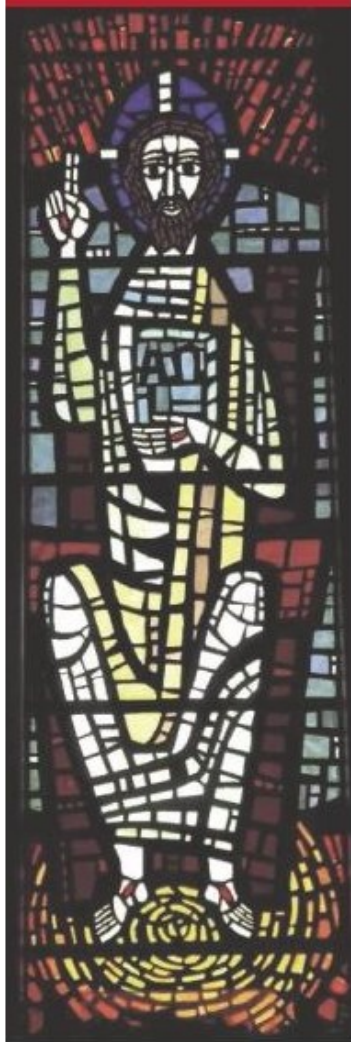


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Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 26, 2025



MASS SCHEDULE

Weekend Masses

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

Saturday: 5:00PM

Weekday Masses

Mon, Wed, Fri: 8:00AM

Thurs: 6:00PM

Communion Service

Tues & 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

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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

WEDNESDAY STUDENT NIGHT

Students are welcome to join us on January 29th for dinner in the Cardinal Newman Hall. After dinner we will have a worship night for students to gather together in fellowship and music!

STUDENT SPRING RETREAT

We invite all students to join us on our spring retreat - HOPE, from February 7th-9th. Our student retreat will be held at Saint Anthony Retreat Center in Three Rivers.



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Join us from February 7-9th
for a student retreat centered
on Hope!

CLOVIS COMMUNITY CLUB RUSH

Clovis Community students, we will be on campus tabling on Tuesday, 28th and Wednesday, 29th, from 11am-1pm for club rush. Stop by the AC3 Lobby to see what we'll be up to for Spring '25. All students are welcome!

FRESNO STATE ON-CAMPUS GATHERINGS

Save the Date! Our first on campus gathering will be February 5th at 1pm in the RSU. These gatherings are a time to gather as students and grow in our faith on-campus. See you then.

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

YOUNG ADULT BIBLE STUDY

Join our Bible Study gathering Monday, January 27th at 6:00pm in the Student Lounge. We will continue to look at the Gospel of John. Come and learn alongside other young adults about how scripture is alive in our daily lives.

TRIVIA NIGHT

Good Trivia & Good Times! Join us on February 5th for trivia at Tioga Sequoia Brewing Co. Trivia begins at 7pm. All knowledge is welcome!

CLARETIAN YOUTH GROUP

TACO SALAD

Fundraiser



Claretian Youth will be accepting preorders for taco salads!

Preorder today through Flocknote or in person the weekend of February 1st after all Masses! Preorders must be received by February 6th.

Available for pickup February 9th
for dine in at the parish Super Bowl party or takeout

\$12 PER SALAD





St. Paul Catholic Newman Center

SUPER BOWL FUNDRAISER

Sunday, February 9 at 3:30PM

Join us for a Super Bowl fundraiser here in Cardinal Newman Hall. Enjoy watching the game with food, drinks, and fun!

There will even be a raffle with plenty of great prizes!

- Preorder a taco salad from the Claretian Youth to enjoy during the game
- Campus Ministry will be selling snacks
- Beer, wine, and baked goods will also be available for purchase



NEWMAN MUSIC IS EXPANDING!

If you love the music at Mass, here's your chance to get involved. Interested singers and musicians are invited to help grow and re-build our MUSIC PROGRAM into new and larger choirs for all Masses.

We need YOU to make this happen.

All skill levels welcome.

New singers and musicians (all ages) plus former choir members are encouraged to join or re-join this new supported effort.

Parishioners with PIANO, GUITAR and other instrumental experience are needed to re-create a new JOYFUL NOISE!

1st meeting TBA soon! Watch the Bulletin.

Sign up sheet available at front desk. For more information contact rosie@csufnewman.com

Be a part of this exciting ministry and SHARE your TALENT.

