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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:

Weekday: 8:30-9:30 a.m.

## OFFICE HOURS:

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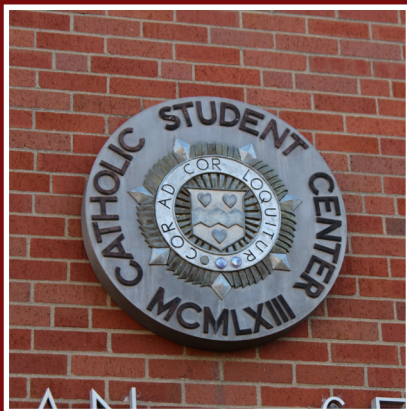
8 a.m.-Noon & 12:30-4:30 p.m.

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PHOTO OF THE WEEK**



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#CountdowntoCanonization

Three years after Newman's death in 1890, the first Newman Club for Catholic students was established at the University of Pennsylvania. Newman was beatified in 2010 by Pope Benedict XVI after Deacon Jack Sullivan, of Boston, was healed of his spine injuries through the intercession of Newman.

**"We ought ever to lift up our hearts in gratitude to God."**



**Saint John Henry Newman  
Canonized 10.13.2019**

*Newman's Coat of Arms*

*Photo courtesy of [www.newmancanonisation.com](http://www.newmancanonisation.com)*

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## WHY "NEWMAN" CENTERS?



**DR. JILL RAITT**  
*Newman Parishioner*

This Sunday, October 13, Pope Francis will canonize the Englishman, Blessed John Henry Newman. Some of the reasons for Newman's canonization as a saint are also the reasons why centers that serve the religious needs of Catholic students on non-Catholic campuses are named "Newman Centers." These are first, his holy life lived in the service of the Church, a holiness marked by heart-to-heart, *cor ad cor* prayer, his service as a theologian and educator, and his devotional writing.

John Henry Newman (1801-1890) was an Oxford student then professor, an ordained Anglican priest, a convert to the Roman Catholic Church, and a Catholic priest and member of the Congregation of the Oratory. He was founder of the Catholic University of Ireland that in 1909 was absorbed into the National University of Ireland. In 1879 when Pope Leo XIII made Newman a cardinal, an honor he accepted on condition of not being ordained a bishop, Newman understood his calling and his road to holiness through heart-to-heart listening to and conversing with God. As a pastor and as an educator, he wanted always to touch minds, but never without also touching hearts. His great contributions in actions and in writings are in education: *The Idea of a University* still read by educators today as an ideal for higher education; in sermons and poetry, for example: "the Dream of Gerontius" and the hymn, "Lead Kindly Light"; and as a theologian.

### Newman's Holy Life

*Meditations and Devotions*, gathered and published after Newman's death, are available today in many editions and a variety of contents. In a brief look at the contents of the edition edited by Ian Ker, a noted Newman scholar, we find his devotions for the month of May are devoted to the Virgin Mary, while in *John Henry Newman: Selected Sermons (The Classics of Western Spirituality)*, we find Newman's conviction that the source of true piety is sound teaching. Here is one of his best known hymns: Lead Kindly Light.

Lead, kindly Light, amid th'encircling gloom;  
Lead thou me on!  
The night is dark, and I am far from home;  
Lead thou me on!  
Keep thou my feet; I do not ask to see  
The distant scene — one step enough for me.

I was not ever thus, nor pray'd that thou  
Shouldst lead me on.  
I loved to choose and see my path; but now,  
Lead thou me on!  
I loved the garish day, and, spite of fears,  
Pride ruled my will. Remember not past years.

So long thy pow'r hath blest me, sure it still  
Will lead me on  
O'er moor and fen, o'er crag and torrent, till  
The night is gone.  
And with the morn those angel faces smile,  
Which I have loved long since, and lost awhile!

### Newman, the Theologian

When Newman turned to patristic studies, he became convinced that there had to be a firm authority protecting the church from error in the midst of so much seemingly valid argument and sometimes not-so-valid beard pulling among the bishops and theologians attending the early and always contentious councils. That authority, he determined, was the Catholic Church, and he was led to his conversion to the Roman Catholic Church. He also understood that doctrine develops (*Essay on the Development of Christian Doctrine*) that presents the fruit of his struggle to accept the doctrine of Infallibility. Before he could convert to the Roman Catholic Church, he had to struggle with the idea of the church as infallible and in time, the definition of Vatican I (1871) that the pope is infallible when he defines a doctrine concerning faith or morals was held by the whole church.



