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OUR MISSION: TO BE TRANSFORMED THROUGH AN
ENCOUNTER WITH THE SPIRIT OF TRUTH & THE LOVE OF GOD

Yearly Theme: "The Spirit of the Lord is upon me because He has anointed me" -Luke 4:18

February 24, 2019

Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

SCHEDULES

SATURDAY VIGIL MASS
5:15 PM

SUNDAY MASSES
9:00 AM, 11:00 AM,
5:00PM & 7:00PM

MONDAY—FRIDAY
Morning Prayer (Lauds): 8:30AM
Evening Prayer (Vespers): 5:00PM
Daily Mass: 5:15 PM

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

**ADORATION OF THE
BLESSED SACRAMENT**
Wednesdays at 9PM

OFFICE HOURS
Monday-Friday 9:00AM-4:00PM
Sunday 8:30AM-12:30PM

NEWMAN CENTER STAFF



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by the Friars of the Western
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MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday Vigil
2/23 5:15PM **Zach Rahnavardi+**
7th Sunday in Ordinary Time
2/24 9:00AM **Barbara Kathleen Courson+**
11:00AM **Our Newman Community**
5:00PM **Cindy David Family**
7:00PM **Carolyn Homewood+**

Monday - Weekday
2/25 5:15PM **Mary Sanderford+**
Tuesday - Weekday
2/26 5:15PM **Rose Leonardi+**
Wednesday - Weekday
2/27 5:15PM **Terry & Timothy Breen**
Thursday - Weekday
2/28 5:15PM **Grad Students/
Young Professionals**

Friday - Weekday
3/1 5:15PM **All Students**

*Mass Intentions can be requested at the
office for Memorials, Birthdays or Special
Intentions. \$10 is the suggested donation*

Fr. John Paul's Spiritual Brew

Our Gospel calls us to a deeper look and expression of the Mosaic Law seen through the eyes of Jesus!

What is the greatest law of all? “To love the Lord your God with all of your heart, mind, and soul! To love beyond what is convenient, what we can control, and what is in our orbit of comfort! To love through all the slaps, the questions about lending money, and requests that surprise us, and test our patience, as well, as ..interrupt our plans...

God’s action in our lives always seeks to be something that enlivens us, and is helpful not only to us, but to others, and a wider world.

Our Sunday and weekday Masses give us an encounter with the real and living Christ..... whose presence is always a call - to experience God’s truth that frees, and God’s love which heals and transforms... We bring our simple lives to Newman, and join them with others searching for meaning, community, and a place to belong.

Our Gospel calls us to enter into the heart of God.. To love because it is the right thing to do, and not because we like it.

“Love your enemies and do good for them... for God is kind to the ungrateful and the wicked... Be merciful, just as your Father is merciful... to Forgive, so that we will be forgiven.... To give gifts, and to be open to be given back to from God.... For the measure that you measure with will be measured back to you.”

May we allow God’s friendship to be planted deep within our souls... May it grow and inform everything that we think about, and do. May the Spirit of the Lord which is upon us, and anoints - guide our steps into a greater relationship with who and all the God has created! Amen

BULLETIN & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Email items to be considered for future bulletins and verbal announcements to Manny@UACatholic.org no later than the Wednesday prior to the weekend you are requesting. Please keep submissions limited to 75-words or less; editing may be still be required due to space.

THIS WEEK AT NEWMAN

SUSTAINING BOARD STUDENT DINNER

Sunday, 2/24 at 6PM—serving Rodeo Chili & Cornbread!

NEWMAN TABLING ON THE UA MALL

Mondays from 11AM-1PM - we'll have snacks!

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Mondays at Noon in the Curry Classroom

FAITH & SCIENCE FORUM

Monday, 2/25 at 7:30PM downstairs
“Do you really have a choice? A discussion on free will”

NEWMAN BOOK CLUB

Tuesday, 2/26 at 7PM in the lobby

ROSARY UNDER THE STARS

Tuesdays at 7:30PM at the Highland Bowl on campus

NEWMAN NIGHT FOR UNDERGRADS

Wednesdays at 7:30PM downstairs
This Week: how to lead bible studies & live evangelization

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Wednesdays at 9PM in the church

GRAD STUDENTS/YOUNG ADULT GROUP

Thursdays at 7:30PM downstairs in Bishop Green Hall
This Week: Core Team Meeting to plan for upcoming events

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL #16061

Sunday, 3/3 at 8PM in the Curry Classroom

View the full calendar at:

UACatholic.org/calendar

LEASE KEEP OUR CANDIDATES AND CATECHUMENS IN RCIA IN PRAYER

Emma Anderson, Kaili Marion, Richard Nguyen, Lilliana Nunez-Breceda and Destiny Pearson

RCIA LUNCH VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Each Sunday the RCIA participants attend 11am Mass, have lunch in the Student Lounge downstairs, and then meet for reflection and prayer. Simple lunches for twenty people are encouraged (e.g. soup and bread, or pasta and salad). Newman provides drinks, plates/bowls, cups, and silverware. Please sign up at the back of the chapel or contact Edella Schlager, RCIA lunch coordinator, at edella.schlager@gmail.com

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Come join us for prayer & reflection! We meet on Mondays, at 12PM in the classroom. For details contact Denise at gubwoman1@aol.com or Sister Angelica at srangelica@uacatholic.org.

FAITH & SCIENCE FORUM

Monday, 2/25 at 7:30pm downstairs

Join us at the upcoming Faith and Science event: "Do you really have a choice? A discussion on the nature of free will." Come to listen and learn, discuss and debate. All are welcome and snacks will be provided.

