

# SAINT THOMAS MORE CATHOLIC NEWMAN CENTER

PROUDLY SERVING THE UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA  
& TUCSON COMMUNITY SINCE 1926

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

Yearly Theme: "For where your treasure is, there also will your heart be" - Matthew 6:21



**August 21, 2022**

**Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time**

## SCHEDULE

**Weekend In-Person Masses**  
Saturday 5:15PM (Covid-19 Protocols)  
Sunday 9AM, 11AM & 5PM

**Sunday Mass Online**  
11AM MST LiveStreamed  
through [Facebook](#) and [YouTube](#)

**Weekday Masses Tuesday to Friday**  
5:15PM in-person and LiveStreamed  
through [Facebook](#) and [YouTube](#)

**Liturgy of the Hours**  
**Tuesday to Friday**  
Morning Prayer (Lauds) 8:30AM  
Evening Prayer (Vespers) 5:00PM

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

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**  
First Thursdays at 7:30PM

**Office Hours**  
Monday to Friday 9AM-4:45PM

## NEWMAN CENTER STAFF



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## MASS INTENTIONS

21st Sunday in Ordinary Time  
8/20 5:15PM **Connie Aguirre**  
8/21 9AM **Our Newman Community**  
11AM **Emily Marquez Soto+**  
5PM **Robert Divine+**

Monday: Queenship of Blessed Virgin Mary  
8/22 5:15PM **NO DAILY MASS**  
Tuesday: St. Rose of Lima, OP  
8/23 5:15PM **Marian Lloyd+**  
Wednesday: St. Bartholomew  
8/24 5:15PM **Richard Hartman**  
Thursday: St. Louis; St. Joseph Calasanz  
8/25 5:15PM **Joseph Eshabarr+**  
Friday: Weekday  
8/26 5:15PM **Thelma Gonzalez**

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

**S**o strengthen your drooping hands and your weak knees. Make straight paths for your feet, that what is lame may not be disjointed but healed.”

Our Sunday readings express a tone of encouragement for our daily journey with our faith, our relationships, and our walk with God. It's amazing what causes us to droop. Sometimes it's because we're carrying the wrong worries upon our shoulders.

If we're hauling things too heavy, or that are not healthy for us.... we droop! And, after a while we grow weak in our self esteem and overall purpose in life. In our first reading the prophet Isaiah says “I will set a sign among them.” In times of uncertainty we need not to droop, but to raise our eyes and to invite God's hand to lead us. For it is God's guidance that is ‘balm’ in our brokenness.... and that realigns our joints... and allows them move correctly, so that we can walk in truth and freedom.

It is this ‘truth and freedom’ that creates within our actions... a charitable stewardship.... that allow us to see and respond to the “Christ” within ourselves.. inviting us to love one another.

May this loving invitation from Jesus align our posture throughout these weeks of welcome! May we see and respond to the needs of those new to the Newman Center. May we also be good stewards of our continuing relationships formed in our university community thus allowing Christ to rise and to open the door to eternity for us. Amen!

### **INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC?**

Our Initiation Ministry is held on Sundays starting with the 11AM Mass followed by lunch and sessions that run until 2PM. To learn more visit [www.UACatholic.org/RCIA](http://www.UACatholic.org/RCIA) or reach out to Manny@UACatholic.org

### **ARE YOU CONFIRMED?**

Newman offers an eight-week program for adults 18 years and older on Tuesdays at 7PM starting September 20th.

To learn more visit [www.UACatholic.org/Confirmation](http://www.UACatholic.org/Confirmation) or reach out to Irene at Confirmation@UACatholic.org

### **UNDERGRAD SMALL GROUPS**

Torch Small Groups will begin in September and be held throughout the week led by our Torch Small Group Leaders. To sign-up visit [www.UACatholic.org/SmallGroups](http://www.UACatholic.org/SmallGroups)

## **CONGRATS TO OUR NEWEST CATHOLIC**

Greyson Elias, baptized in Christ on August 20th

### **YOUNG ADULT COMMUNITY**

The group meets on Thursdays at 6:30PM downstairs in Bishop Green Hall for anyone between the ages of 22 to 35. To get connected, email Kim & Lauren at YoungAdultLeaders@uacatholic.org or fill out [this form](#)

### **HELP NEEDED AT MASSES**

We are always in need of additional liturgical ministers at each of our Masses: Sacristans, Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, Ushers, and LiveStream Team Members. To sign up, please contact Nathan at NathanP@uacatholic.org or Sr. Lynn at srlynn@uacatholic.org for the steps to get started. Thanks for your consideration in serving.

