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

2024-2025 Theme:

"Love your enemies, do good and expect nothing in return." Luke 6:27



October 13, 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-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASS INTENTIONS

Twenty Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

10/12 5:15PMOur Newman Community10/13 9:00AMZachary Soloman Greenberg +11:00AMCarolyn Vieira +5:00PMFrank Albert & Family

Monday: St. Callistus, Pope & Martyr 10/14 5:15PM NO DAILY MASS Tuesday: St. Teresa of Jesus, Virgin & Doctor of the Church 10/15 5:15PM Teresa Bernal Wednesday: St. Hedwig, Religious St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, virgin 10/16 5:15PM Wilmur Family Thursday: St. Ignatius of Antioch 10/17 5:15PM Amelia Mejia + Friday: St. Luke, Evangelist 10/18 5:15PM Alfred Oliver +

Mass Intentions can be requested for Memorials, Birthdays, Anniversaries, Healing/Recovery or Special Intentions by calling the office. \$10 is the suggested donation

<u>Link to the Readings at Mass</u> <u>Guide to the responses during Mass</u> Liturgy of the Hours via the <u>iBreviary App</u>





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Dear Newman Community,

Please pray for the undergrad students on retreat this weekend. The retreat is held a La Purisima Catholic Retreat Center at a shrine built to the honor of the Blessed Virgin Mary. It is a great pilgrim destination just 30 min south of Sierra Vista. Many pilgrims come there from Mexico.

Here is a picture of the Young Adult Community at La Purisima previously. You can see the beautiful mountains in the Coronado national Forest and in your look closely is the Shrine to Our Lady.



This year pray for a record number of students attending. God bless Mr. Benton, the father of Jaime and John Benton, who is cooking. In the spring a team of our parishioner's cooks.

We are grateful for the growth at the Newman Center. Here is a picture from the first year Fr. John Paul going with a group. We are thankful for the student ministers who continually invited their friends until we have this weekend going 70 students. We will share pictures next week.

The Lord's blessings,

Fr. Emmanuel





ST. THOMAS MORE CATHOLIC NEWMAN CENTER Pre-Campaign Study: Frequently Asked Questions

1. What is a pre-campaign study?

A pre-campaign study is a thorough and detailed assessment of a parish community's willingness and capacity to move forward with a capital fundraising endeavor.

2. Why do we need a pre-campaign study?

It is imperative for any parish that wishes to have a capital campaign to raise funds for major capital improvements to conduct a feasibility study to determine if parishioners are willing and able to support it. The final report will be used to validate the proposed projects and legitimize the effort amongst our parish community.

3. What types of questions are asked?

Ultimately, the pre-campaign study tells us who we are as a parish. Topics will include the strengths and weaknesses of the parish and its leadership, receptivity toward the proposed projects, willingness to make a pledge commitment, and willingness to volunteer for the campaign.

4. Who participates in the pre-campaign study?

EVERY parish family will be given a chance to participate. Some families will be asked to participate in one-on-one interviews or a focus group, and ALL families will be asked to complete a survey available both electronically and in-pew.

5. Why are some families asked to interview?

Families that have been parishioners for a long period of time or are actively involved in ministries are asked to interview because they are generally able to provide thorough and detailed information about parish history, current parish issues, and are usually able to properly evaluate necessary leadership potential in a capital campaign.

6. Who is conducting the pre-campaign study?

Ruotolo Associates, a philanthropic consulting firm based in Ridgewood, NJ, with over 45 years of experience working with Catholic organizations, has been retained to conduct the study. We determined that Ruotolo Associates' methodology best matched the needs of our parish community.

7. How long will the pre-campaign study take, and will we see the results?

The study will be conducted in October. After the final report is presented to the leadership, key highlights will be shared with an update on the status of the capital campaign.

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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.

Fr. John Paul's Spiritual Brew

6 Good Teacher what must I do to inherit everlasting life." This remains one of my favorite Gospel stories. The eagerness of this young person and Jesus's loving engagement with him is so beautiful!

We want to love God and serve him with everything..... But, sometimes we don't realize that loving him with "everything" means letting go of control! We can sometimes desire to serve Christ according to our own expectations and criteria. When Jesus looks at this young person with love and says:

"You are lacking in one thing. Go, sell what you have, and give to the poor and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me."

At that statement his face fell, and he went away sad, for he had many possessions." He can't let go because he's afraid. Is this ever true for us? We want to follow, but we're afraid to allow Christ into that deep part of ourselves that we control. If we want to fly to the heights of love and fulfillment.... we need to 'practice putting down' our burdens, and to embrace the soulful adventure of following Christ. "For with God all things are possible"

Amen. Alleluia

Is Faith & Science Compatible? Fr. David Brown

Oct. 24th

Thursdays

7:30 PM

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<u>THIS WEEK AT</u> <u>NEWMAN</u>

- Young Adult Community, Tuesday, October 15 at 7:00pm.
- Confirmation, Tuesday, October 15 at 7:30pm
- Undergrad NEWMAN NIGHT, Wednesday at 7:00pm.
- RCIA Session, Thursday, October 17 at 7:00pm.
- Eucharistic Miracles Talk, Thursday, October 17 at 7:30pm
- Newman Game Night, Friday at 7:00pm.

COMING EVENTS

- Lumen Series-Fr. David Brown, SJ, an astronomer and member of the Vatican Observatory Research Group, is our next Lumen Series speaker. Please join us to hear his presentation on Faith and Science on Thursday, Oct. 24 at 7:30pm. The whole community is invited!
- Family Weekend-Sustaining Board Brunch, Sunday, October 27 after 9:00am & 11:00am Mass.

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

STEWARDSHIP FINANCIAL REPORT

Weekend Offertory:

October 7th. Envelopes: \$5,541.00 September 29th. Envelopes: \$3,184.45 September 22nd. Envelopes: \$3,419.25 September 15th. Envelopes: \$2,147.48

Total contributions from Venmo for the month of October as of October 11th is \$2,929.00

Total contributions from WeShare for the month of October as of October 11th is \$3,184.30

Total contributions from Breeze for the month of October as of October 11th is \$2,814.94

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



Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Catholic Charities USA, the official disaster relief agency of the Catholic Church in the United States, is currently providing emergency support and assistance to its Diocesan Catholic Charities member agencies throughout the regions that are being impacted by Hurricane Helene. Catholic Charities USA is accepting donations via the form below to provide humanitarian relief to those in need through the good work of Catholic Charities agencies: <u>Hurricane</u> <u>Helene Relief</u>

Please consider a donation to help those most impacted by this natural disaster. I also ask your prayers for the victims of the disaster, rescue workers, and all those who are suffering because of Hurricane Helene.

May God bless you abundantly,

Bishop Edward J. Weisenburger

