

NEWMAN CENTER FALL SCHEDULE

Building Hours Sun. – Thurs. 7 am to 10:30 pm, Fri. 7 am to 5 pm, Sat. 8 am to 5 pm
Café Hours Mon.—Thurs. 7 am—8 pm, Fri. 7 am—5 pm, Sat./Sun. 8 am—2 pm
Mass Times Mon.— Fri. 12:15 pm , Sat. 9 am, 4:30 pm, Sun. 8 am, 10:30 am, 7 pm & 9:30 pm
Confessions Sat. 3:30 - 4:30 pm or by appt.
Eucharistic Adoration Wednesdays from 1 –5 pm
Spiritual Direction Monday & Tuesday 9 am—5pm Call Deacon Lucien 413-253-2293
Other Resources Chapel/Study Lounges/Computer Lounge/Wi-Fi/Library/Classrooms/Ministerial Staff/ Student & Extended Community Members
Webpage www.newmanumass.org
Facebook Like us at Newman Catholic Center at UMass or www.facebook.com/newmanumass

SUPPORT MEETINGS - Classroom 1

Alcoholics Anonymous (AA): Mon - Fri 10:00 am and Sun 1 - 2:30pm/Open Meetings
Young People's Group (AA) : Thu 7:30 - 8:30pm at Mercy House
Food Addicts in Recovery Anonymous, (FA): Sun 4 - 5:30pm/Info: Teresa 253-0250 or Elizabeth 818-207-0749
Overeaters Anonymous, (OA): Tue & Thu 12:30-1:30pm
Dual Recovery Anonymous, (DRA): Fri 12:30pm For info contact Sheryl S. (413) 268-3584

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Newman Mission Statement

"cor ad cor loquitur" The Newman Catholic Center includes the students, faculty and staff at the University of Massachusetts and extended community. Empowered by the Spirit and inspired by John Henry Newman's motto: "Heart speaks to Heart" we explore, believe and reach out inclusively to make Jesus Christ present to all who share their journey with us.

Newman Vision Statement

The Newman Catholic Center at the University of Massachusetts, Amherst provides a safe, comfortable, and caring community in which students can grow spiritually, form new relationships, and deepen the rich traditions of their Catholic Faith. As Blessed John Henry Cardinal Newman desired, we put the Catholic faith to work in conjunction with students' secular education. We offer encouragement in worship and study, aid in the development of leadership skills, and facilitate in building a faith community that provide lasting memories. Through the sharing of meals and prayers that sustain the body, mind and spirit, we create a "home away from home" environment that helps to break social barriers while supporting each other in the growth and understanding of the faith. We act as models to those around us through our commitment to God, Church and Community.



85 YEARS
of ministry

COMMUNITAS

MARCH 15, 2015

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4TH SUNDAY OF LENT

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading *2 Chronicles 36:14-16, 19-23*
 God's people lived in sin, mocking God's messengers and ignoring the Lord's warnings. Finally their enemies destroyed Jerusalem. They were taken captive, but God showed mercy.

Responsorial Psalm *Psalms 137: 1-2, 3, 4-5, 6*
 Let my tongue be silenced, if I ever forget you!

Second Reading *Ephesians 2:4-10*
 God is rich in mercy, and out of love the Lord brought us to life in Christ when we were in sin. God saved us by grace, not by anything we have done.

Gospel Reading *John 3:14-21*
 God's Son came into the world not to condemn it, but to save it. As Moses lifted up the serpent, so must the Son of Man be lifted up, that all who believe may have eternal life.

TODAY'S MUSIC

Opening
 "This Day God Gives Me" #645

Offertory
 "The Lord Is My Light" #686

Sanctus - Agnus Dei
 "Chant Mass" #855 - 859

Communion
 "Shepherd Me, O God" #470

Closing
 "Change Our Hearts" #668

Stay up to date on Facebook!

Have you liked us on Facebook yet? Be the first to know what's happening at Newman by following our updates on Facebook!
 Newman: facebook.com/newmanumass
 Peer Ministers: facebook.com/newmanpeerministry
 NSA: search UMASS NSA



Bishop Mitchell Rozanski has also started a Facebook page to help stay in touch with the Catholic community. Folks will be able to join him as he travels about our diocese as well as have the opportunity to hear his insights and thoughts. Friend him at "Bishop Mitch Rozanski" on Facebook.

Community Pot Luck Dinner
 All are welcome! Bring a dish to share or just come for food and fellowship.



Saturday, March 21st 5:30-7:30pm in the Quigley Room.

Contact Teresa Fitts (avilafitts@gmail.com) for more information.
 We are environmentally-friendly, so try to bring your own dishes and silverware.

.....~**Mass Intentions**~.....

Saturday, March 14th

Lenten Weekday
9 am +Robert Cook
4:30 pm +Kathleen Kevane

Sunday, March 15th

Fourth Sunday of Lent
8 am +Richard DuPont by Laura DuPont & Don Perreault
10:30 am +Stevan Danague

Monday, March 16th

Lenten Weekday
12:15 pm +Medard Le Duc Hoa by Hang Le

Tuesday, March 17th

Lenten Weekday, St. Patrick, Bishop
12:15 pm +Medard Le Duc Hoa by Hang Le

Wednesday, March 18th

Lenten Weekday
12:15 pm +Medard Le Duc Hoa by Hang Le

Thursday, March 19th

St. Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary
12:15 pm +Fr. Joseph Quigley

Friday, March 20th

Lenten Weekday
12:15 pm +Helen VanOrder & +Tom Lenihan by Joan Slocombe
(2nd Anniversary)

Saturday, March 21st

Lenten Weekday
9 am +Medard Le Duc Hoa by Hang Le
4:30 pm +Joseph Delaney by the Johnson Family

Sunday, March 22nd

Fifth Sunday of Lent
8 am +Jane Dupont by Laura DuPont & Richard Perreault
10:30 am +Medard Le Duc Hoa by Hang Le
7 pm
9:30 pm

Please pray for our RCIA candidates planning to enter the Church this year:

Angela Chan
Nyari Changamire
Nicole Zarba



LIFE MATTERS:

A Panel Discussion on the Dignity and Sanctity of Human Life

Ever wonder why the Catholic Church teaches that every human life is sacred? Ever wonder what abortion does to the mental well-being of a woman? Ever wonder if there is healing after an abortion?

