



St. Lawrence
Catholic Church
Newman
Center

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Mission Statement

*Sharing the abundant love of
Christ 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.

March 19, 2017
*Third Sunday
of Lent*

Saint Joseph the Worker



On March 19th we celebrate the feast of St. Joseph the Worker. This day falls on a Sunday this year. St. Joseph, being the husband of Mary, had the responsibility of raising Jesus. He was a carpenter and probably taught Jesus that trade. Mary and Joseph were not wealthy. At the presentation of Jesus, they gave a pair of turtle doves, which is the gift those who were poor would give. St. Joseph, at the time of Mary's pregnancy, took flight into Egypt. On the return from Egypt he had a dream and got instructions from an angel. St. Joseph is an appropriate saint to pray to for in employment and job related matters. He is described as just and humble. Let us ask for his prayers that in all the things of our lives, we could walk with Jesus, Mary and Joseph.

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Mass Intentions (March 19 — March 26)

Sunday (3/19)	8 am 10 am	†Robert Lindgren For Our Parish	7 pm	Steve and Mary Vander Ploeg
Monday, March 20		†Matthew Kremer		
Tuesday, March 21		†Patricia Klibofski		
Wednesday, March 22		†Jeannean Klempla		
Thursday, March 23		Donna Soucek		
Friday, March 24		Daniel Soucek		
Saturday, March 25		†Rosella LaZorick		
Sunday (3/26)	8 am 10 am	†Thomas Polejewski †Lloyd Sharrett	7 pm	For Our Parish



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

Kathleen Baron, Derek Brakob, Ann Brown, John Carrier, Vern Chelte
Owen Chiu, Dennis Daly, Sheila Daly, Connie Domino, Betty Eichhorn
Sonia Ellison, Bill Hafner, Denise Hafner, Debbie Hallin, Carol Halvorson
Lou Hammer, Richard Hanson, Nick Heille, Lucie Johnson, Carl Kroening
Amy Miller, Bonnie Miller, Anna Mirocha, Regan Orlando, Hutch Pharr
Christine Pribula, Ann Rank, Christina Robinson, Deborah St. Anthony
Gordy Skinner, Peggy Witte, Steve Witte

Scripture Readings for the Week

Monday, March 20	2 Samuel 7:4—5a, 12-14a, 16 Matthew 1:16, 18-21, 24a	
Tuesday, March 21	Daniel 3:25, 34-43	Matthew 18:21-35
Wednesday, March 22	Deuteronomy 4:1, 5-9	Matthew 5:17-19
Thursday, March 23	Jeremiah 7:23-28	Luke 11:14-23
Friday, March 24	Hosea 14:2-10	Mark 12:28-34
Saturday, March 25	Isaiah 7:10-14, 8:10	Luke 1:26-38
Sunday, March 26		
1 Samuel 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a Ephesians 5:8-14	Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6	Gospel: John 9:1-41

Birthdays This Week

March 20	Cindy Nguyen, Liam Fiedler
March 21	Doreothe Hanson, Rebecca Maki
March 23	David Tobeck
March 26	Karen Loe



On the Parish Calendar This Week

Monday	Volleyball, 8 pm, Gym
Wednesday	Scripture Study with Fr. Jon, 11 am, Gathering Space Student Study Night, 4-10 pm, Room A Young Adult / Grad. Group, 7:30 pm, Room B
Thursday	SPO Morning Prayer, 6:50 am, Gathering space
Friday	Stations of the Cross, 2 pm

Lent Communal Reconciliation Service

Tuesday, April 4, 7 pm

Come celebrate as a community, the peace and forgiveness of Christ, with the opportunity for individual confession at the end of the service.

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Parish Mission

Wednesday, April 5, 7 pm

Mark your calendars to attend our Parish Mission, an opportunity to deepen your faith through a growing understanding of Christ's mercy and love. All members of the parish and your guests are encouraged to attend.

Global Solidarity Sunday — March 26th

I was blind and now I see (John 9:25)

This is an opportunity to reach out in solidarity to our brothers and sisters around the world, letting our light shine for those who still hunger and thirst for God's mercy, love and healing. Collection envelopes for this effort are available in your packets of envelopes, as well as in the gathering space. The collection will be taken for four global priorities of the U.S. Catholic Bishops: Africa, Latin America, Central and Eastern Europe, as well as humanitarian activities of Catholic Relief Services. Please be as generous as you are able and support your brothers and sisters overseas.

Praise and Worship

Join us next Sunday (26th) for an hour of Praise and Worship after the 7 pm Mass.



Calling Artists and Art Lovers

Spring Art Event

Saturday, April 22 and Sunday, April 23

Donations of art will be gratefully accepted, and can be brought to the parish office. If you want to sell your hand-made items as a performer or vendor, contact Jacqueline at jdekkertr@aol.com.



2017 Catholic Services Appeal

Please consider making a contribution to the appeal, which helps the 17 collective ministries of the Archdiocese. We, the Newman Center, are one of those ministries, and depend on the generous subsidy we receive.

Appeal envelopes are available in the gathering space.

Women's Book Club

Monday, March 27, 7 pm, Gathering Space

The book chosen for March is

Our Lady of the Lost and Found,
by Diane Schoemperlen

All women of the parish are warmly invited to join this group of book lovers!

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 winter clothing, including jackets, boots, hats and gloves, are most needed at this time of the year. If you have items to donate, please bring them to the office.



Ecumenical Volleyball Tournament

Saturday, April 1, 9AM-4PM at Cooke Hall

Hosted by Catholic Students United and the University of Minnesota. Students play free of charge; non-students pay \$10.

To register: contact Nic Nett (763.203.2051, nic.n.nett@gtmail.com).