SPCNC Liturgy Music Committee

KOC BURRITO BREAKFAST OBRIA MEDICAL CLINIC

The Knights of Columbus John Cardinal Newman Council 9445 would like to announce that on Sunday January 25, 2025 we will be selling Breakfast Burritos in the Cafeteria of the Newman Center. We invite you to come out after the 7:30am, 9:30am and 11:30am masses and enjoy a great breakfast bacon or sausage breakfast burrito with your choice of coffee or orange juice. The price will be \$7.00 with 50% of the proceeds helping the Obria Medical Clinic. They offer compassionate help to women and men through free pregnancy medical and support services; educates our community on healthy relationships; and provides resources for healing to those who have experienced reproductive loss. It also helps Women and Men after pregnancy. We accept all forms of payment Cash, Credit Cards, and Checks, so please plan and come out to help support this great cause.

CLAIFORNIA FIRE RELIEF

In order to help the victims of the wildfires happening in southern California we will be accepting financial donations at the front office if you would like to donate. We also have information on other ways you can donate listed on our website at <https://fresnewmancenter.org/california-fires>.

AN OPEN LETTER FROM BISHOP JOSEPH BRENNAN—CENTRAL VALLEY IMMIGRATION CHALLENGES

It was just a little over a month ago that we Catholic Christians celebrated a very important day of celebration within our Latino and specifically Mexican community, the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe. On that day all of the Roman Catholic Bishops here in the State of California, myself included, issued a brief statement entitled, Am I not here, I who am your mother? That title is attributed to words spoken by Our Lady to Juan Diego, the other key character in the Guadalupe event, who was in need of comfort while dealing with his own doubts and fears. Our statement was directed toward some of our brothers and sisters today who are also dealing with much fear as a result of their immigration status. It was also directed toward those who might be the cause of such fear, not to mention still others who may be able to do something about it.

Our statement was issued at a most opportune moment and prophetically speaks about Challenges that may arise that are not yet clear. It seems as if some of those challenges have in fact made themselves all too clear now, especially given what has recently happened in and around Kern County and other areas of our Central Valley. The Border Patrol has been present and active in our Valley. I saw them myself, patrolling along the 99 corridor, in several of our neighborhoods, in our fields of harvest and outside places of business. It seemed as if we took a step back as a society, and the old days of immigration sweeps were upon us once again. Our people are being asked to produce proof of citizenship, and it seems as if the request is based on how they look and how they speak. That is not, by way of example, going after hardened criminals or drug dealers which, I hope, none of us would take exception to. It is going after people who, rightly or wrongly, were allowed to cross a border and who are now being subjected to tactics that are causing much fear and anxiety among my people. It is an insult to human dignity, and it is simply wrong.

I, and my fellow Bishops along with other community partners here in the Central Valley, will continue to serve as trusted resources for those in need of assistance or who simply need to have some questions answered in these difficult and for some, dangerous times. In fact, a preliminary list of resources may be found at www.catholic.org/immigration.

Let me conclude with another quote from our bishops' document which, although directed to our parishes and Catholic community really applies and appeals to us all:

The disarray at our border cannot be allowed to continue. We pray with you that any enacted policies...

...restore a sense of security and peace for citizens as well as those seeking to find a home in this blessed land. To achieve that end, policies must reflect empathy and solicitude, with due regard for the rights of children and those fleeing violent and impoverished countries, while ceasing to provide respite for serious offenders.

I believe that this is something we could all agree upon and something we can all work toward.

BOOK STUDY

On Wednesdays from February 12 through April 9, 12:00 noon—1:00 pm in the Library, John Prandini will offer a book study on *Wrestling with God: Finding Hope and Meaning in Our Daily Struggle to be Human* by Fr. Ronald Rolheiser. This book study is for all who are wrestling with God, faith, and religion. It will honor your questions, resistance, longing, and honesty. Please join us!

Reserve your spot through Flocknote. Please purchase the book in advance through Amazon or your preferred bookstore and come prepared on Feb. 12th to discuss the Preface.



CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

We need help and you need to smile more in 2025!

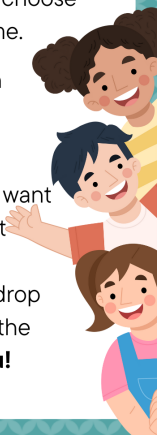
The 9:30 Mass Children's Liturgy of the Word is growing. We need Teachers, Adult Assistants and Teen Assistants to help during the Liturgy of the Word at this Mass.

