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NEWMAN NEWS

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21st Sunday in Ordinary Time | August 22, 2021 | www.comonewman.org

SATURDAY MASS TIME 5 p.m.

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

8:30 a.m.

11 a.m. (livestreamed)

5 p.m.

8 p.m. (Student Mass)

WEEKDAY MASSES (M-F)

Noon (livestreamed)

ADORATION

Wednesdays: 12:30-1:30 p.m. (Confession also offered)

RECONCILIATION

Tuesdays: 5 - 5:30 p.m. Saturdays: 4 - 4:30 p.m.

BUILDING HOURS

Open Daily 8 a.m. - 10 p.m.

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday - Friday: 8 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. - 4 p.m.

KEMPER-JAMES LIBRARY:

Open daily (self-service) Reference section open Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 10-12 a.m.



21st SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus then said to the Twelve, "Do you also want to leave?" Simon Peter answered him, "Master, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. We have come to believe and are convinced that you are the Holy One of God." - Jn 6:67-69

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Newman is a Family



ANGELLE HALL Director of **Campus Ministry**

Welcome to college ministry at the St. Thomas More Newman Center Parish — your Catholic Church on Campus!

A big welcome (and welcome back!) to the students of our colleges and universities! Your presence enriches our vibrant Catholic community of Newman Parish. Amidst the many tasks you deemed important for the beginning of the school year — from buying groceries, to shopping at Target, to getting your books — you prioritized going to Mass as one of them. What a great first step in sustaining your

spiritual life in college!

We hope that Newman can be a spiritual home for you where you can come and get recharged, even when classes and extracurricular activities make life a bit crazy. We have a student lounge on the first floor of the building as well as a library study space and classrooms upstairs. The Chapel is always open when the building is open, which includes Reconciliation on Tuesdays and Saturdays and a Holy Hour offered every day of the week.

Our Catholic college ministry is more than just the walls of this church building. Although hundreds of students attend Mass each week, there are communities of friends reach out all over campus. Bible studies will be meeting this semester, extending the Newman community to wherever they meet! I personally encourage you to join a Bible study where you'll have the opportunity to deepen your relationship with Christ and find a community of people who can help you in your faith journey and quite possibly become life-long friends. We have groups in the mornings, afternoons, and evenings, so you'll definitely be able to find one to fit your schedule!

Newman is a family of not just student parishioners (that's you!), but also resident parishioners, individuals, and families united in faith. You'll see them at Mass and the many events that keep Newman bustling with life. I encourage you to introduce yourself, and I know they will be eager to meet you as well. We are here for you! If you need anything, please to do not hesitate to reach out to us. We hope to see you at some of our weekly events, listed to the right!

Welcome to the Newman family!

Angelle Hall



Weekly Ministries



8pm Student Mass

Come to Newman's Church at 8pm on Sundays starting August 22 to worship with fellow students!

Small Group Bible Studies



Small groups meet weekly and are open to anyone interested in developing their relationship with God and spending time in conversation with peers. Over 20 groups are led by students as well as our FOCUS (Fellowship of Catholic University Students) missionaries. Groups meet every day of the week; email McKenna at focus@comonewman.org to find a time that works for you!

Ephesians 3

Join us, in Newman's church, at 9pm Wednesdays for Ephesians 3 (E3). Starting August 25, come for music, prayer, a talk, small groups, and fellowship!

Power & Holy Hours

Beginning August 23rd, spend Monday nights in a sacrificial hour of prayer for our campuses at Power Hour (9:05pm). Join us Tuesday through Thursday mornings (8:30-9:30am) and Wednesday afternoons (12:30-1:30pm) for adoration and personal prayer time during Holy Hour. Holy and Power Hours are held in the church at Newman.



Reconciliation

The sacrament of reconciliation is offered Tuesdays at 5pm, Saturdays at 4pm, and during Holy and Power Hours.

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STUDENT EVENTS

MASS ON THE QUAD - AUGUST 29 ON TRADITIONS PLAZA

Next Sunday, August 29, we'll have our 8 p.m. Student Mass out on Traditions Plaza, an annual tradition!

WELCOME BBQ THIS SUNDAY (AUGUST 22) AT NOON!

Come hang out at Carnahan Quad, meet new people and enjoy some free food!

GRAD/PROFESSIONAL STUDENT WELCOME & BONFIRE

Join us Monday, August 23rd at 7 pm for backyard games and a bonfire in the Newman Courtyard! Light appetizers, beer and wine will be served! For more information, contact Angelle at angelle. hall@comonewman.org.





