

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

2024-2025 Theme:

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



October 27, 2024

Thirtieth 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: November 7th 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

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

10/26 5:15PM **Patricia Plummer**
10/27 9:00AM **Fr. Donald Bramble, OP +**
11:00AM **Tresa Hagen +**
5:00PM **Our Newman Community**

Monday: Sts. Simon & Jude, Apostles

10/28 5:15PM **NO DAILY MASS**

Tuesday: Weekday

10/29 5:15PM **Louann Costa +**

Wednesday: Bl. Benvenuta Bojani, OP,
Lay Dominican & Virgin

10/30 5:15PM **Augustina Gallardo +**

Thursday: Weekday

10/31 5:15PM **Stephen Kish +**

Friday: All Saints

11/1 12:10 **Fred Lenczycki +**

5:15PM **Larry Mejia +**

*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](#)

St. Thomas More Catholic Newman Center Survey Invitation



Parish Pre-Campaign Study INVITING ALL TO PARTICIPATE!! Survey Questionnaire Available NOW!

You feedback, thoughts, and suggestions will help us determine a plan for this important project.



We ask that you please take some time to participate. It will be available from now until Thursday, October 31st . The survey is setup through “Survey Monkey” and responses go directly to Ruotolo Associates. *If you already participated in the interview or focus group, please do not take the survey to avoid duplicate results.*

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for information on our
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anniversary!

Contact Nathan:
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Newman's 100th



[SIGN UP HERE!](#)

The Newman Center

will be celebrating
100 years of ministry in 2026
and we need your contact info
to reach out to you with updates
on centennial events.



Mailing Address

St. Thomas More Newman Center, ATTN: Centennial, 1615 E. 2nd St. - Tucson, AZ 85719

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.



Support

**your son's or daughter's
parish away from home**

Our Mission

To be transformed through an encounter with the Spirit of Truth and the Love of God.

Thank you for sharing in this mission as we provide opportunities for students to invite God into their studies, work and relationships.

Ways to give one-time or recurring



Online



Venmo: UACatholic



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About Newman

The Newman Club was established on the campus of the University of Arizona in 1926. We are nearing a century of faith sharing and development among Catholic Wildcats. Our Patron, St. Thomas More, and St. John Henry Newman were both committed to making sure that universities & intellectual study included a wholistic approach to human development that included the spiritual life. We are proud to continue their legacy.

What do my contributions cover?

- Weekly Newman Nights for Undergrads hosted by the Student Ministry Committees.
- Small faith sharing & bible study groups that meet weekly.
- Retreats for students & Sacramental Prep.
- Graduate Students and Young Adults.
- Utilities and Ongoing Maintenance of our aging building, Masses and all of our programs



Mailing Address for checks

St. Thomas More Newman Center
ATTN: Stewardship
1615 E. 2nd St. - Tucson, AZ 85719

Family Weekend Brunch at Newman

Sunday, October 27 after 9am & 11am Mass



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

Fr. John Paul's Spiritual Brew

Today's Gospel invites us to listen to Bartimaeus's desire for healing and wholeness. He is a symbol to all of us who can sometimes find ourselves blind to the blessings that await us.

In order to rise... we have to possess the courage to utter these words: "Jesus, son of David, have pity on me! What are the ways and circumstances that blind us, make us outsiders to others, and ourselves, and eclipse us from the love of God in Christ?"

Today's Gospel reminds us... not to be too prideful... but 'instead' to have the 'courage' to ask Christ for healing mercy, and for the 'forgiveness' of our mistakes... which takes humility... This will allow us to 'rise' to life in God, and 'walk' in the faith and confidence of God's children... in light freedom, and peace.

Amen. Alleluia



THIS WEEK AT NEWMAN

- ◆ **Family Weekend-Sustaining Board Brunch**, Sunday, October 27 after 9:00am & 11:00am Mass.
- ◆ **Young Adult Community**, Tuesday, at 7:00pm.
- ◆ **Confirmation**, Tuesday, at 7:30pm
- ◆ **Undergrad NEWMAN NIGHT**, Wednesday at 7:00pm.
- ◆ **All Saints Day Mass Schedule**-Thursday, October 31-Vigil Mass 5:15pm. Friday, November 1st-12:10pm & 5:15pm Mass
- ◆ **RCIA Session**, Thursday, at 7:00pm.
- ◆ **Newman Game Night**, Friday at 7:00pm.

COMING EVENTS

- ◆ **"All Souls" Remembrance Day**, Saturday, November 2 at 10am.
- ◆ **"Gold" Mass-Blessing of all Scientists**, Thursday, November 14 at 5:15pm Mass.

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

STEWARDSHIP FINANCIAL REPORT

Weekend Offertory:

October 21st. Envelopes: \$4,150.78
October 14th. Envelopes: \$3,396.64
October 7th. Envelopes: \$5,541.00
September 29th. Envelopes: \$3,184.45

Total contributions from Venmo for the month of October as of October 25th is \$5,393.00

Total contributions from WeShare for the month of October as of October 25th is \$4,464.30

Total contributions from Breeze for the month of October as of October 25th is \$5,661.62

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

Service of Remembrance for our deceased-

Saturday
November 2, 2024
10:00 am

St. Thomas More
Catholic Newman Center



Changed, Not Ended
Continuing to Love Those Who Have Died



Our Catholic funeral liturgy contains this phrase from St. Paul:
"Life is changed, not ended."

During the month of November, we have the custom of remembering in prayer those who have died.

To prepare us to enter more deeply into that sacred practice Father Nathan Castle, O.P., will lead us in a three-day in-person parish retreat. We'll meet on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, October 28, 29 and 30.

Each day will begin with an optional mass at 8:00 am. We'll have retreat sessions each morning from 9:00 to 10:30 am. The same session will repeat each evening from 6:00 to 7:30 pm.