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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



July 27, 2025

Seventeenth 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: **September 4th 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



*Served by the Friars of the Western Dominican
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Sisters of Charity of Seton Hill*

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MASS INTENTIONS

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7/26 5:15PM **Our Newman Community**

7/27 9:00AM **Karen Bahill +**

11:00AM **Lois & Jerrold Swain (55th
Wedding Anniversary)**

5:00PM **Philip & Veronica Wilbur**

Monday: Weekday

7/28 5:15PM **No Mass**

Tuesday: St. Martha, Mary & Lazarus

7/29 5:15PM **No Mass**

Wednesday: St Peter Chrysologus, Bishop &
Doctor of the Church

7/30 5:15PM **No Mass**

Thursday: St. Ignatius of Loyola, Priest

7/31 5:15PM **No Mass**

Friday: St. Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop &
Doctor of the Church

8/1 5:15PM **No Mass**

*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](#)

Fr. John Paul's Spiritual Brew

Over the next three Sundays, the Gospels will continue drawing us into the essential themes of prayer, discipleship, and stewardship—core practices that shape and sustain our walk with Christ.

This Sunday, July 27, we encounter the disciples asking Jesus, “Lord, teach us to pray.” Jesus responds not with a technique, but with a relationship: “When you pray, say, ‘Father...’” He invites them—and us—to enter prayer through the door of intimate trust in God as a loving Father. Why is this important? Because when we have a relationship grounded in love and goodness, we can ask. And we can ask boldly, persistently, and with care.

We see this modeled in the first reading, where Abraham intercedes for Sodom and Gomorrah—not once, but repeatedly—pleading for mercy for the sake of the few just souls within. True prayer is not transactional. It’s relational. It’s about honesty before God, the courage to ask, and the grace to persevere.

Amen! Alleluia! 🙏☀️

THIS WEEK AT NEWMAN

- ◆ **Evening Prayer and Daily Mass** will be held in the Curry Classroom for the summer, beginning Tuesday, June 10. The weekend Masses will be held in the Church as usual.
- ◆ **Young Adult Community**, Tuesday at 7:00pm.
- ◆ **Newman Center will be close**, July 28-August 1 (**No Daily Mass**)

COMING EVENTS

- ◆ **Resident “St. Dominic” Potluck Brunch**, Saturday, August 9, 9:30-11:00AM
- ◆ **Sustaining Board Welcome BBQ**, Sunday, August 24, 12:00PM
- ◆ **Mass of the Holy Spirit**, Sunday, September 14 at 11:00AM, UA Student Union Grand Ballroom 2nd floor.

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

STEWARDSHIP FINANCIAL REPORT

Projected Revenue (9 Months) Fiscal Year 2024-2025 is \$582,832.34. Actual Revenue is \$559,125.19.
Shortage of \$23,707.15

Weekend Offertory:

July 21st. Envelopes: \$5,908.35
July 14th. Envelopes: \$2,156.00
July 7th. Envelopes: \$3,705.74
June 30th. Envelopes: \$3,083.00

Total contributions from Venmo for the month of July as of July 25th is \$4,558.00

Total contributions from WeShare for the month of July as of July 25th is \$4,336.08

Total contributions from Breeze for the month of July as of July 25th is \$5,697.17

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

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



Resident Community Mark Your Calendar!

*St. Dominic POTLUCK
Brunch Saturday, Aug. 9, 2025
9:30-11:00am*

ANNOUNCEMENT

Dear Newman Community,

As I announced last weekend: Fr. Bart Hutcherson's mother passed away peacefully last Saturday surrounded by her family.

Fr. Bart served at the Newman Center from 2004 to 2014. Those of you wishing to send your condolences can do so at the address below.

May Dianne Rest in Peace, and may Fr. Bart and his loved ones be consoled.

Fr. JP

Fr. Bart's mother- Dianne Hutcherson
His address:

Fr. Bart Hutcherson, OP
1231 Arbor Road
Menlo Park, CA
94025

Back to School Supplies *** Newman Collection *** Sundays in July for Salvavision

Salvavision is dedicated to providing comprehensive support to asylum seekers and deportees in Nogales, Sonora.

Items needed:

Backpack, Lunchboxes, Notebooks, Loose Leaf Paper, Pens & Pencils, Pencil boxes and Sharpeners, Safe Scissors, Glue Sticks.

** Also, Girls & Boys Shoes

Contact : M. BRUBAKER, (520) 906-1663



Mass of the Holy Spirit

Sunday, September 14th 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

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.