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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 6, 2025

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: 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



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Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASS INTENTIONS

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7/5 5:15PM Irene Leon Romo +
7/6 9:00AM Our Newman Community 11:00AM Gianna Constand +
5:00PM Carol Fimbres-Gaughan
Monday: Weekday
7/7 5:15PM No Mass
Tuesday: Weekday
7/8 5:15PM Edgar Romo Jr. +
Wednesday: Weekday
7/9 5:15PM Thomas Roberts +
Thursday: Weekday
7/10 5:15PM Althea Richard +
Friday: St. Benedict, Abbot
7/11 5:15PM Frank R. Richard +

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 <u>iBreviary App</u>

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Fr. John Paul's Spiritual Brew

▲ hake the Dust from Your Feet"

I remember, as a child, coming home from a rainy day or a trip to the beach, and being told to stop at the door and shake off the water or sand from my shoes, umbrella, or clothes. There was always a designated place to do this—a threshold where we left behind what didn't belong inside. It wasn't about punishment or shame; it was about protecting the home—keeping it clean, peaceful, and livable.

In the Gospel, Jesus sends his disciples out to preach the Good News of God's kingdom. He instructs them to travel lightly—to take only what's necessary and leave behind whatever might burden or distract them. If they are not welcomed in a town, they are not to argue or linger in bitterness—but instead, to shake the dust from their feet and move on.

It's a powerful image, especially for us today. We live in a time when our world, our nation, and our personal lives are heavy with anxiety, division, and uncertainty. Hope can feel distant. The "dust" we carry—from technology overload, addictive patterns, codependent relationships, workaholism, or fear of change—can cling to us like sand after the shore. And over time, it clouds our sense of peace, purpose, and trust in God's movement in our lives.

Jesus is not scolding. He's offering freedom. "Shake it off" He says—not in denial, but in faith. Let go of what weighs you down, what dims your hope, what distracts you from the mission of love, justice, and healing. Not everything belongs in the house of your spirit.

May we have the grace and courage to travel lightly—to carry what sustains us and to "shake off" what hinders us—so that we may walk with clarity, compassion, and joy as bearers of God's presence in the world. "Love your enemies. Do good. Expect nothing in return."

Amen! Alleluia!



Back to School Supplies <u>*** Newman Collection ***</u> 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

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
- 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

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.
- Game Night, Friday at 7:00pm.

COMING EVENTS

- Resident Summer Potluck Brunch, Saturday, July 12, 9:30AM
- 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 <u>REPORT</u>

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:

June 30th. Envelopes: \$3,083.00 June 23rd. Envelopes: \$2,336.00 June 16th Envelopes: \$3,209.00 June 9th Envelopes: \$4,694.57 June 2nd Envelopes: \$3,178.13

Total contributions from Venmo for the month of June is \$4,827.00

Total contributions from WeShare for the month of June is \$4,511.23

Total contributions from Breeze for the month of June is \$9,208.81

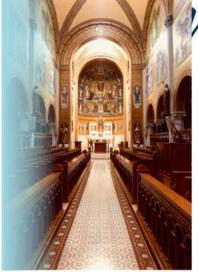
Your contribution during the Offertory goes towards utilities, ministries, staff and residences for the Friars & Sisters so we can carry out our shared mission.

Parents of our university students, please consider supporting Newman as your son or daughter's parishaway-from-home. Recurring giving is available through our online platform Breeze





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CURIOUS ABOUT RELIGIOUS LIFE? JOIN US FOR A MONASTIC EXPERIENCE FOR SINGLE WOMEN, AGES 18-40.

JULY 18-20, 2025 OCTOBER 17-19, 2025

- JOIN OUR SISTERS FOR DAILY MASS, THE DIVINE OFFICE AND ADORATION
- HEAR PRESENTATIONS ON BENEDICTINE WISDOM, PRAYING WITH Scripture and Eucharistic Adoration

ENJOY THE QUIET BEAUTY OF OUR MONASTERY GROUNDS



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Share the Word Gifts of the Holy Spirit. *"Your Sons and Your Daughters shall prophesy." - Acts 2:17.* Praise God, pray for all your intentions, learn about the Spirit's Word Gifts, and have a chance to share what you receive, Finish the evening with Eucharistic Adoration. Come at 6:45 pm on Thursday, July 17, 2025, to Our Lady of La Vang / St Frances Cabrini, 3201 E. Presidio Rd., Tucson. Or come before 6 pm to receive Holy Communion during the parish's Vietnamese Mass. If you cannot attend in person, you can view a recording of this gathering from a link on https://TucsonCCR.org after July 21. Hosted by the Diocese of Tucson Renewal Committee.

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.