

## THE IMPORTANCE OF INVESTING IN CAMPUS MINISTRY:

About one-third of all college students in the U.S. are Catholic (largest campus religious sector), with approximately 90% attending non-Catholic institutions.

Our Catholic bishops have stated: "Campus ministry is an integral part of the Church's mission to the world. Cooperation between Church and university is indispensable to the health of society." And, Pope Francis said, "The university is a place where culture is created. And where culture is being created, the Church needs to be present."

But, there is stiff competition from many other world views on campus. Religion is often trivialized, something to be easily changed or discarded. Campus ministry must not remain on the margins of the academic community, but must bring the light of the Gospel to the very center of that world.

What the Newman Catholic Student Center provides:

- Ministries that cultivate, educate, and strengthen faith.
- A "home away from home" for students.
- Partnerships with the entire campus community, not just Catholics and students.
- Value and retention to the university experience.
- A missionary spirit to equip students, faculty, and staff to be effective witnesses in the university community no matter the setting.
- Opportunities for students to learn about their faith on par with their secular academic learning, a college-level understanding of their Catholic faith.
- A welcoming, learning environment for increased numbers of converts to Catholicism.

Being engaged in campus ministry while in college has a large impact on adult faith practice in:

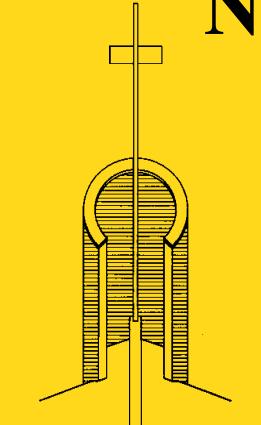
- regular Mass attendance
- registration and involvement in a parish
- service to social justice
- declaration of their Catholic faith as one of the most important aspects of their lives.

Saint John Paul II said, "The future of the world and of the Church belongs to the younger generation. The time and resources we dedicate to our college students is an act of hope. It is an investment in the future of the Church."

Please consider investing in the mission of the Newman Center to help form disciples for our Church and world. There are many ways to give: Offertory, Annual Gifts, Major Gifts, Planned Gifts, Named Endowed Gifts, Honorary and Memorial Gifts.

For more information visit our website: [www.iowacatholic.org](http://www.iowacatholic.org) or contact our Development Director, April Rouner at [april@newman-ic.org](mailto:april@newman-ic.org) or 337-3106 Ext. 119.

April 16	April 17	April 18	April 19	April 20	April 21	April 22	April 23
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
<b>Easter</b>							
9:00 AM Mass							
11:00 AM Mass	4:50 PM Rosary	4:50 PM Rosary	4:30 -5:15 PM Reconciliation	4:50 PM Rosary	4:50 PM Rosary	8:00 AM-5:00 PM Habitat Build	9:00 AM Mass
4:00 PM Mass	5:15 PM Mass	5:15 PM Mass	4:50 PM Rosary	5:15 PM Mass	4:40 PM Rosary	10-11:30 AM Sacrament of Reconciliation - St. Mary's	11:00 AM Mass
6:00 PM Mass	7:30 PM Rosary	8:00 PM Undergrad SCC	5:15 PM Mass	7:30 PM A C.A.L.L. to Students With Bishop Amos	5:15 PM Mass	4:30 PM Mass	4:00 PM Mass/ Fellows Commissioning
							6:00 PM Mass



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### Mass Schedule

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

### Readings- April 23, 2017

Acts 2:42-47  
1 Peter 1:3-9  
John 20:19-31



### 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 weekday services are listed on the calendar in the bulletin.

## 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.

## REGISTRATION CARD

Each academic year we ask everyone to please fill out one of our registration cards. They are available at the baptismry.

## MUSIC MINISTRY AT THE NEWMAN CENTER

Do you enjoy singing or playing your instrument at mass? We have three opportunities available:  
1. Liturgy Singers: Tuesday nights, 9:30 pm - a low commitment option for anyone who enjoys singing.

2. Weekend Masses: You can join us for any weekend mass by signing up on the Board in the music area of the chapel. All interested are asked to arrive thirty minutes prior to mass to run through the music. Excluded are the masses scheduled for Newman Singers.

3. Newman Singers: If you are looking for a deeper musical experience, consider the Newman Singers.

For more information on all of these options, contact Joe Mattingly: [nspinfo@newmansingers.com](mailto:nspinfo@newmansingers.com).

