrangements must be made at least six months in advance. The Catholic party must be registered, active member of our parish. Call the Parish Office to make arrangements.

Anointing and Pastoral Care of the Sick: Please call the Parish Office with emergencies or if anyone is sick at home, in the hospital or nursing home and wishes to be visited.

Reconciliation: Saturdays from 3:00-3:30pm.

Bautismo (se requiere) 1. Llenar hoja de registro, por lo menos un mes antes del Bautismo. Hay ministros disponibles antes y después de la Misa para ayudarles.

2. Traer el certificado de Nacimiento.

La asistencia de padrinos a las clases Bautismales es requerida. El Bautismo se celebra el tercer sábado del mes 11:00am, en la Iglesia, en los meses señalados.

Matrimonio: Las parejas interesadas deben de entrevistarse con el sacerdote al menos con cuatro meses de anticipación a la boda. Se requieren varios documentos y una preparación adecuada.

Unción de los Enfermos: Llamar al Padre Gianni, 352-787-9208

Reconciliación: Confesiones, los domingos después de la misa, ó con cita previa. (En Inglés todos los sábados de 3:00-3:30pm.)
**AVISOS IMPORTANTES DE LA COMUNIDAD HISPANA DE SAN PATRICIO**

**Fechas Importantes:**
- **Clase # 104**, en Marzo 12, 2016
- **Clase #106**, en Abril 23, 2016,
El desayuno se sirve antes de cada clase, y es pagado por nuestra parroquia, y la cuota es de $15.00 por persona para los materiales y otros gastos. El almuerzo no está incluido.

**Clases de Ciudadanía Gratis:**
REGISTRE AHORA!
Orientación: Enero 9, 2016, 10:00am
Centro ComUnitario de la Esperanza
1016 North Park Ave.
Apopka, FL 32712
407-880-4673 ext. 238 & 240.
Asistencia gratuita con la solicitud!
Ciclo de 12 semanas
Martes_________________6pm—8:30pm
Sábados________________9:30am—12pm
Asista a una o ambas clases

**Información sobre preparación Bautismal:**

**San Lucas Clínica Gratuita Medica y Dental:**
Si usted desea ser paciente hay que recoger las instrucciones para aplicar, se puede recoger eso en la Clínica entre 10 A.M. y 2 P.M. los martes or jueves de cada semana. Una vez que tenga todos los documentos requeridos puede llamar a la Clínica 352-602-4640 y se le dará una cita para determinar su elegibilidad. Gracias.

**Quinceañeras:** Bajo previo acuerdo con el sacerdote, tienen lugar el tercer sábado de cada mes. Se requiere registración en la parroquia.

**Retiros y grupos de oración con el Group Juan XXIII:**
Ponerse en contacto con el Sr. Pablo Jaimes: 407-462-8692

**Retiros de Renovación Conyugal para parejas:** Para más información favor llamar al teléfono 407-690-0700.

**Organización San Vicente de Paul:** Despensa de alimentos para personas necesitadas de nuestra parroquia. Lunes a Jueves, (10:00am – 1:00pm), en la Iglesia de St. Mary of the Lakes in Eustis. Teléfono: 352-589-2603.

**Catecismo:** Domingos de 12:00-1:20pm. Coordinadora: Esmeralda Sauceda. Teléfono: 352-383-8556, ext 35.