Yahoo to You!

Thank you to the many alums who generously gave a gift on Newman Center's inaugural Alumni Giving Day on October 13th. Alums were asked to donate in celebration of the canonization of John Henry Newman on that date. And give they did… by mail, on-line and in response to phone-a-thon calls from current UI students to benefit the mission of the Newman Center at their alma mater. $10,200 was raised on October 13th, which allowed the Center to receive $10,000 in matching challenge funds. The match was made possible through the generosity of two donor couples who made $5000+ gifts: Joan (McCoy) '94 and Tom DePrenger and an anonymous duo.

If you would still like to give to the Alumni Giving Day efforts to raise even more funds for Newman Center's mission, you can give securely online at www.iowacatholic.org (put Alumni Giving Day in comment section) or mail your check to 104 E. Jefferson St., Iowa City, IA 52244. Mark your envelope Alumni Giving Day. **Paying it forward!**

They Said It…

We appreciated hearing from alumni who submitted videos, photos, and "soundbites" during Homecoming Week. Reflecting back upon experiences and memories of Newman Center, here's how a few described this place:

- *Mass on Sunday, a home away from home*
- *An opportunity for friendship, God-talk, good food, good noise, quiet if you want it, conversation*
- *someone to talk to if you need it. A little shine when things look dark.*
- *Being part of this community was what I needed to meaningfully live away from home. I was always welcomed by a warm smile, a prayer, or a hug. I have a wonderful memory of praying under the stars with a community of students at an outdoor retreat! My spiritual life only got better from there*
- *Before college, I was a Catholic by default because of my parents. The Newman Center helped me own my faith. I learned about servant leadership and leading with compassion.*
- *I would not be the faith-filled person I am today without the influences of the Newman Center. People at the Newman Center challenged me to be a better Catholic.*
- *Being a member of the Newman Center and Newman Singers set me on a path to a much deeper faith and relationship with God. More than 20 years later, my faith has been deepening ever since.*
- *Newman Center had a profound impact on me. I was part of Antioch I & II in 1981-82. I ended up joining the Peace Corp after my graduation and have been involved in social justice issues and projects most of my life.*
- *In 1992 I went on an Encounter Retreat that resulted in life-long friendships. Since that time my Newman group has celebrated weddings, vacations together and other milestones. Years later, I look forward to making many more memories with these friends. Thank you, Newman Center, for always being so welcoming to me!*

November 3	November 4	November 5	November 6	November 7	November 8	November 9	November 10
Sunday	**Monday**	**Tuesday**	**Wednesday**	**Thursday**	**Friday**	**Saturday**	**Sunday**
9:00 AM Mass 10:00 AM Donut Sunday 11:00 AM Mass 12:00 PM Donut Sunday 6:00 PM Mass 7:00 PM Sundae Sunday 7:00 PM Grad/ Yo Pro Book Club Food Drive Ends	No 5:15pm Mass 6:30-8:00PM Catholicism Ignited 8:00 PM Gospel Study	Clothing Drive 7:00am-6:00pm 4:50 PM Rosary 5:15 PM Mass 8:00 PM Gospel Study 9:15 PM Night Prayer	9:30 AM Bagels 4:00-5:00 PM Holy Hour/ Reconciliation 4:50 PM Rosary 5:15 PM Mass 8:00 PM Gospel Study 8:15 PM Grad/ Yo Pro 9:15 PM Adoration With Exposition	4:50 PM Rosary 5:15 PM Mass 8:00 PM Gospel Study 9:00 PM TNM Student Mass 10:00 PM Mission Fiesta	4:50 PM Rosary 5:15 PM Mass	10:00-11:30 AM Sacrament of Reconciliation- St. Mary's 4:30 PM Mass	9:00 AM Mass 11:00 AM Mass 6:00 PM Mass 7:00 PM Grad/ Yo Pro Book Club

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Mass Schedule

Mon.-Fri.	5:15 PM
Saturday	4:30 PM
Sunday	9:00 AM, 11:00 AM and 6:00 PM

Readings- November 10, 2019
2 Maccabees 7:1-2, 9-14
2 Thessalonians 2:16-3:5
Luke 20:27-38

MISSION STATEMENT

As a Newman Catholic Student Center we provide Roman Catholic ministry to those associated with The University of Iowa to promote their development within a faith community and to prepare them as disciples for the church and for the world.

