

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!!!

Our current Newman Catholic Student Center facility recently celebrated its 30th Anniversary. It's hard to believe it has been 30 years since the dedication Mass on January 15, 1989. Much has happened since that time with so many lives changed.

Anniversaries are a big deal. Humans are wired to celebrate and remember. Visit our website, click "About Us" and read our history. In Romans 15:4-6 Paul talked about the discipline of looking back:

For everything written in the past was written to teach us, so that through the endurance taught in the Scriptures and the encouragement they provide we might have hope. May the God who gives endurance and encouragement give you the same attitude of mind toward each other that Christ Jesus had, so with one mind and one voice you may glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ."

We look back to learn, to gain endurance and encouragement, so we can look forward with unity and hope. We strive to celebrate Newman Center's anniversary year in a way that honors God, builds momentum and culture, encourages hearts and fosters belonging.

Ways to Support Gala 2019:

- Attend the Gala on April 13, 2019 at The Levitt Center in Iowa City.
- Give a cash donation to help defray the costs of hosting the Gala.
- Purchase one or more raffle tickets (details below) by cash, check or debit card.
- Donate a live auction (value \$1000+) or silent auction item (value \$200+)

Go to www.iowacatholic.org and click on the Support Us button. Under the Gala Tickets section you can purchase admission or raffle tickets. Cash donations can be made under the gift designation section under "other." You can enter a gift amount there and in the narrative box beside it, put Gala donation. QUESTIONS: Contact April Rouser at april@newman-ic.org. Thank you for supporting this special event!

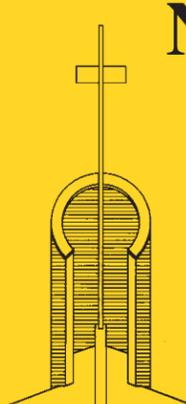


GRAND PRIZE \$5000
1st Prize: \$750
2nd Prize: \$250

\$25 each or 5 for \$100

Drawing April 13, 2019
Need not be present to win!
Proceeds benefit the Newman Center

| March 10 | March 11 | March 12 | March 13 | March 14 | March 15 | March 16 | March 17 |
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| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday | Sunday |
| 9:00 AM Mass 11:00 AM Mass 6:00 PM Mass | 4:50 PM Rosary 5:15 PM Mass 8:00 PM Undergrad SCC | 4:00-5:30 PM Ronald McDonald Service Event 4:50 PM Rosary 5:15 PM Mass 8:00 PM Undergrad SCC 9:15 PM Night Prayer | 4:00-5:00 PM Holy Hour & Confessions 4:50 PM Rosary 5:15 PM Mass 6:30 PM Community SCC (Game Room) 8:00 PM Unergrad SCC 8:15 PM Graduate Students & Young Professionals SCC 9:15 PM Adoration 10:00 PM Night Prayer | 4:50 PM Rosary 5:15 PM Mass 8:00 PM Undergrad SCC (Spanish & English) 9:00 PM TNM | 4:50 PM Rosary 5:15 PM Mass 10:00 PM Post TNM Social | 10-11:30 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 Building Closes |



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March 10, 2019

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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- March 17, 2019

- Genesis 15:5-12,17-18
- Phillipians 3:17-4:1
- Luke 9:28B-36



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

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 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 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

TNM (STUDENT MASS)

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

COMMUNITY SCC

The Small Christian group for community members will meet 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

NEWMAN CENTER MUSIC MINISTRY

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.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE PRAYER VIGIL MARCH 6 - APRIL 14

Pray outside Emma Goldman Center- (public sidewalk) for peace in the womb and for God's mercy on mothers and fathers who need His love and healing. Learn more and sign-up for prayer shifts at www.40daysforlife.com/iowacity or call Gary at (319) 330-0961. For more information on Newman's website please go to <http://www.iowacatholic.org/service.html>.

SPONSOR COUPLE MARRIAGE PREPARATION

Sponsor Couple Ministry is a parish-based marriage preparation program using Fr. Robert Ruhnke's Book, For Better and For Ever. A sponsor couple typically meets about six times with an engaged couple to cover the material in the book. Sponsor couples assist engaged couples in preparing for marriage by helping the couple reflect upon the realities of married life. Sponsor couples need to be trained for this ministry.

