

**ROSSI CENTER FOR FAITH & CULTURE GOAL REACHED:**

In December 2018, the Krause Gentle Foundation in Des Moines gave a \$15,000 gift to the Newman Catholic Student Center to create the Krause Family Lecture Series within the Rossi Center for Faith & Culture. This gift fulfilled the original goal of \$125,000 set in October 2017. Our thanks to the Krause Gentle Foundation and the other twenty-six donors to the Rossi Center endowed fund.

The Nicholas P. & Helen M. Rossi Center for Faith & Culture Endowment was established at the Newman Center in late 2017 with a corpus gift of \$50,000 from Dr. Nick Rossi. Dr. Rossi's desire was to create an environment where current and future Newman Center students are given the opportunity to learn and discuss how faith and culture interface in their daily lives.

During programs and institutes, students hear talks from local faculty/professionals and nationally known speakers, experts in their fields about how they incorporate faith into areas of science, art, business, politics, athletics, etc. They hear theologians relate theology to essential questions people have throughout their lives no matter their career.

If additional funds beyond the \$125,000 become available, we would be able to:

- **Enhance Awareness, Alliances, and Action**
- **Increase Scope of Faith & Culture Programming**
- **Increase Community Collaboration, Cooperation**

The next Rossi Center speaker will be Sarah Swafford on **Tuesday, April 9th**. She presents in the Chapel from 7-8pm. The title of her lecture is, *Relationships: It's Complicated*.

Gifts in support of the Rossi Center for Faith & Culture can be made securely online ([www.iowacatholic.org](http://www.iowacatholic.org)) or mailed to Newman Center, 104 E. Jefferson St., Iowa City, IA 52245

**2018 TAX STATEMENTS**

To save on resources (paper & postage), and in keeping with IRS guidelines, tax statements will be sent in late January 2019 to those who contributed \$250 or more to the Newman Catholic Student Center for the 2018 calendar year.

If Newman Center has an email on file for you, your year-end statement will be sent to you electronically. If we don't have an email address, we will mail a paper statement.

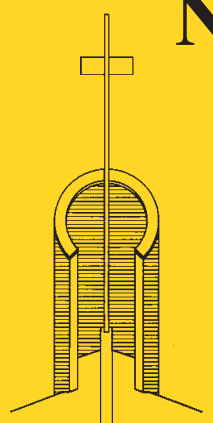
For cumulative gifts to Newman Center less than \$250 for calendar year 2018:

- Bank records (checks) suffice as proof of gift to a qualifying non-profit
- In most cases, gift receipt (tax) letters from Newman Center were issued at the time of the gift, serving as your proof of your donation.

If you would like a 2018 year-end tax statement and do not receive one as of February 1st, please contact April Rouner at 319-337-3106 (ext. 119) or [april@newman-ic.org](mailto:april@newman-ic.org).

**THANK YOU TO ALL WHO SHARED GIFTS OF TREASURE WITH NEWMAN CENTER IN 2018!**

January 27	January 28	January 29	January 30	January 31	February 1	February 2	February 3
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
9:00 AM Mass			9:30am Bagels				9:00 AM Mass
11:00 AM Mass	4:50 PM Rosary	4:50 PM Rosary	4:00-5:00 PM Holy Hour & Confessions	4:50 PM Rosary		10-11:30 AM Sacrament of Reconciliation - St. Mary's	10:00 AM Donut Sunday
6:00 PM Mass	5:15 PM Mass	5:15 PM Mass	4:50 PM Rosary	5:15 PM Mass	4:50 PM Rosary		11:00 AM Mass
	8:00 PM Undergrad SCC	8:00 PM Undergrad SCC	5:15 PM Mass	5:15 PM Holy Hour/ Happy Hour	5:15 PM Mass	12:00 PM Free Lunch Serving Day	12:00 PM Donut Sunday
		9:15 PM Night Prayer	6:30 PM Community SCC (Game Room)	8:00 PM Undergrad SCC (Spanish & English)		4:30 PM Mass	5:00 PM Super Bowl Party
			8:00 PM Undergrad SCC	9:00 PM TNM			6:00 PM Mass
			8:15 PM Graduate Students and Young Professionals				
			9:15 PM Adoration				
			10:00 PM Night Prayer				



# Newman Catholic Student Center

## At The University of Iowa

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**January 27, 2019**

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**Spring Retreat- Livin' on a Prayer  
February 15-17th**

**Join us! More details in the bulletin.**

Mass Schedule

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

Readings- February 3, 2019

Jeremiah 1:4-5, 17-19  
1 Corinthians 12:31-13:13  
Luke 4:21-30



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.

### REGISTRATION CARD

Each academic year we ask everyone to please fill out one of our registration cards. They are available at the baptistry. Please take a white card for students and a yellow card for community members. You may also fill this out online on our website.

### BAPTISM

To have your child baptized at the Newman Center please contact Ronda at 337-3107 or [ronda@newman-ic.org](mailto: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 [d-icstmarys@q.com](mailto:d-icstmarys@q.com) or 319-337-4314. There is a schedule for RCIA on the information table.

### ENGAGED COUPLES

Couples planning on marriage can visit our website [www.iowacatholic.org](http://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 marriage prep. You may e-mail them at [marriage@newman-ic.org](mailto:marriage@newman-ic.org)

### TNM ( STUDENT MASS)

College students...Join us for a relaxed Mass in the Fireside Lounge every Thursday at 9:00 PM.

