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

Yearly Theme: "Fear is useless, what is needed is trust" - Mark 5:36



November 15, 2020

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

SCHEDULES

Sunday Mass Online

11AM Pacific Live-Stream
through [Facebook Live](#), and our
[YouTube Channel](#)

In-Person Masses

Reservations Required
Saturday 5:15PM
Sunday 9AM, 11AM, 5PM, 7PM

Reservations Open Monday 8AM
through Fridays at Noon. [Details here](#)

Weekday Masses Online Only

Tuesday through Friday
11:30AM Pacific Live-Stream
through [Facebook Live](#) and our
[YouTube Channel](#)

Reconciliation: by appointment only.
Priest email addresses are listed in
the next column

NEWMAN CENTER STAFF



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MASS INTENTIONS

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

11/14 5:15PM **Christina T. Chavez+**
11/15 9AM **UA Faculty & Staff**
11AM **Joseph Felice-Pace+**
5PM **Our Newman Community**
7PM **All Graduate Students**

Monday: St. Margaret of Scotland; St. Gertrude
11/16 11:30AM **NO DAILY MASS**
Tuesday: St. Elizabeth of Hungary
11/17 11:30AM **Deceased of Maria Montilla**
Wednesday: Dedication of Basilica St. Peter
11/18 11:30AM **Ann Delaney Fleming**
Thursday: Weekday
11/19 11:30AM **Souls in Purgatory**
Friday: Weekday
11/20 11:30AM **George Keisel+**

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

To use our talents... or not to use our talents.... that is the question? Is it more noble to exercise these God given gifts... planted within our DNA at birth, and intended to elevate our existence, and, that of the created universe..... ? Or, by hiding them.... to allow the force of their potential; to drive us crazy; distracting us with other pursuits, that 'fail to satisfy' our authentic inclinations, given by God, and these natural talents; given to us to bare God's fruit?

I find that reflection upon these questions has allowed this Gospel to live for me... in a deeper way.

We all have a vocation, God given call in life, assisted with talents to help us build God's kingdom. Will we respond by investing what has been given to us, or not? The world is richer and brighter when we do! As we approach the table of Word, Sacrament, and Community..... May we "Go Forth" truly fed, "To Love and Serve the Lord".

Amen!

THANKSGIVING DAY MASS

Thursday, 11/26 at 9AM

A separate Mass Reservation Form will be on the website next week if you plan to join us in-person. We will also be

Live-Streaming for those who remain home. May our prayers of gratitude for the blessings God gives us become a litany of hope in these days of uncertainty.

PRAY FOR OUR RCIA CANDIDATES

Please keep Danielle, Nathan, Corey, Hannah, and Jenny in your prayers as they continue their formation to be fully-initiated in the Church at the Easter Vigil in 2021.

PRAYING FOR OUR DECEASED LOVED ONES DURING THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER

November is the Month of Remembrance
Our printable prayer request card is [on the website here](#).
We will place a basket of the names by the altar in November so our entire community can pray for our deceased loved ones.

IN-PERSON MASSES & RESERVATIONS

Reservations are required in order to maintain safe social distancing. The Reservation Window is open from Monday at 8AM to Friday at Noon and can be done online www.UACatholic.org/Mass-Reservations

We will continue to broadcast a Sunday Mass live at 11AM Arizona Time. Communion distribution will be available afterwards near the Blessed Sacrament Chapel Door on the north side of the Church between 12:15PM and 12:45PM on Sunday for those who view the Live-Stream.

PRAYER PACKS FOR STUDENTS AVAILABLE

Thank you to Karen Melnychuck and her daughter Sofia for preparing Prayer Packets for our students as they prepare for the final weeks of the semester. They are available for pickup on the side benches as you exit for Mass.

