

# SAINT THOMAS MORE CATHOLIC NEWMAN CENTER

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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**

**April 28, 2019**

**Divine Mercy Sunday**

## 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**  
This Week: Thursday at 6PM

**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  
4/27 5:15PM **Evan W. Beck**  
2nd Sunday of Easter: Divine Mercy Sunday  
4/28 9:00AM **Brayden & Ryan Kennedy**  
11:00AM **Our Newman Community**  
5:00PM **Joyce McCormick**  
7:00PM **Outgoing SMT Members**

Monday: St. Catherine of Siena  
4/29 5:15PM **Evan W. Beck**  
Tuesday: St. Pius V  
4/30 5:15PM **Francisco Mora**  
Wednesday: St. Joseph the Worker  
5/1 5:15PM **All Students**  
Thursday: St. Athanasius  
5/2 5:15PM **Deceased MSJ Dominicans+**  
Friday: Sts Philip & James  
5/3 5:15PM **Pilgrim Friars 40th Reunion**

*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*

It's has been a week since Easter Sunday! Last weekend our church was full, our voices raised in celebration, and many of our Lenten fasts completed. The brightness of the spring shown everywhere from beauty our altar decorations to the energy with which we sang our Easter hymns!

Today we move deeper into the joy of the Easter Season, as we hear another account of how persistent God's love is... for us.... to rise.. and to walk in his love!

The followers of Jesus are locked behind doors, minds, and hearts ... of real physical and emotional pain and fear! They could be next on the list to be taken, and they're not ready! Who would be! Especially, after witnessing the trauma of the arrest and execution of their leader and friend. Despite the high drama of this situation, and all its potential to be a dead end. Jesus walks right into the heart of the matter, and says... "Peace be with you, Do not be afraid, and Receive the Holy Spirit".

He simply walks through the death that is surrounding them, and calls them back to life... And, keeps calling them! Despite Thomas's absence the first time.... Jesus keeps calling him... even when Thomas doubts and grows cynical.., Jesus keeps calling him to see and embrace new life, real life...., and to touch and probe it!

We are invited to do the same when we are filled with doubt and fear.... Come, he says to us.... "Take and eat and drink" This is my self, broken open and poured out for all of you! Now, Go! and do the same with your lives!

We are honored today to have several members of our community who will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit in the Sacrament of Confirmation at our 5pm Mass this afternoon. May our Confirmandis' courage move us to allow God's Spirit to direct us in way that provides real benefit and blessings for all to seek to love God and to build his kingdom

Amen! Alleluia!

## **THIS WEEK AT NEWMAN**

### **SPRING CONFIRMATION MASS**

Sunday, 4/28 at 5PM

### **SUSTAINING BOARD STUDENT DINNER**

Enchiladas! Snday, 4/28 at 6PM downstairs

### **WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY**

Mondays at Noon in the Curry Classroom

### **BIBLE STUDY**

Mondays at 8PM downstairs

### **ROSARY UNDER THE STARS**

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

### **SMILE 2019—ALOHA TO SUMMER**

Wednesday, 5/1 at 7PM downstairs  
All are welcome!

### **ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**

Thursday, 5/2 after the 5:15PM Daily Mass to 7PM

### **GRAD STUDENT/YOUNG ADULT GROUP**

Thursdays at 7:30PM downstairs  
This week: end of semester party

### **BIBLE STUDY**

Fridays at 4PM downstairs

### **VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION MASS & RECEPTION**

Saturday, 5/4 from 5:15PM to 7:30PM

### **PILGRIM FRIARS 40th REUNION CONCERT**

Saturday, 5/4 at 7:30PM in the church

### **SPRING BACCALAUREATE MASS**

Sunday, 5/5 at the 5PM Mass

**View the full calendar at:**

**[UACatholic.org/calendar](http://UACatholic.org/calendar)**

### **THANK YOU**

Denise Durazo, Genevieve Gallardo & Gilbert Mejia for leading the art and environment team of volunteers for our Easter Celebrations. Thanks to all who pitched in as liturgical ministers, decorators, choir members, and all who attended our Triduum celebrations as well as Easter Sunday. We are blessed with your presence and service.

