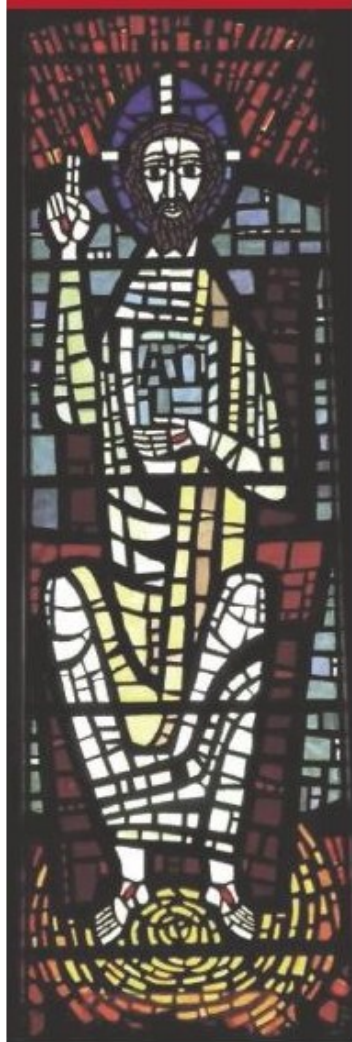


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19th Sunday in Ordinary Time August 10, 2025



Our Jubilee pilgrims!

MASS SCHEDULE

Weekend Masses

Saturday: 5:00PM

Sunday: 7:30AM, 9:30AM*,
11:30AM & 7:00PM

Weekday Masses

Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri: 8:00AM

Thurs: 6:00PM

Communion Service

Thurs: 8:00AM

Confessions

Thursday: 4:00PM—5:45PM

Saturday: 3:30PM—4:30PM

Monthly Adoration

First Fridays: 8:30AM—11:00AM

Third Thursdays: 4:00PM—5:45PM

Fourth Sundays: 8:00PM—9:00PM

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday—Thursday

9:00AM—3:00PM

REGISTER TO BECOME A PARISHIONER

Either Text SPCNC to 84576
or scan the QR code



*Mass will be live-streamed
All Masses are in English

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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CAMPUS MINISTRY

STUDENT WELCOME WEEKEND

As we approach the start of the school year, we are looking forward to welcoming students and kicking off another exciting year of Campus Ministry. Join us for Welcome Weekend on August 23-24 for tours of our student lounge, freebies, introductions to this year's student service leaders, and our 7pm Mass of the Holy Spirit with Bishop Brennan!



WEDNESDAY STUDENT DINNER VOLUNTEERS

We kickoff our Wednesday Student Dinners on August 27th. Campus Ministry is looking for volunteers to sign up. You can assist as: kitchen help, providing a main or side dish, and desserts. Please scan the QR Code, stop at the front desk, or email Espie at campus.ministry@fresnewmancenter.org to sign up.



STUDENT SERVICE LEADER KICK-OFF

This weekend our Student Service Leaders will be gathering for an orientation and planning retreat to prepare for this year of Campus Ministry. They will also be receiving a blessing at the 7pm Mass. Please pray for the Student Service Leaders as they prepare for the upcoming school year.

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

YOUNG ADULT BIBLE STUDY

Join our Bible Study gathering Monday, August 11th at 6:00pm in the Lounge. We will wrap up reading the first half of the Gospel of John. Come and learn alongside other young adults about how scripture is alive in our daily lives

2025-2026 SERGIO NEGRO SCHOLARS CHOSEN

Congratulations to the following Sergio Negro Scholars:

Leilani Castillo

Grace Meyer

Aidan E. Purtell

Jenna Sainz

Desi Salazar

Brianna C. Vasquez

They will be introduced to the Community on "Founders Day", September 14, 2025.



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION VOLUNTEERS

Have you ever thought of sharing your faith with the children of our parish? We need adults to help with our religious education program on Tuesday nights. We have openings for classroom helpers and possibly a lead teacher or two in different classes. If you are interested contact Father David Gutierrez at 559-436-3434 ext. 114 or David.Gutierrez@fresnonewmancenter.org.



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WELCOME FATHER ART!

Fr. Arthur Gramaje C.M.F.

Welcome to Father Art!

We are so excited to have him here while Father Rubi is out.

