

NEWMAN NEWS



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MASS TIMES —

SUNDAY: 9 a.m. | 11 a.m.
5 p.m. | 8 p.m.

SATURDAY: 5 p.m.

WEEKDAY: Noon

RECONCILIATION:

Tuesday & Saturday: 4 - 4:30 p.m.

ADORATION/HOLY HOUR:

Weekday: 8:30-9:30 a.m.
Tuesday & Thursday: 4-5 p.m.

OFFICE HOURS:

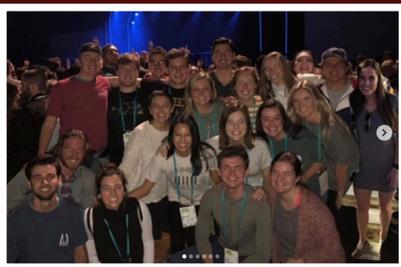
Monday-Friday:
8 a.m.-Noon & 12:30-4:30 p.m.

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#COMONEWMAN PHOTO OF THE WEEK



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Iron is sharpened by iron; one person sharpens another
-Proverbs 27:17
Blessed to be surrounded by an incredible group of friends and faith community! #SEEK2019 #FOCUS #comonewman

When the wine ran short, the mother of Jesus said to him, "They have no wine." And Jesus said to her, "Woman, how does your concern affect me? My hour has not yet come."



His mother said to the servers, "Do whatever he tells you."

John 2

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OUR GIFTS FOR HIS GLORY



JOANN SHULL
Development Director

Earlier this month, I spent several days at the SEEK conference in Indianapolis, sponsored by FOCUS. Over 17,000 college students came together to pray, to study, and to discern. If you were ever fearful that the Church is dying, I beg you to look up some of the YouTube videos to see how on fire our young Church can be.

Being a conference primarily directed at college students, you can imagine that many of the talks focused around some of the hot button issues facing young adults. There were talks on sexuality, on dating and marriage, on pornography, on self-worth, and on addiction. In many ways, these talks focused on the body; specifically, how the Lord calls us to be good stewards of our body and to use it to glorify His name.

I also went to a talk titled, "God Wants You to Have an Estate Plan." Working in development, I was naturally curious how the speakers were going to relate this to the collegiate audience — and if any college students were going to show up! To my surprise (and to the speakers', as I later found out), over 200 young adults filled the room to learn what God had to say about their finances.

Although they did go over estate planning 101, what I found interesting was how the speaker tied this into the life of a college student. In summary, he explained it in this way:

We often talk in our Church about being good stewards of our bodies. We want to take care of ourselves and free ourselves from those things which destroy or misuse the gift that God has given us. That's why we work to liberate ourselves from bodily sins and live in ways that God intended us to live. This leads to healthy relationships, fruitful marriages, and communities where we care about our neighbors.

In the same way, we are called to be stewards of all the gifts God has given us — our bodies as well as those things we possess. Just as God wants us to give Him all of ourselves — not just a part — He wants us to utilize all of our gifts for His glory. So, as we go through life and accumulate possessions and wealth, we should be always aware of how those items are gifts from the Lord. When we view our worldly belongings as a gift from the Lord, we free ourselves from unhealthy attachment and greed. In giving of our gifts, we better our Church, our community, and our world and participate in bringing about the kingdom of God.

Next week at all Masses, Fr. Rich will be asking you to discern how you are being called to give of your gifts to the Church. You will also receive a mailing from the parish this week which will allow you to preview this message and contemplate your response. This process begins with discerning how we can move our hearts and our community into deeper relationship with God.

As part of the renewal program, this of course includes a look at your financial contributions to the parish. Although this is not the only way that one can measure their return of gifts to the Lord, it is a good place to start your discernment. When we make giving a priority in our budget, that trickles out into how we spend our money and, ultimately, the choices we make in our life.

So, whether you discern that you are called to increase, maintain, or decrease your gift, I challenge you to search within your heart to listen to how the Lord is calling you.

Returning your intention card next week is not only a way to help you discern your own gifts, but also it allows the parish to plan for the future. In this next week, I ask you to spend time in prayer and discussion about your current level of giving and engagement in the parish community. How is He calling you as a disciple to pray, to study, and to serve?

JoAnn Shull

WINTER BLOOD DRIVE



To get motivated to donate blood, think of someone who recently needed blood, like Dick Otto, one of our 9 a.m. Mass coordinators, who needed 24 units of blood during heart surgery last November.