*Portrait of John Henry Newman, in the Birmingham Oratory*  
*Photo courtesy of Catholic Church in England and Wales*

### Newman, the Student and Educator

His study of the Council of Nicaea (325) also convinced Newman of the importance of an educated laity. Newman's extended study of the council of Nicaea and its aftermath convinced him that it was not enough for the council, the *Ecclesia docens* (Teaching Church), to defend the divinity of Christ and the equality of the three Persons of the Trinity, but that the heresy of Arianism might have prevailed had not the majority of the laity, the *ecclesia discens* (Learning Church), rejected Arius's subordinationism. Arius argued that God the Father is the only eternal, creator God; the Son is a subordinate created god, god Jr. so to speak; and the Holy Spirit is a kind of messenger god, subordinate to the Son. The Nicene Creed that we say every Sunday affirms the equal divinity of all three Persons of the Trinity. Newman was deeply impressed by the necessary role of the faithful in the final defeat of Arianism.

As a student at Oxford, as a professor, as a pastor, and as the author of the still influential *Idea of a University*, in every aspect of his life, Newman was a student and scholar, one who studies throughout life, and an educator, one who shares not only content and method, but also the love of learning itself that must — as did the greatest educator, Christ — educate the heart: *cor ad cor* loquiter, *heart speaks to heart*.

*Dr. Jill Raitt*

**LIBRARY CLOSED THIS SEMESTER**

For the full catalog listing of the library, visit:

[www.comonewman.org/dbd-ministries/kemper-library](http://www.comonewman.org/dbd-ministries/kemper-library)**MONDAY, OCTOBER 14**

6 p.m.	Newman Night at the Food Bank
6 p.m.	Mass Planning Team Meeting/Aquinas
7 p.m.	RCIA/MPR
7:15 p.m.	Student Choir Rehearsal/Chapel
9:30 p.m.	Power Hour/Chapel

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 15**

6:30 p.m.	Boy Scouts Troop 121/MPR
6:30 p.m.	Boy Scouts Troop 242/Lima
7 p.m.	Newman Needleworks/Romero
7 p.m.	Knights of Columbus/Aquinas

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 16**

6:15 p.m.	CEP Classes/Second Floor Classrooms
6:30 p.m.	EDGE Bible Study/Disciples
6:30 p.m.	Student Pastoral Council/Conference
6:30 p.m.	Choir Rehearsal (9am)/Chapel
6:30 p.m.	Choir Rehearsal (5pm Sat)/Liturgy Office
7 p.m.	Choir Rehearsal (11am)/Chapel
7:45 p.m.	Mizzou CSA Exec/Conference
9 p.m.	Ephesians 3/MPR

**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17**

10 a.m.	Adult Faith Formation: Cracking the Code/MPR
6 p.m.	Young Adult Craft Night/MPR

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18**

6:30 p.m.	First Reconciliation Family Event/MPR
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**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19**

3:30 p.m.	Music Rehearsal/Chapel
6:30 p.m.	Korean Mass/Chapel

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20**

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/Second Floor Classrooms
10 a.m.	Music Rehearsal/Chapel
3 p.m.	Music Rehearsal/Chapel
6 p.m.	EDGE/MPR
6:30 p.m.	Music Rehearsal/Chapel
6:45 p.m.	Life Night/Sacred Heart Education Building

**LOW GLUTEN HOSTS ARE AVAILABLE**

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

**THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK**

Pray always without becoming weary

**October 20 | 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Exodus 17:8-13; Psalm 121

2 Timothy 3:14—4:2; Luke 18:1-8

**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](http://www.comonewman.org)). Thank you for being part of our faith community!

**MASS INTENTIONS**

Monday, Oct. 14	Noon	+ Wally Lembeck
Tuesday, Oct. 15	Noon	+ Jim Moore
Wednesday, Oct. 16	Noon	+ Don & +Chetty Pardee
Thursday, Oct. 17	Noon	+ Dorothy Wegman
Friday, Oct. 18	Noon	+ Frank Miles
Saturday, Oct. 19	5 p.m.	Dinh & +Hanh Nguyen
Sunday, Oct. 20	9 a.m.	+ Marcella Cook
Sunday, Oct. 20	11 a.m.	+ Ron Frederick
Sunday, Oct. 20	5 p.m.	+ Nancy Wetherell
Sunday, Oct. 20	8 p.m.	All Parishioners

**PARISH FINANCES****October 5/6**

Offertory	\$34,832.85
Month-to-Date	\$34,832.85
Budget for month	\$108,000.00
Variance	— \$73,167.15

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## NEWMAN NEWS

➤ All registrations/RSVPs are found on the website under *Parish Sign Ups*:

[www.comonewman.org/parish/parish-sign-ups](http://www.comonewman.org/parish/parish-sign-ups)

### VIRTUS SAFE ENVIRONMENT TRAININGS

This training is required for all those volunteering with minors and is recommended for any adult who interacts with children on a regular basis. It deals with the subject of child abuse in order to help adults create safe spaces for children. The trainings are on Sunday, October 13 at 6 p.m. in the MPR and Tuesday, October 22 at 6:30 p.m. in the Disciples Room. Please register in advance on the *Parish Sign Ups* page. There is also a background check and other paperwork that will be a part of the sign-up process; contact Emily at [emily.shull@comonewman.org](mailto:emily.shull@comonewman.org) with questions.