Fr. Arthur was born and raised in Seattle, WA. Both his mother Ursula and father Rudy were from the northern Philippines. Fr Arthur had one sibling- Rudy Jr. He had experienced both the public and



Catholic school systems. He graduated from St. Paul Elementary in Seattle; John F. Kennedy in Burien, WA; Western Washington University in Bellingham, WA; the Graduate Theological Union in Berkeley, CA.

Fr Arthur took his first vows as a Claretian Missionary in 1990; was ordained to the priesthood in 1994. Over the years, he has worked in a variety of ministries: Parish, College Campus Ministry, Evangelization Ministry, and Formation and Vocation Ministries for the Claretians.

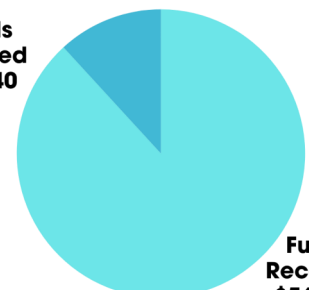
Fr Arthur is 62 years old. He enjoys fitness, reading, movies, the NBA, and playing the guitar. After being out of public ministry since 2018 to care for his elderly mother, Fr Arthur recently had a seven month sabbatical and is now primed and ready for full time ministry in Fresno!

RECTORY RENOVATIONS

Thank you for your continued support of our rectory renovation project. Through your generous donations, we have been able to make repairs, repaint the interior, install new flooring throughout, update some kitchen appliances and the primary bath, trim the trees and begin updates to the yard. We anticipate moving our priests into the new rectory in August and will soon announce a date for our rectory open house in the fall. We are still accepting donations to fund our rectory renovation project as there are additional items on our rectory update wish list. Donations to our irrevocable trust should be made by check payable to "Roman Catholic Charitable Trust"

and must be accompanied by our St. Paul Catholic Newman Center Capital Improvement Project Donation Form available at the front desk.

**Funds
Pledged
\$7,540**



**Funds
Received
\$56,260**

INTERNATIONAL FOOD & CRAFT FESTIVAL

OCTOBER 19, 2025
8AM - 2PM

ST. PAUL CATHOLIC NEWMAN CENTER

Have ideas for a food booth or entertainment? Contact Chrysti at chrysticinco@yahoo.com

REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN!

Registration closes on August 11th at 5PM.

St. Paul Catholic Newman Center

Young Adult Confirmation
Fall 2025
for ages 18-39

August 14
August 21
August 28
September 4
September 11
September 18
September 25
October 5 Half Day Retreat

October 12
Confirmation Ceremony

To register please have a copy of your baptism and first communion certificates. For those registered, Young Adult Confirmation meeting dates are from 6 - 7:30PM in Cardinal Newman Hall room 103

For more information contact
adult.confirmation@fresnewmancenter.org

CALLING ALL ARTISANS!

INTERNATIONAL FOOD & CRAFT FESTIVAL

WE ARE LOOKING FOR CRAFT PEOPLE TO SELL THEIR WARES AT THE NEWMAN CENTER INTERNATIONAL FOOD & CRAFT FESTIVAL!

OCTOBER 19, 2025
8AM - 2PM
ST. PAUL CATHOLIC NEWMAN CENTER

Interested people should leave their name, phone number and email address at the reception desk at the church. You will be contacted and sent an application. There is limited space available for this event.

CALLING ALL ARTISANS

Interested in vending at the International Food and Craft Festival? Please leave name, number and e-mail at the front desk and we will be in touch!

JOIN US FOR

BLESSING OF THE BACKPACKS

SUNDAY AUGUST 10 | 9:30AM MASS
FRIDAY AUGUST 15 | 8:00AM MASS

ST. PAUL CATHOLIC NEWMAN CENTER

FOOTBALL PARKING PASSES

Season Passes for Fresno State Football Parking are now on sale. They are good for the 6 home games at Valley Children's Stadium. The price for passes this year is \$270 and **you must purchase them in person.**

PRAYER AND LIFE WORKSHOP

You are invited to attend a life changing Prayer and Life Workshop!

In this 15 session workshop you will learn different methods of prayer that will help you develop a closer walk with our Lord Jesus Christ. Come and experience how prayer can change your life and give you the peace of mind and heart that can only come from God.

