



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
Catholic university parish.*

SUMMER 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.

July 5, 2015
**Fourteenth Sunday in
Ordinary Time**

Fourth of July

On this 4th of July weekend we celebrate the gift of freedom that we have. Even though we have many troubling issues in our country, things could be much, much worse. That gift of freedom that we have is something we should cherish. It is a gift that is given to be used in a proper way. Saint John Paul II made a distinction between a freedom for love vs. a freedom for selfishness. Selfishness in freedom would be to view freedom from things so that I can do what I want. This is contrasted with freedom for doing good. Freedom is a gift that the Lord can bless us with if we use it to love and serve Him and others.



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Financial Stewardship

Last week your stewardship gifts were \$4,283.86
(Sunday Mass collection, \$3,641.75;
Peter's Pence Collection, \$642.11).

Electronic Donations

Electronic Stewardship means your gift will be transferred electronically from your checking or savings account, or charged to your credit card, and go directly to St. Lawrence-Newman with the frequency you request. Make giving easier for yourself! Forms (green) are available in the Gathering Space.

Mass Intentions (July 5 — July 12)

Sunday 8 am +Angela O'Keefe 7 pm +Patricia Lamb
(7/5) 10 am Lee Swenson

Monday, July 6 +Alvina Polejewski
Tuesday, July 7 +Alvina Polejewski
Wednesday, July 8 June and +Martin Kroening
Thursday, July 9 Tom and Donna Pliska
Friday, July 10 +Patricia Klibofske
Saturday, July 11 +Carola Russell

Sunday 8 am +John Nam-Jae Lee 7 pm +Dorothy Worscheck
(7/12) 10 am Lee Swenson



Please Pray for those who are ill, and for their caregivers:

Jim Anderson, Derek Brakob, Ann Brown, John Carrier, Vern Chelte, Owen Chiu, Gordy Cosgrove, Joan Culver, Dennis Daly, Sheila Daly, Connie Domino, Betty Eichhorn, Sonia Ellison, Denise Hafner, Debbie Hallin, Nick Heille, Jeannean Klempka, Richard Klempka, Carl Kroening, Michael Kruchten, Irene LaTourneau, James LaTourneau, Tom Michaud, Bonnie Miller, Anna Mirocha, Kinney Misterek, Monica Navratil, Allen Navratil, Regan Orlando, Christine Pribula, Ann Rank, Christina Robinson, Brady Schwecke, Steve Vasseur, Steve Whitcomb, Tim Witkowski, Stacey Witkowski, Peggy Witte, Steve Witte

Scripture Readings for the Week

Monday, July 6	Genesis 28:10-22a	Matthew 9:18-26
Tuesday, July 7	Genesis 32:23-33	Matthew 9:32-38
Wednesday, July 8	Genesis 41:55-57; 42:5-7a, 17-24	Matthew 10:1-7
Thursday, July 9	Genesis 44:18-21, 23b-29; 45:1-5	Matthew 10:7-15
Friday, July 10	Genesis 46:1-7, 28-30	Matthew 10:16-23
Saturday, July 11	Genesis 49:29-32; 50:15-26a	Matthew 10:24-33

Sunday, July 12

Amos 7:12-15 Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 85:9-10, 11-12, 13-14
Ephesians 1:3-14 Gospel: Mark 6:7-13

Birthdays This Week

July 6 Robert Scott
July 7 Martha Ockenfels, Lauren Hietpas
July 8 Sebastian Hartzell, Killian Breen
July 9 Dan Novack, Mark Melody
July 10 Victoria Eberlein, Rita Kaikati, Kyle O'Toole, Patrick Gaffney, Zach Wolter



On the Parish Calendar This Week

Monday Volleyball, 7:30 pm, Gym
Tuesday Summer Gopher Catholic Night, 6:30 pm, G. Space
Lectio Divina, 6:30 pm, Room B

Mission Appeal Next Sunday

On Sunday, July 12th, we will hear from Brother Pio King. Brother Pio has been a member of the Franciscan Brothers of Peace for 25 years. They have been serving the poor, homeless, and immigrants, promoting the Gospel of Life on major pro-life issues since founding in 1982. The Brothers



have been involved in predominantly small-scale ministries, meeting the needs of the time in areas that were otherwise underserved. They are currently involved in sheltering torture survivors, an active food shelf distribution, street and visitation outreaches, KaRen ministry, and many other works. They accept no salaries or wages for any of their work.

Women's Book Club

Monday, July 27, 7 pm in the Gathering Space

The book for July is The Giver, by Lois Lowry. All women of the parish are cordially invited!

Church Grounds Clean-up

Saturday, July 11th at 10 am

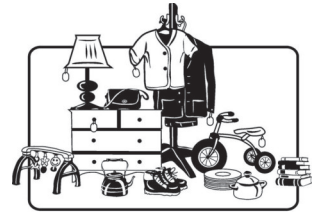
Come out and help weed our gardens on the 11th. All help will be greatly appreciated.

Request from St. Vincent de Paul

St. Lawrence parishioner Bronwen Hudleston is collecting religious articles and books for a new St. Vincent de Paul program. Even broken crucifixes or rosaries are welcome, as volunteers are available to mend these items. The collected items will be given to parish festivals with an emphasis on getting them out to the large Hispanic communities that now grace our state. Recipients who cannot afford a modest cost will be given the articles—they will never be turned away. Please bring your donations to the parish office.

Rummage Sale Items

The St. Lawrence Women's Group will be scheduling their annual rummage sale for late this summer. Don't throw away your unwanted items...save them for us! Watch the bulletin for drop-off dates.



Monthly Financial Statement

	May Actual	Fiscal 2015	Fiscal 2015	Total Savings	\$1,184,350
	F2015	YTD Actual	Budget	Donor Designated Funds	<u>\$199,247</u>
Income:	\$58,067	\$691,504	\$695,886		
Expense:	<u>\$76,967</u>	<u>\$682,986</u>	<u>\$748,628</u>	Available Savings*	\$985,103
	(\$18,900)	\$8,518	(\$52,742)		

*As we collect all remaining invoices for F2015 and finalize our income numbers, we project that the fiscal year will close with a deficit, but lower than expected.

Summer Gopher Catholic Night

Tuesdays at 7 pm in the Gathering Space

Learn how to share your faith with your friends. The group will be reading and discussing Forming Intentional Disciples: The Path to Knowing and Following Jesus, by Sherry A. Weddell. Both undergraduate and graduate students are urged to join the group.