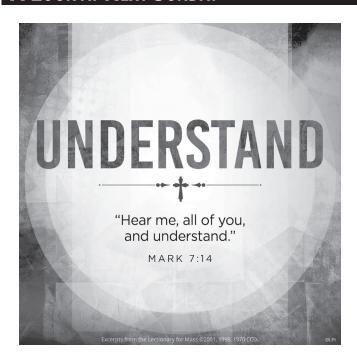


"It is a holy and wholesome thing to pray for the living and the dead." 2 Maccabees 12:46

Pope Francis' August Prayer Intention: Let us pray for the Church, that she may receive from the Holy Spirit the grace and strength to reform herself in the light of the Gospel.

Bishop McKnight's August Prayer Intention: As we begin this school year, may all recognize our shared mission to hand on our Catholic faith to the next generation.

A LOOK AT NEXT SUNDAY



August 29 | 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-8; Psalm 15 James 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27; Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

Mass Intentions

Monday, August 23	Noon	† Von Pittman
Tuesday, August 24	Noon	† Eric Reyes
Wednesday, August 25	Noon	Everett Jenkins
Thursday, August 26	Noon	† Dean Chaput
Friday, August 27	Noon	† Communion Service
Saturday, August 28	5 p.m.	† Jack O'Hare
Sunday, August 29	8:30 a.m.	All Parishioners
Sunday, August 29	11 a.m.	Everett Jenkins
Sunday, August 29	5 p.m.	† Dick Anselm
Sunday, August 29	8 p.m.	CM Benefactors

Please call the Parish Office at (573) 449-5424 to request a Mass intention.

Parish Finances August 14/15

Offertory*	\$10,051.22
Month-to-Date	\$59,472.63
Budget for month	\$115,000.00

Variance \$55,527.37

*This includes EFT giving, mailed envelopes, and online donations through credit/debit cards and Venmo. Thank you for your continued support of the parish!

CONTACT INFORMATION

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In The Diocese

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED AS MENTORS FOR REFUGEES

Mentors for refugee youth and young adults will meet weekly with their mentee (aged 15-24) during the ten weeks of summer between July-September, exact start date to be determined. Mentors will provide friendship and support to the mentee, doing activities of their choosing together, for example: visiting local parks, walking on trails, bike riding, visiting the library, and providing tutoring. Interested? Contact Amber Kemp at akemp@ cccnmo.org or (573) 540-1122.

OLLIS AFTER CARE WORKERS NEEDED

Our Lady of Lourdes Interparish School (OLLIS) is looking for employees to work in the after care program. The duties include supervising and interacting with the students. The hours are 2:30-5:30 pm Monday - Friday, with every 2nd Wednesday starting at 1:30pm. If you are interested, please let me know your consistent day(s) of availability each week. You can reach Lisa, Director of Tiger's Den at tigersden@ollisk8.org. Thank you for your interest!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BBQ AT BUR OAK BREWERY

Knights of Columbus chapter of Sacred Heart parish is hosting a fundraising BBQ at Bur Oak Brewery on August 28, from 4-8 PM, rain or shine. The address is 8520 E Trade Center Drive For \$15 our patrons will receive a boneless pork steak, cole slaw, baked beans, texas toast, and dessert. The proceeds will benefit the Knights Global Wheelchair Mission. Come enjoy a meal with us and the fine refreshments that Bur Oak creates.



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FORMED PICKS FOR THE WEEK

Adults: Formed Now: The Feast of St. Monica Kids: Catholic Heroes: The Story of St. Augustine

See the parish website to get your account set up or contact emily. shull@comonewman.org

INTERESTED IN A CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP?

From a fellow parishioner: "Fr. Dan asked me if I would be interested in starting a Charismatic prayer group at Newman. I am very interested and would like to know if there are other people in the parish or Columbia that are interested. If you are interested, please contact me via email at mtbonderer3@gmail.com

GROUP TICKETS FOR MU HOMECOMING GAME FOR SALE!

Newman is coordinating group seating at the MU Homecoming football game on October 9. Tickets are \$45 each for the lower bowl. Don't delay - the earlier we have a number for tickets, the better seats we'll get! Alumni are also invited to register for the alumni tailgate.

THE CHRISTMAS RESALE IS BACK!

Donations will be accepted the week of the sale (not prior) so start collecting your donations now. Closer to date, we'll be looking for volunteers to help run the sale. Those who volunteer will be able to pre-shop the sale. More information to come in the fall!