Date: Every Wednesday beginning August 6, thru November 12, 2025

Time: 6:00-8:00pm

Location: St Paul Newman Center Library

Contact: Regina Flores

email: rmflores39@icloud.com

CLARETIAN YOUTH GROUP

MEETINGS RESUME SEPTEMBER 16TH

6:00 P.M. - 7:15 P.M.

STUDENT LOUNGE

(REGISTRATION REQUIRED)



REGISTRATION LINK AVAILABLE ON ST PAUL CATHOLIC NEWMAN CENTER WEBSITE ON THE CLARETIAN YOUTH PAGE. MUST BE SIGNED UP ON FLOCKNOTE IN ORDER TO REGISTER AND PAY FOR THE 2025-26 CLARETIAN YOUTH GROUP

QUESTIONS? CONTACT
MARY.RENNER@FRESNONEWMANCENTER.ORG



HOSPITALITY VOLUNTEERS

Would you like to help create a welcoming environment at church and get a sweet treat?



Join the Sunday Hospitality team! We need volunteers to help with coffee and donuts after the 7:30, 9:30 and 11:30 am Masses!

Please contact the office at 559-436-3434 or office@fresnonewmancenter.org if you would like to volunteer.

OFFICE CLOSED AUGUST 19, 2025

The office will be closed all day on August 19th for an off site staff retreat. There will still be Mass at 8am that day.

DEACON JOHN ITALY BLOG

If you would like to follow along as Deacon John and Luci travel around Italy, you can read their blog at ljsupino.blogspot.com.

2025/2026 RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

2025/2026 Registration is now open! Register today through FlockNote for:

- Pre-K through 8th grade Religious Education
- 9th through 12th grade Claretian Youth
- 1st year and 2nd year High School Confirmation
- Young Adult Confirmation
- Adult Faith, Family & Friends

To help make the registration process go more smoothly please review your Flocknote account to ensure your family information is entered correctly before registering for any of the above sessions. Thank you!

PLEASE REGISTER FOR FLOCKNOTE BEFORE SIGNING UP.



High School Confirmation



Claretian Youth (High School)



Pre-K - 8th Grade Religious Ed



Adult Faith, Family & Friends

IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY CELEBRATION

August 15, 2025

Please join us for the 8 am
Holy Day Mass for the
Solemnity of the Assumption.

- Marian Procession
- Brunch
- Backpack Blessing
- Activities for Kids and Teens
- Bring flowers for Mary to the Mass
- Join the Mass entrance procession

We hope you will join us to
share faith and fellowship.
All are welcome!

Please RSVP to familiastery@gmail.com

HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION

August 15th is a holy day of obligation honoring the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Mass will be held at 8:00am and 6:00pm

PASTORAL COUNCIL SUGGESTION BOX

The Pastoral Council now has a suggestion box at the front desk! Drop off your suggestions for how to make our parish better!



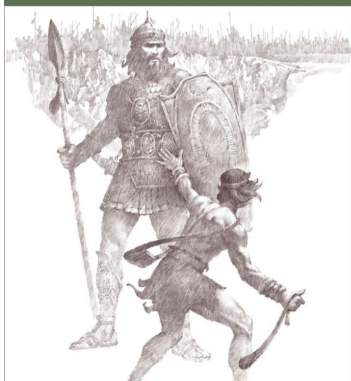
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Beginning
August 20

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WOMEN

CONTACT (559) 545-9226 IF
INTERESTED IN JOINING



The Traveling Crucifix for Family Prayer for Vocations

Every week at the Sunday 7 p.m. Mass, the celebrant will offer the Traveling Crucifix and a blessing to a volunteer family, which will then display it reverently in their home and pray that week for the discernment and support of vocations. If you would like to volunteer to host the Crucifix and pray for vocations, please contact Veronica Rodriguez at verorod4@icloud.com. We are hoping to add other Masses in the future.

We are grateful to Fr. Rubi for the gift of this Crucifix from the Holy Land. It is made of native wood and contains vials of items native to Our Lord's earthly home. Families will receive the Crucifix in a display box to set in a place of honor in their home for the week, as well as suggested prayers for vocations to the priesthood and diaconate, religious life, marriage, and single life. Thank you for supporting vocations with your prayers!



PRAYERS

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

Peggy Grant	Benita Lankford
Mary Beth Hall	Barbara Meisch
Spencer R	Dr. Joseph Pascuzzo
Claire C	Denise Klinovsky
June L	

♥ And we pray for those who have died recently.

