

# 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: "Fear is useless, what is needed is trust" - Mark 5:36



August 30, 2020

Twenty-Second Sunday of Ordinary Time

## SCHEDULES

**Sunday Mass Online**  
11AM Pacific Live-Stream  
through [Facebook Live](#), and our  
[YouTube Channel](#)

**Weekday Masses**  
**Tuesday through Friday**  
11:30AM Pacific Live-Stream  
through [Facebook Live](#) and our  
[YouTube Channel](#)

**\*\*NOTE\*\*** You do NOT need a  
Facebook account to view our  
LiveStream. Videos are available for  
you to view at your convenience after  
they premiere.

**Reconciliation:** by appointment only.  
Priest email addresses are listed in  
the next column

## NEWMAN CENTER STAFF



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## MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

22nd Sunday of Ordinary Time  
8/30 11:00AM **Budaya-Kennedy Family**  
**Our Newman Community**

Monday: Weekday  
8/31 11:30AM **NO DAILY MASS**  
Tuesday: Weekday  
9/1 11:30AM **Joyce Bouchard+**  
Wednesday: Weekday  
9/2 11:30AM **David Harrington+**  
Thursday: St. Gregory the Great  
9/3 11:30AM **Ella Mae Alexander+**  
Friday: Bl. Catherine Mattei of Raccognigi, OP  
9/4 11:30AM **Darlene Silva+**

*Mass Intentions can be requested by calling the  
office for Memorials, Birthdays, Anniversaries,  
Healing/Recovery or Special Intentions.  
\$10 is the suggested donation*

[Link to the Readings at Mass](#)  
[Guide to the responses during Mass](#)

Liturgy of the Hours via the [iBreviary App](#)

## *Fr. John Paul's Spiritual Brew*

**G**et behind me Satan! Jesus yells to Peter. What a strong statement directed at someone who is only trying to care and protect. Has Jesus lost it? How is this reflective of the peace that Jesus always appears to uphold and to value?

As always, we need to put this into a wider context. Jesus has just asked to disciples, "Who do people say that I am? And, "Who do you say that I am? This is an important question to be answered by those who are being - exposed and formed - by Jesus and his mission to spread the Kingdom of Heaven. Peter responds with faith and conviction, "You are the Christ.. The Son of the living God" Jesus is pleased by this answer, and gives Peter a special role as leader of this rising faith community, and proceeds to share more about what his mission is going to involve.

The news is too much for Peter and the disciples, and Peter pulls Jesus aside and says, Don't do it! Jesus then raises his voice to get Peter and the disciples' attention, and calls them back upon the path and mission that he was sent to bring to fruition. "Get behind me! Or, in other words, "Follow me! Not, in what is comfortable, or always predictable. This is not always an easy task for those who get used to divorcing themselves from the challenges of following Christ.

May we be open to the Good Shepherd's lead, and formation in our lives. May our fear be a healthy response, that facilitates deeper growth, and not more paranoia and control. May the result be a greater intention to love in life, faith, and community.

In these active and unusual days of beginning of new semester at Newman, and the U of A.... May we take comfort in our new theme for the year "Fear is useless, what is needed is trust"

We love you, and hope to see soon. Please follow us online at [UACATHOLIC.ORG](http://UACATHOLIC.ORG) for the latest updates. Amen!

### **NEWMAN BOOK CLUB**

Meets monthly via Zoom, contact Kelly for more info:  
[kellyklovesbooks@gmail.com](mailto:kellyklovesbooks@gmail.com)

### **YOUNG ADULT COMMUNITY**

meets weekly on Thursdays at 7:30PM via Zoom  
Graduate Students and Young Professionals between the ages of 22-35, email the co-leaders Joe and Edith to get connected: [YoungAdultLeaders@UACatholic.org](mailto:YoungAdultLeaders@UACatholic.org)  
or join the YAC [Facebook Group](#)

### **ARE YOU REGISTERED?**

Newman Registration helps us keep the lines of communication open and connects our community with the various ministries we offer. If you are new to our community or have moved in the past year, please fill out the online registration form at:

[www.UACatholic.org/Registration](http://www.UACatholic.org/Registration)

### **UNDERGRAD NEWMAN NIGHTS**

Wednesdays at 7PM on Zoom

This week 9/2 is a Welcome and Social hosted by our Student Ministry Team

Zoom Meeting ID: 832 5719 9770

Passcode: uacatholic

### **BECOMING CATHOLIC: RCIA**

Curious about the Catholic Church? Or maybe you've already done some research and want to learn how to become a fully-initiated member? RCIA will be the place for you to be able to ask questions and walk with a small community through those questions. For more info, contact [Manny@UACatholic.org](mailto:Manny@UACatholic.org)—sessions will begin September 20th and be on Sundays from 12:30-2PM  
Applications and more info at [UACatholic.org/RCIA](http://UACatholic.org/RCIA)

### **ADULT CONFIRMATION PREP**

The Newman Center has been granted permission to do a shortened process for Adult Confirmation Prep. Our eight week program is on Tuesdays at 7:30PM and will begin on September 29th. Applications and more info are on the website at [UACatholic.org/Confirmation](http://UACatholic.org/Confirmation)

### **SMALL GROUP SIGN-UPS**

Sign-ups are open for small faith sharing groups.