Now, even before arriving at the blood drive, you can use "RapidPass" and do your health histories on line before arriving (see www.redcrossblood.org/rapidpass). If not, upon arriving at the blood drive, you will be given a pamphlet to read with any updated information about donating blood. Then you will be registered on a laptop by a Red Cross worker. You will be asked to answer a long list of personal health history questions; this is important to insure that your blood will be safe for others. Then your temperature and blood pressure will be taken, and a drop of your blood will be checked for iron to make sure that it is safe for you to donate on this day. Also, your blood donation will undergo many tests at the Red Cross before it is given to a patient. This is how the Red Cross insures a safe supply of blood.

The thing folks fear most, the actual needle stick, does sting or burn for a couple of seconds, but it's really not bad. After 10 minutes, the blood is drawn and you're invited to rest and have juice and snacks at the canteen. Most people feel fine afterwards; you may feel a bit fatigued, but this is a great excuse for a Sunday afternoon nap. Best of all, you feel great because you know you gave the "gift of life."

Our annual winter blood drive will be next Sunday, January 27, from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. up in the MPR. Sign up to give blood or to volunteer to help after all Masses this weekend!

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

We must take God's word to heart and live it.

January 27 | 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
Nehemiah 8:2-6, 8-10; Psalm 19
1 Corinthians 12:12-30; Luke 1:1-4, 4:14-21



LIBRARY HOURS THIS WEEK

Sundays: 10 a.m. to Noon

For the full catalog listing of the library, visit:
www.comonewman.org/dbd-ministries/kemper-library

MONDAY, JANUARY 21 — OFFICE CLOSED

10 a.m.	Daily Mass/Chapel
6 p.m.	Mass Planning Team Meeting/Aquinas
7 p.m.	Music Rehearsal (5/8 p.m. Masses)/Chapel
7 p.m.	RCIA/MPR
9:30 p.m.	Power Hour/Chapel

TUESDAY, JANUARY 22

6:30 p.m.	Boy Scouts Troop 121/MPR
7 p.m.	Parish Council/Aquinas
8 p.m.	E3 Band Practice/MPR

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 23

6:15 p.m.	CEP Classes/All Classrooms
6:15 p.m.	EDGE Bible Study/Disciples
6:30 p.m.	Music Rehearsal (5 p.m. Saturday)/Chapel
6:30 p.m.	Music Rehearsal (9 a.m.)/Sacristy
7 p.m.	Music Rehearsal (11 a.m.)/Chapel
9 p.m.	Ephesians 3/MPR

THURSDAY, JANUARY 24

5:30 p.m.	Al Anon/Merton
7 p.m.	Eucharistic Minister Training/Chapel
7 p.m.	A Walk Through the Catechism/Disciples

FRIDAY, JANUARY 25

1 p.m.	Korean Legion of Mary/Conference
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SATURDAY, JANUARY 26

3:30 p.m.	Music Rehearsal/Chapel
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SUNDAY, JANUARY 27

8 a.m.	Blood Drive/MPR
8 a.m.	Music Rehearsal/Chapel
9 & 11 a.m.	Children's Liturgy/Lima, Merton, Day, & Romero
9 & 11 a.m.	Nursery Open/De Porres
10 a.m.	Music Rehearsal/Chapel
10 a.m.	CEP Classes/All Classrooms
Noon	Korean Community Time/Aquinas
2:30 p.m.	Confirmation Core meeting/Youth Ministry office
3 p.m.	Music Rehearsal/Chapel
3 p.m.	Women's Spirituality/1922 W Broadway
6 p.m.	EDGE/MPR
6:30 p.m.	Music Rehearsal/Chapel
6:45 p.m.	Life Night/103 Waugh Street

Information for the bulletin is due by noon on the Friday before the weekend it is published. Dates may change with upcoming holidays. Please submit to Theresa Nguyen at theresa@comonewman.org.



LOW GLUTEN HOSTS ARE AVAILABLE

If you need low gluten communion hosts, please call the parish office.

