



**St. Lawrence**  
Catholic Church  
*Newman*  
*Center*

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**Mission Statement**

*Sharing the abundant love of  
Christ through worship, outreach,  
service, and dialogue as a  
university Catholic parish.*

**MASS TIMES**

**Sunday** 8 am, 10 am, 7 pm  
**Monday-Friday** 12:15 pm  
**Saturday** 9 am

**Reconciliation**

Monday through Saturday  
after Daily Mass

**New Members**

We welcome you, our parishioners and visitors, to our church community of St. Lawrence-Newman. We invite you to share with us the gifts of the Holy Spirit. Your presence with us is always a blessing. If you would like to become a registered member, forms are available in the Gathering Space.

October 30, 2016

*Thirty-first Sunday  
in Ordinary Time*

**Announcement:**

***Matching Collection!***

We are excited to announce our first ever matching collection, which will be held at all Masses during Parent's Weekend on Sunday, November 6<sup>th</sup>!

A generous group of donors is matching the collection, dollar for dollar, up to \$10,000 towards our ministry! Please be generous and double the impact of your gift.

If you will not be at St. Lawrence that weekend, you can donate online or at the parish office from that Sunday, November 6<sup>th</sup>, until Tuesday, November 8<sup>th</sup> at 5 pm. You can donate online at [www.umncatholic.org/support](http://www.umncatholic.org/support) to help reach the \$10,000 goal.



## Parish Office

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## Financial Stewardship

For years we have published the weekly Sunday collection in this space. Giving has changed to include multiple electronic sources of giving that we have not reflected here. The information no longer reflects an accurate picture of stewardship, so we are making a change. Once each month we will provide a financial recap of income and expenses in order to keep you informed of our finances as a community.

## Mass Intentions (October 30 — November 6)

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>8 am</b>	†Jerry Harris	<b>7 pm</b>	Miller-Wannarka Family
<b>(10/30)</b>	<b>10 am</b>	†Ray Young		
<b>Monday, October 31</b>		Peter Nickoloff		
<b>Tuesday, November 1, 12:15</b>		†Martin Kroening		
	<b>7 pm</b>	Steve Vander Ploeg		
<b>Wednesday, November 2</b>		Lucas Kramer		
<b>Thursday, November 3</b>		†Carola Russell		
<b>Friday, November 4</b>		†Steve Soucek		
<b>Saturday, November 5</b>		Donna Soucek		
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>8 am</b>	†David Soucek	<b>7 pm</b>	Tom and Donna Pliska
<b>(11/6)</b>	<b>10 am</b>	†John and †Liz Pojar		



## Please Pray

for those who are ill, and for their caregivers:  
 Derek Brakob, Ann Brown, Mike Busse, John Carrier, Vern Chelte, Owen Chiu, Gordy Cosgrove, Dennis Daly, Sheila Daly, Connie Domino, Betty Eichhorn, Sonia Ellison, Bill Hafner, Denise Hafner, Debbie Hallin, Carol Halvorson, Lou Hammer, Richard Hanson, Nick Heille, Henry, Lucie Johnson, Jeannean Klempka, Richard Klempka, Carl Kroening, Amy Miller, Bonnie Miller, Anna Mirocha, Regan Orlando, Hutch Pharr, Christine Pribula, Ann Rank, Christina Robinson, Peggy Witte, Steve Witte

## Scripture Readings for the Week

<b>Monday, October 31</b>	Philippians 2:1-4	Luke 14:12-14
<b>Tuesday, November 1</b>	Revelation 7:2-4, 9-14	Matthew 5:1-12a
<b>Wednesday, November 2</b>	Ephesians 6:1-9	Luke 13:22-30
<b>Thursday, November 3</b>	Ephesians 6:10-20	Luke 13:31-35
<b>Friday, November 4</b>	Ephesians 2:19-22	Luke 6:12-16
<b>Saturday, November 5</b>	Philippians 1:18b-26	Luke 14:1, 7-11
<b><u>Sunday, November 6</u></b>		
2 Maccabees 7:1-2, 9-14	Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 17:1, 5-6, 8, 15	
2 Thessalonians 2:16—3:5	Gospel: Luke 20:27-38	

