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Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed

November 2, 2025



Fall 2025 Confirmation Cohort

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

WEDNESDAY COLLEGE NIGHT

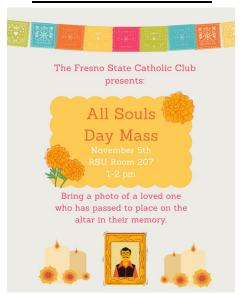
All students are welcome to join us on **Wednesday**, **November 5th** for our student dinner. We start with dinner at 6pm followed by an evening of Adoration at 7pm. Afterwards to lounge will be open for studying and free snacks.

FRESNO STATE ON-CAMPUS GATHERINGS

All Fresno State students are welcome to join us for our on-campus gatherings this week. Bring lunch & bring a friend!

Monday, November 3rd at 11:45am – Liturgy of the Hours - RSU 209 Wednesday, November 5th at 1pm – All Souls Day Mass - RSU 207 Thursday, November 6th at 2pm – Saint Charles Borromeo - RSU 208

ALL SOULS DAY MASS



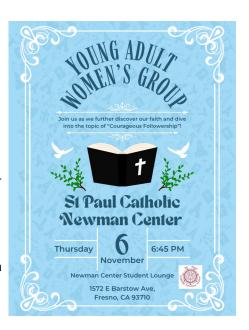
Young Adult ministry

YOUNG ADULT BIBLE STUDY

Join our Bible Study gathering Monday, November 3rd 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 November 12th for trivia at Tioga Sequoia Brewing Co. Trivia begins at 7pm. All knowledge is welcome.





CEAC, a Ministry of St Paul Catholic Newman Center In Collaboration with Alicia Meza Present a Photograph Exhibit

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CLARETIANS WEBSITE

The USA-Canada Claretian Province has a new website page that highlights their charism, mission, and ministries. http://claretians.org/

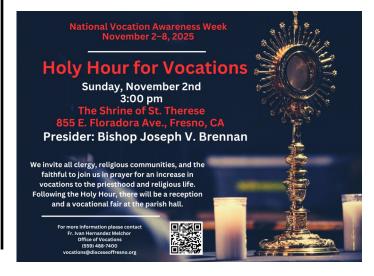


DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH



St. John Henry Newman, will be named a Doctor of the Church on All Saints Day, 11/1. He was one of the great modern thinkers of Christianity, a key figure in a spiritual and human journey that left a profound mark on the Church and 19th-century ecumenism, and the author of writings that show how living the faith is a daily "heart-to-heart"

dialogue with Christ. He will now be the 38th Doctor of the Church and the Patron of Catholic Education.



Eucharistic Revival Fellowship & Training Event

The Newman Eucharistic Revival Team is a group passionate about the Eucharist and sharing its blessings with our parish. We assist with monthly Eucharistic Adorations and are planning more events around the Eucharist's power and miracles.

Join us on Saturday, November 8th, from 10 AM to Noon. We'll meet in the Community Room and then walk through the Adoration process in the Chapel. If you'd like to help or have ideas to share, we'd love for you to be part of this ministry.

We look forward to meeting you and welcoming your gifts to enhance these sacred moments with our Lord.



WOMEN'S GUILD

Still to come in the upcoming months:

- Bring your donations for the MEMI Sisters to the November meeting, if you have not already brought them to church.
- Caroling at the Nazareth House will be December 13
 at 12 Noon, followed by our Christmas gathering at
 the Spaghetti Factory. Come join us for a meal,
 even if you cannot join us for caroling.

The theme for the year is to support, empower and educate all Catholic women in spirituality, leadership and service. In this spirit, we are starting our series on Women Doctors of the Church. Sister Kathleen will give the first talk on Catherine of Siena at the November meeting.

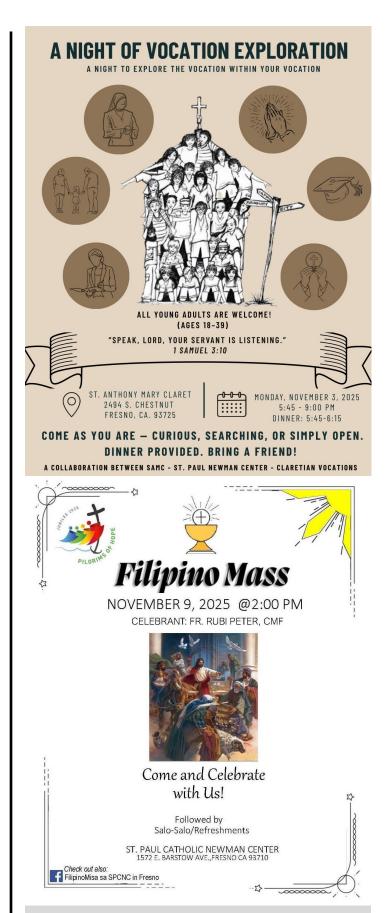
Remember, we are the eyes and hands of God. Come help us do His work and make new friends!

If you have any questions, please call me: Lucina Myers, 2025-2026 Guild President, at 559/824-9160. See you at the next meeting!

NEXT GUILD MEETING: November 13, 2025

Please remember to wear your name tag to Mass!





