

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



November 22, 2020

Solemnity of Christ the King

SCHEDULES

In-Person Masses
Reservations Required
Saturday 5:15PM
Sunday 9AM, 11AM, 5PM, 7PM

Reservations Open Monday 8AM
through Fridays at Noon. [Details here](#)

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

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

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

NEWMAN CENTER STAFF



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MASS INTENTIONS

Solemnity of Christ the King
11/21 5:15PM **Sr. Cecilia Soberon, OP+**
11/22 9AM **Our Newman Community**
11AM **Confirmation Candidates**
5PM **RCIA Candidates**
7PM **Sr. Renilde Cade+**

Monday: St. Clement I; St. Columban
11/23 11:30AM **NO DAILY MASS**
Tuesday: St. Andrew Dung-Lac & Companions
11/24 11:30AM **University Faculty & Staff**
Wednesday: St. Catherine of Alexandria
11/25 11:30AM **All Students**
Thursday: Thanksgiving Day
11/26 9:00AM **Gratitude to God for Blessings**
Friday: Weekday
11/27 11:30AM **NO DAILY MASS**

*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

Because you did it for me” But, when did we see you, or not see you.... and, respond, or not? But, the King will only say, as often as you did, or did not, respond... That was me!

Powerful words spoken that go right to our hearts, minds, and souls..... Words that say we are connected to one another.

God’s mercy is ever-present and always pervasive in the natural world. It is the breath of the Holy Spirit that enlivens our being and sets us on our way. We belong to God, and therefore we belong to love, and all its responsibilities and benefits.

The Feast of Christ the King closes the liturgical year with a bang! It takes The Gospel of Matthew/The Gospel of Mercy.... and it opens that greatest commandment to us one last time before we prepare to enter the Season of Advent. “Love God, with your whole heart, mind, and soul”. This command to love calls us to take a higher road, and to struggle to exercise our “loving muscles” daily.

May we “Take courage” seeing that it is Jesus walking on the storm-waters of life, and inviting us, to step out of the boat... May we “Be not afraid” to move into the life that God calls us to... joyfully saying, “Fear is useless what is needed is trust”. Amen!

THANKSGIVING DAY MASS

Thursday, 11/26 at 9AM

A separate Mass Reservation Form is on the website if you plan to join us in-person. We will also be Live-Streaming for those who remain home. May our prayers of gratitude for the blessings God gives us become a litany of hope in these days of uncertainty.

PRAY FOR OUR RCIA CANDIDATES

Please keep Danielle, Nathan, Corey, Hannah, and Jenny in your prayers as they continue their formation to be fully-initiated in the Church at the Easter Vigil in 2021.

PRAYING FOR OUR DECEASED LOVED ONES DURING THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER

November is the Month of Remembrance
Our printable prayer request card is [on the website here](#).
We will place a basket of the names by the altar in November so our entire community can pray for our deceased loved ones.

IN-PERSON MASSES & RESERVATIONS

Reservations are required in order to maintain safe social distancing. The Reservation Window is open from Monday at 8AM to Friday at Noon and can be done online www.UACatholic.org/Mass-Reservations

We will continue to broadcast a Sunday Mass live at 11AM Arizona Time. Communion distribution will be available afterwards near the Blessed Sacrament Chapel Door on the north side of the Church between 12:15PM and 12:45PM on Sunday for those who view the Live-Stream.

CONGRATS TO OUR NEWEST CATHOLIC

Julia Denise Pantaleo
Baptized in Christ on Saturday, November 21st

CONGRATS TO THE NEWLY-CONFIRMED

Natalia, Cole, Hayley, Jayden, Marisol & Roni
Confirmed in the Spirit at the 11AM Mass

PRAYER PACKS FOR STUDENTS AVAILABLE

Thank you to Karen Melnychuck and her daughter Sofia for preparing Prayer Packets for our students as they prepare for the final weeks of the semester. They are available for pickup on the side benches as you exit for Mass.

ROSARY UNDER THE (DIGITAL) STARS

Every Tuesday at 7PM on Zoom - all are welcome
Meeting ID: 996 023 6892 - Password: uarosary

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
or join the YAC [Facebook Group](#)

NEWMAN BOOK CLUB

Meets monthly via Zoom
This month: [The Samurai](#) by Shūsaku Endō
Tuesday, December 1st at 7PM
Contact Kelly for login info:
kellyklovesbooks@gmail.com

FINAL 7PM MASS THIS WEEKEND

We will resume the 7PM Mass after the holidays, God willing. Thanks for your understanding & patience.

DOMINICAN LAITY FORMATION

The Order of Preachers, founded by St. Dominic de Guzman in 1216, has always included lay people (those of us who are not ordained). Grounded in the four pillars of Dominican Life: Prayer, Study, Community & Preaching; members of the Dominican Laity are full members of the Order. Formation sessions will begin soon via Zoom, contact Dorothy for more info: gazelleaugust@yahoo.com or visit: oplaitywest.org

CORPORATE BOARD SECRETARY ELECTION NOTICE

CANDIDATES REQUIREMENTS:

Candidates for election must be lay persons who are:

- ◆ Catholic
- ◆ Registered, practicing parish members
- ◆ At least 25 years old.

WHO CAN NOMINATE A CANDIDATE?

The pastor may nominate up to two persons, including the board member whose term is expiring. Other nominations may be made in writing by at least 10 registered parishioners in full communion with the Roman Catholic Church.

All nominations are to be made at least 2 weeks before the election and announced at Sunday Masses two weeks prior to the election date of **January 17, 2021**. If only one person has been nominated by then, the nominee shall be declared elected.

ELECTION COMMITTEE

At the time of the notice of the election, the Pastor shall appoint an election committee to receive nominations, prepare ballots, act as tellers and supervise the election.

KNOWN CANDIDATES AS OF BULLETIN PRINTING

Clifford Bowman, current Secretary, willing to continue serving

2020 Annual Catholic Appeal Progress as of 11/20/2020

47 donors - \$27,395 pledged of \$46,640 goal - 59%
Fulfilled to date: \$26,715 or 57% of total goal

Donate Online at:

<http://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.

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

Today we come to the end of the liturgical year, celebrating the magnificent feast of the Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe. Our readings provide contrasting images of this King of ours — He has authority over all, and yet, He is humble and tender in His care for us, especially the most vulnerable.

How can we properly honor and love such a King? By offering Him our very lives through the stewardship way of life. The more deeply we embrace the stewardship way of life, the more closely our priorities will align with His.

STEWARDSHIP FINANCIAL REPORT

November Online Giving as of 11/21/2020: \$6,177
November 15 Envelopes: \$2056; Venmo: \$274
November 8 Envelopes: \$1554.00; Venmo: \$744.50
November 1 Envelopes: \$1930.50; Venmo: \$417
Extraordinary Gift from the Barbara Emich Trust: \$66,060

October ACH: \$6559.50; October Online \$7,686
October 25 Envelopes: \$3259; Venmo: \$418
October 18 Envelopes: \$3537; Venmo: \$1050
October 11 Envelopes: \$1560; Venmo: \$397
October 4 Envelopes: \$2,560; Venmo: \$586
Extraordinary Gift: \$5000
Dominican Common Room Project: \$500

Sept ACH: \$5509.50; Sept Online Giving: \$8,255.75
Sept 27 Envelopes: \$1,936; Venmo: \$567
Sept 20 Envelopes: \$2,261.00; Venmo: \$1,244
Sept 13 Envelopes: \$2,795.81; Venmo: \$589.39
Sept 6 Envelopes: \$900; Venmo: \$711.31

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

Also Accepting 

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