

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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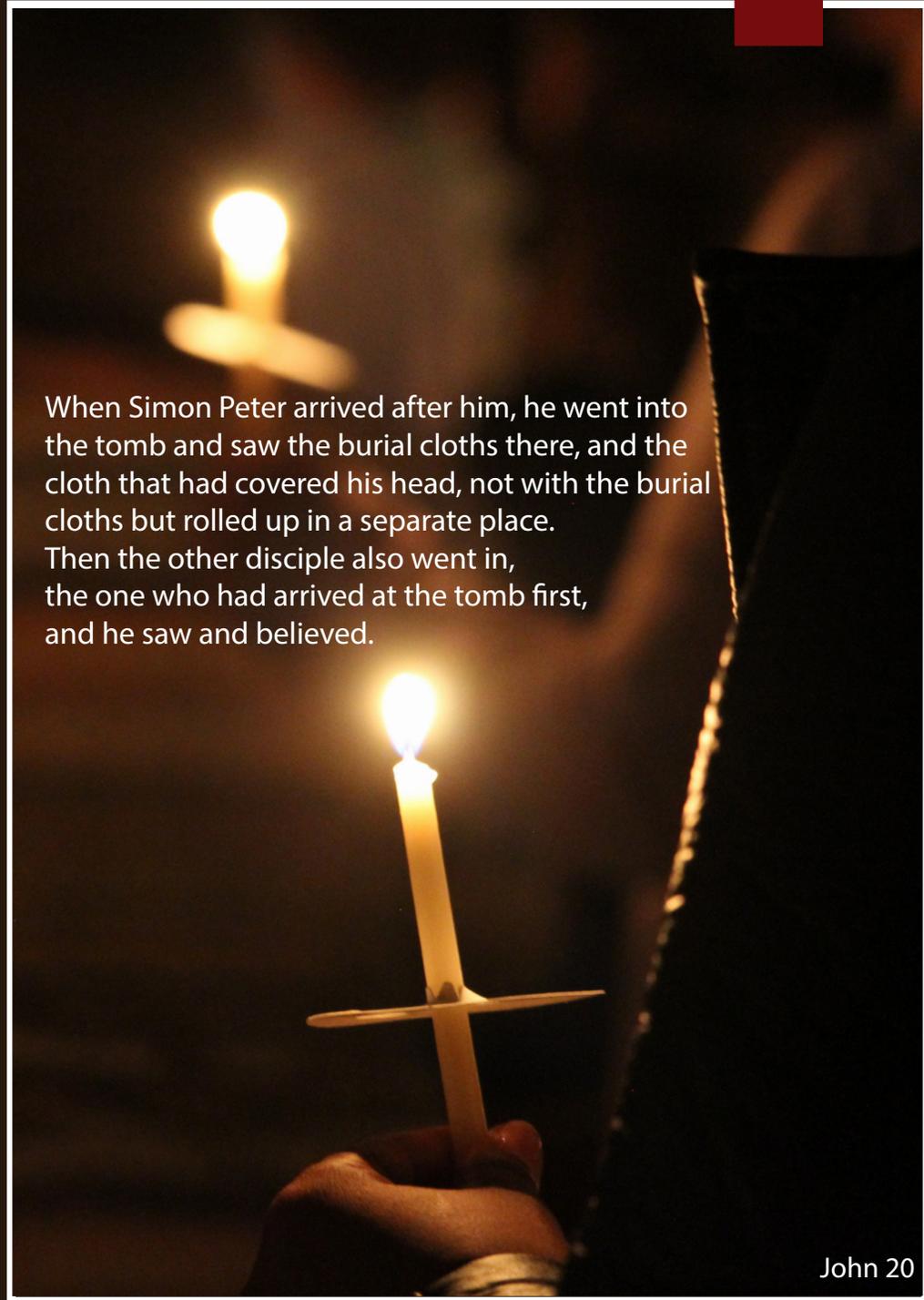


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PHOTO OF THE WEEK**



 **@ascjvocations**
Thanks to @comonewman and the retreat directors for this past week's #BusyPersonsRetreat. The Holy Spirit is alive and well. #ApostleFire #ursulinesisters



When Simon Peter arrived after him, he went into the tomb and saw the burial cloths there, and the cloth that had covered his head, not with the burial cloths but rolled up in a separate place. Then the other disciple also went in, the one who had arrived at the tomb first, and he saw and believed.

