

CATHOLIC WILDCAT

The Weekly Newsletter of the Catholic Community at the University of Arizona

Aug 31-Sept 1
22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time



SAINT THOMAS MORE CATHOLIC NEWMAN CENTER

Preaching the Gospel at the University of Arizona since 1926

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

SATURDAY VIGIL MASS 5:15 PM
SUNDAY MASSES
8:00 AM, 9:30 AM, 11:15 AM
5:00 PM & 7:00 PM

MONDAY-FRIDAY
Morning Prayer: 7:30 AM
Evening Prayer: 5:00 PM
Daily Mass : 5:15 PM

**WEDNESDAY EVENING
STUDENT MASS**
7:30 PM

RECONCILIATION
Saturday 4:00-5:00 PM
Sunday 4:00-4:45 PM
(or by appointment with a priest)

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The Newman Mission:

To be the Presence of Jesus Christ on the Campus of the University of Arizona

The Newman Promise:

The entire Newman Community will work together to create an environment where university students are formed to live their Faith more intentionally and future leaders are formed for the Church and the world.

THIS WEEK AT NEWMAN

Monday, Sept 2 - Center Closed

Tuesday, Sept. 3

7:00 PM - RCIA Inquiry - Library

Thursday, Sept. 5

7:00 PM - Lector Scripture Study - Library

Saturday, Sept. 7

9:00 AM - Religious Ed Catechists Meeting - Classroom
10:00 AM - CMLT Retreat Make-up meeting - Green Hall

Sunday, Sept. 8

9:00 AM - Religious Ed - Green Hall
12:30 PM - Baptism Class - Library
1:00 PM - OPL Professed - Green Hall
6:00 PM - Pasta Supper - Green Hall

LITURGICAL MINISTER TRAINING

All **new** Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers Sacristans, and Altar Servers are required to attend **one** training session before they can be scheduled to serve at Mass. The training sessions will be held as follows:

Lectors:

Tuesday, September 10 at 7:00 PM

OR

Tuesday, September 17 at 7:00 PM

Eucharistic Ministers:

Thursday, September 12 at 7:00 PM

OR

Saturday, September 14 at 1:00 PM

Eucharistic Ministers, Sacristans & Altar Servers:

Saturday, September 14 at 1:00 PM

Sacramental Formation @ Newman

Adult Initiations:

If you are interested in becoming Catholic, please speak to one of the Pastoral staff about participating in the RCIA program.

Marriage:

Couples who would like to celebrate this Sacrament should contact one of the priests at least six months prior to the proposed wedding date.

Confirmation:

Eight-week classes and the Sacrament of Confirmation are offered twice each year. Please contact the office for more information.

Infant Baptisms:

Infant Baptisms are celebrated at Sunday Masses. Please call the office to schedule baptisms and preparation classes.

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday & Sunday, 4:00 PM
(or by appointment)

Anointing of the Sick:

Please contact one of the priests if you would like to be anointed because of sickness, injury, or surgery

Dear Friends -

The New Year is off to a great start at the Newman Center. Two weeks ago, 48 sophomores, juniors and seniors who are members of our Campus Ministry Leadership Teams spent 3 days on retreat at Holy Trinity Monastery in St. David. They returned to campus filled with the Spirit and the energy of newness to make all things ready for Welcome Weekend. On Thursday and Friday, they passed out more than 2000 bottles of cold water as a service to those moving onto campus in the desert heat. Then our Welcome Week activities began and it was pure joy watching all our plans begin to unfold for the new year.

The Newman Sustaining Board hosted a BBQ on Wednesday evening that was attended by more than 130 students, most of whom stuck around for the student Mass at 7:30. Many more returned on Friday afternoon to celebrate the beginning of the football season with our first Tailgater of the year. I met with the Campus Ministry Core Team on Friday morning and they were all in agreement that the Welcome Week activities were great and the are off to a good beginning.

I would like to congratulate Jimmy Flores and Katie Olson who will marry each other in a rare Sunday afternoon wedding this weekend. Jimmy and Katie met at the Newman Center and, like so many of our young couples, much of their life together to this point has included their common love for and commitment to this community. We are so blessed that so many of our young brothers and sisters find their life-long love here at the Center. Please pray for Jimmy and Katie and for all the couples of our parish who are preparing for marriage.

The Catholic Church in the United States has long been a supporter of the organized labor movement. It was often Catholic immigrants who were exploited for their desire to "be good Americans" by the forces that would treat them as simply another cog in the machinery of productivity. The Church's interest in labor has always been in the dignity of the human person and the dignity of work. These have been major pillars of the Catholic Social Teaching, especially as the Church has been a major proponent of just and fair treatment for laborers since the industrial revolution. On this Labor Day, let us commit ourselves to just labor standards in our society and thank God for our labor.

And Finally - BEAR DOWN, ARIZONA!