ROSARY UNDER THE (DIGITAL) STARS

Every Tuesday at 7PM on Zoom - all are welcome
Meeting ID: 996 023 6892 - Password: uarosary

UNDERGRAD NEWMAN NIGHTS

Wednesdays at 7PM on Zoom
Zoom Meeting ID: 832 5719 9770
Passcode: uacatholic

YOUNG ADULT COMMUNITY

meets weekly on Thursdays at 7:30PM via Zoom
Graduate Students and Young Professionals between the ages of 22-35, email the co-leaders Joe and Edith to get connected: YoungAdultLeaders@UACatholic.org
or join the YAC [Facebook Group](#)

SMALL GROUP SIGN-UPS

Sign-ups are open for small faith sharing groups.
The form is available at:
<https://uacatholic.org/smallgroup/>

NEWMAN BOOK CLUB

Meets monthly via Zoom
This month: [The Samurai](#) by Shūsaku Endō
Tuesday, December 1st at 7PM
Contact Kelly for login info:
kellyklovesbooks@gmail.com

A NOTE OF THANKS

Thank you to Andy Romo and the Knights of Columbus Council #16061 for the donation and moving of stone tables for the front patio. They are HEAVY and we are so grateful for the time and effort to make it happen.

DOMINICAN LAITY FORMATION

The Order of Preachers, founded by St. Dominic de Guzman in 1216, has always included lay people (those of us who are not ordained). Grounded in the four pillars of Dominican Life: Prayer, Study, Community & Preaching; members of the Dominican Laity are full members of the Order. Formation sessions will begin soon via Zoom, contact Dorothy for more info: gazelleaugust@yahoo.com or visit: oplaitywest.org

CORPORATE BOARD SECRETARY ELECTION NOTICE

CANDIDATES REQUIREMENTS:

Candidates for election must be lay persons who are:

- ◆ Catholic
- ◆ Registered, practicing parish members
- ◆ At least 25 years old.

WHO CAN NOMINATE A CANDIDATE?

The pastor may nominate up to two persons, including the board member whose term is expiring. Other nominations may be made in writing by at least 10 registered parishioners in full communion with the Roman Catholic Church.

All nominations are to be made at least 2 weeks before the election and announced at Sunday Masses two weeks prior to the election date of **January 17, 2021**. If only one person has been nominated by then, the nominee shall be declared elected.

ELECTION COMMITTEE

At the time of the notice of the election, the Pastor shall appoint an election committee to receive nominations, prepare ballots, act as tellers and supervise the election.

KNOWN CANDIDATES AS OF BULLETIN PRINTING

Clifford Bowman, current Secretary, willing to continue serving

2020 Annual Catholic Appeal Progress as of 11/9/2020

46 donors - \$27,195 pledged of \$46,640 goal - 58%
Fulfilled to date: \$26,375 or 57% of total goal

Donate Online at:

<http://support.cathfnd.org/donate>

Select "St. Thomas More" as your parish



This year we received a \$10,000 grant used to do a number of facility updates including new water fountains in the lobby and student lounge; hand sanitizer stations and other public health elements needed for our reopening.

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

We are reminded today that we will each be called to give an account for the gifts God has given us — our physical, intellectual and material gifts — as well as the gift of time itself.

Let us embrace the stewardship way of life, using all the gifts entrusted to us — Time, Talents and Treasure — in such a way that at the end of our life on this earth, we will hear these words from our Father: "Well done, my good and faithful servant... Come, share your master's joy."

STEWARDSHIP FINANCIAL REPORT

November Online Giving as of 11/14/2020: \$3907
November 8 Envelopes: \$1554.00; Venmo: \$744.50
November 1 Envelopes: \$1930.50; Venmo: \$417
Extraordinary Gift from the Barbara Emich Trust: \$66,060

October ACH: \$6559.50 ;October Online \$7,686
October 25 Envelopes: \$3259; Venmo: \$418
October 18 Envelopes: \$3537; Venmo: \$1050
October 11 Envelopes: \$1560; Venmo: \$397
October 4 Envelopes: \$2,560; Venmo: \$586
Extraordinary Gift: \$5000
Dominican Common Room Project: \$500

Sept ACH: \$5509.50; Sept Online Giving: \$8,255.75
Sept 27 Envelopes: \$1,936; Venmo: \$567
Sept 20 Envelopes: \$2,261.00; Venmo: \$1,244
Sept 13 Envelopes: \$2,795.81; Venmo: \$589.39
Sept 6 Envelopes: \$900; Venmo: \$711.31

Thank you for your generosity each week. Your contribution during the Offertory pays for the utilities, staff and ministries so we can carry out our mission.

We invite you to prayerfully consider setting up one-time or recurring donations through our Online Giving Program or through ACH with your bank. It provides an easy way to track your contributions for tax credit purposes.

Text **UACatholic** to 800-950-9952 for a link on your mobile phone or download an ACH form by visiting

UACatholic.org/donate

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