John 20

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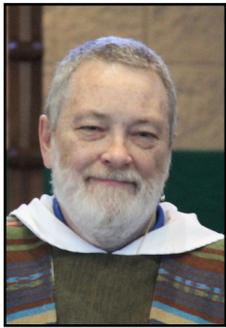
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LET US REJOICE AND BE GLAD



FR. RICH
Servant Leader

As we enter the Liturgy of the Word at the Easter vigil, appropriately, the opening is Genesis, Chapter 1, verse 1: In the beginning, when God created the heavens and the earth, the earth was a formless wasteland, and darkness covered the abyss, while a mighty wind swept over the waters. Then God said, "Let there be light," and there was light. God saw how good the light was. God then separated the light from the darkness. God called the light "day," and the darkness he called "night." Thus evening came, and morning followed — the first day. (*Genesis 1:1-5*)

The readings bring us through the journey of the Chosen People. Texts from the Pentateuch, the Psalms of David, and the works of the prophets chronicle the unfolding of God's salvific plan. In the

Letter to the Romans, Paul asks us: "*Brothers and sisters: Are you unaware that we who were baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death?*"

And then St. Paul reminds us: "*We were indeed buried with him through baptism into death, so that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, we too might live in newness of life.*" (*Romans 6:1-4*)

The scripture readings bring us to the Gospel of Luke, who relates the aftermath of the Crucifixion:

They found the stone rolled away from the tomb; but when they entered, they did not find the body of the Lord Jesus. While they were puzzling over this, behold, two men in dazzling garments appeared to them. They were terrified and bowed their faces to the ground. They said to them, "Why do you seek the living one among the dead? He is not here, but he has been raised." (*Luke 24:2-6*)

"He is not here, but he has been raised." The fulfillment of the salvific plan begun in Genesis is offered in nine words. The millennia of suffering, joy, grace, prophecy, and God's unrelenting love condensed into a moment in time: Resurrection! Over the next eight days, we will honor and celebrate that single moment in human history when God's Son shone with such brilliance that sin and death were vanquished.

Those days are themselves condensed into the responsorial psalm for Easter Sunday: "**This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad.**"

The "Alleluias" pour forth as rain from the voices of our choirs. We are called back to the opening verses of Genesis:

Then God said: Let there be light, and there was light. God saw that the light was good. God then separated the light from the darkness. God called the light "day," and the darkness he called "night." Evening came, and morning followed — the first day. (*Genesis 1:3-5*)

The truth is that each day of our lives has been a day made by the Lord. God's creation is an ongoing opportunity for us to experience God's grace. And it's the moment of the Resurrection that brings it to focus. Life, life in God's grace, is an outcome of that moment, and it reaches us, in this time, in this place.

From the moment that God created us and found all that he had created, us included, to be good, God's grace was available. And through our choices we either reject or accept and are blest by that grace.

For the next eight days, the Gospel recounts the post resurrection events, and the manner in which those he loved and who loved him chose to respond to those moments. We get to choose as well. Our own journey, through the Lenten prayer, fasting, and giving, has brought us to this moment: the resurrection. Are we changed by that single moment in history, or have we chosen to remain as we were before?

"This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad."

Not only are we called to rejoice, but to also continue to grow in God's grace through that day and beyond. Blessings and joy for this Easter season!

Fr. Rich, O.P.



DINNER, TALK, ADORATION



Based on Acts 2:42, where the disciples "devoted themselves to the teaching of the apostles and to the communal life, to the breaking of the bread and to the prayers," Newman is hosting a night to deepen your faith, prayer, and community life. Join us on Thursday, May 2 for:

- 5:30 p.m.: Dinner
- 6 p.m.: Nursery open
- 6 p.m.: Praise & Worship
- 6:15 p.m.: Talk on the Resurrection
- 6:35 p.m.: Adoration, Praise & Worship

The night will end at 7:30 p.m. Please RSVP on the Parish Sign Ups page if you plan on coming for dinner and/or using the Nursery. All are welcome!

