

"AN INTERESTING BIT OF TRIVIA **IS THAT THE FIRST AMERICAN** THANKSGIVING WAS ACTUALLY **CELEBRATED ON SEPTEMBER 8,** 1565 IN ST. AUGUSTINE, FLORIDA. THE NATIVE AMERICANS AND SPANISH SETTLERS HELD A FEAST AND THE HOLY MASS WAS OFFERED...

A SECOND SIMILAR "THANKSGIVING" CELEBRATION **OCCURRED ON AMERICAN SOIL** ON APRIL 30, 1598 IN TEXAS WHEN DON JUAN DE OÑATE **DECLARED A DAY OF** THANKSGIVING TO BE **COMMEMORATED BY THE HOLY** SACRIFICE OF THE MASS.

AND LET EVERYONE REMEMBER THAT "THANKSGIVING" IN **GREEK IS EUCHARISTIA. THUS,** THE BODY AND BLOOD OF **CHRIST IS THE TRUE** 'THANKSGIVING MEAL'."

https://www.catholiceducation.org/en/con troversy/common-misconceptions/thecatholic-origins-of-thanksgiving.html

## EUCHARISTIA

1. To be grateful 2. To give thanks

