

ST. THOMAS MORE NEWMAN CENTER

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26th Sunday in Ordinary Time



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

RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4:00-5:00 PM

Sunday 4:00-4:45 PM

(or by appointment with a priest)

NEWMAN CENTER STAFF

This Community is served by the Friars of the Western Dominican Province and the Dominican Sisters of Mission San Jose

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LITURGY CORNER 5

with Fr. James

Continuing our "Pop Quiz" about Vatican II's teachings on the Mass:

5. What musical style did Vatican II state to be most suitable for use in Mass?

- An eclectic mix of hymns from different traditions
- Palestrina-like polyphony
- Modern folk music
- Gregorian chant
- Contemporary Praise & Worship

ANSWER: **d. Gregorian chant.**

"The Church recognizes Gregorian chant as being specially suited to the Roman liturgy. Therefore, other things being equal, it should be given pride of place in liturgical services. Other kinds of sacred music, especially polyphony, are by no means excluded from liturgical celebrations so long as they accord with the spirit of the liturgical action as laid down in Article 30." (*The Constitution on the Sacred Liturgy*, #116)

Why is Gregorian chant "specially suited to the Roman liturgy"? Is it because it's in Latin? Because it's really old? Because the bishops are musical fuddy-duddies?

One of the principles of music in the Mass is that the text, the words themselves, along with their meaning are primary. Music functions to enhance, to deepen, even to help interpret the words, but not to overpower them. Music is not used at Mass just for the sake of having music, not just because it's pleasant to do so. Because the Latin Gregorian chant has centuries of use behind it, and it so closely models the texts, the Vatican Council and the Popes since hold the traditional chant as the ideal toward which new compositions should strive.

The next Liturgy Corner will present the last question in our Pop Quiz.

RELIGIOUS ED CATECHISTS NEEDED

Our children's K-5 Religious Education program is in need of catechists and aides. If you are interested, contact Jane Furet, boscoeman@earthlink.net.

GRAD GATOS

Theology on Tap: Tuesday, Oct. 14, at O'Malley's on 4th Ave. The topic will be Medical Missions with Dr. Grantham, Dr. Wilson, & Dr. Crunkleton. Arrive at 6:30 PM for food & drink. Talk begins at 7:00 PM.

Book Discussion: Monday nights with Fr. Jacek at 7:30 PM in the Newman Library. This semester we are going to study *The Spirit of the Liturgy* by Pope Benedict.

Adoration: Monday nights at 9:00 PM

Hikes: Hikes will begin in October.

For questions or instructions to subscribe to the mailing list, contact Elizabeth at edelcurto@email.arizona.edu.

THIS WEEK AT NEWMAN

Sunday, Sept. 28

9:00 AM - Religious Ed - Green Hall

11:00 AM - RCIA Lunch - Patio

1:00 PM - RCIA - Classroom

Monday, Sept 29

7:30 PM - Grad Group - Library

9:00 PM - Adoration - Blessed Sacrament Chapel

Tuesday, Sept, 30

7:00 PM - RCIA Inquiry - Library

7:00 PM - Confirmation Prep. - Classroom

Wednesday, Oct. 1

7:00 PM - *Lumen Fidei* - Library

24 hour Adoration - Blessed Sacrament Chapel

Thursday, Oct, 2

7:00 PM - Lector Scripture Study - Classroom

Sunday, Oct. 5

9:00 AM - Religious Ed - Green Hall

11:00 AM - RCIA Lunch - Patio

1:00 PM - RCIA - Classroom

RCIA LUNCHES

We are looking for volunteers to sign up to provide lunch on Sundays for the RCIA group (Candidates, sponsors, team members including the Dominicans). Sign-up sheets open and instructions are on the bulletin board at the back of the Chapel.

THANK YOU RCIA LUNCH HOSTS

Thank you to Jude and Karen Schaffner for providing a wonderful lunch for RCIA last Sunday, Sept. 21. It was delicious and greatly appreciated!

WANTED: OLD COMPUTER

Have an unused desktop PC sitting around your house? Newman is in need of a 5-7 year old computer to use for its internet infrastructure. For more information, please contact Br. Cody; cojorgensen@gmail.com. Your donation is greatly appreciated!

ADOPT-A-STUDENT PROGRAM

Students! Would you like to spend some time each month with a Newman Center community member/family? Have dinner together in a real home? If so, this is the program for you. It's as simple as filling out a form so we can match you up with a family or individuals. Questions? Contact Rosalie at Rmilano1@cox.net.

Community Members! Individuals, couples or families are wanted to adopt university students for this semester. This is not a "live in" program but one which provides a supportive and warm environment for students - especially for those from out of town and other countries. A minimum of once a month "dates" are all that is required. Questions? Contact Rosalie at Rmilano1@cox.net.

YOUNG ADULT FALL RETREAT

Sat. Oct. 11: *Praying God's Word In Scripture* 9:30 AM-3:30 PM (for women & men college age to 40). Presenters: Sr. Evelyn Long, VDMF & Sr. Charisma Sulbise, VDMF with the Dominican Sisters Retreat Team. Dominican Sisters of MSJ Motherhouse, 43326 Mission Blvd. (entrance on Mission Tierra Pl) Fremont, CA 94539. \$15 Registration at the door includes lunch and refreshments. RSVP/Registration online at www.msjdominicans.org.