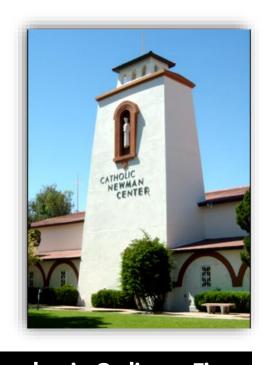
# SAINT THOMAS MORE CATHOLIC NEWMAN CENTER

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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 15, 2024

#### SCHEDULE

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

Sunday Mass Online 11AM MST LiveStreamed through <u>Facebook</u> and <u>YouTube</u>

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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# Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

Twenty Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9/14 5:15PM Donna McWilliams 9/15 9:00AM Victor & Patricia Hruby 11:00AM Barbara Hennessey + 5:00PM Our Newman Community

Monday: Sts. Cornelius, Pope & Cyprian, Bishop 9/16 5:15PM NO DAILY MASS Tuesday: St. Robert Bellarmine, Bishop St. Hildegard of Bingen, Virgin & Doctor of the Church 9/17 5:15PM Kevin Vendryes Wednesday: St. Juan Macias, OP, Friar 9/18 5:15PM Todd Faulker Thursday Bl. Pio Alberto del Corona, OP, Friar 9/19 5:15PM Frank Figueroa + Friday: St. Andrew Kim Tae-gon & Companion Martyrs 9/20 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



## **User ID: UACATHOLIC**

#### Fr. John Paul's Spiritual Brew

he older I get the more I feel the need to eliminate unnecessary drama from my life. I believe that life's too short to sweat the small stuff!

That being said, I'm not suggesting that we ignore important smaller matters in our lives that are necessary for good communication and healthy living... these are: prayer, rest, friendship, good company, good self care and stewardship of our mental health is required if we are to have the ability to hear and discern God's voice speaking and guiding our life.

In today's Gospel Jesus asks "who do others, and you say that I am? Peter who normally might not think before speaking says..... "you are the Christ! He doesn't sweat the small stuff in that moment. Later when Christ describes his wider mission... Peter does. True discipleship means "taking up our cross daily... and being willing to lose our life (and bad ego) daily.

This means discovering what blocks, hinders, and confuses true prayer which is meant to brings us into closer relationship with God, in Christ, through the Holy Spirit. When this is happening... we are breathing in God's life, Christ's friendship, and the Holy Spirit's accompaniment. This is "who" God is... Life, Love, Mercy, Truth, Hope, and Peace... and more than we can think or imagine!

It is this grace in life that allows us not to split "faith and works" but to see them as absolutely necessary for following and participating in ministry of Jesus the Christ!

When this grace finds a home in us.... we can "Love our enemies, do good, and expect nothing in return! Amen!

## **INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC?**

We will be hosting two Q&A sessions. Come and ask your questions - no commitment necessary! **Thursdays at 7:00pm**.

For more info, contact Margaret at <u>mkishaz@aol.com</u> Or Sr. Lynn at srlynn@uacatholic.org. You can also 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: <u>UACatholic.org/Sacraments/RCIA</u>

# THIS WEEK AT NEWMAN

- Young Adult Women Bible Studies, Monday, September 16 at 7:00pm.
- Social Justice Committee, Tuesday at 12:00pm.
- Liturgy Committee, Tuesday at 2:15pm.
- Young Adult Community, The Jesus Prayer, Tuesday at 7:00pm.
- Undergrad Newman Night, Wednesday at 7:00pm.
- Community Life Committee, Thursday, 2:00pm.
- **RCIA Session**, Thursday, September 19 at 7:00pm.
- Lumen Series-Can We Prove the Existence of God?, Thursday, September 19 at 7:30pm.
- Faith Formation Committee, Friday at 1:00pm.
- Newman Game Night, Friday at 7:00pm.
- Music Leaders Team Meeting, Saturday, September 21 at 10:00am

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- Mass of the Holy Spirit, Sunday, September 22 at 11:00am, UA Student Union Grand Ballroom. This will be the only Mass on Sunday.
- Confirmation, Tuesday, September 24 at 7:30pm
- Young Adult Men & Women Bible Studies, Monday, September 23 at 7:00pm.
- Baptism Prep Class, Saturday, September 28 at 4:00pm
- Sustaining Board Student Dinner, Sunday, September 29 at 6:00pm.
- Young Adult Mt. Lemon Hike, Saturday, October 5. Meet at Newman 7:30am
- Undergrad Retreat, October 11-13, Hereford, AZ

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

#### The Call to Volunteer

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

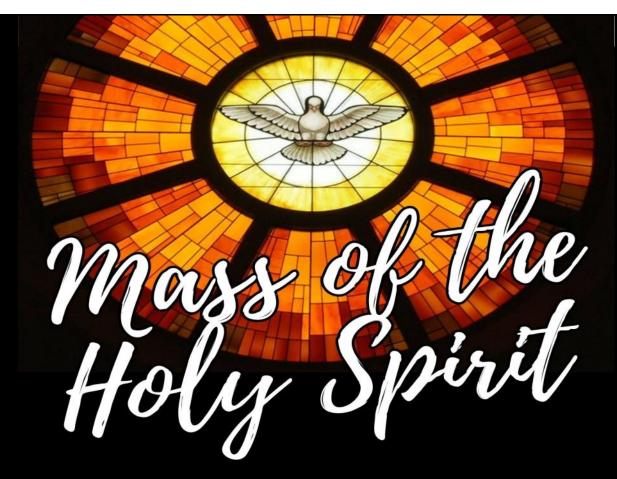
We are called in two ways: to be the salt of the earth—to provide the flavor of life to others—and to be the light of the world to be like Christ, to radiate God's love to others.

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

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.



SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 22ND 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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Connect with others & encounter the Word of God in our lives!

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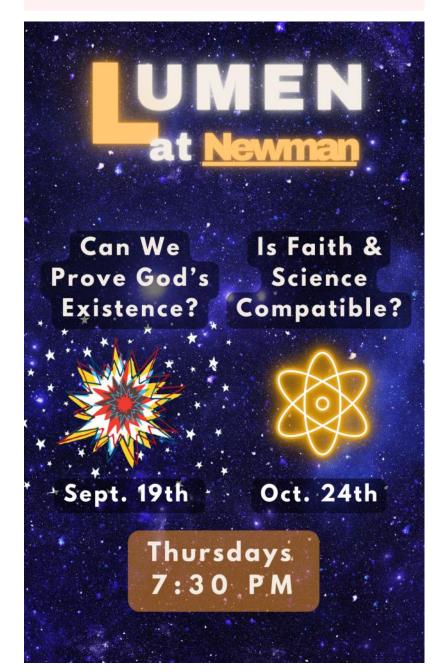
#### How to report abuse

- 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



First and Third Mondays at 7pm in the Curry Classroom

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





SECOND & FOURTH MONDAYS CURRY CLASSROOM @ 7:00 PM





INTERESTED? CONTACT:

JOSEPH: (520) 861-8876 DANNY: (480) 580-3063

FRIENDS - FOOD - FAITH SIGN UP TODAY!

#### **STEWARDSHIP FINANCIAL REPORT**

#### Weekend Offertory:

September 9th. Envelopes: \$2,505.24 September 1st. Envelopes: \$2,929.34 August 25th. Envelopes: \$3,327.07 August 18th. Envelopes: \$3,923.86

Total contributions from Venmo for the month of September as of September 13th is \$2,287.00

Total contributions from WeShare for the month of September as of September 13th is \$3,073.68

Total contributions from Breeze for the month of September as of September 13th is \$3,724.69

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