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

2023-2024 Theme: Jesus said: "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength" and "You shall love your neighbor as yourself." - Mark 12:30-31



April 14, 2024

SCHEDULE

Weekend Masses

Sunday 9AM, 11AM & 5PM Saturday Vigil 5:15PM

Sunday Mass Online

11AM MST LiveStreamed through Facebook and YouTube

Weekday Masses

Tuesday to Friday 5:15PM

Liturgy of the Hours

Tuesday to Friday Morning Prayer (Lauds) 8:30AM Evening Prayer (Vespers) 5:00PM

Reconciliation: Saturdays at 4PM or by appointment with a priest

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Tues-Fri 8:45AM Holy Hour Next Monthly: April 4th at 7:30PM

Office Hours

Monday to Friday 9AM to 4:45PM

We are open for prayer, study & community weekdays from 8AM-9PM

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Third Sunday of Easter

MASS INTENTIONS

Third Sunday of Easter

4/13 5:15PM Fr. Tom, ASU & UA Community Reunion

4/14 9:00AM John Lowry + 11:00AM Our Newman Community 5:00PM Mario Maza +

Monday: Easter Weekday 4/15 5:15PM NO DAILY MASS Tuesday: Easter Weekday

4/16 5:15PM Alfonso Montaño +

Wednesday: Bl. Clara Gambacorta, nun &widow

4/17 5:15PM Mary Silva + Thursday: Easter Weekday

4/18 5:15 PM Adrian René Terrazas + Friday: Bl. Isnard of Chiampo, friar & priest

4/19 5:15PM Manny Barco +

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











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Fr. John Paul's Spiritual Brew

eace be with you" is the powerful phase and echo that we hear throughout the Easter Season. It's Christ's invitation to his followers is to allow.... the 'healing balm' of 'resurrected love' to remain 'in them' as his disciples.

Peace be with you...., in, around, and through... everything that we do... is that 'musical 'beat' which Christ wants to get into our 'hearts, minds, souls and strength. He wants it to permeate... 'light and deep healing' to all areas of our lives!

It is an Easter peace... that 'heals' the broken hearted; gives 'sight' to blind, 'frees' those "tombed in" by lack of opportunity, community, friendship, and soul.

It is a peace.... that invites us.... to rise from ghosting and "casting shade" on true communication and human connection..... Especially, in our relationships with one another..... whether these be: causal associations, good friendships, romantic relationships, family ties....., or professional connections through work, church, or wider life!

In today's Gospel Jesus returns again post his first resurrection appearance - to his disciples - in the upper room!

He once again expresses "Easter peace" and invites his followers beyond their fear of seeing and experiencing his Risen Glory - as something scary, confusing and distant..., But, instead- as something - to be anointed with, and, rubbed in.... In order - to be strengthened and healed.... for navigating and living their lives.

He eats in their company, so that they can SEE and "remember" that this is truly "him" their teacher, friend, and Lord... WHO really walked and 'physically accompanied' them in the flesh.. He calls them/and US -by name..... and, "exorcises" from them/us..... all that is lazy, wrathful, paralyzed by fear and paranoia, deeply cynical, resentful, detached, confused, controlling, insecure, or indifferent!

All this - Christ - casts out, by saying "peace be with you! Jesus invites you and me - to this same "table fellowship" every time we share the Eucharist at mass.

May we have the courage to "look beyond the bread we eat, to see our savior and Lord, to look beyond the cup we drink, to see his life poured out as blood"

Let us continue to walk in the "Glory" of Easter Peace, and to allow its wonderful effects... to anoint, raise and renew ourselves and all that is around us! Alleluia

As mentioned last weekend we have the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick - available today at 9AM & 5PM Masses for those who are suffering from any serious maladies body or mind. In this Sacrament the Church believes that Christ is "truly present" anointing, healing and accompanying" those who suffer from maladies of body, mind, and spirit.