### **MUSIC MINISTRY INFO NIGHT**

Monday, August 29th at 6PM in the church  
We are especially in need of more accompanists (piano or guitar) as well as vocalists for Masses, Adoration, retreats and other nights of prayer.

## **SAVE THE DATE**

### *Arizona Rosary Celebration*

Saturday, October 15, 2022  
St. Augustine Cathedral  
192 S. Stone Ave., Tucson AZ 85701

Most Reverend Edward J. Weisenburger  
Bishop of Tucson, Presiding  
Guest Speaker:

Reverend James Phalan, CSC, Holy Cross Family Ministries  
Holy Hour Celebration Friday, October 14, 2022  
Our Mother of Sorrows Catholic Church in Tucson  
Our Lady, Help of Persecuted Christians, Pray for Us.

Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus  
[www.AzRosary.net](http://www.AzRosary.net)



We acknowledge the People of the Land who have dwelt here since time immemorial and continue to live in this place today: Tohono O'odham, Sobaipuri O'odham, Pascua Yaqui and other Native Americans. We give thanks for the original stewards of this land, our ancestors, our elders and all Indigenous People.

## ARE YOU REGISTERED?

If you are new to our community or have moved, please fill out our online Newman Registration form at [www.UACatholic.org/Registration](http://www.UACatholic.org/Registration)

## SAVE THE DATES

### Welcome Back BBQ

Sunday August 21st at Noon

### Liturgical Minister Trainings

Saturday, August 27th at 10AM or

Tuesday, August 30th at 7:30PM

### Mass of the Holy Spirit

Sunday, September 11th at 11AM

Student Union Grand Ballroom

(This will be the only Newman Mass that day, we will still have a Saturday Vigil Mass)

## Fall Undergraduate Retreat at La Purísima Retreat Center

Saturday, September 16th to 18th



- ◆ Bring the freshness of spring into your marriage!
- ◆ Detox from the daily grind of life. Spend a weekend away with your spouse talking about what really matters.

◆ Sign up for an upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience on August 13-14 and Oct 1-2. To apply and for more information please go to [www.arizona.com](http://www.arizona.com)



## 2022 Annual Catholic Appeal

### Progress as of 8/12/22

32 donors - \$23,225 pledged of \$46,640 goal - 50%  
Fulfilled to date: \$21,785 or 47% of total goal

Donate Online at:

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

Select "St. Thomas More" as your parish



Funds raised by this campaign go to support Diocesan Seminarians, Jordan Ministry Team, Youth & Young Adult Ministries, and several Catholic Community Services programs such as the Kolbe Society prison outreach & St. Jeanne Jugan Ministry With Elders providing communion to nursing homes & other assisted living facilities

If you are financially able, please donate and list **St. Thomas More** as your parish so we can reach our annual goal

## STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

Today's Gospel discusses what it means to be a real disciple and live for Christ each day and in every aspect of life. This kind of life takes endurance, to return to the Lord all that has been given to us.

"For steadfast is his kindness toward us, and the fidelity of the LORD endures forever." PS 117:2

The faithful steward listens to the words of Jesus and strives to enter through the "narrow gate", the path that requires constant fidelity to God and His commandments of love. How is God calling me to greater fidelity? How am I living out the commandments?

## STEWARDSHIP FINANCIAL REPORT

August Online as of 8/12/22: \$8,172.69  
August 14th Envelopes: \$4486.50; Venmo: \$812  
August 7th Envelopes: \$2,053.53; Venmo: \$597

July ACH: \$3622 ; July Online: \$10,977.46  
July 31st Envelopes: \$1654.25; Venmo: \$897  
July 24th Envelopes: \$2268; Venmo: \$1748.71  
July 17th Envelopes: \$2,137; Venmo: \$1738.71  
July 10th Envelopes: \$3,572; Venmo: \$451.71  
July 3rd Envelopes: \$2593.70; Venmo: \$469  
Dominican Common Room Project: \$1150

June ACH: \$3622; June Online: \$10,755.02  
June 26th Envelopes: \$2301; Venmo: \$938  
June 19th Envelopes: \$2541.26; Venmo: \$1948.62  
June 12th Envelopes: \$4327; Venmo: \$653  
June 5th Envelopes: \$2,699.52; Venmo: \$644

Your contribution during the Offertory goes towards utilities, ministries, staff and residences for the Dominican Friars & Sisters so we can carry out our shared mission.

Parents of our university students, please consider supporting Newman as your son or daughter's parish-away-from-home.

