

ANNUAL FUND

The Annual Fund is the backbone of our mission and crucial to expanding our capacity to reach more students, more effectively. Each year, we rely upon the generosity and joyful giving of our Newman family – faculty, staff, parents, students, alumni and friends. The success of the Annual Fund begins with each benefactor and the personal belief that the only way to create a society of compassionate, principled individuals is to provide the foundation for change - empowering those most likely to be in leadership positions, as politicians, professionals, parents and religious. Campus ministry meets this challenge by nurturing and developing Catholics into the leaders of society and the Church. Gifts of all sizes are welcomed and appreciated.

MONTHLY GIVING

Monthly giving is one of the most significant ways you can contribute to the Newman Center mission. Our electronic monthly giving program makes it easy to contribute directly from your checking account or credit card. The program is made up of donors who make a weekly, monthly, or annual recurring gift. These regular and dependable gifts make it possible for our ministry to better budget for current needs and plan for future growth! You control this commitment – it is not a pledge. You may increase, decrease or cancel your gift any time by informing the development office of your decision.

JOIN THE CLUB

The Newman Center's Founders Club recognizes those who provide supportive partnership by committing to an annual gift of \$1,000 or more to the Center. Members pledge a minimum of \$250 of the annual gift to the Annual Fund to assist the Newman Center with operating expenses. The remaining \$750 or more can be designated by the donor to areas of program interest within the Newman Center.

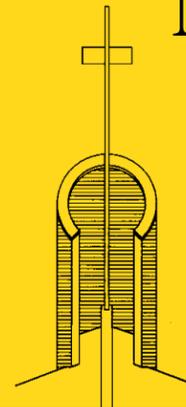
Founders Club member names are engraved on plaques featured on a donor wall just inside the Center's doors. Members are also acknowledged annually by respective name in the Outreach newsletter mailed to 7500+ households. Members are invited to special events throughout the year, including a recognition luncheon where students and benefactors have the opportunity to directly interact at the beginning of each school year.

For more information on any of these giving vehicles, please contact our Director of Development, April Rouner, at 319-337-3106 Ext. 119 or april@newman-ic.org.

YOUR STEWARDSHIP AND PARTNERSHIP WITH NEWMAN CENTER IS APPRECIATED!

April 30	May 1	May 2	May 3	May 4	May 5	May 6	May 7
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
9:00 AM Mass			4:30 -5:15 PM Reconciliation			10-11:30 AM Sacrament of Reconciliation - St. Mary's	Missioning Packets At All Masses
11:00 AM Mass/ 1st Communion	4:50 PM Rosary	4:50 PM Rosary	4:50 PM Rosary	4:50 PM Rosary	4:40 PM Rosary	4:30 PM Mass/Missioning Packets	9:00 AM Mass
4:00 PM Mass	5:15 PM Mass	5:15 PM Mass	5:15 PM Mass	5:15 PM Mass	5:15 PM Mass		10:00 AM Donut Sunday
5:00 PM Cooking Class	7:30 PM Rosary	8:00 PM Undergrad SCC	5:45 PM Adoration	9:00 PM TNM			11:00 AM Mass
6:00 PM Mass	8:00 PM Undergrad SCC	8:30 PM May Crowning	8:00 PM Grad/ Yo Pro SCC				12:00 PM Donut Sunday
7:00 PM Community Cinco De Mayo Dinner		9:15 PM Night Prayer	8:30 PM Undergrad SCC				4:00 PM Mass
		9:30 PM Liturgy Singers					6:00 PM Mass

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Cooking Class/ Community Dinner

Come enjoy a Cinco de Mayo celebration! On Sunday, April 30th at 5:00 PM we will offer a classic Mexican cooking class for students, followed by a meal at 7:00PM that we serve to the entire Newman Center community!

1ST COMMUNION- SUNDAY, APRIL 30TH

The following young members of the Newman Center will make their 1st Communion at the 11:00 AM Mass.