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, Jan. 21	10 a.m.	+ Richard Heimbürger
Tuesday, Jan. 22	Noon	+ Gene Speichinger
Wednesday, Jan. 23	Noon	+ Robert Kessler
Thursday, Jan. 24	Noon	E.H. Smith Family
Friday, Jan. 25	Noon	+ Mary Cheavens
Saturday, Jan. 26	5 p.m.	Dinh & +Hanh Nguyen
Sunday, Jan. 27	9 a.m.	+ Jillian Goehl
Sunday, Jan. 27	11 a.m.	+ Ronald Macher & family
Sunday, Jan. 27	5 p.m.	+ Autumn Kelly
Sunday, Jan. 27	8 p.m.	+ Mary Margaret Straub

PARISH FINANCES

December 22-25 Offertory	\$63,850.91
December 29-30 Offertory	\$26,801.71
Month to Date (December)	\$179,812.80
Budget for December	\$197,500.00
Variance	— \$17,687.20
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Diocesan Seminary/Priest Retirement	\$10,464.00
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January 5/6 Offertory	\$37,203.54
Month to Date	\$37,203.54
Budget for Month	\$88,000.000
Variance	— \$50,796.46

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www.comonewman.org/parish/parish-sign-ups

OFFICE CLOSED ON MONDAY

The parish office will be closed on Monday, January 21 and daily Mass will be at 10 a.m. in observance of Martin Luther King Jr. Day.

AWAKEN OUR HEARTS: TRANSFORM OUR COMMUNITY

In this new year — inspired by the Spirit — we are called to discern the ways in which we can move our hearts and our community into deeper relationship with God. This week, you will receive a mailing from the parish about our annual offertory renewal process. This mailing is intended to help you to discern how you may be called to engage more fully in our call as disciples to pray, to study, and to serve. Next Sunday will be "Discernment Sunday" — a time when Fr. Rich will speak at all Masses about this call to discernment. Part of this call includes your plans for giving to the offertory. Not only is this to benefit your own discernment of gifts, but also it allows the parish to plan for the future. We encourage all parishioners to spend time in prayer and discussion with your family reflecting on the mission of the parish and your current level of giving. We look forward to seeing you at Mass next weekend. If you have any questions regarding the annual offertory renewal process, please feel free to contact JoAnn Shull in the parish office.

A WALK THROUGH THE CATECHISM

Those versed in Catholic teaching and those who have never opened the catechism are invited to walk through the basic teachings of our faith. This spring, we will focus on spirituality and morality. This discussion is led by Fr. Reginald on Thursdays in the Disciples Room from 7-8 p.m. The first discussion of the spring semester will be Thursday, January 24.

WOMEN'S SPIRITUALITY

This next session of Women's Spirituality will engage *The Ragged Edge of Night* by Olivia Hawker. It is a deeply moving book that will challenge our notions of what it means to really live a holy life in the midst of the most trying circumstances. If you are interested, buy a copy of the book and begin to read Part 1. Sr. Karen will send you reflection/discussion questions before each gathering. We will meet at 1922 W. Broadway on the lower level of Sr. Karen's home. The same discussion is offered on Sundays from 3-4:30 p.m. and the following Monday from 10-11:30 a.m.:

- January 27 or 28
- February 24 or 25
- March 17 or 18
- April 14 or 15

THE HOLY LAND: A [VIRTUAL] PILGRIMAGE

Not everyone can physically go to the Holy Land, but this virtual pilgrimage will help us travel through the places where Jesus lived and preached. Journeying with renowned New Testament Scholar Fr. Donald Senior, C.P., will enhance our understanding and deepen our prayer. This is led by Sr. Karen on Thursdays in the Disciples Room from 10-11:30 a.m., beginning on Thursday, January 31. Please contact Sr. Karen at srkaren@comonewman.org for a schedule and study materials.



INTERESTED IN WEEKLY ADORATION?

We have Holy Hour every Tuesday and Thursday at 4 p.m. (when MU is in session) and are in need of committed adorers. Please email kelley.burns@comonewman.org if you are interested or for more information.

FR. TOLTON LEGACY SOCIETY

Come join the Fr. Tolton Legacy Societies planning committee as we prepare for the celebration Mass on Sunday, April 7. We would love to have additional parishioners and students join us. We are meeting in Conference Room from 12:15 p.m.-1:30 p.m. on Sunday, January 20 and February 3. We look forward to seeing you.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BRUNCH

The Newman Center Council of the Knights of Columbus will be hosting a fundraising brunch on Sunday, February 3 after the 9 and 11 a.m. Masses in the MPR. On the menu is: sausage, bacon, eggs, pancakes, and biscuits and gravy. Admission by free-will donation. All proceeds will benefit this year's Life Teen trip to the Steubenville Youth Conference.

