

# The Newman Center

**Twenty-Seventh Sunday of Ordinary Time**

**October 21, 2018**

**at the University of Hawai'i, Mānoa**  
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**Mass Schedule:**

Saturday: 5:00 pm  
 Sunday: 9:00 am, 11:00 am, and 5:00 pm (student mass)  
 Monday Eucharistic Service: 12:10 pm  
 Tuesday through Friday: 12:10 pm

**Office Hours:**

Monday - Friday 11:00 am to 3:00 pm (except Holidays)  
 Newman Center opens at 11:00 am and remains open until evening programs conclude.  
 Saturday and Sunday, Newman Center is open during Mass times and for activities as needed.

**Sacraments** – Please call Fr. Jack Ryan for an appointment. We are glad to meet with you at your convenience.

**Baptisms** – Call or speak with Fr. Jack Ryan at least one month before the date desired for the baptism.

**Confirmation** – Programs for teens and adults, please contact Anna Viggiano.

**Weddings** – Couples need to contact Fr. Jack Ryan at least 8 months before the desired date of the ceremony.

**Anointing of the Sick** – Offered to anyone who is seriously ill; one does not need to be in danger of death. Call Fr. Jack Ryan for anointing at any time. We are happy to come to your home or hospital.

**Funerals** – Please call Fr. Jack Ryan. We will work with you to make arrangements for services and care for your needs.

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**Community Notices**

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| ♦ <b>RCIA Sessions</b>               | <b>Sundays</b>         | <b>12:30 - 2:00 pm</b> |
| ♦ <b>Contemplative Prayer</b>        | <b>Mondays</b>         | <b>6:30 pm</b>         |
| ♦ <b>Religious Education classes</b> | <b>after 9 am Mass</b> |                        |
| ♦ <b>All Saints Mass</b>             | <b>11/1</b>            | <b>12:10 pm</b>        |
| ♦ <b>All Souls Mass</b>              | <b>11/2</b>            | <b>7:00 pm</b>         |

**All Souls & All Saints**

All Saints Day is November 1 and Mass will be celebrated at 12:10 pm. All Souls Day is November 2 and a Mass for the Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed will be celebrated at 7:00 pm. The Church takes this day each year to remember all those who have died and “gone before us marked with the sign of faith.” In faith, we believe that we remain united with our loved ones because the Kingdom of God is not bound by death. Envelopes to enroll the names of your friends, family, and loved ones will be available on the credenza. Starting next week, you can bring a photo of the ones you would like to remember on All Souls Day.

**Keep the Annual Fun Run/Walk Alive**

We are in need of committee members for our annual Newman Fun Run/Walk – its future depends upon whether we have a race coordinator and at least 3 committee members. Preparations begin in November and the race is traditionally held on the last Saturday of January. It is a community event that bridges the parish, with the university community and the greater Mānoa neighborhood.

**Please consider this service opportunity and help keep community building tradition going.** We need a committee in place by November 12. Contact Chris at [manager@newmanhawaii.org](mailto:manager@newmanhawaii.org) or Rosemary at [rcasey6971@gmail.com](mailto:rcasey6971@gmail.com).

**Religious Education Safe Environment Class**

The Newman Center Religious Education Program will have lessons on Safe Environment during the next few classes. The *Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People* issued by the US Conference of Catholic Bishops requires dioceses to provide this training about ways to make and maintain a safe environment for children and young people.

A copy of the Safe Environment Policies of the Diocese of Honolulu, *Reconciliation, Protection, Accountability* is on file in the Religious Education office if anyone would like to review.

**Reconciliation Retreat**

The First Sacraments class had a Reconciliation Retreat on Saturday, October 14th, as preparation for the first of the three sacraments they will receive this school year. Please keep in your prayers Danika Espiritu, Tennessee Idol, Juniper Kahapea, Cassidy Kopf, and Izayah McGinnis as they continue their journey toward full initiation into the Church.

Thank you to Fr. Jack for talking to the parents about this sacrament, and to Rayna Galati, who led the children in two fantastic craft activities.

## REFLECTIONS FROM THE PASTOR

I was very happy to see the turnout for the Romero movie last week. It was very inspiring. I also was happy to celebrate the canonization of St. Oscar Romero last Sunday. I got an e mail from a former student at Georgetown University who I haven't seen since the early 1980's. He remembered conversations we had about Archbishop Romero when he was an undergraduate. The new saint was such an inspiring man.

We are getting close to the month of November — the month of All Souls. On November 2nd, All Souls Day, we will have a special mass for those who have gone before us at 7:00 pm at the Newman Center. Please put this on your calendar.

Many Blessings,  
Fr. Jack

### Coming Soon—Thanksgiving Mass & Luncheon

Some members of the university community are unable to go home for Thanksgiving. Even for some of our year-round community members consider this is their one Thanksgiving feast. Whatever the circumstance, we want to make sure everyone has a place to spend time in community this Thanksgiving. Please consider donating prepared foods for the luncheon on Thursday, November 22. Sign up sheets will be up soon!