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK



April 28 | Second Sunday of Easter

Acts 5:12-16; Psalm 118

Revelations 1:9-11, 12-13, 17-19

John 20:19-31

**LIBRARY HOURS THIS WEEK**

Tuesday, Thursday, Sunday: 10 a.m. to Noon
 Wednesday: 6:30-7:30 p.m.

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

MONDAY, APRIL 22 — OFFICE CLOSED

7 p.m. Baptismal Preparation Class/Disciples
 7 p.m. Music Rehearsal Student Choir/MPR
 7 p.m. RCIA/Chapel
 9:30 p.m. Power Hour/Chapel

TUESDAY, APRIL 23

10:30 a.m. "Why Stay Catholic?"/Disciples
 6:30 p.m. Boy Scouts Troop 121/MPR
 7 p.m. Parish Council/Aquinas
 8 p.m. E3 Band Practice/MPR
 8 p.m. Adult Confirmation Class/Disciples

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24

6:15 p.m. First Communion Run Through/Day
 6:15 p.m. CEP Classes/All Classrooms
 6:15 p.m. EDGE Bible Study/Disciples
 6:30 p.m. Student Pastoral Council/Angelle's office
 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, APRIL 25

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

FRIDAY, APRIL 26**SATURDAY, APRIL 27**

8 a.m. ForColumbia
 3:30 p.m. Music Rehearsal/Chapel
 8 p.m. Campus Ministry Formal/Courtyard

SUNDAY, APRIL 28

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. CEP Classes/All Classrooms
 10 a.m. Music Rehearsal/Chapel
 Noon Korean Community Time/Aquinas
 2:30 p.m. Confirmation Core Team/Youth Ministry office
 3 p.m. Music Rehearsal
 6 p.m. EDGE/MPR
 6:30 p.m. Music Rehearsal/Traditions Plaza
 8 p.m. Mass on the Quad/Traditions Plaza

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.

WELCOME!

Welcome to Newman! If you frequently attend Mass with us, please consider registering here so we can better serve you. Registration forms are in the Gathering Space under the TV, in the parish office, or online on our website (www.comonewman.org). Thank you for being part of our faith community!

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, April 22	Noon	† Harold & †Theresa Hall
Tuesday, April 23	Noon	† Anastasia & †Edward Inderski
Wednesday, April 24	Noon	Rita Walch
Thursday, April 25	Noon	† Walter Meyer
Friday, April 26	Noon	† Harold Hall
Saturday, April 27	5 p.m.	Dinh & †Hanh Nguyen
Sunday, April 28	9 a.m.	
Sunday, April 28	11 a.m.	† Jillian Goehl
Sunday, April 28	5 p.m.	
Sunday, April 28	8 p.m.	All Parishioners

PARISH FINANCES

The April 13/14 parish finance report will be published in next weekend's bulletin.

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All registrations/RSVPs are found on the website under Parish Sign Ups:
www.comonewman.org/parish/parish-sign-ups

OFFICE CLOSED

The Parish Office will be closed on Easter Monday (April 22). We apologize for any inconvenience.

PHOTO DIRECTORY PICK-UP

Thank you to all those who participated in taking photos for our Life Touch Photo Directory this year! If you have not yet picked up your directory, please see Theresa in the parish office or contact her at theresa@comonewman.org.

FIRST COMMUNION MASSES

We have a large group of students celebrating First Communion next Sunday, April 28 at the 11 a.m. Mass and on Saturday, May 4 at the 5 p.m. Mass. You are welcome to join us if you can, and please pray for our students and families!

COLUMBIA VOCATIONS APPRECIATION DINNER

The three Columbia Knights of Columbus Councils will be hosting the Third Annual Columbia Vocations Appreciation Dinner honoring the men and women religious of the Columbia community. The dinner is on Friday, May 3 at the Knights of Columbus Hall. Social Hour begins at 6 p.m. with dinner served at 7 p.m. Tickets are \$25 each and will be available in the Gathering Space after Masses next weekend, April 27/28, or online at MizzouKnights.org. All proceeds will support religious vocations.