FEBRUARY NEWMAN BOOK CLUB

Tuesday, 2/26 at 7:00PM in the lobby

Join us for a discussion of

Evelyn Waugh's Brideshead Revisited

Please read the book beforehand. There will be snacks and good conversation. All are welcome—students and resident community members alike!

If you need help obtaining a copy of the book or have any questions, contact Kelly Kottmer at kellyklovesbooks@gmail.com.

NEWMAN FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS

The Newman Foundation at The University of Arizona plans to award several scholarships for the 2019-2020 Fall Semester to UofA students active at St. Thomas More Catholic Newman Center.

These scholarships are in addition to any that may be offered by the Newman Sustaining Board. The application deadline is March 20, 2019. If you are interested in applying, send an email to the following address to request application information: newman_foundation@yahoo.com

NEWMAN SUSTAINING BOARD SCHOLARSHIPS

The application window is open for the 2019-2020 academic school year to students who are active members of St. Thomas More Catholic Newman Center. The Sustaining Board will be offering two \$5000 scholarships and one for \$2,500. Deadline is Friday, March 15, 2019 at Noon. Application and details can be downloaded at:

www.uacatholic.org/scholarships

TAX CREDIT DONATION LETTERS

2018 Statements are available for pickup at the Newman Office. If you have any questions, please contact Manny at (520) 327-4665. Thank you to all of our donors!

 **UACATHOLIC.ORG**



RODEO CHILI & CORNBREAD STUDENT DINNER

**AFTER 5PM MASS
SUNDAY, FEB 24TH**

DOWNSTAIRS IN BISHOP GREEN HALL
HOSTED BY THE NEWMAN CENTER SUSTAINING BOARD

HAPPY BIRTHDAY WISHES TO

Lindsay Kough, Bill Madden, Cynthia Malbrough, Maya Noto, Colin Cosper, & Jessica Kirkham, & Anthony Walsh

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

February 16th and 17th Basket Collections: \$4,356.29
Online Giving: \$1,420.00

Thank you for generosity each week! Your contribution during the Offertory provides the funding for us to carry out the mission of the Newman Center.

An alternative to bringing cash or a check to Mass is to set up one-time or recurring donations through our Online Giving Program. It also provides an easy way to track your contributions for tax credit purposes.

Text **UACatholic** to **555888** for a link on your mobile phone or to download an ACH form visit UACatholic.org/donate

Our current project is the Sound System for the church as well as the audio/visual systems for each of our meeting rooms: Bishop Green Hall, Curry Classroom, Student Lounge and the Timothy Parkman Memorial Library. Please consider donating to this long-term investment

SPRING BREAK IMMERSION TRIP

March 2-6 2019

St. Michael's Indian School
St. Michaels AZ near Gallup NM

St. Michael Indian School provides students from local Native American communities with a quality education that is rooted in Catholic values, is sensitive to Native heritage, teaches leadership skills and enables students to contribute in a culturally diverse world.

Participants will team up with teachers, coaches, & students to learn about the Navajo culture, learn about the night sky, discuss Catholic values for new college students, engage in conversation about Newman ministry, pray, and complete a work project!

Limited Space for 10 students! Deadline to sign-up is February 8th at www.uacatholic.org/springbreak

KINO BORDER INITIATIVE

[Kino Border Initiative](#) is a bi-national ministry of the Society of Jesus and Sisters of the Eucharist which provides support for migrants who have been deported from the United States and are on their way back to their homes in Latin America. Newman provides breakfast to migrants twice each month. Volunteers prepare food on Friday evenings and Saturday mornings, leaving Newman at 6:45AM to drive to Nogales, Sonora, Mexico. If you are interested in participating in the KBI Project, please contact Joji Maes at jmaes@email.arizona.edu

Upcoming trips: March 16th & 30th
and April 13th & 27th



2019 Annual Catholic Appeal Progress as of 2/21/19

15 donors - \$11,897 pledged of \$46,640 goal - 26%
Fulfilled to date: \$7,997 or 17% of total goal

Donate Online at: <https://support.cathfnd.org/donate>
Select "St. Thomas More" as your parish

We are pleased to announce that we have been awarded a \$10,000 grant for 2019 that will go towards the replacement of the flat roof over the main lobby & offices

A NOTE FROM THE BISHOP

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ:

Starting with Ash Wednesday, I will be releasing a brief reflection on the Scripture Readings for each Sunday in Lent. My "Lenten Minute Reflection" will be posted each Saturday on our Tucson Diocesan web page: www.DioceseTucson.org

If you enjoy the weekly reflections then I kindly ask that you share them with a friend via social media, or simply encourage others to log on and listen. May you have a blessed Lent, leading to a joyful Easter.

—Bishop Edward J. Weisenburger

SAVE THE DATES

ASH WEDNESDAY

Wednesday, 3/6 - services at 8AM, Noon & 5:15PM

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Fridays of Lent immediately after 5:15PM Daily Mass

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FISH FRY

Friday, 3/29 at 6PM downstairs

STUDENT MINISTRY TEAM COMMITTEES

Community Life
Faith Formation
Liturgy
Outreach
Social Justice

GROUP MINISTRIES

Dominican Laity
Knights of Columbus Council #16061
Young Adult Group for
Grad Students/Young Professionals

PARISH COMMITTEES

Finance Council
Grounds Committee
Stewardship Commission
Art/Environment Committee

COMMUNITY-BASED ADVOCACY GROUPS

Newman Foundation
Newman Sustaining Board

Register online to get linked up with our ministries and programs: UACatholic.org/Register