### What is stewardship?

As a Church we understand it as a complete lifestyle acknowledging God as Creator and Provider of all. It is the grateful receiving and the responsible management of God's gifts, and the eager sharing of them as expressed in prayer, worship, offering, and action. Anyone who is interested in being part of our community's Stewardship Committee or learning more about stewardship please speak with Christopher Malano.

### Adult Confirmation or First Communion

The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) might be for you if you are **either** of the following:

- 1) A Catholic without the sacraments of confirmation and/or first communion,
- 2) Baptized members of *other* Christian communities, or
- 3) Unbaptized adult.

**Why?** To help you explore Catholicism and then decide whether to become full members of the Catholic Church.

**How?** Weekly meetings with community members, talk with other Catholics about their experience, meet "new" Catholics about why and how they joined the Church, to learn about the Bible, the church, Catholic Christian traditions, resources for personal reading and study, opportunities for private consultation.

For more information, contact RCIA coordinator Rosemary Casey at [rcasey6971@gmail.com](mailto:rcasey6971@gmail.com).

### Original Order of Sacraments

All parishes within the Diocese of Honolulu are restoring the Original Order of the Sacraments of Initiation between 2018-2020. Go to [www.catholichawaii.org](http://www.catholichawaii.org) for more information.

To learn how the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and First Holy Communion were celebrated in the early church, how it changed over time, and why we are called to restore these sacraments to their original order.

### Donation Slips for Online Giving

We are encouraging parishioners to give online through our secure platform, WeShare:  
<https://newmanhawaii.weshareonline.org>

While not required, several parishioners have asked for printed donation slips to put into the collection basket during Mass. The slips can be found on the credenza. Thank you for participating in our online giving.

### Prayer Sites

<http://prayasyougo.org>, <http://sacredspace.ie>

Daily Scripture and Reflections:

<http://dailyscripture.servantsoftheword.org>

Weekly Essays on Ignatian Spirituality by Fr. Randy Roche, SJ:  
[http://mision.lmu.edu/cis/spiritualessays/latest\\_essay/](http://mision.lmu.edu/cis/spiritualessays/latest_essay/)

### Contemplative Prayer

Monday Nights at 6:30 pm. 30 minutes of silence, followed by Scripture and Sharing. For more information, contact June Naughton (808) 524-2718.

### Newman Center on Social Media

Follow us on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram:

Facebook: [www.facebook.com/NewmanHawaii](http://www.facebook.com/NewmanHawaii)

Twitter & Instagram: [@newmanhawaii](https://twitter.com/newmanhawaii)

### Religious Education Classes

Religious Education classes meet on Sundays, immediately following the 9 am Mass.

### Rite of Christian Initiation

The RCIA team meets with adults desiring to become Catholic Sundays after the 11 am Mass to prepare for the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and the Eucharist. The sacraments are celebrated at Easter Vigil.

For more information about the program and its schedule, please contact RCIA co-ordinator, Rosemary Casey at [rcasey6971@gmail.com](mailto:rcasey6971@gmail.com)

### Support Newman via Online Giving

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**Living Catholic in the 808**  
**Twentieth-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Very Rev. Msgr. Gary L. Secor, V.G.  
Rector, Cathedral Basilica of Our Lady of Peace

**A Servant's Heart**

Being in Rome reminds one of the universality and beauty of the Catholic Church. The real beauty and splendor of the Church resides in its splendid teachings and how they have been sacrificially lived out through the centuries. As today's Scriptures remind us, that teaching calls us to have a servant's heart.

A servant's heart is willing to suffer in order to love. Isaiah in the suffering servant section reminds us of this. Usually pain indicates an unhealthy heart. The healthy Christian heart does experience pain. We are in the broken hearts club!

A servant's heart not only experiences personal pain but identifies with the pain of others. This is what compassion means: to suffer with another. Hebrews reminds us that the power of Christ's love lies in the fact that as a human person He understands and as God he loves us. Do we believe that He really cares? Do we really care for others? Understanding others and their pain is very important.

A servant's heart is concerned, not with being taken care of, but with taking care of others. Christianity is about giving to all people Christ-like love and getting the love of Christ in order to share it. Jesus reminds his apostles that it is not about me, it is about we.

Today, on World Mission Sunday, we honor St. Damien, St. Marianne and all those who in the past and present have been sent to share God's love throughout the world. May we be willing to be sent and may we love with a servant's heart. Through our generosity and prayers, may we support those who do Christ's missionary work.

**Follow-up to Seasons of Creation**  
**Suggestions from the Community**

We have begun implementing the following suggestions. We planted a kitchen/herb garden on Oct. 4 and began to plan for some plant based student dinners and events focusing on less meat consumption. We are encouraging a bike, walk, bus to Newman campaign: "give your car a day off." We are developing a "Green Awareness" which has created some ideas like saving seashells by giving fans not shell lei at mass.



