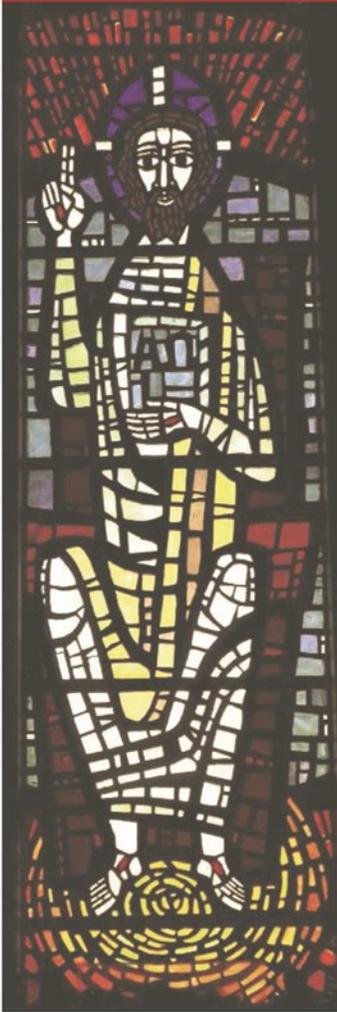


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SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR A | JULY 30, 2023

It has been less than a year since the World Youth Day group began fundraising and just over a year since we had an informational meeting for young people interested in going--it seems like years ago to me. This endeavor was a new challenge for myself and all the pilgrims. We have not sent a Newman group to World Youth Day in all my time attending Newman—14 years. We are happy to be representing our community and the Diocese of Fresno.

Throughout our fundraising activities, we have experienced highs and lows; weekly planning meetings, then emergency meetings because we forgot something; extravagant fundraising events that turn into a small fraction of what we envisioned, and the list goes on. I remember mentioning to the final group that had signed up that the journey to Lisbon began with our first fundraiser planning meeting—pretty words then but now we have internalized this fundraising journey as a major pillar that our experience in Lisbon is built upon.

The majority of the group did not know each other, and it took a while for the group to begin to trust one another and more importantly, be in a relationship with each other. They have grown to be genuine friends outside of Newman activities. They have grown with one another, debated with one another, and found hope in one another. In the last 2 weeks, these young women and men have been on fire with the Holy Spirit. Their openness to God and the World Youth Day experience is a mindset that they have rarely experienced when it comes to God.

As the coordinator of the young adult group, I have seen how much they have grown in their faith journey because of the experience of seeing the generous giving from our Newman community. Individuals would share about what they witnessed during fundraising events and the inspiring interactions they had. Giving large and small has left a lasting effect on the group of how much people can invest of themselves into helping others achieve a goal.

Thank you for caring. Thank you for your yes.

—Edgar Guzmán, Campus and Young Adult Ministry Director

Mission Statement

Gifted by God, called by Christ, empowered by the Holy Spirit, St. Paul Catholic Newman Center is a parish committed to serving the academic community and all those who choose to be part of our parish family. We dedicate ourselves to bringing the transformative power of Christ to the world through word and action.



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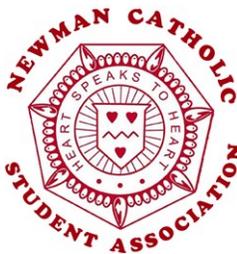
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The office of campus ministry is hiring for the position of Administrative Assistant. This position works with our campus ministry director in executing activities at the school campuses and at the Newman Center. For more information, visit our website.

NEWMAN CENTER YOUNG ADULTS

YOUNG ADULT BIBLE STUDY

We will be taking a short break for two weeks while Edgar is away in Portugal. We will gather again for Bible Study on Monday, August 14 at 6:00pm in the Student Lounge.

A GUIDE TO JOHN HENRY NEWMAN

The book published featuring the artwork of our own parishioner Mary Fotheringham, has gone on sale. Use promo code CCBA23 for 40% off. Visit cuapress.org to purchase.

Photos of the Week:

On the Way to World Youth Day!



