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## **6 October: Anniversary of the Canonization of St. Josemaría**

On 6 October 2002, John Paul II canonized the founder of Opus Dei, who he called the "saint of ordinary life."

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**6 October: St. Josemaría Escrivá's  
canonization ceremony**

• Pope John Paul II's homily for the  
canonization of St. Josemaría Escrivá

- St. Josemaría summarizes his message

In the video above, some of the Australians who travelled to Rome for the canonization speaks about their experiences and memories and how St. Josemaría's teachings are present in their lives.

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## **7 October: Mass of Thanksgiving**

- Bishop Javier Echevarría's homily at the Mass of Thanksgiving
- Pope John Paul II greets pilgrims
- Summary of events, 6-7 October

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- Prayer card for St. Josemaría's intercession

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