

# 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**

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



**September 1, 2024**

**Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**

## 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: May 2nd at 7:30PM

### Office Hours

Monday to Friday 9AM to 4:45PM

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

## NEWMAN CENTER STAFF



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## MASS INTENTIONS

### Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

9/1 5:15PM **Mary Lopez +**  
9/2 9:00AM **Jon & Lupita Callahan**  
11:00AM **Cardenas Family**  
5:00PM **Our Newman Community**

Monday: Labor day

9/3 5:15PM **NO DAILY MASS**

Tuesday: St. Gregory the Great, Pope & Doctor  
of the Church

9/4 5:15PM **Mercedes Hernandez & Family**

Wednesday: Anniversary of Deceased Friends  
and Dominican Benefactors

9/5 5:15PM **Anthony Bengé**

Thursday: Bl. Bertrand of Garrigue, Friar &  
Bishop

9/6 5:15PM **Daniel Ochoa**

Friday: Weekday

9/7 5:15PM **Herman Bodewes +**

*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](#)

## Fr. John Paul's Spiritual Brew

It is not that which comes from the outside, that defiles, but that which comes from within".  
These powerful words of Jesus from today's Gospel - speak powerfully... to what can happen... when we fail to connect our values with our actions.

Why do values exist? They exist to guide and lift to us from the mire of disease that can sometimes taint our ideals, life choices, and human experience. Ideals and values remind and-light the way-before us to what is true and good; And, then they invite our participation. Values and Ideals cannot be truly successful without allowing their truths and benefits, to connect with the fire of our souls, and to help us 'rise' ..... renewed and changed by their graces. .

Jesus sternly warns the religious leaders of his time-to not dispense themselves from the spirit/truth of the law, in favor of mindless observance, and, with no openness to the 'conversion' that it requires.

We must pray for our leaders, especially for our Holy Father, Bishops, Political leaders, and anyone who has a role of authority to exercise..... Their responsibility is great..... and, soul breaking to others if they do not take their responsibility seriously. A Shepherd has a huge responsibility... that leaves 'no room' for a lack of proper care for others, as well, as for the leader themselves.

Jesus invites us all to a deep reflection into the health and healing of our interior self. No one is exempt from this inner journey.

May the Spirit of the Lord which is upon us... continue to anoint us with that healing balm that removes all that is contrary to Christ's love, truth, and peace. Amen!



## INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC?

We will be hosting two Q&A sessions. Come and ask your questions – no commitment necessary! **Thursdays, September 5 and September 12 at 7pm in Curry Classroom.**

For more info, contact Margaret at [mkishaz@aol.com](mailto:mkishaz@aol.com)  
Or call the office at (520) 327-4665.

If you already know that you would like to take the next step in becoming Catholic, please fill out the application at:  
[UACatholic.org/Sacraments/RCIA](http://UACatholic.org/Sacraments/RCIA)

## THIS WEEK AT NEWMAN

- ◆ **Undergrad Labor Day Hike & Lunch**, Monday, September 2. Meet at Newman 9:00am.
- ◆ **Social Justice Committee**, Tuesday at 12:00pm.
- ◆ **Liturgy Committee**, Tuesday at 2:15pm.
- ◆ **Young Adult Community**, Tuesday at 7:00pm.
- ◆ **Outreach Committee**, Wednesday at 8:50am.
- ◆ **Undergrad Newman Night**, Wednesday at 7:00pm Green Hall.
- ◆ **Community Life Committee**, Thursday, 2:00pm.
- ◆ **RCIA Information Night, Q&A**, Thursday, September 5 at 7:00pm.
- ◆ **1st Thursday Adoration**, September 5 at 7:30pm.
- ◆ **Faith Formation Committee**, Friday at 1:00pm.
- ◆ **Newman Game Night**, Friday at 7:00pm.
- ◆ **Liturgical Ministers Training**, Saturday, September 7 at 10:00am.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ◆ **Music Info Night**, Monday, September 9 at 7:00pm.
- ◆ **Young Adult Men's Bible Studies**, Monday, September 9 at 7:00pm.
- ◆ **RCIA Information Night**, Thursday, September 12 at 7:00pm.
- ◆ **Liturgical Ministers Training**, Thursday, September 12 at 7:00pm.
- ◆ **Freshman Mini-Retreat**, Saturday, September 14 at 10:00am.