YOU'RE INVITED — PARISH TOWN HALLS



Hear 3-5 year goals for the parish

Give input

Wednesday, May 8 | 6:15-7:30 p.m.
Thursday, May 9 | 10-11:30 a.m.
Sunday, May 12 | 1-2:30 p.m.
*all in the MPR (second floor)

Starting with the Parish Survey this past December, we have been working on a strategic plan for the parish for the next 3-5 years. We are now at the point where we would like to share the progress and gather input from all parishioners — both students and residents — on the goals we have for the next year. We will have three Town Hall sessions, to be held in the MPR (second floor by the elevator). Please consider attending one of the following dates:

- Wednesday, May 8 from 6:15-7:30 p.m.
- Thursday, May 9 from 10-11:30 a.m.
- Sunday, May 12 from 1-2:30 p.m.

CHARIOT OF CHARITY VISIT

Come tour the Chariot of Charity and learn about the services provided by Catholic Charities of Central and Northern Missouri. Diane Elam, staff member at CCCNMO, will be here on Sunday, May 5 after the 9 and 11 a.m. Masses. Coffee and Donuts will be served. To learn more about the Chariot of Charity, visit the Catholic Missourian article at: catholicmissourianonline.com/bishop-blesses-catholic-charities-chariot-of-charity,861. Contact Susan Devaney with questions at devaney.susan@gmail.com.

CONFIRMATION MASS

Please be aware that the Confirmation Mass will be on Saturday, May 11 at the 5 p.m. vigil Mass. There might not be as much seating as there usually is, and Mass may go a bit longer, but anyone is welcome to attend!

HOST FAMILIES NEEDED FOR CHOIR

Newman will be hosting the Land of Lakes Choirboys on June 18 for a concert! The Choirboys are in need of host families who can provide lodging (as well as transportation to and from Newman) for two or more boys overnight on June 18. Host families must be VIRTUS trained prior to the date of the concert. If you are interested, please contact Kelley at kelley.burns@comonewman.org.

VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION DINNER

Thank you to all the wonderful volunteers that support Newman! We'd like to appreciate you at a Volunteer Appreciation Dinner on Tuesday, May 21 from 5-7 p.m. in the MPR. If you have not yet RSVP'd, please do so on the Parish Sign Ups page or contact Theresa at theresa@comonewman.org

NEWMAN VOLUNTEER CORPS

APRIL PERSONAL ITEMS COLLECTION

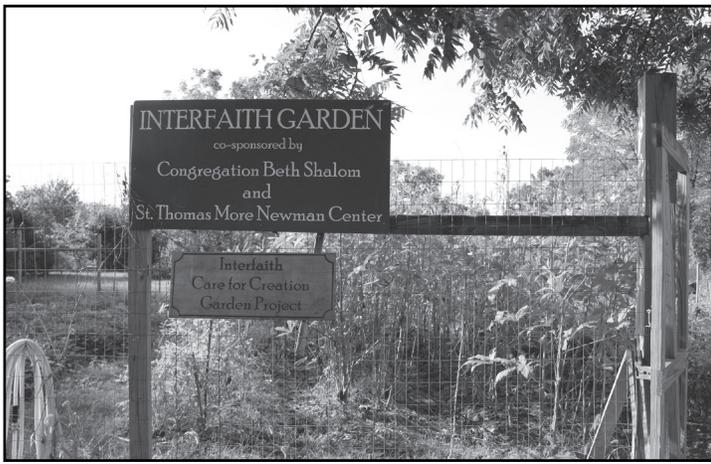
This month, Newman Volunteer Corps is collecting diapers (all sizes) and baby wipes as part of the ForColumbia city-wide day of service. Donations may be placed in the large silver bin in the Turner Street entrance. Thank you for the generous response to the collection for Tiger Pantry in March!



SUPPORT OUR SISTER PARISH



Our goal for this year's Lenten Project, benefitting our Sister Parish in El Salvador, is \$9,000. Currently, we have raised over \$2,416.25. The funds for the Lenten Project will support the empowerment of women and youth in our Sister Parish in La Libertad, El Salvador. Lenten Project goals include organic agricultural training, establishing micro-loan groups, and supporting youth training in dance, theater, band, and leadership. Visit www.comonewman.org/lent or the table in the Gathering Space to learn more about this year's Lenten Project and how you can support our Sister Parish.