Peace,

Fr. Bart sp.

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**In observance of Labor Day
the Newman Center
will be closed
Monday, September 2.
There will not be a 5:15 PM Mass**

THANK YOU!

We would like to extend our thanks for all the volunteers who helped during Welcome Weekend, August 24-25. Without your generosity, we wouldn't be able to reach out and make our returning and new students feel welcome here at Newman!

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION TEACHERS MEETING

Those interested in working with the K-5th grade Religious Education program are asked to attend a meeting on Saturday, September 7 from 9:00 AM to Noon.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES

Religious Education classes will begin for students four years old through 5th grade on Sunday, September 8 at 9:00 AM in Green Hall. All families are welcome to register on the 8th. No pre-registration is required.

**INQUIRY SESSIONS FOR THOSE INTERESTED
IN THE CATHOLIC CHURCH**

Every Tuesday night 7 PM in the Newman Library

What do you say when a friend or family member asks you about, or comments about, the Catholic Church? For many of us, that's a little uncomfortable. Yet, it can often be a manifestation of someone reaching out in search of a deeper relationship with God. And they're reaching out to you! Fear not. Throughout the entire year, members of the Newman RCIA team are available to sit with anyone who is interested in learning more about what it is to be Catholic, why we do what we do, what is involved in exploring becoming a part of the church... So, your response to these questions can be very simple and very effective... invite them to an inquiry session. You're welcome to come, too, if you wish to support, to learn, to be part of another person's walk of faith. This can bring amazing growth into your own life, we promise.



Campus Renew provides ongoing faith formation for college students through a program of weekly faith sharing groups focused on the Sunday Mass readings. Those who sign up pledge to their group members that they will participate in the weekly discussion group and uphold each other in prayer as they seek to learn more about their faith. Sign-up at the front desk today!

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GRADUATE STUDENT COMMUNITY

Monday Night Reading Group

Every Monday night at 7:30 PM, beginning September 9th with G.K. Chesterton's "Why I'm a Catholic" in the Newman Library.

Eucharistic Adoration

Every Monday night at 9:00 PM beginning September 9th.

Theology on Tap

2nd Tuesday of each month beginning Sept. 10th at O'Malley's on 4th Avenue with "The Spirituality of Strong Drink" by Fr. James Thompson. Arrive at 6:30 PM for the talk beginning at 7PM.

Social Event

International Potluck Dinner social event on Sept. 27th- Bring your favorite dish! Contact Ben at bjohnd@email.arizona.edu to RSVP.

Monthly Hikes starting in October.

NEWMAN CENTER REST ROOM REMODELING

The following workers and vendors donated time at discounts and supplies at no cost or free. I appreciate their efforts in supporting the Newman Center and their willingness to give.. Please support them if you have a need.

Richard Martinez Handyman Services

Carpentry, counter top, doors and handyman work.

429-0876

Johnny Ramirez Painting

336-1054

R & R Plumbing

7739 E. Broadway Rd. Suite 351

622-0607

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Arizona Tile

756 East Ft. Lowell Rd.

622-4671

Clyde Hardware

Plumbing Fixtures

331 South Olsen Ave.

622-6431

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235-1890

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St. Thomas More Catholic Newman Center

Freshman Retreat 2013



September 20-22, 2013
La Purissima Retreat Center, Hereford, AZ
\$75.00 - Scholarships Available



Tuesday, September 10, 2013

6 PM for food

7 PM for Talk

SPIRITUALITY OF STRONG DRINK

A Talk

by Fr. James D. Thompson, OP



@ O'Malley's on 4th Avenue

THIS WEEK'S SCRIPTURE READINGS & MASS INTENTIONS

September 1: Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29; Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a; Lk 14:1, 7-14

- 8:00 AM No Intention
- 9:30 AM Isabella & Lydia Kennedy & Angelique Budaya
- 11:15 AM Pro Populo
- 5:00 PM Richard & Mary Fimbres
- 7:00 PM No Intention

September 2

1 Thes 4:13-18; Lk 4:16-30
No Mass Today

September 3: St. Gregory the Great, Pope

1 Thes 5:1-6, 9-11; Lk 4:31-37
5:15 PM No Intention

September 4

Col 1:1-8; Lk 4:38-44
5:15 PM No Intention
7:30 PM Student Intentions

September 5

Col 1:9-14; Lk 5:1-11
5:15 PM No Intention

September 6

Col 1:15-20; Lk 5:33-39
5:15 PM No Intention

September 7

Col 1:21-23; Lk 6:1-5
5:15 PM No Intention

September 8: Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Wis 9:13-18b; Phmn 9-10, 12-17; Lk 14:25-33
8:00 AM No Intention
9:30 AM Adria Manon + & Clara Manon
11:15 AM Renato's Deceased & Living Grandparents
5:00 PM Pro Populo
7:00 PM No Intention