View all of our events at [www.UACatholic.org/calendar](http://www.UACatholic.org/calendar)

## The Call to Volunteer

"You are the salt of the earth."  
"You are the light of the word."

We are called in two ways: to be the salt of the earth—to provide the flavor of life to others—and to be the light of the world to be like Christ, to radiate God's love to others.

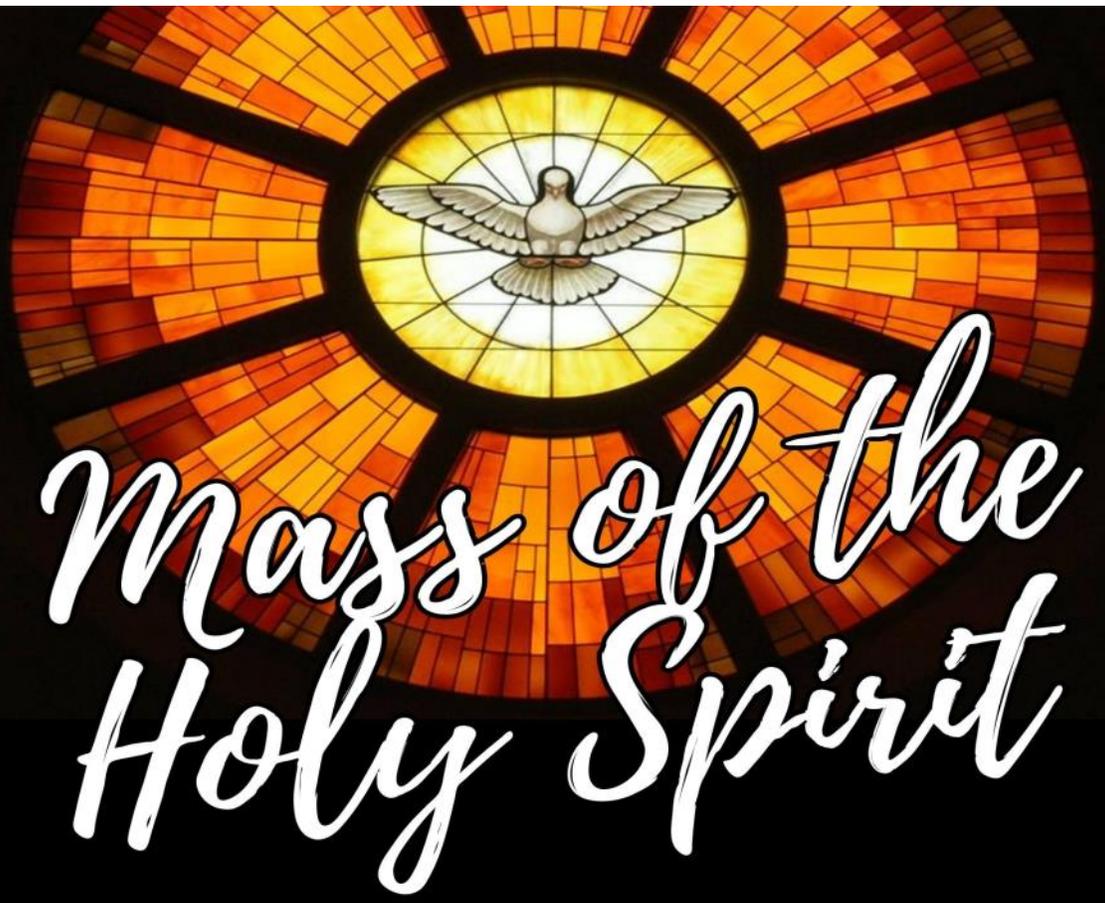
And as Catholics, we accept the gifts of grace and faith bestowed on us, but we also know that our faith must be demonstrated through our works (James 2:18).

And through our actions, we can salt, and can illuminate through the work of our hands, our presence, and our voices.

In fact, our actions are well-invested in our own communities just as much as beyond our communities.

At Newman, we looking for your help, time, and gifts. We need observant people, enthusiastic people, and thoughtful people to be in our ministries of lecturing, greeting, EMing, and sacristaning.

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.



# Mass of the Holy Spirit

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 22TH AT 11AM  
UA STUDENT UNION GRAND BALLROOM  
2ND FLOOR - PARKING AT 2ND ST GARAGE

WEAR RED - RECEPTION TO FOLLOW

THIS WILL BE THE ONLY NEWMAN MASS THAT DAY!