Como Life Teen

FIRST FALL LIFE NIGHT: SEPTEMBER 12

Join us for our first Life Night of the semester on Sept 12! We'll be meeting from 6:45-8:30 p.m. at Sacred Heart's Activity building for a fall kick-off party. We'll keep everyone updated on our Covid-19 precautions through email and social media.

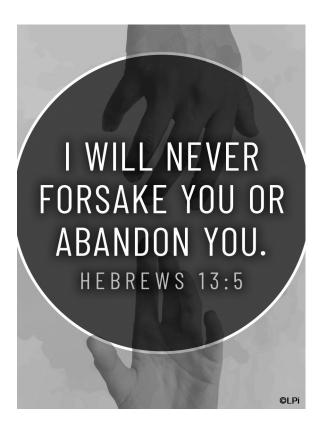
FALL SCHEDULE AND EVENTS

Check out our social media for our fall schedule and more info! You can find us on Facebook and Instagram at @comolifeteen. If you're looking to join our email list or GroupMe, email Renee

CONFIRMATION REGISTRATION IS OPEN FOR 7TH - 12TH GRADERS

All 7th graders through 12th graders who have not yet been confirmed should sign up. High schoolers - this is your last chance to be confirmed with other high schoolers before the typical diocesan age level of 7th grade for Confirmation is enacted. Registration links can be found on the parish website.





CEP & EDGE

REGISTER FOR CEP CLASSES FOR KIDS PREK-5TH

Religious Ed classes for kids age 3 to 5th grade will begin Wednesday, September 8th & Sunday, September 12th. We will require masks while kids are indoors. Click "parish family" on the website or contact emily.shull@comonewman.org for more information and to get registered.

CONFIRMATION INFORMATION MEETINGS AUG 29 & SEP 7

This year our first group of middle school students are invited to prepare for Confirmation. Please join us for a parent meeting to explain requirements either August 29th at 3:30 in the MPR or September 7th at 7 p.m. at Sacred Heart. Regular sessions will be second Sundays from 2:30-4:30p.m. beginning September 12th. Masks will be required while indoors but we'll be outdoors as much as possible. Click "parish family" on the website or contact Emily for more information and to get registered.

EDGE RESUMES SEPTEMBER 12TH

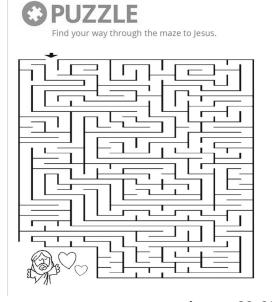
All 6th, 7th & 8th graders are invited to join us at EDGE Sunday, September 12th at 6-7:30 p.m. Middle School families are invited to register on the parish sign-ups page but sign-ups are not required. Masks will be required while indoors but we'll be outdoors as much as possible.



KIDS' CORNER

For Kids: Peter and Joshua chose to serve God. Who will you serve?

For Parents: The 1st Reading shows God's chosen people committing to living as God has asked. As your family begins a new year, how will you choose to focus on God in the midst of school, work and activities?



HELPFUL LINKS

INFORMATION ON ATTENDING MASSES

Visit www.comonewman.org/attend-mass to view the current instructions on attending Mass at the Newman Center.

VIEW THE LIVESTREAM MASS

Visit www.comonewman.org/view-newmans-livestream-mass (or click the "Livestream Mass" button on our website) to watch our livestream Masses.

PRAYER RESOURCES

Visit www.comonewman.org/prayer-resources for links to daily Masses, readings, and other prayer opportunities.

Prayer for a Communion of Desire

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, renew my heart now with the power of Your Spirit. I embrace You and unite myself wholly to You. Unite me more closely to Your Body, the Church. And never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.



CONTINUING YOUR SUNDAY TITHE

In the Bishop's instructions to the faithful of the diocese, he has asked us to continue our Sunday offertory tithe by postal mail or electronic means. If you are already giving through EFT (electronic funds transfer) or through your credit/debit card online, your gift will continue as you have previously set it up. Thank you for your commitment to the parish through this giving option. If you are accustomed to giving to the offertory through cash or your envelopes, please consider continuing your gift in one of the following ways:

- Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT)
- Credit/Debit Card or Bank Account through online giving
- Venmo a PayPal app
- Mail Your Gift through USPS

You can learn more about these options or set up an electronic way of giving on our website at www.comonewman.org/parish/ support/offertory. If you have any questions, please contact Angie Claas at angie@comonewman.org.

SERVICE AND JUSTICE

FOOD PANTRY COLLECTION

We are collecting non-perishable items for our local Food Bank of Central & Northeast Missouri! You can drop off your donations in the tall bin in the chapel entryway of St. Thomas More Newman Center.