We have lesson plans and materials for our teachers. All we need is a willing, joyful heart to help the children learn each week's Gospel message at their level. We promise you will also learn as well!

Your commitment could be as little as one Mass every 4 or 5 weeks or more as you choose. You will choose the dates to teach or assist ahead of time.

Our adult and teens assistants help in many ways to keep things running smoothly and are very important.

If you are ready to help teach, assist or just want to get more information please contact Deborah Tuttle, CLOW coordinator at (559) 593-0082 or tuttlecpa@aol.com or drop by the Community Room before or after the 9:30 Mass to talk in person. **Thank you!**



PRAYERS

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

Mark	Peggy Grant
Benita Lankford	Marianne Coons
Elizabeth	Hyde Westfall
Armi Ybanez	Clementine Anaya
Rodolfo (Rudy) Ruiz	Andy Reeve
Kathy Robinson	Eduardo Sosa
Joseph Britt	

♥ And we pray for those who have died recently.

Steve Westfall	Peachy Pangan Angeles
Mary Gonzales	Gina de Guzman Pangan

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.

JANUARY CONTRIBUTIONS

2024		2025	
January 7	\$30,113.38	January 5	\$20,922.94
January 14	\$12,403.40	January 12	\$22,349.48
January 21	\$18,112.60	January 19	\$18,370.23
January 28	\$13,031.52	January 26	
JANUARY 2024 TOTAL	\$73,990.90	JANUARY 2025 TOTAL	\$61,642.65

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Submissions are accepted no later than Monday 12:00PM the week of publishing.

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WEEKLY SCHEDULE

JANUARY 26 — FEBRUARY 2, 2025

SUNDAY, JANUARY 26	III SUNDAY ORD. TIME
<i>Special Collection: Church in Latin America</i>	
<i>Knights Burrito Breakfast</i>	
7:30am	Mass for Raul Lopez Chapel
9:30am	CLOW Community Room
9:30am	Mass for Catalino Favor Chapel
11:00am	1st Year HS Confirmation CNH
11:30am	Mass for Needs & Intentions of Parishioners Chapel
12:45pm	2nd Year HS Confirmation CNH
3:00pm	Igbo Mass Chapel
7:00pm	Mass for Dionisia de la Cruz Chapel
8:00pm	Eucharistic Adoration Chapel

MONDAY, JANUARY 27	
8:00am	Mass for Deceased Lopez family members Chapel
8:30am	Men's Morning Scripture Study Library
11:00am	Book Study CNH Conference Room
6:00pm	Young Adult Bible Study Student Lounge

TUESDAY, JANUARY 28	
8:00am	Communion Service Chapel
6:00pm	Claretian Youth John XXIII
6:00pm	Faith, Family & Friends CNH

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 29	
7:40am	Divine Office (Morning Prayer) Chapel
8:00am	Mass Chapel
10:00am	Marian Movement of Priests Cafeteria
6:00pm	Prayer & Life Workshop Library
6:00pm	Marian Movement of Priests Cenacle Chapel
6:00pm	College Night CNH 101-103

THURSDAY, JANUARY 30	
8:00am	Communion Service Chapel
4:00pm	Confessions Chapel
6:00pm	Mass Chapel
6:00pm	Bible Study Community Room
6:30pm	Tacos and Theology St. John XXIII and Zoom
7:00pm	OCIA Inquiry Library

FRIDAY, JANUARY 31	
7:40am	Divine Office (Morning Prayer) Chapel
8:00am	Mass Chapel
8:30am	Familiastery Classroom 2-4
5:30pm	Food Recovery Network Cafeteria

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 1	
<i>Blessing of the Throats Catholic Charities Truck</i>	
<i>Claretian Youth Taco Salad Fundraiser Pre-Sale</i>	
3:30pm	Confessions Chapel
5:00pm	Mass for Rosie Buenaventura Chapel

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 2	IV SUNDAY ORD. TIME
<i>Blessing of the Throats Catholic Charities Truck</i>	
<i>Claretian Youth Taco Salad Fundraiser Pre-Sale</i>	
7:30am	Mass for Needs & Intentions of Parishioners Chapel
9:30am	RCIA Catechumenate Library
9:30am	CLOW Community Room
9:30am	Mass for Tagumpay Sarmienio Chapel
11:00am	1st Year HS Confirmation CNH
11:30am	Mass for Charles Koch Chapel
12:45pm	2nd Year HS Confirmation CNH
7:00pm	Mass for Hilda Sanchez Chapel

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