**This Weekend's
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Thank you for your generosity

Parish Information

WEEKEND MASSES:

Saturday Vigil: 5:00pm

Sunday: 7:30am | 9:30am | 11:30am | 7:00pm



WEEKDAY MASSES:

Monday / Wednesday | 8:00am
First Friday (of the month) | 8:00am
Thursday | 6:00pm

COMMUNION SERVICES:

Tuesday / Thursday | 8:00am
Friday (Except First Friday) | 8:00am

RECONCILIATION:

Thursday | 4:00pm to 5:45pm
Saturday | 3:30pm to 4:30pm
or call for an appointment

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday through Thursday | 9:00am to 3:00pm

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JULY CONTRIBUTIONS

2022		2023	
July 3	\$18,677.50	July 2	\$15,785.50
July 10	\$15,478.40	July 9	\$16,680.25
July 17	\$15,352.91	July 16	\$10,577.33
July 24	\$9,344.17	July 23	\$12,180.82
		July 30	
JULY 2022 TOTAL	\$87,454.64	JULY 2023 TOTAL	\$55,223.90

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



The John Cardinal Newman Council held their Council Installation of Officers on July 15 after the 5pm mass at the Newman Center. If you see any one of these men, please congratulate them as they will be the leaders for this Columbian Year. Chaplain- Fr. Byron Macias C.M.F, Grand Knight- Bill Tenison, Deputy Grand Knight- Ken Deluca PGK, Chancellor- Kenny Barnes Warden- Randy Downer, Treasurer- Frank Nunez, Financial Secretary- David Henard PGK, Recorder- Steven Lomardo, Advocate- Joseph Hill PGK, Inside Guard- Terry Jesse, Outside Guard- Mike O'Hare, Trustees- Bruce Myers PGK, Tom Meisch PGK and Ken Barnes PGK.



PEACE AND SOCIAL JUSTICE UPDATE

For the week of July 30 to August 5, 2023:

- **Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for August 2023:** For World Youth Day: We pray that World Youth Day in Lisbon will help young people to live and witness the gospel in their own lives
- **Wednesday, August 2**
Pope Francis is attending World Youth Day in Lisbon, Portugal, with 600,000 will be joining him (28,000 from the USA, 100 from Fresno, 24 from the Newman Center!) Let's accompany all of them in prayer!
- **Friday, August 4**
5:30pm Food Recovery Dinner in the Newman Cafeteria. All are welcome! Our guests are hungry for fellowship, and not just food.

For so much more on all things Social Justice, visit our website or contact Jim Grant at jim@csufnewman.com

FROM FR. BYRON...

THANK YOU!

Father Paul felt so moved by all your kindness and love. Thanks for stopping by after Masses to say good-bye to him. Thanks also to the wonderful volunteers who helped make the celebration memorable!

PRAY FOR US...

Please keep the 24 Newmanites attending World Youth Day this and next week. God willing, we will be back on August 8.

THANK YOU –FROM THE CLARETIAN YOUTH!

Five youth were able to attend World Youth Day thanks to your generosity and support. Thanks for supporting our Car Wash, Catholic Concert, Christmas Pictures and other initiatives. Thanks to you, we were able to cover our youth's fees. Our Claretian Youth is taking the names of our benefactors to be placed at the Shrine of Our Lady of Fatima. May God reward you for your generosity.

YOU ARE IN MY PRAYERS...

I will be holding you in prayer this week and will return on August 8th. In the meantime, give your all to encounter and embrace the Kingdom of God in your life; it's worth it and it is fruitful!

A FINAL NOTE:

Please ignore and mark as spam an email account: frbyroncsufnewman@priest.com. This is SPAM, and be assured I will not ask for "off-the-record" matters!

Current... MINISTRY PROGRAMS

Family Life Ministry

Joy of Love Moms: The Joy of Love Moms Group invites families to the west playground after 9:30am Mass for an opportunity for children and families to meet, socialize and play together. Please join us!

Summer Movie Nights Are Back! The Joy of Love Moms Group is excited to once again host summer movie nights in Cardinal Newman Hall. The second featured film, *Raya and the Last Dragon*, will be shown on **Tuesday, August 1st at 5:30pm** with a potluck dinner. Paper products and lemonade will be provided. Feel free to bring a movie snack to share with others.

Men's Ministry

Men's Weekly Scripture Reflection and Discussion Group: will resume meeting on Monday, August 7.

Prayer Ministry

Marian Movement of Priests Cenacle we are on break for the month of July and will resume meeting on Wednesday, August 2.

Prayer & Life Workshop begins August 9 and runs until November 15, meeting each Wednesday from 6:00pm to 8:00pm. Register by emailing Regina Flores rmflores39@icloud.com. Email John Prandini for questions at prandinij@csufnewman.com.

SYNOD 2023 INVITATION: CONVERSATIONS IN THE SPIRIT

Are you interested in picking up where we left off last year with our "Synodal Listening Sessions" or joining the synodal process for the first time?

