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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 28, 2022

Twenty-Second 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



*Served by the Friars of the Western Dominican
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MASS INTENTIONS

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
8/27 5:15PM **Tim Olson**
8/28 9AM **Daniel Szymanski Jr**
11AM **Our Newman Community**
5PM **Donald & Loc West**

Monday: Passion of St. John the Baptist
8/29 5:15PM **NO DAILY MASS**
Tuesday: Weekday
8/30 5:15PM **Robert Lloyd Dominican Laity
Rite of Reception**
Wednesday: Weekday
8/31 5:15PM **Anabel Aguilar & Carlos Ordonez**
Thursday: World Day of Prayer Care of Creation
9/1 5:15PM **Gina Gaetos-Pai & Family**
Friday: Weekday
9/2 5:15PM **All Students**

*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

Our word for humility comes from a Latin word (humus) that means “the earth or the ground”. I love this image because it expresses that the truly humble person is a person who is deeply grounded.

In our first reading from the Book of Sirach it says “My child conduct your affairs with humility, and you will be loved more than a giver of gifts”.

The author of Sirach is inviting hearers to a posture of ‘deep listening’ to the lessons of life. Some wisdom human beings embrace with ease.... and other truths.... we wrestle and struggle with difficulty. Humility allows us not to lose the gift that comes from ‘properly struggling’ with a grounded mind and an open heart towards truth, freedom, and charity.

Jesus in today’s Gospel continues to teach his hearers about discipleship. Today he instructs them about what is the proper way to approach a community gathering. If our first motivation is only to think about ‘our needs’ then that is all we see.... and, we don’t remember that there are ‘others’ in the room who also have needs... and that ‘those hosting’ may have already provided them. Thus, the parable is ‘pointing out’ that if we take seats that are not ours... we may be “embarrassed” if asked to move. This parable is reminding us.... that a part of discipleship also involves ‘being aware’ enough to see and respond to the needs of others.

We can do this by asking “Where is my heart today? Or, in this moment? Is it grounded in the faith, hope, and love of God? Or, is it elsewhere? If elsewhere, let us breathe, and ground ourselves anew.... in the love and peace of God!

“For where your treasure is, there also your heart will be”
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 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 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

DOMINICAN LAITY

Join us Tuesday 8/30 at the 5:15PM Daily Mass for Robert Lloyd’s Rite of Reception into the Dominican Laity. Since its founding in 1216, the Order of Preachers has included Lay Dominicans are part of its wider mission to share the spirit of Truth & love of God with others. To learn more visit: www.oplaitywest.org

MUSIC MINISTRY INFO NIGHT

Monday, August 29th at 7PM 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.

YOUNG ADULT COMMUNITY

The group meets on Thursdays at 7PM 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.

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



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

SAVE THE DATES

Liturgical Minister Training: Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, Sacristans, Ushers & LiveStream Team

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

Signups are open at UACatholic.org/retreats



- ◆ 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.marizona.com



2022 Annual Catholic Appeal

Progress as of 8/25/22

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

Humility is simply the awareness of who (and Whose) we truly are, children of the Most High God who loved us into existence. Humility is remembering we are reliant on God who provides all that we need.

“For everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, but the one who humbles himself will be exalted”
Lk 14:10

As stewards, we are invited more deeply into a life of humility — recognizing that all we have is a gift from God and we are called to use those gifts to serve Him and others. How am I being challenged to develop my gifts more fully and embrace a life of service?

STEWARDSHIP FINANCIAL REPORT

August Online as of 8/27/22: \$10,581.03
August 21st Envelopes: \$3023; Venmo: \$1094
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



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

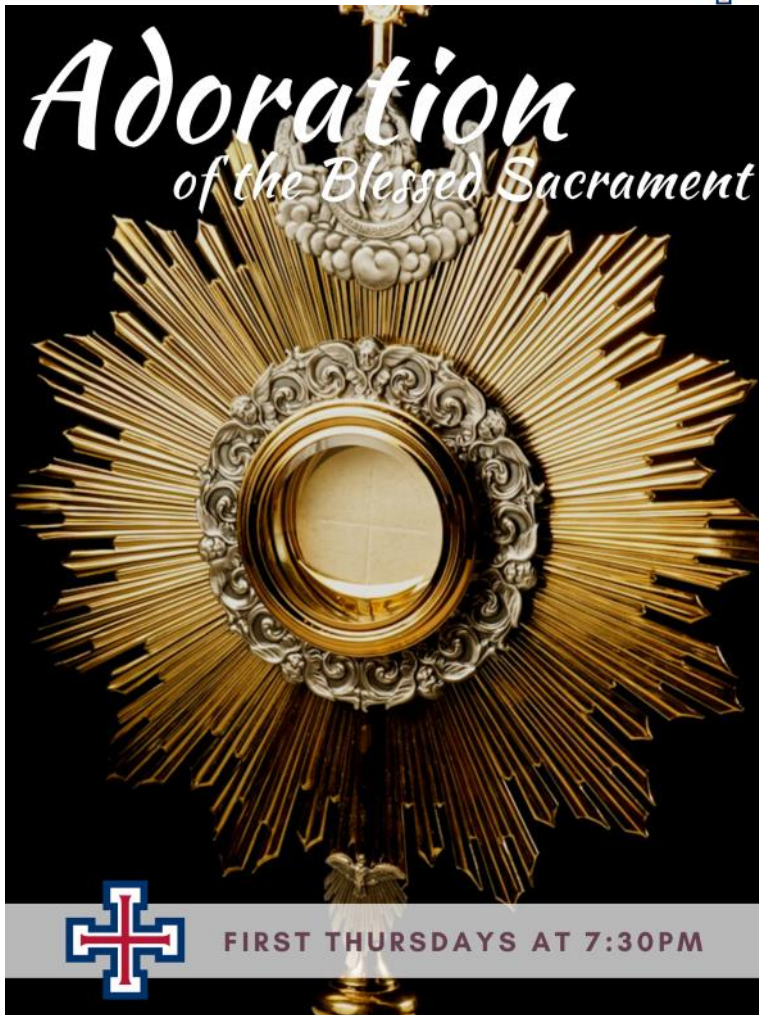
Mass of the Holy Spirit

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

Meet at 9:30 to carpool to Marshall Gulch Trailhead
sign-ups on the website

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 22-35yo

FAITH FORMATION/SACRAMENTAL PREP

Becoming Catholic: Initiation Ministry

Adult Confirmation

Marriage Preparation for Engaged Couples

Infant and Child Baptisms

Vocational Discernment

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