DAILY SERVICES

There is a Eucharistic Liturgy in the chapel **Monday through Friday at 5:15 PM.** Other weekend services are listed on the calendar in the bulletin.

NEWMAN CENTER BUILDING HOURS

Sunday through Thursday 8:00am-11:00pm
Friday and Saturday 8:00am-5:45pm

PRAYER AND STUDY SPACE

The Newman Center is like a parish in that we always have weekend services. But it is also a student center- you can use it all week. In particular, there are study spaces; quiet places for prayer and reflection (the main chapel and the Blessed Sacrament Chapel). The staff is here to be of service to you. You can make appointments to talk or just stop by.

BAPTISM

To have your child baptized at the Newman Center please contact Ronda at 337-3107 or **ronda@newman-ic.org**

THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Wednesdays 4:00-5:00 PM- Reconciliation Room at the Newman Center and Saturdays 10-11:30 AM-St. Mary's.

RCIA

For information about the Adult Initiation (Baptism, Confirmation and Holy Eucharist) process at St. Mary Church and the Newman Catholic Student Center please contact Dan Teets at 319-337-3414 or dan-icstmarys@q.com

ENGAGED COUPLES

Couples planning on marriage can visit our website **www.iowacatholic.org** and click on sacraments for the Marriage information. Please fill out a couples sheet and submit it. You will then be contacted by the Newman Center Marriage Coordinators, Deacon Joe and Katie Welter with information on marriag prep.You may e-mail them at **marriage@newman-ic.org**

REGISTRATION

We ask that all students and community members please register each year. You may do so by filling out a card in the gathering space and leaving at the front desk or online at www.iowacatholic.org. Thank you!

NEWMAN CENTER MUSIC MINISTRY

Music Ministry at the Newman Center: Do you like to sing? Do you play an instrument? You can use your talents to enhance our liturgies and help bring the assembly to full, active, and conscious participation! Please consider getting involved with our music ministry. Options include the Newman Singers, a select vocal group, as well as our Weekend Mass Groups. To find out more, contact Joe: email: nspinfo@newmansingers.com / text: 319-331-8812.

GALA 2020

Do you have a creative mind? Crafty fingers? A passion for the Newman Center's mission?

If so, you are needed on our Gala 2020 Planning Committee! Not so sure? Find out what the committee does and time commitment required by either emailing Development Director, April Rouner, at april@newman-ic.org
Behold how good and pleasant it is when brothers (and sisters) work in unity (Psalm 133).

YOU WERE MADE FOR MISSION

Will you answer the call? Join us at SLS in Phoenix, AZ Dec 30 - Jan 3 to learn more about how. SLS is more than a conference. It's Chapter One in your story of lifelong Catholic mission. It's your opportunity to take a good look at what your life as a missionary disciple can be - and then dive right in. At SLS20, you'll meet Catholics who have accepted the challenge of missionary discipleship themselves. You'll learn from them how to take the next step in your faith journey while accompanying others in theirs. Throughout this five-day event, you'll spend time in prayer and fellowship, experience top-notch entertainment and come away with a game plan for bringing yourself, your campus, your parish, your ministry and your community closer to Christ.
This event is not just for students, parishioners and families are welcomed! There is a track that has been specifically designed for those who are living life in parishes and the workforce. SLS is for any Catholic who wants to learn how to live as a true missionary disciple. We would love for you to join us. For more information and if interested in attending, go to sls20.org and contact Aurelia Isenbart (aurelia.isenbart@focus.org).

MARRIAGE ANNULMENTS Q & A

Come to an Open Forum on Marriage, Divorce and Annulment presented by our Tribunal Staff at 6:30 p.m. on Tuesday, November 19, 2019 at St. Patrick Catholic Church, 4330 St. Patrick Drive, Iowa City, Iowa. Bring your questions and learn what our Church teaches about marriage, divorce, and the healing ministry of annulment. No reservation required. Questions? Call Beth Blough, Tribunal Auditor, (563) 888-4236.