**PLEASE KEEP OUR NEWEST CATHOLICS  
IN YOUR PRAYERS**

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

They were fully-initiated in the Church  
at the Easter Vigil last weekend

**CONGRATULATIONS TO THOSE BEING  
CONFIRMED THIS WEEKEND**

Anderson Dorgan, Amariese Hernandez, Isabella Jeffers,  
Cynthia Ortega, Ashlee Parra, Ashley Huerta Pichl,  
Natalie Quintero, Leah Rios,  
Ricardo Sosa & Nicholas Stavitski

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**

This week it will be held at a special time and day:  
Thursday after the 5:15PM Daily Mass through 7PM  
All are welcome!

**SPRING BACCAULAREATE MASS SIGNUPS**

If you are graduating this semester, sign-up to participate in  
the Spring Baccalaureate Mass on Sunday, 5/5 at the 5PM  
Mass. Send an email with your name and major/degree  
program to: [newman@uacatholic.org](mailto:newman@uacatholic.org)

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY WISHES TO**

Jillian Aja, Kathia Antillon, Jay Bell, Pat Aronson,  
Grace Keating and Michael Nicholls

**MAY NEWMAN BOOK CLUB**

Tuesday, 5/14 at 7:00PM in the Curry Classroom  
Join us for a discussion of a collection of homilies  
by St. Basil, called *On Social Justice*  
Please read the materials 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 homilies or have any  
questions, contact Kelly Kottmer  
at [kellyklovesbooks@gmail.com](mailto:kellyklovesbooks@gmail.com).



SMILE 2019

**ALOHA  
TO SUMMER**

May 1 | 7-9 pm

Free Dinner & Variety Show

*\*Entire Community is Welcome\**

Donations Welcome for Casa Alitas:  
New Underwear (M, W, and Children's; Size Small)  
Non-perishable food items.  
New Socks  
Gatorade



**STEWARDSHIP REPORT**

Holy Thursday Basket Collection: \$509.00  
Good Friday Holy Land Collection: \$583.29  
Easter Vigil & Easter Sunday Collection: \$8,886.94

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](http://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



## The Light of the Word (1851-1853)



An allegorical painting by the English artist group Pre-Raphaelite Brothers (PRB) in the mid 1800s. They signed all their works not individually but as a group PRB. We know this painting was done by William Holman Hunt (1827–1910). The door in the painting has no handle, and can therefore be opened only from the inside, representing "the obstinately shut mind" [and heart].

According to Hunt: "I

painted the picture with what I thought, unworthy though I was, to be by Divine command, and not simply as a good Subject." He took inspiration from Revelation 3:20: "Behold, I stand at the door and knock; if any man hear My voice, and open the door, I will come in to him, and will sup with him, and he with Me".

### 2019 Annual Catholic Appeal Progress as of 4/24/19

33 donors - \$28,205 pledged of \$46,640 goal - 60%  
Fulfilled to date: \$19,225 or 41% 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 went towards the replacement of the very-leaky roof over the main lobby & offices.

Work finished this past week.

THANK YOU!

## STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION FOR THIS WEEK

Stewardship is returning a portion of our gifts to God. The gifts we return are our time, our abilities, our talents, our accomplishments, our treasure. We return these gifts not because God needs them but because we feel an overwhelming need to show our love and gratitude to God.

**Give to the Most High as He has given to you, generously, according to your means. Sirach 35:7-10**

*What gifts do I have that I can offer in the building of the Kingdom of God?*

## SAVE THE DATES

### **FINAL EXAM SURVIVAL PACKS**

Available for pickup in the lobby during finals week

### **PILGRIM FRIARS 40th REUNION**

Concert on Saturday, 5/4 at 7:30PM in the church

### **SPRING BACCALAUREATE MASS**

Sunday, 5/5 at 5:00PM

### **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  
Stewardship Council  
Grounds Committee  
Art/Environment Committee

### **COMMUNITY-BASED ADVOCACY GROUPS**

Newman Foundation  
Newman Sustaining Board

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