VOLUNTEER FOR THE INTERFAITH GARDEN

For the past 10 years, Newman has joined efforts with Congregation Beth Shalom in their garden plot to grow fruit and vegetables for the needy in Columbia. By practicing organic gardening, we are taking part in the conservation of our land and water and the protection of all forms of life from exposure to chemicals used in conventional farming. We offer the opportunity for our volunteers to learn more about composting, gardening, food cycles, mother nature, and many other parts of God's creation. We invite people of all faiths who enjoy gardening and feeding the poor to help us in this endeavor. We have two workdays: Sunday and Wednesday mornings. We have an urgent need of volunteers on Wednesday mornings. Children, under the supervision of their parents, are welcome, too. No gardening experience necessary as on-the-job training will be provided. Please call Lily Chan at 573-289-3792 or lilyhchan@gmail.com if you are interested.

COMO LIFE TEEN



CONFIRMATION STUDENTS

Confirmation students have their rehearsal on Sunday, April 28 from 3:30-4:30 p.m. at Newman. Sponsors are not required to be at this rehearsal. Please pray for our Confirmation candidates as we are less than a month away from the ceremony!

SUMMER SCHEDULE

We're excited to release the CoMo Life Teen Summer Schedule! We hope you can make all of the fun events we have planned. Mark your calendars now for our summer kick-off picnic on Saturday, June 1. We'll meet at Noon in Newman's courtyard to enjoy food and yard games. The MPR will be our rain location.

Summer Schedule 2019

- June 1: Summer Kick-off Picnic at Newman, Noon
- July 9: Summer Service
- July 19-21: Steubenville
- July 30: Souls & Goals at Lourdes, 7 p.m.
- August 7: Pool Party at Southwest Swim Club
- September 8: Fall Kick-off Party

Bible & Breakfast — 10 a.m. at Newman Disciples Room

Join us for Bible study and a yummy breakfast!

- June 14: Nicodemus
- June 28: The Sower and The Seeds
- July 12: Following the Good Shepherd
- July 26: Rock and Sand
- August 9: Our Lifeguard



WE PRAY

for our Newman Community

For those who are sick.

For our beloved dead. Eternal rest grant unto them and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen.

Pope Francis' April Prayer Intention: For doctors and their humanitarian collaborators in war zones, who risk their lives to save the lives of others.

Bishop McKnight's April Prayer Intention: For a more welcoming and hospitable environment in the Catholic communities of our parishes, schools, and hospitals; that the Kingdom of Heaven may be experienced here on earth in our works of charity and mercy.

Call the Parish Office to request prayers or to have the Eucharist brought to the homebound. Names will be listed for two weeks.

AROUND TOWN

LOCAL FAMILY IN NEED OF DONATIONS

The Literacy Action Corps of Columbia works with a family from Iraq who have recently moved into a house with little furniture and no washer or dryer. Any donated furniture or appliances would be greatly appreciated. Thank you for considering their needs. Please contact Denise Geiger at 573-446-0891 for more information or for a donation pick-up.

UPCOMING EVENTS AT TOLTON

- **Estate Planning 101 — April 29:** The Community Foundation of Central Missouri and Fr. Tolton Catholic High School will partner to offer a free panel session, open to the public, on April 29 at 5:30 p.m. in the Tolton Catholic Library. You will hear from a panel of local experts from whom you can expect to learn about: having a will, updating estate plans, minimizing tax burden, maximizing philanthropic impact, changes in federal and estate law, and popular planned giving. Refreshments will be provided. RSVPs are encouraged to Jill McIntosh at 573.445.7700 or jmcintosh@toltoncatholic.org.
- **Music Festival — April 30:** The Fr. Tolton Music Department will be hosting their annual Music Festival featuring Choir, Band, and Solo performances by our talented musicians on April 30 at 5 p.m. There will be a delicious BBQ dinner catered by David Rowe owner of "D. Rowe's Restaurant and Bar" in Columbia. Tickets are \$15 per person for 15 years of age and older. Tolton Catholic students eat free when accompanied by a parent and kids under 15 eat for free, so bring the family! Tickets are available for purchase through the main office.
- **10th Annual Tolton Golf Classic — May 6:** Put together a foursome for the Tolton Golf Classic to benefit the school's tuition assistance fund! The tournament will take place at Country Club of Missouri on Monday, May 6 with a 12:30 p.m. shotgun start. Registration and lunch begin at 11 a.m. Cost is \$600 for a four-person team or \$150 for an individual. To register, contact Laura Sasser at lsasser@toltoncatholic.org or 573-445-7700.