NEWMAN CENTER WISHLIST

If you're looking for a way to donate to the Newman Center, check out our wishlist located on our website. https://fresnonewmancenter.org/giving/newman-center-wishlist

WINTER '26 ——

YOUNG ADULT CONFIRMATION

FOR AGES 18-39

January 22: Intro Class

January 29

February 5

February 12

February 19

February 26 March 5

March 12

March 19: Penance Service

March 26: Retreat/Rehearsal

April 9

Confirmation Ceremony

To register please have a copy of your Baptism and First Communion certificates. For those registered, Young Adult Confirmation meetings are from 6-7:15 PM in Cardinal Newman Hall Room 103.



Scan to Registe

For more information contact adult.confirmation@fresnonewmancenter.org.



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CLASSROOM USAGE

We kindly ask all ministries using the classrooms to keep the tables and chairs in their current arrangement. If you need to rearrange them for your meeting, please take a moment to return them to their original setup when finished.

Familiastery Ministry

Equipping Families on Mission

October 21 - November 18

12 - 2pm

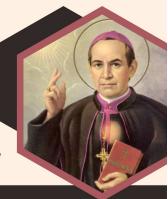
Faith filled enrichment days for toddlers through 8th grade!

We are excited to focus this Session on the founder of our beloved Claretian Missionary sons of the Immaculate Heart, Saint Anthony Mary Claret, whose feast day is October 24.

Schedule

- October 21: Weaving and Vocations
- October 28: The Charity of Christ and Souling
- November 4: The Catholic Press and Evangelization
- November 18: Mary as Guide ("Arrow of Love")

To sign up please visit: https://stpaulcatholicnewmanctr.flocknote.com/ signup/230483



FAMILIASTERY MINISTRY: EQUIPPING FAMILIES ON MISSION

Saint Paul Catholic Newman Center

Marian Storytime and Play Group for Toddlers and Preschoolers!



Parent-Child Enrichment

10/21: Our Lady o

10/28: Our Lady of Knock

11/4: Our Lady of Charity

11/18: Our Lady o

All are welcome to join our village of families on Tuesdays from 12-2.

Sign up at https://stpaulcatholicnewmanctr.flocknote.com/signup/230483

PASTORAL COUNCIL ANNUAL REPORT AUG 2024—AUG 2025

This report summarizes the efforts of the newly formed Pastoral Council from August 2024 to August 2025.

Brief History

In the Fall of 2023, a group of parishioners started to gather parishioner input about a possible reestablishment of a Parish Council or Pastoral Council. This effort started from feedback during listening sessions which focused on the need of a council at St Paul Catholic Newman Center.

In early 2024, meetings and conversations with parishioners started to gather inputs and to look at what type of council framework best fits our parish.

In mid-2024, a framework for a new Pastoral Council was decided upon based on information sessions and voting by parish members. With a framework, parish-identified council goals, and a willingness to move forward, nominations for council membership were requested.

In Aug 2024, the first Pastoral Council Meeting was held with Council Members and Newman Staff's Pastoral Team members.

Meeting Highlights:

Aug 2024: Discussed Strategic Goals and Ways to solicit parishioner inputs.

Sep 2024 – Nov 2024: Pastoral Council spent time discussing, discerning, and developing the Pastoral Council Guidelines to capture the who, what, where, why, and how of the Pastoral Council. These guidelines are used to steer how meetings are run, who is on the council, and what the council addresses.

Jan 2025: Pastoral Council began to look at main areas to address strategically based on parish inputs from 2024, parish listening sessions, and areas of concern voting/ranking. The council also looked at who would run meetings, record minutes, and disperse information to the parish.

Feb 2025: Pastoral Council divided into three specific internal committees to address the top three parish strategic areas of concern:

- a) Parish Community Building
- b) Faith Formation
- c) Hospitality/ Fellowship

Mar 2025: Committees identified areas of work/interest:

- A) Parish Community Building: Form Committees vs individuals; Better communication; Inclusivity-care for students and staff at the beginning of school year; 4/3 Groups that meet every 3 months; Fun nights.
- B) Faith Formation: Eight-week education programs (seasons); Scheduled Ministry Fairs; Videos to promote

ministries; Youth formation programs contact list and survey results; Better communication/promotion; Develop Confirmation team; Catechetical Certification: FlockNote drive.

C) Hospitality/ Welcoming: Greeting; Recruitment plan; Connection of volunteers; Structure of recruiting; Greeter training; Ensuring consistency; Inclusivity; Increasing volunteers; Find what is important to our parishioners.

Apr/May 2025: Internal Committee Work:

- A) Faith Formation: Reviewed Parish Ministry Survey Results: Key Item communication of what is available when, for whom?: Research possible Parish Continuum of Faith Formation Journey & Life of Service Timelines; Student special needs at FFF; Set up Faith Formation Committee (FFF, HS Confirmation, RE).
- B) Parish Community Building: Hikes with Mary promotion; Zoo trip; Movie night; Family games night: Visit religious places; Potlucks/cookouts: 4-3 Groups.
- C) Hospitality/Welcoming: Greeters Ministry w/ training, scheduling, oversight; Name tags; promote cafeteria after Mass, starter questions on tables.