## STUDENT LENTEN PROJECT 2017

Newman Center students are leading the 2017 Lenten charge to help raise awareness and funds for Mary's Meals. Over 1M+ children across 5 continents (16 countries) are fed every school day by Mary's Meals. In these schools there is a rise in enrollment, attendance and attainment...providing them an education to which will help break the circle of poverty. Mary's Meals vision is for every child in the world to get one meal a day in a place of education. 93 cents out of every dollar donated to Mary's Meals is spent directly on charitable activities. It costs just \$19.50 to feed a child for an entire school year! Funds raised by Newman Center and other local students (\$10,500) will be combined with \$10,000

already raised ...which will feed 1055 students at Chitwi Primary School in Malawi for a full year!

There are several ways to give: (1) Mail check made to Mary's Meals to Newman Center %April Rouner. (2) Securely online at [www.marysmealsusa.org](http://www.marysmealsusa.org), click on Fundraising Link and "Friend's Project" and enter Iowa City Student Stewards. This group name MUST be entered for our Iowa City project to be credited with the donation. THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS HELP!

## NEWMAN'S IMAGINE 2018 TOUR OF ENGLAND, SCOTLAND & WALES

Join Bishop Martin Amos and Newman Center staff as we travel to the countries of Great Britain March 9-20, 2018 to learn how our Catholic faith of today was shaped by England of yesteryear. Britain's cultural history is found in the glass at York Minster. Next to the Minster is the reputed spot where Roman legions started the coup that led to Christianity taking over Europe: the Minster is the greatest single survivor of Catholic England.

Yorkshire's medieval churches and monasteries preserve Catholicism as it was before 16th century van-dals tried to destroy a thousand years of Catholic history. A huge amount is still perserved - the Minster, in particular, remains one of the world's great Catholic churches: far older than St Peter's in Rome.

As we take this venture into history, we will build a storehouse of memories for all travelers. Tour highlights: cathedrals, castles, pageantry, drama, food, fellowship, and FUN! Our tour company is Nawas International, renowned for leading first-rate Catholic tours and pilgrimages throughout the world.

### IMAGINE:

- \* Pondering the mysteries of Stonehenge;
- \* Learning more about the mighty Roman Empire in Bath;
- \* Enjoying the scenic beauty of the Lake District;
- \* Seeing the places which inspired Wordsworth, Coleridge and Shakespeare;
- \* Traveling to beautiful Edinburgh (Scottish lowlands) and ancient city of York;
- \* Visiting Oxford, the famous center of learning in England;
- \* Experiencing Wales, the mythical land of King Arthur;
- \* Being immersed in London, the most cosmopolitan city in the world;
- \* Learning how the Catholic faith of today was shaped by England of yesteryear.

Imagine: All the people, sharing the world as one! Make your reservation TODAY to join us. We expect this trip to fill up quickly, so we encourage you to book early. Contact April Rouner for more information or to receive a tour brochure and registration form: [april@newman-ic.org](mailto:april@newman-ic.org) or 319-337-3106 Ext. 119.

## BAPTISMS

For information about having your child baptized here at the Newman Center please contact Ronda in the office at 337-3107 or [ronda@newman-ic.org](mailto:ronda@newman-ic.org)

## ENGAGED COUPLES Marriage Information Packet

You may download a Marriage Information Packet on our website [www.iowacatholic.org](http://www.iowacatholic.org) (click on the worship tab at the top then sacraments and weddings). Please fill out the Couples Information sheet and return to the Newman Center or email to [Jacque@newman-ic.org](mailto:Jacque@newman-ic.org) as soon as possible.

## SMALL CHRISTIAN COMMUNITIES

A small Christian Community meets to read, reflect, pray, and discuss the Sunday scripture readings for an hour each week. They will meet during spring semester. All students are welcome to participate.

Spring Semester Schedule:

### Undergraduates

Monday	8 pm	Fireside Lounge
Tuesday	8 pm	Fireside Lounge
Wednesday	8:30 pm	O'Keefe
Thursday	8 pm	O'Keefe

### Graduates/Young Professionals

Wednesday	8 pm	Lower Level Game Room
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## 2017-2018 NEWMAN CENTER FELLOWS

Congratulations to the following Newman Center Fellows for the 2017-18 Academic Year!