THE GRADUATE STUDENT AND YOUNG PROFESSIONAL GROUP

The Graduate Student and Young Professional Group meets on Wednesdays at 8:15 pm in the Fireside Lounge and for a Book Club on Sundays at 7 pm in O'Keefe Chapel. Join us for community, scripture reflection, faith formation, service, social events and more! This group is a great way to meet others experiencing a similar journey! Feel free to stop by when you can. All are welcome. Contact Jane (speedingticket30@aol.com), Mary (maryfielding.mf@gmail.com), or Margaret (margaret-blackford@uiowa.edu) with questions or for more information.

GOSPEL STUDIES

Gospel Studies, Want to enhance your experience of Sunday Mass? Attend a Gospel Study to reflect and pray with the Sunday Scripture Readings in a Small Student Led Group. All students are welcome to attend on a night that works best for you!

All Gospel Studies are held at Newman from 8-9 pm, Monday-Thursday, in the following locations:

Monday ~ Fireside Lounge
Tuesday ~ Fireside Lounge
Wednesday ~ O'Keefe Chapel
Thursday ~ Fireside Lounge

ADORATION WITH EXPOSITION

Need some focused prayer time with Jesus? Adoration with Exposition is available on Wednesdays from 4-5 pm in the Main Chapel. Also on Wednesday evenings from 9:15-10:15 pm, Adoration with Exposition, Music, Reconciliation, and Night Prayer is available in the Main Chapel.

RESTING IN THE FATHER: A WOMEN'S RETREAT ON CONTEMPLATIVE PRAYER,

SATURDAY, NOV. 23,
ST PATRICK CHURCH, 8AM-12PM
Do you desire a more personal, intimate relationship with God? If so, please join us Saturday, Nov. 23rd, from 8am-12pm at St Patrick's Church for a pre-Advent mini-retreat led by Fr. Corey Close, an accredited spiritual director. Fr. Corey will guide us in deepening our prayer lives through the practice of Lectio Divina, an ancient method of praying with the Scriptures. Registration is $10; please RSVP by Nov. 14 by email to mmwgrady@gmail.com. Make checks payable to the Mustard Seed and mail to Mila Grady, 125 Post Rd, Iowa City, IA 52245. Questions? Call Mila at 319-541-7472

TUESDAY NIGHT PRAYER

All students are invited for candlelit Night Prayer on Tuesday evenings at 9:15 pm in O'Keefe Chapel. Night Prayer is followed by a devotion or chaplet such as a rosary for those who are interested.

ANNUAL NEWMAN CENTER CLOTHING DRIVE

Tuesday, November 5th.....7:00AM-6:00PM

You may drop off clothing donations beginning at 7:00 am until 6:00 pm. There will be students outside on the corner so you may pull up in front of the west doors on Clinton Street and drop off your donation. New and gently used Clothing accepted includes coats, hats, mittons, shoes, boots, sweaters, shirts and pants and more! We can use infant through adult- all sizes. Please make sure clothing is washed and in good condition.

The clothing benefits local agencies including Free Lunch guests, Home Ties Day Care, United Action for Youth and more! For more information contact Ronda at 337-3107 or ronda@newman-ic.org

TNM

All students are welcome to Thursday Night Student Mass at 9 pm in the Chapel.

CATHOLICISM INGNITED

The next session in the Catholicism Ignited Masterworks series is this Monday, November 4th, at 6:30-8 pm in the Fireside Lounge at Newman. All students are invited to come learn more and discuss the Meditations of St. Alphonsus de Liguori, Doctor of the church. St. Alphonsus de Liguori, presents a wealth of knowledge spanning the nature of God and his love for his beloved children. Join us to analyze such meditations as "the Patience of God in Waiting for Sinners" and "How much God Deserves to be Loved".

YOU WERE BORN TO BE GREAT

Do you want to do something amazing with your spring break? Do you want to go on a mission trip? Come have some fun, find out more information about the trips being offered, and how to get involved! All students are welcome to come to our Mission Fiesta after the Thursday Night Student Mass this Thursday, November 7 at 10 PM in the Multipurpose Room here at Newman.

BOOK OF REMEMBERANCE

There is a Book of Remembrance on the table in the gathering space. You may write the names of deceased loved ones in this book to be remembered in prayer throughout the month of November.