Jun/Jul 2025: Discussion on whether Pastoral Council, after about 6 months should work on Strategic Planning, is moving in the right direction; Call to invite parishioners to council meetings; Post minutes to website; Discussion on looking at balancing council spiritual time with business time.

Aug 2025: Presentation on Caring for the Whole Person; Presentation on Thriving Parish (how does this work with Pastoral Council and IAF efforts?), more discussion needed; Need to invite parish ministries to meet with them (listening session).

<u>Pastoral Council & Parish Discernment (2023-24)</u> <u>Fruits:</u>

- Pastoral Council Guidelines adopted
- Three main focus areas: Parish Community Building, Hospitality/Welcoming, Faith Formation
- Pastoral Council Suggestion Box
- Religious Education (RE) regular meetings with teachers and DRE
- RE teachers doing certification classes
- Huge recruitment through Ministry Fairs (lots of new teachers)
- Scheduled Ministry Fairs each year
- Help with special needs in FFF
- New HS Confirmation Team approach
- Children Liturgy of the Word (CLOW) established and successful (9:30 Mass)
- Contact List of Ministry Leaders formalized

For additional information on the Pastoral Council, please see "Pastoral Council Information" under "About" on the St Paul Catholic Newman Center webpage.

PRAYERS

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

Peggy Grant Lucyna Dinces Sandra Baronian Michael O'Hare Catherine Caton Kathy Coit Denny Lathrop Eugene

◆ 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.

OCTOBER CONTRIBUTIONS

2024		2025	
October 6	\$16,349.72	October 5	\$14,244.23
October 13	\$19,400.91	October 12	\$20,717.99
October 20	\$11,995.90	October 19	\$18,620.47
October 27	\$9,277.59	October 26	\$10,324.82
OCTOBER 2024 TOTAL	\$57,024.12	OCTOBER 2025 TOTAL	\$63,907.51

ALTAR FLOWERS

The altar flowers this weekend are given by Lucy Myers in memory of her parents, Santos and Hilaria Munoz, on the anniversary of their birthdays, November 1st and November 3rd.



BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE

As we enter the month of November, we honor the Catholic tradition of praying for all the faithful departed. You are invited to add the names of your deceased family members and friends to our Book of Remembrance. It is located at the entrance of the church and will remain there throughout November. During this month of remembrance, all those inscribed in our book will be lifted up in our prayers

Mass/Confession Cancellation

There will be no Mass or Confessions on 11/6 and 11/13. Thank you for your understanding.



Weekly Schedule

SUNDAY		ATION OF ALL THE
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7:30am 9:30am 9:30am	Mass for Marianne Angelillo Mass for Dennis Jennings	Chape Community Room Chape Chape Chape
MONDAY	/, NOVEMBER 3	
7:40am 8:00am 8:30am 5:30pm 6:00pm	Liturgy of the Hours Mass for Francis Pavlovich Men's Morning Scripture Study Liturgy of the Hours Young Adult Bible Study	Chape Chape Library Student Lounge Student Lounge
TUESDA	Y, NOVEMBER 4	
7:40am 8:00am 10:30am 12:00pm	Liturgy of the Hours Mass for Emily Stuart Downs Familiastery Women's Bible Stud Familiastery Enrichment Faith, Family & Friends Claretian Youth	Chape Chape Iy Classrooms Classrooms CNH/Classrooms Student Lounge
WEDNES	SDAY, NOVEMBER 5	
7:40am 8:00am 10:00am 11:30am 6:00pm	Liturgy of the Hours Mass for Luz Baldovino Balane Marian Movement of Priests Book Study Wednesday Student Dinner Prayer Life Workshop Marian Movement of Priests CEAC Meeting Bible Study	Chape Chape Chape Community Room Library CNH Library Cafeteria Community Room Classrooms 2&3
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7:40am 8:00am 6:00pm 6:30pm	AY, NOVEMBER 6 Liturgy of the Hours Communion Service Book Study Women's Group	Chape Chape Community Room Student Lounge
FRIDAY, 7:40am 8:00am 8:30am 5:30pm	NOVEMBER 7 Liturgy of the Hours Mass Adoration Food Recovery	Chape Chape Chape Cafeteria
	AY, NOVEMBER 8	
	Collection: Archdiocese for the Mili Eucharistic Revival Meeting Confession Beatitudes of the Campesinos	Library Chape
5:00pm	Art Exhibit Opens Mass for Francisca Bonuel	Community Room Chape
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Special Collection: Archdiocese for the Military Services				
7:30am	Mass for Kate Layous	Chapel		
9:30am	CLOW	Community Room		
9:30am	Mass for Omar Corral	Chapel		
10:45am	1st Year HS Confirmation	CNH		
11:30am	Mass for Charles Koch	Chapel		
11:30am	OCIA Catechumenate	Community Room		
12:30pm	2nd Year HS Confirmation	CNH		
1:00pm	Baptism	Chapel		
2:00pm	Filipino Mass			
7:00pm	Mass for Needs & Intentions of I	Parishioners Chapel		

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