



**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.*

**MASS TIMES**

**Sunday** 8 am, 10 am, 7 pm, 9 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.

May 8, 2016

*The Ascension  
of the Lord*

**Happy Mother's Day**

*Loving God, as a mother gives life  
and nourishment to her children, so  
you watch over your people.*



*Bless and strengthen all mothers,  
that their faith and love may shine  
forth to be an example to us all.*

**9 PM Mass**

**On Sunday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>**, we will celebrate our last 9 PM Mass. We will not add this Mass to our schedule in the fall (as we have done in the past).

The neighborhood has changed significantly, and we don't want people leaving or walking home at 10:00 or 10:30 at night.

We will begin the fall with Masses at 8 AM, 10 AM, and 7 PM. If these overflow, then we will add a Mass, but at another time.

## Parish Office

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## Financial Stewardship

**Last week's stewardship gifts: \$3,148.90**

Sunday Mass Collection, \$2,868.15  
Building Fund, \$5.00  
Newman Center Fund, \$97.00  
Catholic Home Missions Appeal, \$25.00  
Sunday Morning Hospitality, \$53.50  
Votive Candles, 99.00  
Literature Box, \$1.25

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## Mass Intentions (May 8 — May 15)

<b>Sunday (5/8)</b>	<b>8 am</b>	Miriam Nickoloff +Dee Harris	<b>7 pm</b>	Tom and Donna Pliska Sue Ryan
<b>Monday, May 9</b>		+Edward Sitarz		
<b>Tuesday, May 10</b>		David Gerber		
<b>Wednesday, May 11</b>		+Carola Russell		
<b>Thursday, May 12</b>		+Gerald O'Keefe		
<b>Friday, May 13</b>		No Mass		
<b>Saturday, May 14</b>		+Susanna Na		
<b>Sunday (5/15)</b>	<b>8 am</b>	+Joe Riley	<b>7 pm</b>	+Ruth McMahon
	<b>10 am</b>	+Deacon Paul Carlson	<b>9 pm</b>	Fr. David Blume



## 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, Denise Hafner, Debbie Hallin, Carol Halvorson, Richard Hanson Nick Heille, Roger Huss, Jeannean Klempka, Richard Klempka, Carl Kroening David Kroening, Irene LaTourneau, James LaTourneau, Tom Michaud Amy Miller, Bonnie Miller, Anna Mirocha, Kinney Misterek, Regan Orlando Hutch Pharr, Christine Pribula, Ann Rank, Christina Robinson, Tim Witkowski Peggy Witte, Steve Witte

## Scripture Readings for the Week

<b>Monday, May 9</b>	Acts of the Apostles 19:1-8	John 16:29-33
<b>Tuesday, May 10</b>	Acts of the Apostles 20:17-27	John 17:1-11a
<b>Wednesday, May 11</b>	Acts of the Apostles 20:28-38	John 17:11b-19
<b>Thursday, May 12</b>	Acts of the Apostles 22:30; 23:6-11	John 17:20-26
<b>Friday, May 13</b>	Acts of the Apostles 25:13b-21	John 21:15-19
<b>Saturday, May 14</b>	Acts of the Apostles 1:15-17, 20-26	John 15:9-17

### Sunday, May 15

Acts of the Apostles 2:1-11 Respons. Psalm: Psalm 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34  
1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13 Gospel: John 20:19-23

## Birthdays This Week

<b>May 9</b>	Shari Corcoran, Brian Jaedike, Philip Gaffney
<b>May 10</b>	Janet Tauer, Sandy Ongaro, Samuel Ruhland Robert Lillquist
<b>May 11</b>	Amy Sippl
<b>May 12</b>	Jessica Novotny
<b>May 13</b>	Rosella LaZorick, Jolene Januschka
<b>May 14</b>	Thomas Ongaro, Courtney Oliver
<b>May 15</b>	Dennis Daly, Susan Boyle, Dale Hallin, Ejike Ezeja



## On the Parish Calendar This Week

**Monday** Holy Name Men's Club, 6:30 pm, Social Hall  
Volleyball, 8 pm in our gym

## ***Students! Free lunches this week!***



This is Finals Week, and as excited as you are about that, we are even more excited to serve you lunch here  
**FREE OF CHARGE!**

**Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday**  
**12:30-2:30 in the Gathering Space**

Hopefully this will relieve some stress and satisfy your hunger.  
We will be praying for you and hope that you all have a beautiful summer!

### **Thanks to Our Catechists**

Thank you to our children's faith formation teachers:

***Julia Knapp, Henry Clark, Janice Kristanti,  
Maria Gleason, Morgan Patterson, and Maddie Prosser.***

They came in the pouring rain and the freezing cold. Their commitment to their faith and to the children of our parish is a great reflection of who they are. They bring a spark of God's light to the children, and to me.

Thank you parents for bringing your children to the faith formation classes every Sunday, as it's not always easy. I appreciate all the support you give to our program.

God bless your summer.

**Ruth Gangl**  
**CFE Director**

### **Holy Name Men's Club**

**Monday, May 9, 6:30 in the Social Hall**

This will be the final meeting of the season. The election of officers will be held at this meeting.

### **Women's Book Club**

**Monday, May 24**

The book for May is *Whiskey and Charlie*, by Annabelle Smith.

**Monday, June 27**

The book chosen for June is *Midnight in the Garden of Good and Evil: A Savannah Story*, by John Berendt.

### **Graduating from High School This Year?**

If so, please let us know in the parish office. We would like to honor you at the 10 AM Mass early in June.

### **De La Salle Scholarship**

Will you be enrolled at De La Salle next school year? If so, consider applying for an award from the James MacMaster Scholarship Fund. To be considered for the award, you must be a member of St. Lawrence-Newman, and you are asked to submit an essay of about 500 words explaining why you value your Catholic education, or how your Catholic education has made a difference in your life. Essays must be submitted to Fr. Jon by mid-June.

### **In Support of Abria (our local crisis pregnancy center)**

If you are taking part in our annual baby bottle fundraiser for Abria, please return your bottle as soon as possible. Thank you so much for your generosity!



### **No Daily Mass on Friday, May 13**

On May 13<sup>th</sup> Archbishop Bernard Hebda's Installation Mass will be celebrated at 2 pm, at the Cathedral of Saint Paul. Frs. Jon and Philip, and probably all or most of the area priests will be at that Mass. All are welcome to attend!

### **Parish Lawsuit**

A lawsuit has been started against St. Lawrence. While it has not yet been filed with the court, a summons has been issued.

We ask that you pray for all victims of abuse and for a just resolution of any lawsuit that may be filed against the parish.