Naomi Smullen, Liturgical Ministry  
Mafer Martinez, Prayer and Worship  
Lillian Boenker, Faith Formation: Weekly Activities  
Claire Sevenich, Faith Formation: Special Events  
Marija Pritchard, Service and Social Justice  
Jenny Haley, Communications  
Gabby Greco, Outreach  
Hieu Nguyen, Outreach  
Steven Landa, Graduate Students and Young Professionals

## HABITAT FOR HUMANITY BUILD

Saturday, April 22nd from 8:00am - noon/1:00-5:00pm

Through our collective efforts we can get involved and help a family in Coralville renovate their home. Signup sheets are on the student table at the Newman Center. Don't wait, there is space for only 20 on each shift. For more information contact Daniela at [daniela-bularzik@uiowa.edu](mailto:daniela-bularzik@uiowa.edu).

## HOLY HOUR/HAPPY HOUR [GRAD/YOUNG PROFESSIONAL GROUP]

Thursday, April 27, Mass at 5:15pm, Holy Hour at 5:45pm [Atlas]

Once a month, grad students and young professionals gather for Daily Mass at Newman at 5:15pm, followed by fellowship at Atlas. Even if you can't make it to Mass, we'd love to see you for dinner and Happy Hour! It's a great, informal way to meet other young adults of faith! The graduating seniors are more than welcome to come. For more information contact Zoe Walters.

## THE CHANGING ROLE OF MEN & WOMEN IN THE CHURCH

Sunday, April 30 at 8pm [Fireside Lounge]

The Men's Group and Catholic Ladies in College [CLIC] invite all students to come to a Q & A about the changing roles of men and women in the Church on Sunday, April 30th at 8:00 pm. Dr. Corinne Winter a theology professor from St. Ambrose will speak along with Msgr. Frank Henricksen, who has served in the Diocese of Davenport for over 60 years.

## EVENING WITH BISHOP AMOS:

### A CALL to College Students

### (CONNECT, ADDRESS, LISTEN AND LIVE)

Thurs, April 20th from 7:30 - 8:30 pm in the Fireside Lounge

Let your voice at The University of Iowa be heard at the next Synod of Bishops with Pope Francis in Rome! Bishop Amos of the Diocese of Davenport will be following the theme chosen by Pope Francis for the Synod of Bishops in October 2018 on "Young people, faith and vocational discernment," at the Newman Center on April 20th at 7:30 pm. He will talk about the Synod and is interested in hearing where students are in relationship to culture (and how you interact with it), where you are with church, what has worked in the past to connect with you. Bishop Amos agrees that by addressing this theme, the Synod wishes to accompany young people along their journey.

## THURSDAY NIGHT MASS [TNM] WITH BISHOP AMOS: EMMAUS WALK

Thursday, April 20th at 9:00 pm in the Fireside Lounge

This will be Most Rev. Martin Amos' last time presiding at TNM as the Bishop of Davenport. By Cannon Law, on his 75th birthday last December, he submitted a letter of resignation as the Ordinary of the Diocese of Davenport. We thank Bishop Amos for his decade of service and support of college students at the Newman Catholic Student Center!

## PRIEST PERSONNEL ANNOUNCEMENT

We would like to announce that the Bishop's Office in conjunction with the Priest Personnel Board announced that effective July 1st, the following changes will be made that affect us here at the Newman Center.

While remaining Parochial Vicar for St. Mary's and Campus Minister at the Newman Center, Fr. Jeff Belger will take on the role of Associate Director of Vocations.

In addition, Fr. Bob Cloos (pronounced: Close) has been appointed Parochial Vicar for St. Mary's and St. Mary's (Oxford) and St. Peter's (Cosgrove). He will live at St. Mary's, Iowa City and have duties both at St. Mary's and the Newman Center, but his primary responsibility will be the two rural parishes in support of Fr. Ed Dunne.

## SUNDAY NIGHT DINNER: CINCO DE MAYO

Sunday, April 30 - Cook at 5pm, Community Meal served at 7pm! We will offer a Classic Mexican cooking class for students, followed by a meal that we serve to the entire community! For more info, contact student coordinator Jackie Timmins. All are welcome!

## BACCALAUREATE MASS

May 12th at 5:15pm [Chapel]

As you look back upon your college years at The University of Iowa; the friends you made, the memories you shared, and the knowledge you gained, remember how your involvement at the Newman Center has enhanced those experiences by offering you a faith home away from home. With that in mind, we hope that you can celebrate with us at the Baccalaureate Mass and participate in what has become an annual Newman Center tradition. There will be a reception following Mass. You will want to talk with your family and mention this event so they can plan to attend if possible. The date is May 12th, the Friday of graduation weekend, at 5:15 PM. If you are interested in attending, please RSVP a guest count to Ronda.