### COMMUNITY SCC

The Small Christian group for community members will meet all second semester on Wednesday evenings at 6:30 p.m. in the lower level lounge. The group will be watching and discussing Bishop Robert Barron's Pivotal Players videos. The film series features those people who not only shaped the life of the Church, but changed the course of civilization. Contact Jerry Intlekofer with questions: [jerry-intlekofer@uiowa.edu](mailto:jerry-intlekofer@uiowa.edu) or call the Newman Center at 337-3107

### FREE LUNCH

The Newman Center provides Free Lunch the 1st Saturday of February, April, June, August, October and December. Free Lunch is served at 1105 S Gilbert Court, Iowa City at 12:00 PM. We serve 125-150 guests. A sign-up sheet is put on the table in the gathering space three weeks prior and announcements are made. We ask for donations of food, setting up for lunch and serving. For more info call Ronda at 337-3107 or [ronda@newman-ic.org](mailto:ronda@newman-ic.org)

### CHRISTIAN EXPERIENCE WEEKEND

A Christian Experience Weekend (CEW) offers a chance to retreat from everyday life and take a look at who you are and where you are going. Throughout the weekend you will be given the time and tools to rediscover yourself, your faith and your God. The Iowa City Deanery will host a CEW retreat, open to all denominations, at St. Mary's in Riverside. Women's retreat weekend is Feb. 22-24 and Men's March 1-3, 2019. The weekend begins at 7:00 p.m. on Friday and ends at 4:30 p.m. on Sunday. CEW is open to all over the age of 18. Cost is \$50 (scholarships available upon request). Registration forms are on the information table in the gathering space.

### DONUT SUNDAY

Please join us for coffee, juice and fellowship on the first Sunday of each month following the 9am and 11am Masses. Coffee and donuts are served in the multi-use room across from the Chapel. These are the dates for this semester:

February 3rd  
March 3rd  
April 7th  
May 5th

### BLOOD DRIVE

Save a life and donate blood. The Newman Center will be hosting a Red Cross Blood Drive on Friday, February 8, from 10 am – 3 pm. Sign up to donate on the Red Cross website: <https://www.redcrossblood.org/give.html/find-drive>. Type in 52245 for the zip code to find our location. We also need student volunteers to help that day. Please sign up to help at Newman.

### SCCs

Small Christian Communities (SCCs) are small groups of students who gather to read and reflect on the Sunday Scriptures readings and share in prayer and community with each other. All college students are welcome to attend. This semester SCCs will begin the week of January 21. Days, times, and locations are below.

Monday 8 pm in Fireside Lounge  
Tuesday 8 pm in Fireside Lounge  
Wednesday 8 pm in O'Keefe  
Thursday 8 pm in O'Keefe (\*New this semester - in Spanish!)  
Thursday 8 pm in Lower Level Game Room (in English)

### GRADUATE/ YOUNG PROFESSIONALS

The Graduate Students and Young Professionals Group meets each Wednesday at 8:15 pm in the Fireside Lounge. For more information contact Jessica-g-elliott@uiowa.edu.

### SPRING RETREAT – LIVIN' ON A PRAYER, FEBRUARY 15-17, 2019

Do you desire to grow in your prayer life? Need some time and space away from it all? You are invited to the Spring Retreat Livin' on a Prayer February 15-17th at St. Mary's in Solon. The cost is only \$30 and includes food and transportation. The deadline to register and pay is Tuesday, February 12th. Please register on our website [www.iowacatholic.org](http://www.iowacatholic.org).

### CATHOLICISM IGNITED

**Tuesdays, 6:30-8 pm, February 5-March 5**

Calling all college students! Do you want more than what today's culture has to offer? Have you ever wondered what the Theology of the Body really has to say? Come join us for Catholicism Ignited: Freedom to Love series on Tuesday, Feb. 5th from 6:30-8pm in the Fireside Lounge where we will discuss and learn more about how we can be better in our relationships with each other.

### ALTERNATIVE SPRING BREAK TRIP:

College students are invited to an Urban Immersion Retreat in Chicago on March 17-22, 2019. The Brother David Darst Center will facilitate this retreat utilizing direct service, indirect service, and educational opportunities with partner agencies throughout the city to examine issues of social justice. Accommodations for five nights and meals will be provided at the Maria Kaupus Center. One free day in Chicago at the cost of the student will also be provided. The deadline to register is January 31, 2019. Registration can be found online at <http://www.iowacatholic.org/service.html>

### MUSIC MINISTRY AT THE NEWMAN CENTER

Do you enjoy singing or playing your instrument at mass? We have four 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. Thursday Night Mass: Would you like to lead, sing, or play at our Thursday Night 9 pm mass?

4. Newman Singers: If you are looking for a deeper musical experience, consider the Newman Singers. A contemporary choir & band, they sing at mass and travel to other parishes and events.

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

### WOMEN'S MINISTRY

Women's Ministry - All college women are invited to a night of Speed Friending and root beer floats on Friday, February 8th from 8-9:30 pm in the Fireside Lounge.

### ADORATION

Do you desire to grow in your prayer life? Need some time and space away from it all? You are invited to Adoration Wednesday nights beginning at 9:15 pm and ending with Night Prayer at 10 pm in the main chapel at Newman.

### TUESDAY NIGHT PRAYER

9:15PM in O'Keefe Chapel

Come join us for the perfect way to end your day with candlelit Night Prayer from the Liturgy of the Hours- followed by a devotion in the Adoration Chapel.

### HOLY HOUR/ HAPPY HOUR

The Graduate Students and Young Professionals Group will be hosting a Holy Hour Happy Hour this Thursday, January 31. Attend Mass at 5:15 pm at Newman and join us for food, drinks, and fellowship at the Summit/Airliner.

### SUPER BOWL PARTY

All students are welcome to come to the Super Bowl party in the Lower Level Game Room at Newman at 5 pm on Sunday, February 3. Join us for food, fun, and games! Newman will provide some food and drinks and we encourage you to bring your favorite football snacks and drinks to share (non alcoholic).