If you have been trained in the past and would like to continue being involved in this ministry please contact Deacon Joe and Katie Welter at marriage@newman-ic.org. If you have never been trained, please contact Deacon Joe and Katie about your interest. Diocesan training opportunities are available at: <https://www.davenportdiocese.org/marriage-preparation>

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.

Monday 8 pm in Fireside Lounge

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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.

RONALD MCDONALD HOUSE SERVICE EVENT

On Tuesday, March 12th we are cooking a meal at the Ronald McDonald Room at the Stead Family Children's Hospital. We will meet at Newman at 4:00 pm and ride the bus over together. The event should go until 5:30. We can take 5 people to this event. Please sign up at <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0C45AFA92EA6FA7-ronald> to reserve your spot. If you have any questions please feel free to email marija-pritchard@uiowa.edu.

NEWMAN STUDENT CENTER ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION 2019-20

Application is due April 14, 2019

Each year the Newman Student Center awards scholarships to Catholic undergraduate and graduate students attending the University of Iowa who are involved at the Newman Catholic Student Center. This year we are able to offer 15 academic scholarships of \$550 each for next academic year. Apply NOW! A special thanks to the generosity of beneficiaries who support the Newman Catholic Student Center Scholarship Fund at the University of Iowa Center for Advancement. For more information and to apply just fill out the Academic Scholarship Form located on our website at www.iowacatholic.org or on the student table.

FR. ED FITZPATRICK DISCIPLESHIP FUND

Newman Center Alumni who carry on the mission of being a Disciple for the Church and for the world after graduation are eligible for the Fr. Ed Fitzpatrick Discipleship Fund Award. Recipients truly personify ways the mission of the Newman Center has been put into action by alumni in their parish and/or other non-profit work. In 2018, twelve alumni were recognized with a \$500 check in their name given to a parish or non-profit of their choice. To apply for yourself, or to submit a nomination for another deserving alum, download the application form on the Newman Center website under the "Forms" tab. Deadline for submitting an application is April 15, 2019.

SARAH SWAFFORD

RELATIONSHIPS: IT'S COMPLICATED

Tuesday, April 9, 7 p.m. – 8 p.m. [Chapel]

Today's dating scene is more complicated than ever. Are you tired of the games, tired of the heartache, and exhausted from the drama? Do you feel the pressure to be perfect and the endless chase to keep up and not be left behind, or left alone? Sarah Swafford will help you encounter who Jesus calls you to be in your relationships. She will target this struggle within by setting forth a vision for virtue in the twenty-first century, one that focuses on beginning with the end in mind, building what will last, and staying off the "Emoticoaster." You can be in anticipation of a future relationship, in the middle of one, or in dealing with the aftermath of one that has ended. If you hope for a forever relationship, this event is for you!

Following, Sarah will transition to the devotion of Eucharistic Adoration from 8 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

Sarah Swafford is the founder of Emotional Virtue Ministries. She speaks internationally on Emotional Virtue, Dating and Relationships, and Interior Confidence. She is a graduate of Benedictine College and has been involved in ministry for over ten years. For three years, Sarah worked as a Residence Hall Director at Benedictine College, taking care of 142 freshmen. That amazing experience gave her a front row seat into the hearts of women and men, giving her a deeper look into the struggles facing young adults today.

This event is sponsored by the Nicholas and Helen Rossi Center for Faith and Culture, helping college students live out their faith in culture.

ROSSI CENTER FOR FAITH & CULTURE SPRING 2019 LECTURE

DR. WES ELY – MAXIMIZING DIGNITY AT END OF LIFE: INSIGHTS FROM THE ICU

Thursday, April 11, 7 p.m. – 8 p.m. [Multi-purpose room] Dr. Wes Ely doesn't leave his faith at the ICU door. In his role as a critical care doctor in the ICU, he sees end-of-life issues just about every day. As a Professor of medicine at Vanderbilt University School of Medicine with sub specialty training in Pulmonary and Critical Care Medicine, his research has focused on improving the care, outcomes and dignity of critically ill patients. Dr. Ely has built the ICU Delirium and Cognitive Impairment Study Group, which has been active in research for more than 11 years. The group has paved the way in developing preventative and interventional strategies for delirium that have changed the way patients are cared for in the ICUs today. All are welcome!

This event is sponsored by the Nicholas and Helen Rossi Center for Faith and Culture in collaboration with the St. Thomas Aquinas Guild of the Quad Cities, Catholic Medical Association and UIHC.