

# SAINT THOMAS MORE CATHOLIC NEWMAN CENTER

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& TUCSON COMMUNITY SINCE 1926

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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 20, 2024**

**Twenty-Ninth 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: May 2nd 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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Sisters of Charity of Seton Hill*

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## MASS INTENTIONS

### Twenty Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

10/19 5:15PM **Joseph Hernandez**  
10/20 9:00AM **Lucy Esparza**  
11:00AM **Jeffrey Nordensson +**  
5:00PM **Our Newman Community**

Monday: Bl Peter Capucci of Citta di Castello, OP

10/21 5:15PM **NO DAILY MASS**

Tuesday: St. John Paul II, Pope

10/22 5:15PM **Kathleen Kelley**

Wednesday: St. John of Capistrano, Priest

10/23 5:15PM **James Boutelle & Family**

Thursday: St. Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop

10/24 5:15PM **Michael Clary**

Friday: Bl. Peter of Geremia, OP

10/25 5:15PM **Anthony Benge**

*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](#)

Dear Newman Community,

Thank you for the prayer and support of those students on retreat last week. Some 70 students showed up for a fun weekend connecting with others. On Saturday eight people shared their own testimonies. This sharing of life and faith inspired each other. Saturday afternoon the group hiked up the hill and did the stations of the cross.



The retreat was a time for all of us to refill our spiritual cup. Over the weekend, we grew closer as a community through prayer and various activities. We filled our spiritual cup through daily morning/night prayer, rosaries throughout the day, a wonderful station of the cross, and an amazing adoration. The retreat was a time to sit back, relax, and open our heart, mind and soul to Christ while also deepening our bonds as brothers and sisters in Christ!

The Lord's blessings,

Fr. Emmanuel



## ***Family Weekend Brunch at Newman***

***Sunday, October 27 after 9am & 11am Mass***



Newman invites you and your family to a Community "Rite of Remembrance Service"

**"All Souls" Day**

**Saturday, November 2, 2024 10:00AM.**

**We will remember, by name, all who died this past year.**

**You are welcome to bring a picture in a standing frame to place on the tables in the sanctuary area. Please do so by 9:45AM before the service begins.**

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.





**Newman's 100th**  
UACatholic.org



**Sign up**

for information on our  
upcoming 100 years  
anniversary!

**WELCOME, ALUMNI!**  
on this homecoming weekend!

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.

Contact Nathan: [nathanp@ucatholic.org](mailto:nathanp@ucatholic.org)



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PHILANTHROPIC COUNSEL SINCE 1979

**St. Thomas More Catholic  
Newman Center  
Pre-Campaign Study Survey**

As previously shared with you, our Pre-Campaign Study will provide a detailed assessment of our parish community's willingness and capacity to move forward with our effort to raise funds to improve and expand our chapel and facilities. This study is a result of our need to accommodate the increased growth we are currently experiencing as well as the additional growth we anticipate in the foreseeable future.

Anyone who is new to the Newman Center, alumni or parents may find more information about the study at <https://www.ucatholic.org/newman-special-project>.

We invite all of you to participate in a survey which will be available next weekend, October 26<sup>th</sup>. We encourage everyone to respond and share your thoughts and feedback as it will have a huge impact on our plan moving forward.

The survey will be available electronically, with a QR code provided through the parish bulletin and by email. The survey will also be made available at the doors to the Chapel and copies will be available at the office.


Our goal is to have as many responses as possible to capture all your feedback. The entire study is completely confidential and administered by Ruotolo Associates; a third-party firm that has been retained for this purpose. All their findings will be presented at the end of the study, in aggregate form. The study will conclude by the end of the month.

## Fr. John Paul's Spiritual Brew

Jesus said to them, "You do not know what you are asking. Can you drink the cup that I drink or be baptized with the baptism with which I am baptized?" They said to him, "We can."

Sometimes we speak before we think! Jesus's followers are being joyfully overwhelmed by walking with him in his public ministry. They have never experienced someone speak so powerfully, heal so miraculously, and leave his audiences so spellbound! They have been absolutely enchanted with Him, and all they want is to be secure and positioned in the kingdom. What they fail to realize... is 'the path' that he's about to trod to get there!

It is so important in life to realize... that nothing is only easy, and without a climb! If we wish to see and experience to an awesome view... we have to make the journey 'up' the sometimes 'arduous' path! The good news is that Christ Jesus is with us.

