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CATHOLIC NEWMAN CENTER

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

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



October 6, 2024

Twenty-Seventh 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

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MASS INTENTIONS

Twenty Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

10/5 5:15PM Chris Pham Family 10/6 9:00AM Our Newman Community 11:00AM Elodia Jauregui +

5:00PM Budaya Kennedy Family

Monday: Our Lady of the Rosary 10/7 5:15PM NO DAILY MASS

Tuesday: Bl. Ambrose Sansedoni, Friar & Priest

10/8 5:15PM Todd Faulkner

Wednesday: St. John Henry Newman, patron

of "Newman Centers"

St. Louis Bertran, O.P Friar & Priest

10/9 5:15PM Mark Ozamah

Thursday: Weekday

10/10 5:15PM Joe Pimentel + Friday: St. Pope John XIII, Pope 10/11 5:15PM Frank Pimentel, Jr. +

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











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ST. THOMAS MORE CATHOLIC NEWMAN CENTER Pre-Campaign Study Announcement

- The Newman Center and the Diocese of Tucson, are in the planning stages to address the need for a major expansion project of our beloved St. Thomas More Newman Center.
- We have presently launched a pre-campaign study to assist us in determining how to move forward. Ruotolo Associates Inc of Ridgewood, New Jersey - a national firm with 45 years of experience working with Catholic parishes and other nonprofits - will conduct this study and will assist the Diocese of Tucson, and the Newman Center on this exciting venture.
- Based on the feedback of all in the Newman Community.. this study will help us, in determining the best plan of action for moving forward with this proposed project.
- Every member of the Newman Center will have an opportunity to participate in this pre-campaign study.
- Ruotolo Associates will conduct personal interviews: a focus group and a survey (both in-pew and online) – depending on what may be the best way for you to respond.
- I encourage "everyone" to participate when called upon. Your input is very important as we look to the future. We need to have high participation for this study.
- Included is "FAQ page" in the bulletin and on the Newman website that
 describes the detail and flow of the pre-campaign study. The goal of FAQ is to
 help you to better understand the methodology and timetable for this process.

Thank you in advance for your input, and we look forward to hearing your ideas and dreams for the Newman Center. Thank you. Amen! and Bear Down!

- Fr. John Paul Forte, OP

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"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.



ST. THOMAS MORE CATHOLIC NEWMAN CENTER Pre-Campaign Study: Frequently Asked Questions

1. What is a pre-campaign study?

A pre-campaign study is a thorough and detailed assessment of a parish community's willingness and capacity to move forward with a capital fundraising endeavor.

2. Why do we need a pre-campaign study?

It is imperative for any parish that wishes to have a capital campaign to raise funds for major capital improvements to conduct a feasibility study to determine if parishioners are willing and able to support it. The final report will be used to validate the proposed projects and legitimize the effort amongst our parish community.

3. What types of questions are asked?

Ultimately, the pre-campaign study tells us who we are as a parish. Topics will include the strengths and weaknesses of the parish and its leadership, receptivity toward the proposed projects, willingness to make a pledge commitment, and willingness to volunteer for the campaign.

4. Who participates in the pre-campaign study?

EVERY parish family will be given a chance to participate. Some families will be asked to participate in one-on-one interviews or a focus group, and ALL families will be asked to complete a survey available both electronically and in-pew.

5. Why are some families asked to interview?

Families that have been parishioners for a long period of time or are actively involved in ministries are asked to interview because they are generally able to provide thorough and detailed information about parish history, current parish issues, and are usually able to properly evaluate necessary leadership potential in a capital campaign.

6. Who is conducting the pre-campaign study?

Ruotolo Associates, a philanthropic consulting firm based in Ridgewood, NJ, with over 45 years of experience working with Catholic organizations, has been retained to conduct the study. We determined that Ruotolo Associates' methodology best matched the needs of our parish community.

7. How long will the pre-campaign study take, and will we see the results?

The study will be conducted in October. After the final report is presented to the leadership, key highlights will be shared with an update on the status of the capital campaign.

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Fr. John Paul's Spiritual Brew

oday's readings speak of the powerful bond of love and partnership that is expressed in the sacrament of marriage.

In the book of Genesis we hear that God desires humanity to be happy and creates 'all life' to delight and support each other. God provides for every living thing and only asks that we be 'good stewards' of the things of the earth and universe. This also means our relationships with one another, and 'especially' those who have made a life long commitment in marriage.

This is the reason that the church works hard on the marriage preparation process and invites couples to fully participate that they may understand the wider joys and complexities of what it means to say "they are no longer two but one flesh"

When this can be understood, explored, and celebrated in marriage preparation... God's enduring love which shines forth in marriage... can be celebrated by the couple, their children, and all who see and experience them.

Amen. Alleluia





THIS WEEK AT NEWMAN

- ◆ Young Adult Community, Tuesday, October 8 at 7:00pm.
- ◆ Confirmation, Tuesday, October 8 at 7:30pm
- ◆ Undergrad NEWMAN NIGHT, Wednesday at 7:00pm.
- RCIA Session, Thursday, October 10 at 7:00pm.
- ♦ Newman Game Night, Friday at 7:00pm.

COMING EVENTS

- ◆ Undergrad Retreat, October 11-13, Hereford, AZ
- ◆ Family Weekend-Sustaining Board Brunch, Sunday, October 27 after 9:00am & 11:00am Mass.

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

STEWARDSHIP FINANCIAL REPORT

Weekend Offertory:

September 29th. Envelopes: \$3,184.45 September 22nd. Envelopes: \$3,419.25 September 15th. Envelopes: \$2,147.48 September 8th. Envelopes: \$2,505.24

Total contributions from Venmo for the month of September is \$5,750.32

Total contributions from WeShare for the month of September is \$4,317.26

Total contributions from Breeze for the month of September is \$7,838.03

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