NEWMAN CENTER ARCHIVES

If your New Year's resolution was to get rid of clutter in your house this year, think about the Newman Archives if you come across a box of church-related "stuff." It could be minutes of committees you were a part of, old photograph albums, or souvenirs from church activities. You can drop off the items in the box marked "Archives" outside the office.

2018 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS

Annual contribution statements will again be sent by email. Our system sends these to the email address of the person listed as "Head of Household." You can check/edit the email address your statement will be sent to by logging into your Breeze account at comonewman.breezechms.com. If you haven't set one up, visit <https://comonewman.breezechms.com/login/create>. Here you will be able to view your giving history as well as make sure your contact information is up to date. Statements will be printed and placed in the Gathering Space next weekend for those who don't have an email registered with us. If you have any issues or questions with Breeze, contact theresa@comonewman.org.

NEWMAN VOLUNTEER CORPS

GIVING TREE THANK YOU

Twenty families from The Voluntary Action Center as well as St. Francis House and Lois Bryant House residents received more than 400 gifts, including 10 bicycles from the Giving Tree this year. Thank you for your generosity this season!



PERSONAL CARE ITEM COLLECTION

Newman Volunteer Corps is collecting items for My Life Clinic's Baby Boutique this month. Their priority items are baby diapers (all sizes), wipes, lotion, body wash, and shampoo. Donations may be placed in the large silver bin in the Turner Street entrance.

Thank you for supporting the Newman Volunteer Corps throughout the year with your prayers and participation in events from B (blood drives) to X (Christmas Giving Tree) and the monthly donations of personal care items for organizations in our community as well as food for The Food Bank's Central Pantry!



TITHING REPORT

December 2018

As a "tithing parish," the Newman Center contributes 5 percent of the offertory each month to nonprofit organizations. You can read more about the organizations we tithe to at:

www.comonewman.org/parish/tithing/

\$507.25	Adult Day Connection
\$608.70	Columbia Meals on Wheels
\$507.25	Coyote Hill Children's Home
\$304.35	Day Dreams Foundation
\$202.90	First Chance for Children
\$507.25	Food Bank of Central/NE MO
\$405.80	Habitat for Humanity
\$405.80	Life Network of Central Missouri
\$507.25	Love, INC.
\$202.90	Spectrum Health Care
\$608.70	St. Francis House
\$405.80	True North
\$507.25	Voluntary Action Center
\$405.80	Welcome Home

COMO LIFE TEEN

REGISTRATION OPEN FOR ANNUAL TRIVIA NIGHT

CoMo Life Teen Trivia Night 2019

Register at: comonewman.org

- Saturday, February 2
- Doors open at 6pm; Trivia starts at 6:30pm
- Newman Center MPR (2nd floor)
- \$120/team of 8
- 10 rounds, 10 questions
- prizes, raffle, and 50/50 drawing
- BYOB (21+) and BYOF (food)

CoMo LIFE TEEN

Join CoMo Life Teen for our annual trivia night on Saturday, February 2! Doors open at 6 p.m.; trivia begins at 6:30 p.m. BYOB (21+) and BYOF (food). Teams of eight cost \$120; sign up on the website today.

LIFE NIGHTS RESUME NEXT WEEK

Life Nights resume with our Spring Kickoff Party on January 27. Join us for dinner, sweet treats, games, and friendship! We meet at the Sacred Heart Education building from 6:45-8:30 p.m. on Sunday nights.

CONFIRMATION: SEND YOUR SPONSOR FORM

Confirmation students: please do not forget to send in your sponsor's good standing form to Renee. In addition, if you have missed a class, please do not forget to make it up with Renee by filling out the chapter in the textbook and discussing it with her.

SAVE THE DATE: LUKE 18

The Luke 18 retreat will take place April 5-7. We're looking forward to this wonderful retreat with our eighth graders! Stay tuned for more information.

CEP & EDGE

NO KIDS MINISTRIES THIS WEEK

There will not be Children's Liturgy and the Nursery will be closed Sunday, January 20 because of the holiday. But we'll be back for January 27!

CEP & EDGE RESUMES

Wednesday CEP class and EDGE Bible study will be back on January 23. Sunday CEP & EDGE Nights resume on Sunday, January 27.

FIRST COMMUNION PARENT MEETINGS

Parents of kids who are in second grade or older are welcome to join us either Wednesday, January 30 at 6:15 p.m. or Sunday, February 3 at 12:15 p.m. for a brief meeting to kick-start this year's preparations. If you have had a child prepare at Newman in the last three years, be in touch by email, but attendance will not be required. Childcare will be available on the February 3 only.