Amen. Alleluia 

## THIS WEEK AT NEWMAN

- ◆ **Young Adult Community**, Tuesday, at 7:00pm.
- ◆ **Confirmation**, Tuesday, October 22 at 7:30pm
- ◆ **Undergrad NEWMAN NIGHT**, Wednesday at 7:00pm.
- ◆ **RCIA Session**, Thursday, October 24 at 7:00pm.
- ◆ **Lumen Series**-Fr. David Brown, SJ, an astronomer and member of the Vatican Observatory Research Group, is our next Lumen Series speaker. Please join us to hear his presentation on Faith and Science on Thursday, Oct. 24 at 7:30pm. The whole community is invited!
- ◆ **Newman Game Night**, Friday at 7:00pm.

## COMING EVENTS

- ◆ **Family Weekend-Sustaining Board Brunch**, Sunday, October 27 after 9:00am & 11:00am Mass.

View all of our events at  
[www.UACatholic.org/calendar](http://www.UACatholic.org/calendar)

## STEWARDSHIP FINANCIAL REPORT

### Weekend Offertory:

October 14th. Envelopes: \$3,396.64  
October 7th. Envelopes: \$5,541.00  
September 29th. Envelopes: \$3,184.45  
September 22nd. Envelopes: \$3,419.25

Total contributions from Venmo for the month of October as of October 18th is \$3,533.00

Total contributions from WeShare for the month of October as of October 18th is \$3,898.62

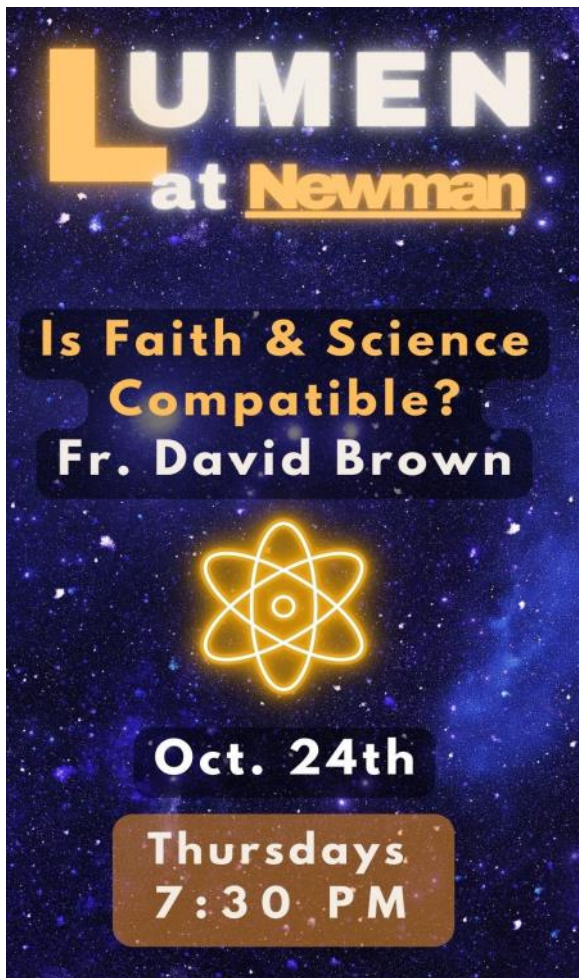
Total contributions from Breeze for the month of October as of October 18th is \$3,915.31

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](http://www.UACatholic.org/donate)



**LUMEN**  
at **Newman**

**Is Faith & Science  
Compatible?**  
**Fr. David Brown**

**Oct. 24th**  
**Thursdays**  
**7:30 P.M**

## Hurricane Relief

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Catholic Charities USA, the official disaster relief agency of the Catholic Church in the United States, is currently providing emergency support and assistance to its Diocesan Catholic Charities member agencies throughout the regions that are being impacted by Hurricane Helene. Catholic Charities USA is accepting donations via the form below to provide humanitarian relief to those in need through the good work of Catholic Charities agencies: [Hurricane Helene Relief](#)

Please consider a donation to help those most impacted by this natural disaster. I also ask your prayers for the victims of the disaster, rescue workers, and all those who are suffering because of Hurricane Helene.

May God bless you abundantly,

Bishop Edward J. Weisenburger