If you have asked yourself these questions, then join us for a panel discussion on LIFE MATTERS.

Tuesday March 31, 6pm-7pm
Newman Catholic Center, Burke Lounge

Panel Participants

Mary Kate Driscoll,
Alternative Pregnancy Center
Suzanne deFriesse,
Rachel's Vineyard Retreats
Ann Zimmerman,
Newman Center
Tim Biggins,
Springfield Diocese Pro-Life Commission
Ed Cottrill,
Professor of English at UMass



LENT AT NEWMAN:

"Hymns & Contemplative Prayer: Sound & Silence"

Sundays at 9:15am

Discover ways of silencing and centering through prayer and music.

Mass

Mondays and Wednesdays at 7:00pm

Begin your week with Mass in Our Lady Seat of Wisdom Chapel.

"Let Us Draw Near"

Tuesdays at 7:00pm

Study the letter to the Hebrews with Father Michael.

Mass & Stations of the Cross

Wednesdays at 7:00pm

Walk the Lenten journey with Jesus at the Stations after celebrating Mass.

Taizé

Thursdays at 7:00pm

Slow down mid-week and reflect with guided prayer and music.

Confession

Daily, following 12:15pm Mass

Saturdays at 3:30pm, or by Appointment

Fr. Gary, Fr. Jon, & Fr. Michael can be reached by calling 549-0300.

COLLECTION FOR MARCH 8, 2015

The Offertory for last weekend was: \$2,153.33

FAITH IN ACTION:

Incorporating the Gospel Message Into our Everyday Lives

Have you ever seen a hidden-camera TV show? People are secretly filmed, usually in a situation where they need to make a choice to help or hurt someone else. Afterward there are questions about the choices made and true motives are revealed. Sometimes people behave in ways they are embarrassed about later. Today's Gospel gives us a great metaphor for choosing between good and evil. Like the hidden-camera scenario, the guiding question is, "Would you want to bring this action into the light?" Is the thing we're about to do something we would want other people we care about and admire to see? Good deeds—generosity, service, kindness, inclusion—are ones we are happy to have caught on camera. The dark deeds of selfishness and unkindness are the ones we'd like to hide. Our readings today reflect the themes of how sin separates us from God and from one another but that God's mercy and love can unite us again. If you've been living in the dark, trust in God's mercy to help you make a change and live in the light!

Stanley Jez Scholarship

Scholarship available to study Forestry, Environmental Science, or Arboriculture at UMass Amherst!

The Stanley Jez Scholarship is open to students majoring in forestry, environmental science, or arboriculture in either the College of Natural Sciences or the Stockbridge School at the University of Massachusetts Amherst.

For more information contact Martha Baker 413-545-1969, or mbaker@cns.umass.edu

The application deadline is May 8, 2015, and applications must be made by using the Jez Scholarship Application.

http://www.cns.umass.edu/sites/default/files/jez_application_3.pdf



SAVE THE DATE

Saturday, April 11th
for a great Spaghetti Supper

Tickets on sale after the 4:30 pm Mass on March 28th and after the 8 am and the 10:30 am Mass on March 29th.

K of C, Newman & Spaghetti...

What more could you ask for?!

On Saturday April 11th

Newman will partner

with the Amherst Council

of the

Knights of Columbus

for a great evening of fun and delicious food

Spaghetti Supper

Saturday, April 11, 2015

6 pm

Newman Café

\$10 for adults, \$5 for children under 10

To benefit the Quigley Scholarship Fund

Great good, bar, music, raffles



For reservations call or email Ginny Webb at

413.549.0300, #13

v.webb@diospringfield.org

Jesus told Nicodemus that, when we find our calling in life, we are reborn. We really become a new person, fired with a new love, aimed in a new direction, with purpose and love. Listen to Jesus' voice within you. If He is challenging you to a Church vocation, give Fr. Gary Dailey a call at 413 452-0816 or email:

g.dailey@diospringfield.org

www.myvocation.com

Prayer of Intercession: For all the candidates and catechumens, that they may be supported in faith by this community, we pray...



8th Annual Catholic Women's Conference:

Featuring: Michael Leonard, Alice Camille, & Allison Gingras

+Welcoming women of all ages

+Strengthening the circle of life

+Joining together in prayer

+Responding to God's love with Joy.

Bellamy Middle School - Saturday, April 25, 2015

Register at www.diospringfield.org/womensconf.html

or call 413-452-0812

St. Francis' Environmental Corner

Ecology and Spirituality: A Call to Action



Although not well publicized, the Catholic Church has been active in the environmental movement for along time.

One resource that can keep you up-to-date on the environmental issues is the Catholic Reporters Eco-Catholic page. <http://nronline.org/blogs/eco-catholic>

You can also sign up to have the Eco-Catholic News Letter sent to you. Recent articles include: "Papal envoy to UN: Climate change is an issue of justice for everyone," "Catholic group launches global climate-focused Lenten fast" and "The two sides of renewable spiritual energy" Check it out!