## Birthdays This Week

<b>October 31</b>	Sylvia Holtberg
<b>November 1</b>	Geoffrey Flores, Rose Marquis
<b>November 5</b>	Lois Skinner, Rita Gangl, Isaac Andersen Ronald Personius
<b>November 6</b>	Zachary Dane, Debbie Hallin, Teresa Hayes



## Financial Overview

	September	YTD
<b>INCOME</b>		
Stewardship	\$16,370	\$53,229
Parking/Rent/Other	\$35,719	\$114,767
Newman Center	<u>\$26,515</u>	<u>\$79,432</u>
<b>TOTAL INCOME</b>	\$78,604	\$247,428
<b>EXPENSES</b>	<u>\$104,532</u>	<u>\$268,249</u>
<b>SURPLUS/(DEFICIT)</b>	(\$25,928)	(\$20,821)

**Mark Your Calendars for Turkey Bingo!**  
Friday, November 18



Tickets will be sold after all the Masses  
Today, November 6, and November 13.

**St. Lawrence Women's Group**  
Wednesday, November 2, 6:30 pm, Social Hall

All women of the parish are urged to attend, as this is the last meeting before the Christmas Bazaar. The group will meet in the Social Hall to strategize the bazaar set-up.

**Save the Date!**

The **Annual Christmas Bazaar** will take place on Saturday and Sunday, December 3 and 4. We are collecting hand-crafted and other items, including household treasures for sale at Granny's Attic. We will also need items (including gift cards) for our popular Children's Raffle. Please consider contributing bake sale goodies for our Sugarplum Bakery!

We will again have our raffle—prizes are a \$250 Target gift card, a meal at Jax Café, and \$1,000!!



**Women's Book Club**  
Monday, November 28, 7 pm, Gathering Space

The book chosen by the club for November is *Go Set a Watchman*, by Harper Lee.

The club will not meet in December.

The book chosen for January is *All the Light We Cannot See*, by Anthony Doerr.

**On the Parish Calendar This Week**

<b>Today</b>	Christmas Pageant Meeting, 11 am, Room F Praise & Worship, 8-9 pm
<b>Monday</b>	Volleyball, 8 pm in our gym
<b>Tuesday</b>	Holy Name Men's Club, 6:30 pm, Social Hall
<b>Wednesday</b>	Scripture Study, 11 am, Gathering Space Women's Group, 6:30 pm, Social Hall
<b>Friday</b>	Cards & Games, 7 pm, Social Hall
<b>Saturday</b>	Divine Will Prayer Group, 10 am, Room A

**Image of Divine Mercy**

St. Faustina had revealed to her in prayer the image of and teachings on Divine Mercy. You will notice this image at the back of the church. The Image has Jesus with rays of grace coming out from Him. The words at the bottom are, "Jesus, I trust in you." Let us ask the Lord to draw us into His merciful love in this Year of Mercy.



**Holy Name Men's Club**  
Tuesday, November 1, 6:30 pm, Social Hall

All men of the parish are invited to this meeting. It will be the final planning meeting for Turkey Bingo.

**23<sup>rd</sup> Annual St. Lawrence/Newman  
Respect Life Dinner**  
Monday, November 14, 6:30 pm

Everyone is invited to this free spaghetti dinner in the parish social hall. No reservations are required. Our speakers are students from St. Lawrence who attended World Youth Day in Krakow, Poland last summer. We also will welcome counselors and volunteers from the Abria Pregnancy Center.

Free-will donations gratefully will be accepted for Abria, our local pro-life pregnancy center. For further information, please contact John Hagen, (612) 623-0908.

**Cooks for Kids**

The St. Lawrence group is looking for 8-10 volunteers for our event on Sunday, November 6, 5-7 pm. We will prepare and serve a dinner for families staying at the Ronald McDonald House (located one block from the UofM campus). Ingredients are provided. To sign up, please contact Sandra at [shatz68@gmail.com](mailto:shatz68@gmail.com).

**In Support of St. Vincent de Paul**

St. Lawrence parishioner Bronwen Hudleston is continuing to gather clothing to donate to St. Vincent de Paul. Warm fall and winter clothing, including hats and gloves, are most needed at this time of the year. If you have items to donate, please bring them to the office.