Please contact the office or visit our website and fill out the form under the ["Prayer Requests"](#) tab to have a name included on this prayer list.

Names of the sick / for special intentions will be published in the bulletin for 1-4 weeks, and then removed unless otherwise requested.

Names of the deceased are published the week after death.

JULY CONTRIBUTIONS

2024		2025	
August 4	\$12,658.40	August 3	\$13,389.62
August 11	\$19,404.62	August 10	
August 18	\$26,480.41	August 17	
August 25	\$10,827.11	August 24	
		August 31	
AUGUST 2024 TOTAL	\$69,370.54	AUGUST 2025 TOTAL	\$13,389.62

Last weekend's special collection was for

Bishop's Annual Appeal

\$2,229.01

Thank you for your generosity!

BULLETIN INFORMATION

To submit announcements, articles, or flyers for the bulletin, website, or social media please fill out the form on our parish website: www.fresnonewmancenter.org/content-submission

Submissions are accepted no later than Monday 12:00pm the week of publication.



We have transitioned to using Flocknote to email the bulletin. If you would like the bulletin emailed to you every week, please join the Weekly Bulletin group on Flocknote! Thank you!

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

AUGUST 10 — AUGUST 17, 2025

SUNDAY, AUGUST 10 19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:30am	Mass for Kenneth Christiansen	Chapel
9:30am	CLOW	Community Room
9:30am	Mass for Gloria Trevino	Chapel
9:30am	Blessing of the Backpacks	Chapel
11:30am	Mass for Needs & Intentions of Parishioners	Chapel
11:30am	Baptism	Chapel
11:30am	OCIA Catechumenate	Community Room
1:00pm	Baptism Prep Class	Library
2:00pm	Filipino Mass	Chapel
7:00pm	Mass for Mildred Ruth Hudec	Chapel

MONDAY, AUGUST 11

7:40am	Liturgy of the Hours	Chapel
8:00am	Mass for Marilyn Goodall	Chapel
8:30am	Men's Morning Scripture Study	Library
8:30am	Novena for the Assumption	Chapel
9:00am	Summer Reflections	Cafeteria
6:00pm	Young Adult Bible Study	Student Lounge
6:30pm	OCIA Inquiry	Community Room

TUESDAY, AUGUST 12

7:40am	Liturgy of the Hours	Chapel
8:00am	Mass for Magtanggol Sarmiento	Chapel
8:30am	Novena for the Assumption	Chapel
6:00pm	Pastoral Council	Classroom 3

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 13

7:40am	Liturgy of the Hours	Chapel
8:00am	Mass for Peter Patriquin & Victoria Hoff	Chapel
8:30am	Novena for the Assumption	Chapel
10:00am	Marian Movement of Priests	Community Room
6:00pm	Prayer Life Workshop	Library
6:00pm	Marian Movement of Priests	Chapel
6:30pm	Bible Study	Classrooms
7:00pm	Knights of Columbus	CNH 104

THURSDAY, AUGUST 14

7:40am	Liturgy of the Hours	Chapel
8:00am	Communion Service	Chapel
8:30am	Novena for the Assumption	Chapel
4:00pm	Confessions	Chapel
6:00pm	Book Study	Community Room
6:00pm	Young Adult Confirmation	CNH 103
6:00pm	Mass for James Grooms	Chapel

FRIDAY, AUGUST 15

7:40am	Liturgy of the Hours	Chapel
8:00am	Mass for Deceased Lopez family	Chapel
8:30am	Novena for the Assumption	Chapel
9:00am	Immaculate Heart of Mary Celebration	Classrooms
5:30pm	Food Recovery	Cafeteria
6:00pm	Mass	Chapel

SATURDAY, AUGUST 16

Special Collection: Cathedral Maintenance

3:30pm	Confessions	Chapel
5:00pm	Mass for Giuseppe Caracciolo	Chapel

SUNDAY, AUGUST 17 20TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Special Collection: Cathedral Maintenance

7:30am	Mass for Moses Sifuentes	Chapel
9:30am	CLOW	Community Room
9:30am	Mass for Terry and Shirley Jesse	Chapel
11:30am	Mass for Maria Silva	Chapel
11:30am	OCIA Catechumenate	Community Room
1:00pm	Group Baptism	Chapel
7:00pm	Mass for Needs & Intentions of Parishioners	Chapel

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