KIDS' CORNER

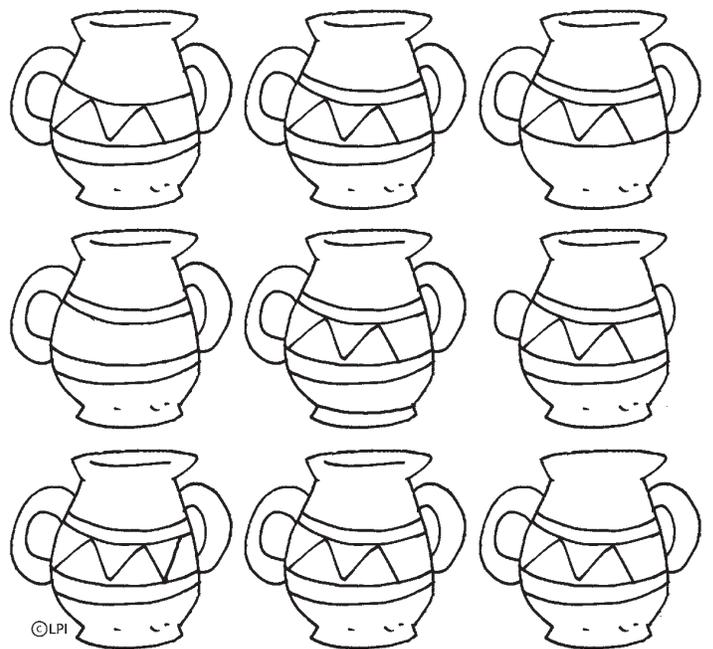
For Kids: The miracle Jesus performed was so kind to the family giving the wedding. What kind thing can you do for your family this week?

For Parents: Weddings are used as an image for God's Kingdom because they are celebrations of love, family, and friendship. The miracle is simple kindness to the couple and family. Encourage your family to be generous and considerate to one another this week.



Puzzle

Find the two identical jars.



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ANSWERS: NUMBERS TWO AND EIGHT

CAMPUS MINISTRY

All registrations/RSVPs for campus ministry are found on the website under Event Sign Ups: www.comonewman.org/campus-ministry/cmsignup

INTERN WITH NEWMAN

Are you interested in serving the Church and gaining valuable ministry experience? Consider applying for one of Newman's internships! Positions are as follows:

- Life Teen Intern (15 hours weekly during semester and 8 weeks in summer, \$8.60 per hour)
- Parish Interns (10 hours weekly during the semesters, \$8.60 per hour)
 - Communications Intern
 - Technology Intern
 - Religious Education Intern (Pre-K-5)
 - EDGE Intern (grades 6-8)
 - Development Intern
 - Liturgy Intern
 - Social Justice Intern

Applications for internships are due Friday, February 15. Visit the Sign Ups page ([link above](#)) for more information. Contact Angelle Hall at angelle.hall@comonewman.org for any questions.

TOTUSTUUS

Joe Dobrynski, a representative from the Archdioceses of St. Louis, will be at Newman on Thursday, January 24 to talk to anyone interested in learning more about the internship and teaching opportunities in their Totus Tuus program this summer. They are looking for dynamic college students to fill these leadership positions. You can visit with Joe following daily Mass on Thursday or schedule an appointment to meet with him that afternoon (see the sign ups page above). You can also visit www.stlyouth.org for more information.

JESUIT VOLUNTEER CORPS

The Jesuit Volunteer Corps is offering several upcoming information sessions, lead by alumni, about post-graduate service opportunities with JVC. The Priority Deadline for registration is January 25. Register here: <https://bit.ly/2AKaBs4>.

Here are the upcoming webinars:

Serving in Education

1/23: Erin Malone served in Newark and attended University of Wisconsin – Stevens Point

2/1: Catherine DiSarno served in Houston and attended Rockhurst University



EPHESIANS 3 (E3)'S BACK!

Join us this Wednesday for the first E3 of the semester! Ephesians 3 is an hour of prayer, a talk, praise and worship music, and fellowship. We meet at 9 p.m. in the MPR every week.

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CHRISTMAS FLOWERS OFFERINGS



Our Christmas flowers were made possible this year by the contributions made in honor and memory of the following people:

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| Sungwoo Park | Rodney Meyer |
| Youngmok Kim | Jim Pringle |
| Cathy Hays | Nomi |
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