### RCIA INQUIRY SESSION

Anyone interested in learning more about the process of becoming Catholic is invited to an RCIA (Rite of Catholic Initiation of Adults) information session on Sunday, October 13 at 6:30 p.m. in the Disciples Room (second floor). Contact Lisa Rose at [lisa.rose@comonewman.org](mailto:lisa.rose@comonewman.org) with questions.

### INTERNATIONAL WOMEN GROUP

This women's group brings the American women of the parish together with the international women of the parish to learn about other cultures and make new friends. The next gathering is on Monday, October 14 at 10 a.m. The group will meet at Hyemi's house: 2509 Saint Regis Court. Please contact Hyemi at [whitesharks82@gmail.com](mailto:whitesharks82@gmail.com) or (608) 286-0290 if you will be able to attend.

### JOB OPENING: ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF MUSIC & LITURGY

**WE'RE  
HIRING!**

We are hiring an Assistant Director of Music & Liturgy! This is a fulltime position starting January 2020. Responsibilities include directing the 5 p.m. Saturday Mass choir, coordinating special liturgies (weddings, funerals, confirmation, etc.),

and overseeing liturgical ministry trainings. To see the full job description and qualifications, visit [www.comonewman.org/parish/sunday-news](http://www.comonewman.org/parish/sunday-news). Interested applicants should send a letter of interest and a resume with three references by November 8 to Kelley Burns at [kelley.burns@comonewman.org](mailto:kelley.burns@comonewman.org).

### YOUNG ADULTS CRAFT NIGHT

All young adults (graduates and professionals in their 20's and 30's) are invited for a night of painting on Thursday, October 17 from 6-8 p.m. in the MPR. We'll provide the art supplies; bring your own snacks and drinks. You can paint at your own rate, follow along with Bob Ross on the projector, or just come to meet new friends. There will also be a painting station for kids. Contact Theresa at [theresa@comonewman.org](mailto:theresa@comonewman.org) with questions.



### SAVE THE DATE: ANNUAL TRI-PARISH WOMEN'S RETREAT

Mark your calendars for the fifth annual Tri-Parish Women's Retreat on Saturday, February 29, 2020. It will take place in the MPR from 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. with brunch. Stay tuned for more information in upcoming bulletins!

### INTERESTED IN JOINING THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS?

The Knights of Columbus is an international Order of Catholic men who are called to lead with faith, protect our families, serve others, and defend values in a busy changing world. Newman Center Council #7231 will be holding a membership drive at all Masses the weekend of October 19-20. Whether you become an individual member or a member of our council, you will find that Knights of Columbus membership brings Catholic men together in a powerful way. If you would like to join today, visit [KofC.org/joinus](http://KofC.org/joinus) and enter our council 7231 for more information, or contact [MizzouKnights@gmail.com](mailto:MizzouKnights@gmail.com).

## AROUND TOWN



### OLLIS — KINDERGARTEN ENROLLMENT

OLLIS has begun accepting names for the kindergarten list 2022-2023. Visit [www.ollisk8.org](http://www.ollisk8.org) to complete the application, and then submit the \$40 fee to the OLLIS office. They are still accepting applications for the 2020-2021 and 2021-2022 classes.

## CATHOLIC STEWARDSHIP APPEAL



**Catholic**  
STEWARDSHIP APPEAL

The Catholic Stewardship Appeal will officially begin in our parish next weekend. In the next couple of weeks, you will receive a letter from Bishop McKnight inviting you to participate in this year's appeal. If each of our families would give a small portion of their income, we would easily reach our parish goal. As you reflect on the information about the CSA and the life of our Church, please remember that we are called to give out of gratitude.