The form is available at:

<https://uacatholic.org/smallgroup/>

### **NEWMAN PARKING PERMITS**

There are still a few spots left for the 2020-2021 school year. We have a limited number of spaces with priority given to registered and active members of the Newman Center—students, faculty and staff. Email your completed application to [Manny@UACatholic.org](mailto:Manny@UACatholic.org).

[Link to the application is here](#)

## STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

The grace of God is always available to us in abundance, if we simply ask God for it.

You are my help, and in the shadow of your wings I shout for joy, My soul clings fast to you; your right hand upholds me. Ps 63: 8-9

As faithful stewards we face our cross, our challenges with the assurance that God's abundant love will transform us, His right hand will uphold us.

## HOMILIES ARE ONLINE

View past Sunday Homilies on our

YouTube Playlist and share with others if you feel like they could use the encouragement and learn from the Dominican preaching. [www.YouTube.com/UACatholic](http://www.YouTube.com/UACatholic)

## POVERELLO HOUSE VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Beginning on August 19th Poverello House, located at 221 E Lee Street, began providing limited service to homeless men.

From 7:00 am until noon on Wednesdays thru Sunday, men who were guests at Poverello House prior to its closing, will be welcomed into the yard for a hot breakfast, an opportunity to take a shower, do laundry, and enjoy a place to relax in the shade.

Volunteers are needed to provide triage before the men enter the yard. Wednesdays or Sundays 7AM-8:30AM Training will be provided if needed.

If you can volunteer 1 day, a few days or 5 days, contact: Jeanette at 909.446.5469 or [jarnquist@gmail.com](mailto:jarnquist@gmail.com)

## 2020 Annual Catholic Appeal Progress as of 8/28/2020

41 donors - \$26,473 pledged of \$46,640 goal - 57%  
Fulfilled to date: \$24,453 or 52% of total goal

Donate Online at:

<https://support.cathfnd.org/donate>

Select "St. Thomas More" as your parish



This year we received a \$10,000 grant used to do a number of facility updates including new water fountains in the lobby and student lounge; hand sanitizer stations and other public health elements needed for our reopening coming soon.

## PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR RCIA ELECT

Brandon, Malia & Morgan

Their RCIA journey continues due to the quarantine. We look forward to the day we can gather in person and joyfully welcome them as fully-initiated members of the Church and our Newman Community.

Please also pray for Isabel who was baptized and received First Communion. She will be Confirmed very soon!

## NEWMAN WEBSITE AND EMAIL LISTSERV

As you know, the public health situation evolves very quickly. We will communicate any changes to our schedule via our email listserv:

<https://uacatholic.org/join-our-weekly-email-list/>

## STEWARDSHIP FINANCIAL REPORT

August Online Giving as of 8/29/2020: \$7,933.75

August 23 Envelopes: \$1385; Venmo: \$1483.00

August 16 Envelopes : \$3546; Venmo: \$452

August 9 Envelopes: \$3,490, Venmo: \$319

August 2 Envelopes: \$2,540; Venmo: \$487

Convent A/C Unit Help: \$2100

July ACH: \$6282; July Online Giving: \$11,140.75

July 29 Envelopes: \$940.00; Venmo \$845

July 19 Envelopes: \$3507.25; Venmo \$1,195.50

July 12 Envelopes: \$2370; Venmo: \$563

July 5 Envelopes: \$1880; Venmo: \$564

June ACH: \$5,442; June Online Giving: \$8,439.25

June 28 Envelopes: \$1705; Venmo: \$1527

June 21 Envelopes: \$3735; Venmo \$1277

June 14 Envelopes: \$1380; Venmo \$530

June 7 Envelopes: \$1495; Venmo \$644

Extraordinary Gift: \$2000

Thank you for your generosity each week. Your contribution during the Offertory pays for the utilities, staff and ministries so we can carry out our mission.

We invite you to prayerfully consider setting up one-time or recurring donations through our Online Giving Program or through ACH with your bank. It provides an easy way to track your contributions for tax credit purposes.

Text **UACatholic** to 800-950-9952 for a link on your mobile phone or download an ACH form by visiting

[UACatholic.org/donate](https://uacatholic.org/donate)

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