- If so, join us from 6:00-7:00 PM in the Newman Cafeteria on **August 10, 17, 24 or 31**. Please contact the parish office or Jim Grant (jim@csufnewman.com) so we'll know how many to expect!
- How to prepare? Just come with an open heart and with a desire to share with your brothers and sisters your hopes and dreams, as well as theirs, for a Synodal Missionary Church.

We look forward to these "Conversations in the Spirit" with you soon!

PRAYERS:

♥ Please pray for those who have requested special intentions and prayers:

Gyl Keiser	Carrie Coit
Bill Scott	Elizabeth Dungy
Shashini Chameli	Lydia Martinez
Kumari Dehideniya	Ken Kemp
Ruben & Una Freitas	Sally Caglia
Carolina Hogg	Ashley Grace
Lily Villarena	William Diener
Erlinda de Jesus	Judy Truckale
Alan Demascus	JJ Tenison
Kathy DeMera	Tim Vaux
Happy Ocampo	

♥ And we pray for those who have died recently.

Diana Dorothy Decker

If you would like to include the name of someone on this list, please contact the office or visit our website and fill out the form under the "[Prayer Requests](#)" tab.

Names of the sick / for special intentions will be published in the bulletin for four weeks, and then removed unless otherwise requested. Names of the deceased are published the week after death.

QUOTE OF THE WEEK:

“The buried treasure and the pearl of great price teach us this: When we encounter the Kingdom of God, a choice has to be made: a decision, and it must be acted on immediately, and wholeheartedly. And a price must be paid, amounting to all that one has.”

-Geoffrey Plant, Australian Catholic priest and educator

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, JULY 30

17TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

1 Kgs 3:5, 7-12/Rom 8:28-30/Mt 13:44-52 or Mt 13:44-46

Catholic Charities Truck

7:30am	Mass for Margo Ruiz	Chapel
9:30am	Mass for Marcia Falk and Jack Schutt	Chapel
9:30am	RCIA Catechumenate	Library
11:30am	Mass for Richard Sexton	Chapel
3:00pm	Igbo Mass	Chapel
7:00pm	Mass for Needs & Int. of Parishioners	Chapel

MONDAY, JULY 31

Ex 32:15-24, 30-34/Mt 13:31-35

8:00am Mass for Patrick Haney Chapel

TUESDAY, AUGUST 1 ST. ALPHONSUS LIGOURI

Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28/Mt 13:36-43

8:00am	Communion Service	Chapel
5:00pm	Youth Choir Rehearsal	Chapel
6:00pm	Family Movie Night	Cardinal Newman Hall 101-102

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 2

Ex 34:29-35/Mt 13:44-46

8:00am	Mass for Connie Mora	Chapel
10:00am	Marian Movement of Priests	CNH 103-104
6:30pm	RCIA Inquiry	Community Room

THURSDAY, AUGUST 3

Ex 40:16-21, 34-38/Mt 13:47-53

8:00am	Communion Service	Chapel
4:00pm	Confessions	Chapel
6:00pm	Mass Int. Moschele-Scambray Family	Chapel

FRIDAY, AUGUST 4

ST. JOHN VIANNEY

Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37/Mt 13:54-58

8:00am	Mass for Monica Baker	Chapel
8:30am	Sacred Heart Devotion for Families	Chapel
9:00am	Adoration—Exposition	Chapel
12:00pm	Adoration—Benediction and Reposition	Chapel
5:30pm	Food Recovery Network	Cafeteria

SATURDAY, AUGUST 5

Lv 25:1, 8-17/Mt 14:1-12 (Day)

Dn 7:9-10, 13-14/2 Pt 1:16-19/Mt 17:1-9 (Vigil Mass)

3:30pm	Confessions	Chapel
5:00pm	Mass for Kathleen Frye	Chapel

SUNDAY, AUGUST 6

18TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Dn 7:9-10, 13-14/2 Pt 1:16-19/Mt 17:1-9

7:30am	Mass for Needs & Int. Parishioners	Chapel
9:30am	Mass for John Godburn	Chapel
9:30am	RCIA Catechumenate	Library
11:30am	Mass for Johnny Zavala	Chapel
7:00pm	Mass for Janet Fabling	Chapel

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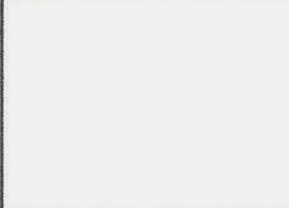
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