Elise Jespersen.
Brady Hilsman

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- May 7, 2017

Acts 2:14A, 36-41
1 Peter 2:20B-25
John 10:1-10



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 baptistry.

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.

STUDENT FUNDRAISING PROJECT UPDATE

Newman Center students continue to raise awareness and funds for Mary's Meals, an international program whose mission is for every child in the world to get one meal a day in a place of education. Mary's Meals feeds over 1M school children across 5 continents (16 countries) on a daily basis. In the schools served by Mary's Meals, there is a rise in enrollment, attendance and attainment...providing an education which will help break the circle of poverty in these countries.

It costs just \$19.50 to feed a child for an entire school year. Newman Center students are working to raise \$20,500 to feed 1055 students at Chituwi Primary School in Malawi for a full year. The current fundraising total is \$15,000. Students hope to meet the fundraising goal by mid-late May 2017.

To support the student efforts, you may give a gift to Mary's Meals by (1) Check...made payable to Mary's Meals and send to Newman Center, %April Rouner; (2) Securely online at www.marysmealsusa.org. Click on Fundraising Link and "Friends Project" and enter Iowa City Student Stewards. This group name MUST be entered for our Iowa City project to be credited with the donation. (3) Drop your donation in the red Mary's Meals bucket at the Newman Center front desk.

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 vandals tried to destroy a thousand years of Catholic history. A huge amount is still preserved - 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 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

ENGAGED COUPLES Marriage Information Packet

You may download a Marriage Information Packet on our website 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 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

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

ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

We are happy to announce on behalf of the academic scholarship committee that the following students have been accepted to receive a Newman Center Academic Scholarship award of \$500 for the 2017-18 academic school year. We hope that Newman Center will continue to support and provide opportunities for students to grow in their faith as they pursue their academic endeavors at the University of Iowa. This scholarship is funded through the University of Iowa Foundation. Thank you to our generous benefactors for making this possible.

Congratulations to:

Lillian Boenker - English and Secondary Education
Brenda Herrera - Global Health Studies/Pre-dental
Marilyn Keane - Master of Physician Assistant Studies
Leah Kinney - Pre-Pharmacy
Andrew Kordick -Sports and Recreation Management
Steven Landa - Pharmacy
Drew Madden -Marketing & Finance
Clara Wertzberger -International Relations & Economics, Arabic Minor

Thank you to Nick Colangelo and Rebecca Davis for their difficult work narrowing down the many well deserving applicants.

SUMMER MASS SCHEDULE BEGINS MAY 20TH

Daily Mass 5:15 PM Monday- Friday
Saturday- No Mass
Sunday- 10:00AM and 6:00 PM
Building Hours: Monday-Saturday 9:00am- 6:00pm
Sunday 9:00am-7:00pm

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.

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.

MISSIONING PACKETS

The weekend of May 6-7 we want to mission forth all who are graduating and leaving the Newman Center. At the end of each Mass they will be invited up to the altar to receive a blessing and a Missioning Packet.

With our Missioning Packet will be included a Discipleship Application Form. This year's graduates are encouraged to become involved in their new parish community and/ or a non profit local service organization- this is a way they can be a good disciple for the Church and the world. Return the form to the Newman Center by April 1, 2018 and they will become eligible for a \$500.00 donation sent to their parish or organization in their name. Ten awards will be made.

FINALS WEEK TREATS

May 7th begins Finals Week. We will have food set out for the students through Thursday evening. If you would like to donate something please feel free to drop it off anytime. Some ideas would be grab and go food such as granola bars, chips, bags of trail mix, fresh fruit, juice boxes, fruit snacks and candy. Baked goods are always welcome and appreciated. We provide lunch for the students Monday through Wednesday. You may leave your donation in the office prior to finals week or drop it off in the office or kitchen that week. Please call or e-mail Ronda at 337-3017 or ronda@newman-ic.org for more information. Thank you!