



**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.

**August 16, 2015**  
**Twentieth Sunday in  
Ordinary Time**

**Saint Bernard of Clairvaux**

1090—August 20, 1153

St. Bernard was probably the greatest vocation director who ever lived. He was a French abbot who wanted to become a monk. All his family and friends tried to talk him out of it. Instead he was so passionate to serve the Lord in this way that when he showed up at the monastery he had talked 35 of these same family members and friends into joining him. After the death of his mother, Bernard sought admission to and became the primary builder of the reforming Cistercian order. Because of the charisma he had back in the day, a half-serious joke was told that women would hide their sons and boyfriends when St. Bernard walked down the street. He was a prominent figure in the Church through his preaching and teaching. He wrote beautifully on pride and humility, as well as many other things. He said the first steps to pride are curiosity and comparison. Let us pray that the Lord raises more saints like St. Bernard whose response to Christ draws others to He who is the Way, the Truth, and the Life.



**We celebrate St. Bernard's Feast Day  
on August 20<sup>th</sup>.**

## Parish Office

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## Financial Stewardship

Last week your stewardship gifts were \$3,310.89  
Sunday Mass Collection, \$3,132.06;  
Newman Fund, \$10; Building Fund, \$40;  
Outreach Fund, \$30;  
Sunday Morning Hospitality, \$50.35;  
Votive Candles, \$58.48.

## 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

## Mass Intentions (August 16 — August 23)

<b>Sunday</b> (8/16)	<b>8 am</b>	+John Nam-Jae Lee	<b>7 pm</b>	Joe Dawis
	<b>10 am</b>	Daniel Soucek		
<b>Monday, August 17</b>		+Juanita Lazaaro		
<b>Tuesday, August 18</b>		Angela and John Beljeski		
<b>Wednesday, August 19</b>		Michael Klukas		
<b>Thursday, August 20</b>		Tom and Donna Pliska		
<b>Friday, August 21</b>		+George Huss		
<b>Saturday, August 22</b>		+Thomas Polejewski		
<b>Sunday</b> (8/23)	<b>8 am</b>	+David Soucek	<b>7 pm</b>	Joe Dawis
	<b>10 am</b>	+Leonardo Hernandez		



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

Jim Anderson, Derek Brakob, Ann Brown, Mike Busse, John Carrier, Vern Chelte, Owen Chiu, Gordy Cosgrove, Dennis Daly, Sheila Daly, Connie Domino, Betty Eichhorn, Sonia Ellison, Paul Gennrich, Denise Hafner, Debbie Hallin, Nick Heille, Jeannean Klempka, Richard Klempka, Carl Kroening, 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, Mary Rose Whitcomb, Tim Witkowski, Stacey Witkowski, Peggy Witte, Steve Witte

## Scripture Readings for the Week

<b>Monday, August 17</b>	Judges 2:11-19	Matthew 19:16-22
<b>Tuesday, August 18</b>	Judges 6:11-24a	Matthew 19:23-30
<b>Wednesday, August 19</b>	Judges 9:6-15	Matthew 20:1-16
<b>Thursday, August 20</b>	Judges 11:29-39a	Matthew 22:1-14
<b>Friday, August 21</b>	Ruth 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22	Matthew 22:34-40
<b>Saturday, August 22</b>	Ruth 2:1-3, 8-11; 4:13-17	Matthew 23:1-12

### Sunday, August 23

Joshua 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b      Resp. Psalm: Psalm 34:2-3, 16-17, 18-19, 20-21  
Ephesians 5:21-32      Gospel: John 6:60-69

## Birthdays This Week

<b>August 17</b>	Rachel Buhman, Val Wagener
<b>August 19</b>	Sheryl Lao, Dave Engel
<b>August 20</b>	Katelyn Rose, Spencer Tupper, Frank Tupper Sistha Darmawan
<b>August 21</b>	Carlee Joseph
<b>August 22</b>	Tom Hagen, Annie Fischer, Marall Obi-Walker
<b>August 23</b>	Philip Krolik



## On the Parish Calendar This Week

<b>Monday</b>	Volleyball, 7:30 pm, Gym
<b>Friday</b>	Cards and Games, 7 pm, Gathering Space
<b>Saturday</b>	CSU Leadership Day, 9 am, Sanctuary

## Children's Faith Formation

We offer religious education Sunday mornings at 9:00 for children pre-school to high school age, starting late in September. The registration form is now available online, as well as in the church office. Early registration will help us plan for books and supplies. Please contact Ruth Gangl at [rgangl@umncatholic.org](mailto:rgangl@umncatholic.org) if you have any questions.



### Are you a musician? Have you considered joining the music ministry?

It is a blessing to use musical gifts for the Lord to help us enter into worship. Our goal is good quality and prayerful music.

We are looking for singers and guitar players at all the masses. We'd love to have a bass guitar and drummer at the 10 am mass.

Rehearsals are one hour before mass.

If you are interested or have any questions, see Joe Brough after mass or email [jbrough@umncatholic.org](mailto:jbrough@umncatholic.org).

### Special Collection Envelopes

If you use the collection envelopes, you will find that the special collection envelopes are still in your packet. Otherwise, you will find envelopes for these standard funds on a table in the Gathering Space.

### 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.



### Women's Book Club

Monday, August 24, 7 pm, Gathering Space

For the month of August, the group has chosen Population: 485, by Michael Perry.

All women of the parish are encouraged to join this group of book-lovers.

### Loaves & Fishes

St. Lawrence/Newman is scheduled to prepare and serve a meal at St. Stephen's School (2111 Clinton Ave. S.—across 22nd Ave. from the church, in the lower level) on **Tuesday, August 25<sup>th</sup>**.

We are always in need of volunteers. The meal is served from 5:30-6:30 pm, and we usually serve 300+ people, including men, women and children. After the meal, those who are able stay to help clean up. We are usually finished by 6:45.

### Healing the Family: How Healing Reveals Our Dignity and Strengthens the Body of Christ

Presented by *Grief to Grace* and *Rachel's Vineyard*

Friday, August 21, 7-8:30 pm  
Church of St. Paul in Ham Lake

To learn more, visit [churchofsaintpaul.com](http://churchofsaintpaul.com) or call the parish office at 763.757.6910.

### 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.

