



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.

**Fourteenth Sunday
in Ordinary Time**

July 8, 2018

Saint Benedict of Nursia
c. 480-543 AD

Saint Benedict of Nursia gave his life to Christ with everything that he had. He is known as the founder of Western Monasticism. St. Benedict had a real gift for leading with wisdom. He said, “The abbot will lead in such a way that the strong have something to strive after and the weak nothing at which to take alarm.” He could not have guessed the enormous impact the monasteries would have. He set up a way of life in the midst of a decaying culture that transformed the Church as well as the entire Western World. The monastery became the place of stability in a time that was anything but stable. Education, care for the poor and the passing on and development of the culture would have not happened in the same way. One example of this is that some of the monks copied manuscripts of religious and classical works. If the monks had not done this, we would most likely not have a written Bible today, and would have lost many classic works including the classic Greek philosophers such as Plato and Aristotle. These philosophers were very important to people like St. Thomas Aquinas. St. Benedict is an example of someone who followed the Lord and the ripple effect of that is almost unimaginable. When we fully say “yes” to the Lord, it allows Him to bear fruit in us beyond what we could ever guess.



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Mass Intentions (July 8 — July 15)

Sunday (7/8) 8 am †Martin and June Kroening
10 am †Donald McMahon
7 pm For Our Parish

Monday, July 9 Amy Schmidt
Tuesday, July 10 †John Namjae Lee
Wednesday, July 11 †Nicole Ries
Thursday, July 12 †George Huss
Friday, July 13 †Helen M. Bochnak
Saturday, July 14 Cathryn Klukas

Sunday (7/15) 8 am Tom and Donna Pliska
10 am Michelle Steele 7 pm Christy Schmidt



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

Kathleen Baron, Derek Brakob, John Carrier, Owen Chiu, Evelyn Czaia
Sheila Daly, Connie Domino, Sonia Ellison, Evelyn Gockowski
Bill Hafner, Denise Hafner, Lou Hammer, Richard Hanson, Lisa Harm
Nick Heille, Lucie Johnson, Theresa Johnson, Mike McCalley
Jeanne Mandoza, Amy Miller, Anna Mirocha, Regan Orlando
Christine Pribula, Ann Rank, Christina Robinson, Gordy Skinner

Scripture Readings for the Week

Monday, July 9 Hosea 2:16, 17c-18, 21-22 Matt. 9:18-26
Tuesday, July 10 Hosea 8:4-7, 11-13 Matthew 9:32-38
Wednesday, July 11 Hosea 10:1-3, 7-8, 12 Matthew 10:1-7
Thursday, July 12 Hosea 11:1-4, 8e-9 Matthew 10:7-15
Friday, July 13 Hosea 14:2-10 Matthew 10:16-23
Saturday, July 14 Isaiah 6:1-8 Matthew 10:24-33

Sunday, July 15

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 9 Mark Melody, Dan Novack
July 10 Victoria Eberlein, Patrick Gaffney,
Kyle O'Toole, Zach Wolter
July 11 Samantha Sydow
July 13 Madeleine Carrier, Jonathan Dane, Gordy Skinner
July 14 Fidelis Lie, Alexandra Swan, Nate Travis



On the Parish Calendar This Week

Monday Volleyball, 8 pm, Gym
Tuesday Gopher Catholic Night, 6:30 pm, Gathering Space
Wednesday Young Adult Group, 7:30 pm, Room B



Abria Pregnancy Resources offers a safe, non-judgmental and supportive environment for women and couples facing an unexpected pregnancy. Our clients experience friendship, hope and encouragement through positive and life-affirming medical and personal support services, education, and resources.

Help put a choice for life within reach! Abria seeks volunteers to join in their mission of helping women and couples facing an unexpected pregnancy. As a Resource Navigator you will be a source of connection and support for clients while you help them access the additional resources they need. Child Activity Volunteers support clients by supervising their children so they can attend parenting classes, counseling, or their medical appointments. Training is provided. For more information, call Bridget at 651-695-0111 or visit our website, supporters.abria.org.

FINANCIAL OVERVIEW Fiscal 2018

	<u>May</u>	<u>YTD Jul-May</u>
INCOME		
Stewardship	\$19,307	\$223,923
Other Income	\$31,426	\$360,173
Newman Center	<u>\$31,673</u>	<u>\$394,284</u>
TOTAL INCOME	\$82,406	\$978,380
EXPENSES	<u>\$86,740</u>	<u>\$1,080,414</u>
SURPLUS/(DEFICIT)	(\$4,334)	(\$102,034)

Young Adult Catholic Women

This summer Franciscan Sisters of Christian Charity offer discernment opportunities at Holy Family Convent in N.E. Wisconsin. Check out our series of 7 Retreats and Spiritual Events.

Visit <https://fsc-calledtobe.org> for information.

The Gym Will Be Closed

This week (Monday, July 9—Friday, July 13) our gym will be closed.

We are having the floor refinished!

Mission Appeal

Next Sunday, July 15, Father Alex Rodriguez will be speaking at all the Masses, describing the work of and requesting support for his society, the Missionary Fraternity of Mary of Guatemala. He has been invited to our parish by the mission office of the Archdiocese of St. Paul and Minneapolis.

Please welcome Fr. Rodriguez and be as generous as you can in support of the work of the Fraternity.

Women's Book Club

Monday, August 27, 7 PM, Gathering Space

The book for August is Delicious, by Ruth Reichl.

The book club will not meet in July.

All women of the parish are invited to join the group.

Interstate 35W Weekend Closures

Resurfacing of Interstate 35W between 4th St. SE in Minneapolis and Ramsey County Rd. C in Roseville begins in July and continues through August.

Parish Library

Did you know that we have a library? It is located on the second floor in Room E, and has been well organized by a volunteer committee.



The library will be open from 8 AM until noon each Sunday. You are welcome to check books out.

In Support of St. Vincent de Paul

St. Lawrence parishioner Bronwen Hudleston is continuing to gather clothing to donate to St. Vincent de Paul. As the weather is warm, lighter jackets and clothing are needed. Clothing is needed for adults and children. If you have items to donate, please bring them to the office.