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**UNDERGRAD**  
**Labor Day**  
**Hike & Lunch**  
Monday,  
September 2nd  
9:00am

*New*  *outlook*

Diocese of Tucson Online News

Visit: <https://news.diocesetucson.org/subscribe>

#### 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 Sheriff's 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



# SHE SOARS

Young Adult Women's Bible Study

First and Third Mondays at 7pm in the  
Curry Classroom

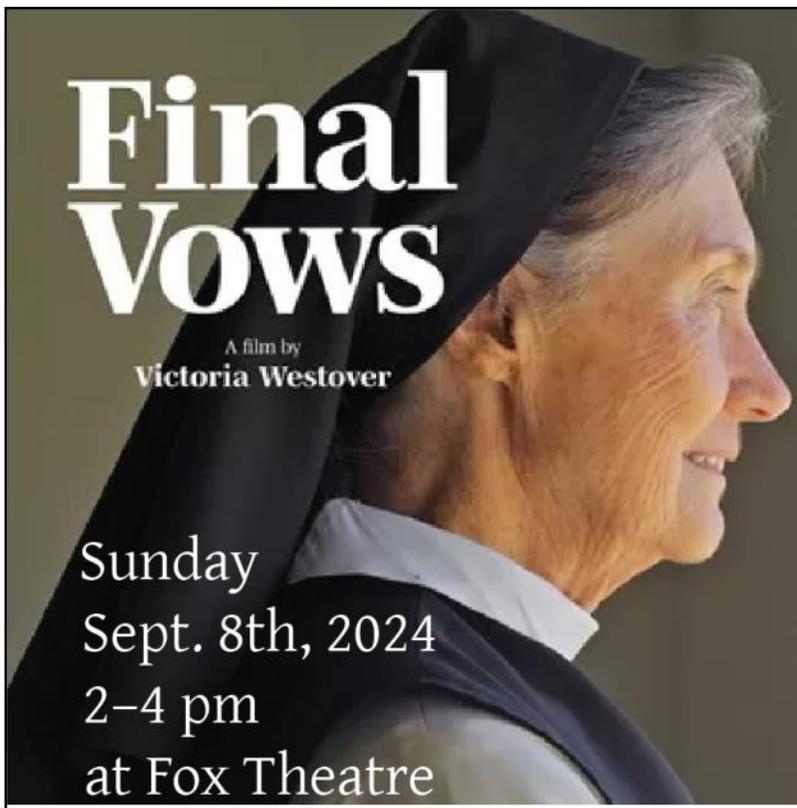
Contact Stephanie (502)-558-4585 or Sofia (626)-665-2464 with questions



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SMALL GROUP  
BIBLE STUDIES

Connect with others & encounter  
the Word of God in our lives!

Scan or visit  
[uacatholic.org/  
smallgroups](http://uacatholic.org/smallgroups)

# Final Vows

A film by  
Victoria Westover

Sunday  
Sept. 8th, 2024  
2-4 pm  
at Fox Theatre

## Final Vows

*Final Vows* chronicles the life of a cloistered order of nuns at Santa Rita Abbey, a Cistercian monastery in the high desert of Arizona. The nuns, who take a vow that binds them to the community they entered for life, candidly share their joys and struggles. Made from small moments of daily life, the film serves as a mediation on aging and caring for others and asks viewers to consider if this lifestyle offers any wisdom for our society.

Tickets \$10 available at [foxtucson.com](http://foxtucson.com)

To contact the filmmaker or for more information about the film:  
[finalvowsfilm.com](http://finalvowsfilm.com)

## STEWARDSHIP FINANCIAL REPORT

### Weekend Offertory:

August 25th. Envelopes: \$3,327.07  
August 18th. Envelopes: \$3,923.86  
August 11th. Envelopes: \$2,832.43  
August 4th. Envelopes: \$3,113.50

Total contributions from Venmo for the month of August as of August 30th is \$4,738.00

Total contributions from WeShare for the month of August as of August 30th is \$4,397.89

Total contributions from Breeze for the month of August as of August 30th is \$7,073.39

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. Recurring giving is available through our online platform Breeze



View all giving options at: [www.UACatholic.org/donate](http://www.UACatholic.org/donate)