## NEWMAN VOLUNTEER CORPS

### OCTOBER PERSONAL ITEMS COLLECTION



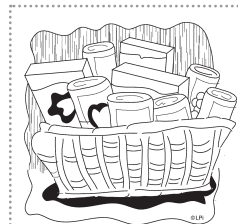
This month, Newman Volunteer Corps is collecting items for Coyote Hill. Requested items include Axe and Dove roll-on deodorant, toothpaste, liquid laundry detergent, toilet bowl cleaner, dishwasher soap (liquids or pods), paper towels, and toilet paper. Donations may be placed in the large silver bin in the Turner Street entrance. Donations can also be sent to their address: 9501 W. Coyote Hill Rd. | Harrisburg, MO 65256. Thanks to all those who donated to Turning Point in September!

### NEWMAN NIGHT AT THE FOOD BANK

The next Newman Night at the Food Bank is Monday, October 14 from 6-8 p.m. Our usual night is the second Monday of each month. The Food Bank depends on volunteer groups, such as ours, to repack food for the recipients. In September, we repackaged carrots. Thanks so much to all who came, especially first timers! Please come if you can, and bring a friend! The Food Bank requires that volunteers wear closed-toed shoes and to arrive by 6 p.m. If you have questions, please call Gloria Young at 573-673-3070. The Food Bank's address is 2101 Vandiver Drive.

### WARM UP COLUMBIA

Newman is once again participating in Warm Up Columbia, a program offered by the Voluntary Action Center (VAC) to provide winter items for our neighbors in need. Please bring your gently used and clean coats, jackets, blankets, hats, gloves, scarves, and socks this week (October 14-23) for this important collection! The bin to collect these items will be in the Gathering Space. If you have any questions, email [nvc@comonewman.org](mailto:nvc@comonewman.org).



### CENTRAL PANTRY COLLECTION

September Total: 212 pounds

Thank you for your donations! Donate at the bin in the Turner Street entrance.

## COMO LIFE TEEN

### UPCOMING LIFE NIGHTS

Join us for Life Night tonight, where we'll be continuing our series on Catholic Social Teaching! Our next Life Night is tonight (October 13), and we'll be talking about caring for creation. For our full Fall schedule, find us on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram at [@comolifeteen](https://www.instagram.com/comolifeteen). We meet for Life Nights on Sundays from 6:45-8:30 p.m. at the Sacred Heart Education building. Join us for dinner, friends, and games!

### FALL RETREAT: REGISTRATION CLOSING

Register now before it's too late! All teens are invited to join us November 1-3 at Camp Trinity for a weekend of prayer, canoeing, hayrides, friends and more! The theme this year is "Search." Come find what you're searching for! Registration can be found on the *Parish Sign Ups* page and will close October 15, so don't wait!



## WE PRAY

*for our Newman Community*

For those who are sick, especially Paul Rost, *brother of a parishioner*, and Jason Norris, *son of Alan Norris*.

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

*Pope Francis' October Prayer Intention:* That the breath of the Holy Spirit engender a new missionary "spring" in the Church.

*Bishop McKnight's October Prayer Intention:* For the cessation of violence; that our communities foster a culture of life and peace by recognizing the dignity of every human being, made in the image and likeness of God.

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

## A STEWARD'S WAY

### LEAVING YOUR LEGACY AT NEWMAN

After taking care of your family, would you consider including Newman in your will? Often times, we assume that only the wealthy are able to make charitable contributions upon their passing. This, however, is not true.

Planned gifts, at their core, are simply your last act of stewardship. Often, a planned gift can represent an individual's or family's most impactful act of stewardship and can leave a positive legacy that lives on well after they are gone. When you plan your estate through a will or trust, you have the option to leave a bequest. A bequest is a term describing leaving a gift through your will or estate plan.

There are four types of bequests, and many wills contain more than one type:

1. General bequests: gifts taken from an estate's general assets
2. Demonstrative bequests: gifts that come from an explicit source (such as a particular bank account)
3. Specific bequests: gifts of property, like a family heirloom, cash, or real estate.
4. Residuary gifts: gifts made after all of the debts and expenses are paid, and other bequests are made. These are typically a percentage of the remainder of the estate.

Be sure that your wishes are well known to your family or a lawyer. Generally, the process of setting up a charitable bequest begins with your attorney drawing up a will. Even more importantly, be sure to inform the charity of your intention to support them with your charitable bequest. Without providing them with specifics, you can't be confident that the charity will be able to accept the gift or use it as you intended. At Newman, we want to be able to appreciate you now and ensure that the legacy you wish to leave for your faith community is honored through your gift. If you have already included the parish in your will or wish begin the process of doing so, you can contact JoAnn Shull in the parish office for more information.



## CEP & EDGE

### CEP & EDGE SERVICE PROJECT: SPAGHETTI SUPPER

The All-Parish Spaghetti Supper will be Wednesday, October 23. We're looking for kids and adults to help cook from 3:45-5:15 p.m. or to serve from 5-6:15 p.m. Dinner wraps up at 6:30 p.m. Emily and Rebecca will be there to direct the team. Contact [emily.shull@comone Newman.org](mailto:emily.shull@comone Newman.org) for more information.

