

# SAINT THOMAS MORE CATHOLIC NEWMAN CENTER

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& 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



September 18, 2022

Twenty-Fifth 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: Saturdays at 4PM and

by appointment. 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  
Province and Dominican Sisters of Oakford

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## MASS INTENTIONS

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9/17 5:15PM **Nona Arthur**

9/18 9AM **Marie Consuelo Ruelas+**  
11AM **Ernest Q. Lopez+**  
5PM **Our Newman Community**

Monday: St. Januarius

9/19 5:15PM **NO DAILY MASS**

Tuesday: St. Andrew Kim Tae-gon & martyrs

9/20 5:15PM **Lucy Baldon**

Wednesday: St. Matthew

9/21 5:15PM **Juan & Mary Lou Martinez++**

Thursday: Weekday

9/22 5:15PM **Molly Tylutki+**

Friday: St Pius of Pietrelcina

9/23 5:15PM **Francisco Garcia**

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

**O**ur readings speak of the importance of good stewardship. Today's Gospel, through wonderful story goes beyond to what might be considered proper stewardship to commend a dishonest steward for his clever behavior in securing his future.

The parables meaning points us to be clever, creative, and persistent, in treasuring the Kingdom of God which Christ has bestowed upon us.

I want to thank all who have made the last few weeks of WELCOME so special! Our Welcome Mass & BBQ, (hosted by the Ladies of the Sustaining Board) was a wonderful event, and many stayed and were satisfied. Thank you Ladies for your on going support and love of the Newman Center and its mission.

Our Ministry Fair & Our Mass of the Holy Spirit, Music Ministry, and Student Retreat, have all been such a wonderful success!

I would like to our Student Ministry Team and Torch Small Group Team for many hours of preparation, and joyful outreach - to both our incoming students, as well, as those returning for another year. I wish to thank Margaret Kish and Patrick Martin for countless hours of generosity as they serve us on our Stewardship and Finance Committees.

To my colleagues on the Pastoral Staff.... thank you for beautiful and well-ministered music, office coverage and joyful hospitality, sacramental formation and social justice awareness, prayerful reminders and the call to always be sharing the heart of Christ, for stellar administration, and the joyful coordination of many things - both seen and unseen, and for the honor to serve as your Pastor.

Finally, to our loyal residence community, for your ongoing support and faithful stewardship of the Newman Center and its mission "to be transformed through an encounter with the Spirit of Truth and the Love of God"

May we continue to share God's Blessings.... that many may flourish... and experience..... the love and peace of Christ. Amen!

### 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)

### A NOTE OF THANKS

Special thanks to Genevieve Gallardo for preparing the display board featuring recently-married couples at Newman. It's located near the Communal Book of Prayer in the church—check it out!

### 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 Sept 20th. To learn more visit [www.UACatholic.org/Confirmation](http://www.UACatholic.org/Confirmation) or reach out to Irene at Confirmation@UACatholic.org

### WEEKLY FOOD COLLECTIONS AT MASS

This is an ongoing community outreach project of the Newman Center and the University of Arizona Knights of Columbus Council 16061. All Newman Parishioners are invited to participate in our ongoing (yearly) food donations. Non-perishable food items only, please. Donation bins are located at all entrances of the chapel. The food donations will benefit Casa Maria, Pio Decimo, and Poverello House.

**Young Adult Community**  
**Service Night! Thursday, Sept. 22**  
**7:00-8:30 pm Green Hall**  
Dinner & Drinks will be provided  
**Help us make decorations for children at the hospital!**

**Saturday, Sept. 24**  
**6:30-8:00 pm Green Hall**  
Season 1 Finale of The Good Place  
with discussion to follow

**YAC Small Group Sessions**

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
6:30-7:30 pm	6:30-7:30 pm	6:00-7:00 pm
Curry Classroom	Green Hall	Curry Classroom
"Catholic Social Teaching"	"Women's Group"	"Faith Sharing"

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.