We are encouraging volunteers to *mālama 'āina*. We are using eco-friendly cleaning supplies and encouraging bringing reusable water bottles to events.

**Annual Christmas Party**

Is Christmas your favorite time of year? Love the sounds, smells, and tastes of the most wonderful time of the year? Consider being on this year's Christmas Party Committee.



This year's party will be on **Friday, December 7**. We are hoping to assemble a committee in a few weeks to start planning.

To express your interest to help, contact Chris Malano by Friday, Nov. 2 at [manager@newmanhawaii.org](mailto:manager@newmanhawaii.org) to help plan one of the most festive social gatherings – the annual Christmas Party!

**Proper Gesture and Bodily Posture**

If you are new to Newman, you may have noticed that our community does not kneel during the Eucharistic Prayer. The **General Instructions for the Roman Missal, section 42** of the document on the Structure of the Mass, reminds us that a common bodily posture should be observed at various points of the liturgy as a sign of prayerful unity.

Usually the congregation kneels from the "Holy, Holy, Holy" through the Eucharistic Prayer; however, the document states that where there are no kneelers, lack of space, or a large number people in attendance, the whole congregation is asked to remain standing. As we do not have kneelers, we ask that the community remain standing at this time. Thank you.

**Laudato Si' & Inter-Faith Partners**

One of the fruits of Season of Creation was connecting with other faith-based community organizations. Travis Idol, a professor of UHM and a Newman parishioner, is the President of Hawaii Interfaith Power and Light—a religious response to global warming.

For more information, email [hipl@hipl.org](mailto:hipl@hipl.org) or visit the website: <https://hipl.org>. Pick up the October edition of *Ka Mana: Hawaii's Interfaith Energy & Climate Connection* from the credenza.

**Looking for Great Hospice Volunteers**

St. Francis Healthcare System has opportunities for volunteers who would like to be part of their hospice team!

Volunteers play a vitally important role in providing companionship and personal care to our hospice patients and their families. Two to four hours of your time each week can make a world of difference to a hospice patient and their family.

Our volunteers visit our patients in their homes or in nursing homes, or provide their words of comfort to those patients in our home-like inpatient facility in Nuuanu.

Download a fillable volunteer application forms and more information about how you can start volunteering, contact Renni Fay Iwasa, Hospice Volunteer Coordinator, at (808) 547-8142 or [riwasa@stfranchishawaii.org](mailto:riwasa@stfranchishawaii.org).

## Reflections from the Student Retreat

Hello. My name is Lawrence Harris. I've been a student at UH Manoa for the past three years and starting my fourth this semester. I have been at Newman working as a sacristan for just as long. I'm studying Mechanical Engineering and really enjoying it. I'm hoping to graduate Spring of 2020.

I'm very thankful to Darin, Alyce, Rosemary, and anyone else who was involved in this Fall 2018 Student Retreat but didn't come, in organizing this for the students. I really enjoyed what we read and being able to summarize the main points of what we were learning. It made learning and understanding the theme of the retreat "See/ Judge/ Act" method a lot easier. We also tried to apply this "See/ Judge/ Act" method to problems at Newman. And while I'm on that subject, I would like to encourage everyone reading this to use the online bulletin found on the Newman Website, to help us reduce our paper usage, and contribute to the well-being of our world.

I've participated in a lot of events here at Newman. For much of them, I've volunteered to help set-up or clean-up, such as at the "Great Chefs of Newman" event in December of 2015, the community work-days, the Christmas parties that have been held at Newman. I've also been very fortunate to meet many of my friends at Newman.



I would really like to see more events which encourage both students and parishioners to gather together, much like this past barbeque and the Christmas parties. Working as the sacristan at Newman gave me the opportunity to meet people from all the Masses at some point, not just the 5 pm mass on Sunday and if everyone was able to meet other parishioners that they don't normally see during the week/ weekend that would help build our community even more to make us all stronger.

I've been to a lot of the social activities at Newman. I've been to past Halloween parties, student outings, and sports days/ nights. We've also gone out to places unrelated to Newman. Having met so many people here, I think this is one of Newman's greatest strengths - in allowing people to meet life-long friends and giving students a home when they travel somewhere completely new.

-Lawrence

To read more bulletins online, go to the Newman Website as Lawrence suggests, <http://www.newmanhawaii.org/>, look for the word 'Parish' (upper right-hand corner), drop down takes you to the words "Sunday Bulletins," click on it and read from your phone, home computer or anywhere.



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### Campus Ministry Events

**Sundays, 5:00 pm** - Student Mass & Dinner

**Monday thru Friday, 12:10 pm** - Daily Mass

**Wednesdays, 9:00 pm** - Student Mass & Fellowship

**Halloween Event Movie and Masks Friday Oct 26th-**  
Facial Spa Masks, Food and a Movie out on the Lawn



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