### FIRST RECONCILIATION FAMILY EVENT

Families preparing for First Reconciliation are invited to join us on Friday, October 18 or Sunday, November 3 for activity stations on the sacrament and to meet other families in the program. Childcare will be available at both events for siblings, so a parent can accompany the student preparing for Reconciliation.

### NO CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES OCTOBER 27

There will be no kids ministries (CEP, Children's Liturgy, or the Nursery) on Sunday, October 27 due to the college Awakenings retreat. We will be without many of our student volunteers and some staff who will be on the retreat.

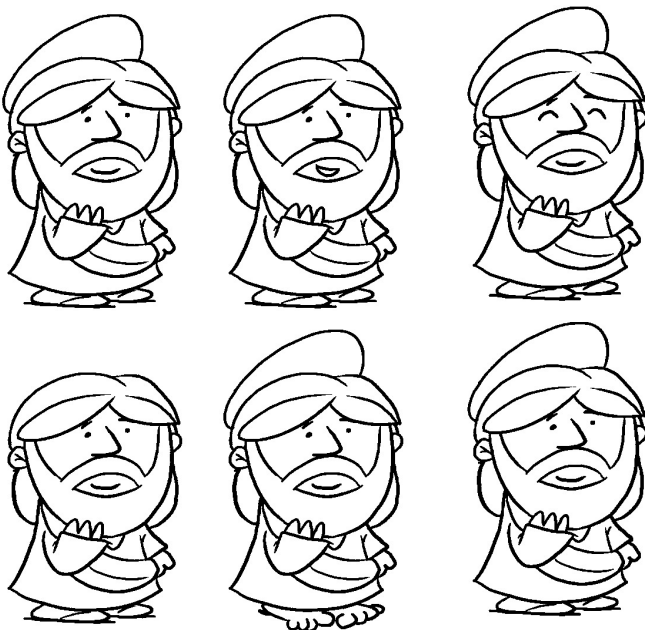
## KIDS' CORNER

**For Kids:** God is asking us to say THANKS. Make sure to tell your parents, teachers, coaches, or other special people how thankful you are for their love and care this week.

**For Parents:** The Gospel tells us that some were not thankful after a miracle! We are just as guilty of taking our blessings for granted. This week, spend time as a family thanking God for your many blessings.

## Puzzle

Find the two that match.



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The answer is number one and number six.

## CAMPUS MINISTRY

➤ All registrations/RSVPs for campus ministry are found on the website under *Event Sign Ups*:  
[www.comone Newman.org/campus-ministry/cmsignup](http://www.comone Newman.org/campus-ministry/cmsignup)

### AWAKENINGS RETREAT — LAST CHANCE TO REGISTER

## Awakenings #38

OCTOBER 25-27, 2019



Register by October 13th at [comone Newman.org](http://comone Newman.org).  
\$50 fee includes meals, transportation, lodging & t-shirt  
Partial & full need-based scholarships available



Contact Awakenings Rector, Taylor Sedgwick, for more info [tas3w@mail.missouri.edu](mailto:tas3w@mail.missouri.edu).

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Registration is closing for Awakenings #38! If you want to attend, complete your registration by midnight on Sunday, October 13 online at the *Event Sign Ups* page.

### CHRISTUS VIVIT

## Christus Vivit

You can become what God your Creator knows you are, if only you realize that you are called to something greater.

[Christus Vivit, Ch 3:107]

An Apostolic Exhortation of the Holy Father Francis to Young People and the People of God

Visit [zenit.org/articles/christus-vivit-full-text](http://zenit.org/articles/christus-vivit-full-text) to read the full passages or the Apostolic Exhortation.

### MIZZOU CSA/HOMECOMING

Want to learn more about how the Catholic Church works for justice around the world? Come to CRS Student Ambassador Regional Training with a group of students from Newman! The training will be held at the O'Reilly Catholic Center at Missouri State University in Springfield, Missouri, on November 2 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. A group from Newman will carpool to the event. You can register here. Contact Emma Heienickle at [nvc@comone Newman.org](mailto:nvc@comone Newman.org) for more information.

### FALL MERCHANDISE SALES

Show your Newman pride! Order your swag from our fall line (Newman sweatshirt, hat, and pocket tee). Items will be available for purchase through October 31. See the weekly email or Yvonne at [yvonne@comone Newman.org](mailto:yvonne@comone Newman.org) to purchase the items.

