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2023-2024 Theme: Jesus said: "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength" and "You shall love your neighbor as yourself." - Mark 12:30-31

June 30, 2024

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary

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: Sept 5th at 7:30PM

Office Hours

Monday to Friday 9AM to 4:45PM

NEWMAN CENTER STAFF



*Served by the Friars of the Western Dominican
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MASS INTENTIONS

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

6/29 5:15PM **Ruben Felix**

6/30 9:00AM **Ernest Q. Lopez +**

11:00AM **Dorothy O'Donnell +**

5:00PM **Our Newman Community**

Monday: St. Junipero Serra, priest

7/1 5:15PM **NO DAILY MASS**

Tuesday: Weekday

7/2 5:15PM **NO DAILY MASS**

Wednesday: St. Thomas, apostle

7/3 5:15PM **NO DAILY MASS**

Thursday: Bl. Catherine Jarrige, virgin

7/4 5:15 PM **NO DAILY MASS**

Friday: St. Anthony Zaccaria, priest

St. Elizabeth of Portugal

7/5 5:15PM **Chris Pham Family**

*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

If I could only touch the tassel of his garment, I will be made whole”.

What a great statement of faith from today's Gospel. Jesus has been asked by an official's assistant to come and heal his daughter who is seriously ill. Jesus responds and along the way - through a pressing crowd... is touched by a woman who has been impacted with illness for many years, is near to broke, and is seeking healing. He is curious and drawn to her persistence.

Even with her weakened condition... she has courage and great 'faith' and pushes through adversity... to "touch his garments." That took a lot of energy and risk - to 'push forward' for something that could have failed! Jesus finds her and asks why did she do this? Fearful that she has been noticed, she comes forward and shares her story. Jesus only sees the power of her faith realized.

He continues on his journey to a sick little girl, and despite the doubt and fear of others.. He pushes through... to grasp the little girl by the hand, and says "Little girl, get up! The young girl rises, is fed, and returns to life with her family.

God invites us to cultivate a relationship with him... If we do, whether times are bright or opaque... we can 'push through' and touch Him.

May we have the courage to not make excuses about how to approach God, but to simply reach out and do it!

Amen 🙏

HELP NEEDED AT MASSES

We need additional liturgical ministers at all of the Masses, especially during the summer months when many of our students and resident community members are out of town. Roles include Sacristan, Lector, Eucharistic Minister, Usher/Greeter, LiveStream Team and Music Ministry. Please reach out to SrLynn@uacatholic.org or NathanP@uacatholic.org

THIS WEEK AT NEWMAN

- ◆ **Young Adult Community (21-35yo)** Tuesdays 7PM; BBQ on the Newman front lawn . Bring a friend, and a side dish or dessert.
- ◆ **Game Night Fridays** 7PM downstairs

ANNOUNCEMENT

- ◆ **Newman Center closed** Monday, July 1 and Thursday, July 4th.
- ◆ **No Daily Mass** July 1-5.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- ◆ **Parents of Young Children Gathering** Our next gathering is Sunday, June 30 at 10AM in the Library. Contact Sr. Mary Elizabeth for more information (see front).
- ◆ **Resident Community Brunch, Prayer & Fellowship** Saturday 7/13 10AM-Noon

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

STEWARDSHIP FINANCIAL REPORT

Weekend Offertory:

June 23rd Envelopes: \$2,556.89
June 16th Envelopes: \$3,422.33
June 9th Envelopes: \$2,620.00
June 2nd Envelopes: \$2,761.52

Total online contributions for the month of June as of 06/28/24 is \$15,183.42

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

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.