For some this may mean a terminal illness, for others this may mean a mental health illness or challenge - which affects their ability to heal and lead a full life. We invite those who wish to come forward - to form two lines - as if coming forward for communion. The priest will briefly lay hands upon you head and pray silently; he will then anoint your head and your the palms of your hands. Your response is AMEN!

THIS WEEK AT NEWMAN

- ◆ Anointing of the Sick Sunday 4/14 9AM & 5PM Masses
- ◆ Parents of Young Children Meetup Sunday 4/14 10AM
- ◆ Thomistic Institute Reading Group Mondays 6PM
- ◆ Social Justice Committee Tuesdays NOON
- ◆ Faith Formation Committee Tuesdays 3:45PM
- ◆ Young Adult Community (22-35yo) Tuesdays 7PM
- ◆ Community Life Committee Wednesday 1PM
- ◆ Liturgy Committee Wednesdays 3PM
- ◆ Newman Night for Undergrads Wednesdays 7PM
- ◆ Rosary Under the Stars Thursdays 6:30PM, courtyard west of Steward Observatory
- ♦ Thomistic Institute Lecture "Source and Summit: How the Eucharist Makes Us Holy 4/18 7:30PM
- ◆ Outreach Committee Fridays 4:30PM
- ◆ SMT Overnight Retreat 4/19 at Picture Rocks
- ◆ Game Night Fridays 7PM downstairs
- ◆ Dominican Laity Chapter Mtg 4/21 2:30PM

View all of our events at www.UACatholic.org/calendar

CONGRATS TO OUR NEWEST CATHOLIC

Harper Charlie Demers, Baptized in Christ 4/13/24



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.

PARENTS OF YOUNG CHILDREN

Young families with children (0-5) have formed a faith sharing group to support the spiritual life of parents in this unique time of life. Our next gathering is **Sunday, April 14th at 10AM** in the Curry Classroom. For more information contact Sr. Mary Elizabeth at 520-327-4665 or srmaryelizabeth@uacatholic.org

ROSARY SUNDAY APPEAL FOR DOMINICANS

Thanks again to Fr. John Winkowitsch OP for wonderful preaching about each of our vocations to Love with the Love of God. If you weren't able to take an envelope home for the Rosary Sunday Appeal to support formation of the Western Dominican Province friars, please visit

raisedonors.com/opwest/donate

SAVE THE DATES

Praise & Worship Adoration

Wednesday, April 24th 7:30PM—all are welcome!

Volunteer Appreciation Mass & Reception
Saturday, April 27th 5:15PM featuring Las Azaleas
Please RSVP with Manny@UACatholic.org

Spring Confirmation Mass with Bishop Weisenburger Sunday, April 28th 11AM

S.M.I.L.E. 2024 (Student Ministry's Incredibly Large Event)
Wednesday, May 1st 7PM—Newman Family Feud
Formal Attire Suggested

2024 Annual Catholic Appeal Progress as of 3/30/24

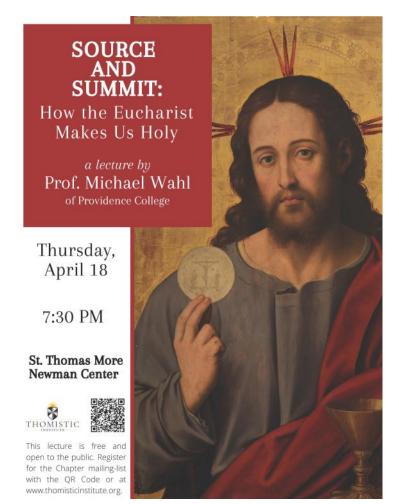
29 donors - \$23,535 pledged of \$46,640 goal - 50% Fulfilled to date: \$20,055 or 43% of total goal

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, 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

Please donate and list **St. Thomas More** as your parish so we can reach our annual goal. Envelopes are at the exits



EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

The Diocese of Tucson is looking for a Chief Financial Officer, a Property Director, and a Finance Controller. Each of these positions offers an opportunity for the successful candidate who wants to contribute to the mission of the Church. These ministerial employment positions are crucial for the day-to-day operations of the Diocese as well as strategic planning and major projects. Successful candidates have 10+ years of work experience, along with formal education supporting their expertise. Detailed job descriptions, along with information on the application process, is found on the Diocese of Tucson website

https://diocesetucson.org/Apply/Employment



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How to report abuse

- . 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



- ♦ Love is in the air! No matter how long you have been married, you can still have romance in your marriage.
- ♦ The Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience gives you the tools to keep your marriage alive & vibrant
- ♦ Sign up for an upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience on April 6-7. 2024
- ♦ Early registration is highly recommended. For more information visit the website at: www.wwme.org



FIND US READY LORD! DAY OF REVIVAL

SATURDAY - APRIL 20, 2024 9:00 am - 9:00 pm

St Francis de Sales Catholic Church Gymnasium 1375 South Camino Seco, Tucson

You are invited to join men and women throughout the diocese for this exceptional conference which will include teaching from internationally known speakers & authors, times of praise & worship, mass, adoration, and a healing service! This day promises to be a life changing experience of spirit filled evangelization!

For schedule information, speaker biographies, and to register visit www.vineofgrace.org or call 520.631.1408.

CASA ALITAS OUTREACH OPPORTUNITY

Casa Alitas needs community support to serve migrant individuals and families fleeing their home countries to escape violence and poverty. The individuals served by Casa Alitas have been granted humanitarian parole by Immigration and Customs Enforcement, and they are allowed to remain in the U.S. to await their asylum court date. The stop-over at Casa Alitas is a brief respite en route to their final destinations with family or sponsors.

Casa Alitas is largely volunteer-run. If you are interested in community service, the Newman Center leads volunteers on the 1st Thursday and other times monthly. Volunteers create a safe and welcoming space for guests. Opportunities include guest intake, food service, clothing donation room, laundry and linen support, arts and activities for children, travel planning, and airport escort.

We encourage you to reflect on how you can serve our community to help others. Please consider signing up to volunteer at a time that fits your schedule. To sign up or for questions, please contact Michele Brubaker at brubakermm9@gmail.com, (520) 906-1663.

WEEKLY FOOD COLLECTIONS AT MASS

Non-perishable food items only, please. Donation bins are located at all entrances of the chapel. Donations will benefit Casa Maria, Pio Decimo, and Poverello House.

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

The Gospel today reminds us that when we come to know the Resurrected Christ, we become his witness of His transforming peace.

"O Lord let the light of your countenance shine upon us. You put gladness into my heart!" Ps 4:8

Stewardship calls us to live the Resurrection, allowing the mystery to affect our minds and hearts, transforming how we live. How are you bringing our Risen Christ's Easter gift of peace into the lives of others?

STEWARDSHIP FINANCIAL REPORT

Fiscal Year Progress: 7/1/23 to 4/12/24: Offertory Budget: \$335,905.33; Actual: \$349,881.94 Difference \$13,976.61 divided by 41 weekends \$340.89

> April Online as of 4/12: \$5,840.24 April 7 Envelopes: \$2254; Venmo: \$869.10

March Online: \$10,666.15; Bank Transfers: \$4,052 March 31 Envelopes: \$10,258.30; Venmo: \$3,566 Good Friday Holy Land Collection: \$501; Venmo \$2 Holy Thursday: \$534; Venmo \$337

March 24 Envelopes: \$4,416.50; Venmo: \$1,060.75 March 17 Envelopes: \$3,231; Venmo: \$961.15 Rosary Sunday 2nd Collection: \$368 March 10 Envelopes: \$3,986.72; Venmo: \$1,081 March 3 Envelopes: \$3,354.78; Venmo: \$831 Kitchen/Downstairs Donations: \$13,709.71

Your contribution during the Offertory goes towards utilities, ministries, staff and residences for the 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.



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