## GATHER THE PEOPLE; BREAK THE BREAD; TELL THE STORY.

Take 2 scrapbooks from the Newman Center. Place them side by side. One is a 1950-60s memory of the Newman Club created by students and including a picture of a young couple at a Newman 1960s dance. The other is a 2021-22 review of the Newman Center's people and activities created by Kiara Lane.

This UA art history major was inspired by the 70 year old memories hidden away in time. The most important memory, captured in a photo, was of her grandparents at a Newman Club dance, their first meeting. The John Lane and Jean Tonyan Lane marriage gave birth to children and grandchildren. Kiara Lane is one of those grandchildren! She was born and raised in Tucson, the eldest of 4 siblings, went to Ironwood Ridge High School and graduated in 2019. There is a Lane Legacy at Newman as her dad, David, also made Newman his "home."

Kiara's first encounter with Newman was at a Social Justice Committee meeting which scared her away for months, but that is another story. Her social anxiety in tow, she decided to try a virtual retreat in 2020 during the pandemic. It was a powerful experience and she credits Kerst Kingsbury for introducing her to "an amazing community." As a result, she calls Newman "home"-- a place "where I can be myself and be part of a loving community that I am so grateful for." Grandpa John died in 2021, but he always remembered that first meeting with Jean, in a red dress, at the Newman Club dance. Ask Kiara to share those two scrapbooks with you! Coming Soon. . . tell your story!



**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



- ◆ 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.mearizona.com](http://www.mearizona.com)



### 2022 Annual Catholic Appeal Progress as of 9/2/22

32 donors - \$23,225 pledged of \$46,640 goal - 50%  
Fulfilled to date: \$22,145 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

### ST THOMAS MORE SOCIETY RED MASS

Most Reverend Edward J. Weisenburger will celebrate the Annual Red Mass on Wednesday October 12, 2022 at 5:30 p.m. at St. Augustine Cathedral. This annual tradition of holding a Mass for judges, attorneys, law school professors, and others working in the legal profession, dates to the opening of parliament in 13th century England. During the Mass, we pray for guidance from the Holy Spirit for all who seek justice, and we focus on the God-given power and responsibility of all those working in the legal profession.

#### How to report abuse

1. Call 911 to make a police report
2. If the abuse happened in any other state, call the Police or Sheriffs Office in the specific area of that state
3. Call the Victim Assistance Program of the Diocese of Tucson 1.800.234.0344 and/or the Office of Child, Adolescent and Adult Protection at 520.838.2513

## STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

In our Gospel passage from Luke, the Lord shows us how to bridge the gap between worldly thinking and priorities and eternal thinking and priorities. Jesus tells the parable of the corrupt but clever steward who is about to get fired when the master discovers the steward has been squandering his property. Realizing his imminent unemployed status, the clever steward reaches out to the various debtors of his master to wheel and deal with them, making friends who would look out for him when he became jobless.

What if we put that kind of effort into our own tasks as good stewards of all God's gifts to us? Into our ministries, into the ways we could make more time for prayer as individuals, as couples, as families, and as a parish? What if we got as creative as the "bad steward" in the use of our finances so that we could give more generously to the poor and the advancement of God's kingdom on the earth?

That's our lesson and our challenge.

### STEWARDSHIP FINANCIAL REPORT

September Online as of 9/10: \$7996.42

September 11th: Envelopes: \$2029.03; Venmo: \$494

September 4th: Envelopes: \$2869.07; Venmo: \$661.71

Dominican Common Room Project: \$100

August ACH: \$3722 ; August Online: \$11,681.05

August 28th Envelopes: \$2812.75; Venmo: \$344

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

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)

## SAVE THE DATES

### SUSTAINING BOARD STUDENT DINNER

Sunday, 9/25 at 6PM downstairs - all are welcome

### ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Thursday, 10/6 at 7:30PM in the church  
and following First Thursdays

### 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 & Sound Technicians

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)