Regular giving or recurring giving helps us be able to plan for future budgets. We invite you to prayerfully consider setting up monthly or weekly recurring donations through our Online Giving Program

Visit: [UACatholic.org/donate](http://UACatholic.org/donate)





# WELCOME EVENTS

### Welcome Back BBQ

SUNDAY, 8/21 AT NOON ON THE NEWMAN LAWN

### Newman Night for Undergrads Kick-off

WEDNESDAY, 8/24 AT 7PM DOWNSTAIRS  
DINNER AND MINISTRY FAIR

### Grad Students/Young Adults Kick-off

THURSDAY, 8/25 AT 7PM DOWNSTAIRS

### Music Ministry Night

MONDAY, 8/29 AT 6PM IN THE CHURCH

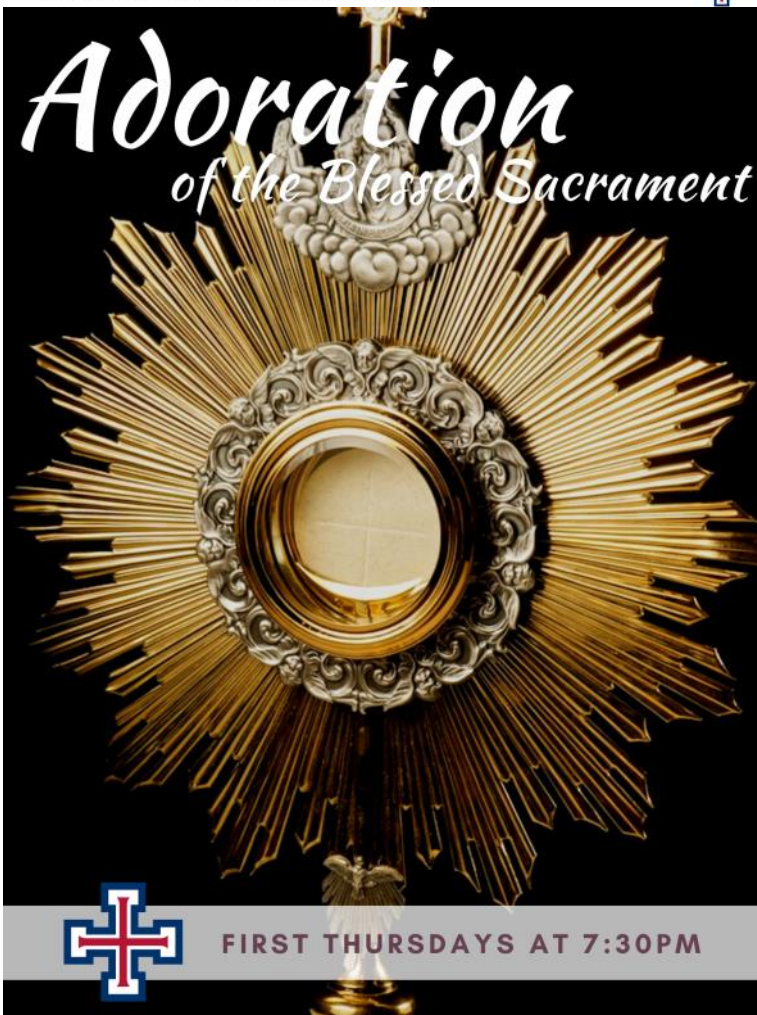
### Mass of the Holy Spirit

SUNDAY, 9/11 AT 11AM AT UA GRAND BALLROOM  
THIS WILL BE THE ONLY NEWMAN MASS THAT DAY!

### Fall Undergrad Retreat

SEPTEMBER 16TH-18TH AT LA PURISIMA

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## SAVE THE DATES

### ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Thursday, 9/1 at 7:30PM in the church

### LABOR DAY HIKE & MASS ON MT. LEMMON

Details to come from undergrad student ministers

### UNDERGRAD STUDENT MINISTRY COMMITTEES

Community Life

Faith Formation

Liturgy

Outreach

Social Justice

### GROUP MINISTRIES

Dominican Laity

Faith & Science Forum / Thomistic Institute

Knights of Columbus Council #16061

Resident Community Outreach

Torch Small Groups

Young Adult Community for

Grad Students/Young Professionals

### FAITH FORMATION/SACRAMENTAL PREP

Becoming Catholic: Initiation Ministry

Adult Confirmation

Marriage Preparation for Engaged Couples

Infant and Child Baptisms

### LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

Eucharistic Ministers at Mass & Homebound

Lectors

Live-Stream Team

Musicians: Instrumental and Vocal

Sacristans

Ushers

### PARISH COMMITTEES

Art/Environment Committee

Finance Council

Grounds Committee

Stewardship Committee

### COMMUNITY-BASED ADVOCACY GROUPS

Newman Foundation

Newman Sustaining Board

Register online to get linked up with our ministries and programs: [UACatholic.org/Registration](http://UACatholic.org/Registration)