

The Newman Center

Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

March 3, 2019

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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. Alfred Guerrero for an appointment. We are glad to meet with you at your convenience.

Baptisms – Call or speak with Fr. Alfred Guerrero 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. Alfred Guerrero 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. Alfred Guerrero for anointing at any time. We are happy to come to your home or hospital.

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

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Community Notices

- ◆ RCIA Sessions **Sundays 12:30 - 2:00 pm**
- ◆ Contemplative Prayer **Mondays 6:30 pm**
- ◆ Daily Mass (M-F) **12:10 pm**
- ◆ Student Candlelight Mass/Snacks **Wednesdays 9 pm**
- ◆ Leaps of Faith Event **3/3 1:00 pm**
- ◆ Hospitality Weekend **3/2-3 after Mass**
- ◆ Mardi Gras Soiree **3/3 6:15-9:00pm**
- ◆ Ash Wednesday Masses/Ashes **3/6 12:10, 5, 7, 9:00 pm**
- ◆ Stations of the Cross every Friday in Lent **6:30 pm**

Stations of the Cross

Stations of the Cross will be prayed every Friday in Lent at 6:30 pm. The Stations, different theme every week, will be led by different parish ministries. All are invited!



Artwork by Bruce Onobrakpaya of Nigeria (1969)

Encounter Lent

Join our community—and more than 14,000 Catholic communities across the United States—in a life-changing Lenten journey of encounter with CRS Rice Bowl. We will be praying for those in need, fasting, and sacrificing for those in need through CRS Rice Bowl. Each week there will be specific family that we will remember. Their stories are found on the insert in this Bulletin. You will be able to pick up your family's CRS Rice Bowl after all Masses. During the 40 days of Lent, as companions on the journey, we will encounter our neighbor. See the insert for more information.



Hospitality Weekend

It's Hospitality Weekend. Members of our community donate refreshments to share after Mass. These casual get together give us a chance to meet new parishioners and catch up with "old-timers". Stay for a while and enjoy community refreshments.

Baskets are out for donations to the student food pantry. Thank you for your generosity.



Message from the Pastor

Can you believe that Lent is around the corner? It feels like only yesterday we were celebrating the Christmas Season. During the Lenten Season, we devote ourselves to prayer, fasting, and almsgiving. I encourage daily attendance of Mass during Lent and the private and public exercises of piety like the Stations of the Cross and *Lectio Divina* or reading of Sacred Scriptures. Not only should we abstain from meat but also we are called to practice self-discipline and abstain from other things and/or attitudes throughout the season. In giving our alms, we don't only share treasures but also our time and talents. Below are the Lenten regulations of our diocese:

FASTING

-In the United States, Catholics aged 18 through 59 are bound to fast on both Ash Wednesday (Mar 6) and Good Friday (Apr 19).

-To fast means to consume one full meal at most, although taking of other, smaller quantities of food at the other customary mealtimes is permitted. Food and drink between meals (except water and medicine) is not permitted on fast days.

ABSTINENCE FROM MEAT

-Catholics aged 14 and up are to abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday, all Fridays of Lent, Good Friday.

-To abstain means refraining from eating beef, veal, pork, or poultry at least, although eggs and milk products are acceptable. The consumption of fish and shellfish is permitted, though the penitential character of the abstinence should be kept in mind.

Have a Blessed week (and Lent),
Fr. Alfred Omar

Newman Club Presents Mardi Gras Soiree

Come celebrate Mardi Gras on Sunday, March 3 from 6:15-9:00 pm. There will be Food, Games, Trivia, and Activities. For more information: www.NewmanHawaii.org.

Spam Can Collection

Eat a lot of Spam? We can use your empty cans. Please keep your spam can for a project we will be doing at the end of the semester. Drop off of the washed and dried spam cans to the Newman Center throughout the semester. Thank you.

Donation Slips for Online Giving

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

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/

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

"Knowing Jesus" Talks by Fr. Dave Dwyer, CSP

Resurrection of the Lord Catholic Church, Waipahu, will be holding a parish mission given by Fr. Dave Dwyer of SiriusXM radio, The Catholic Chanel. Flyers are on the credenza.

There will be 3 sessions starting at 7:00 pm:

Mon. Mar. 11, Who is Jesus? (your friend, your boss, your final judge);

Tues., Mar. 12, Where is Jesus? (In the tabernacle? At the Vatican? Missing from your daily life?);

Wed.. Mar. 13, Why Jesus? Why not Buddha? Or Football, Or self-help books? In this world of unlimited choices, why choose Jesus?



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Religious Education Classes

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

Support Newman via Online Giving

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St. Patrick's Day Dinner

St. Patrick's Day lives on at Newman! Dinner will be served on Sunday evening, March 17, after the 5 pm Mass. This year St. Patrick's Day falls on the first day of UH Spring Break, so Sunday "student dinner" has been opened to the entire community.



There will be vegan, salmon, and corned beef. Although there is no cost, **RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED BY MARCH 10.** Contact Alyce or sign up on the posted sheet on the wooden doors.

Busy Person's Retreat

The Busy Person's Retreat is scheduled for March 23-27 with an optional extension on March 30. This retreat is an opportunity for you to spend some time in your busy life, meeting with a trained spiritual director to talk about your every day life and God's desire for your happiness.

If you are planning on participating in this year's busy person's retreat, you should consider getting your registration in soon. After March 8 the registration will be open to other people outside of Newman who have expressed an interest in the retreat. There are only 36 spaces and we wouldn't want you to miss out if you really want to make this retreat.

Registration forms are now available on the credenza and on the Newman website. Some scholarships are available for students.

For more information about this retreat, contact Sharon Chiarucci, sharonlee@hawaiiantel.net. For information about the student scholarships, contact Chris Malano, Manager@newmanhawaii.org; or check the Newman website: <http://www.newmanhawaii.org>

Sister Joan Chatfield, MM

Maryknoll Sister Joan Chatfield passed away in the afternoon of Friday, March 1, 2019. May she rest in peace.

Hawaii Islands Liturgy and Arts Conference

March 15-16, 2019 at Chaminade University.

Featuring the Mackey Marianist Lectures Catholicism in Prophetic Dialogue Committee decided that rather than have a debate on "hot button" issues of our times, it would be good to have a dialogue. The two themes will be on Medical Aid in Dying and LGBTQ Issue, focusing on different faith traditions. Moderated by Mr. Ben Gutierrez.



The 2019 HILAC program feature both familiar and new faces from here and the mainland. For detailed descriptions, go to www.marainisthilac.com.

Living Catholic in the 808 Fearless Self-Examination Very Rev. Msgr. Gary L. Secor, V.G. Rector, Cathedral Basilica of Our Lady of Peace

All of us make judgments about one another from time to time. We cannot completely avoid doing this and it would be irresponsible to fail to evaluate persons and situations. Today's Gospel does not demand that we make no judgment of others. What it does ask us to do is to honestly evaluate ourselves before we evaluate others.

To honestly evaluate ourselves is to recognize our faults. We must humbly admit when we have made a mistake. We must realize that we have weaknesses.

To honestly evaluate ourselves is to do what we can to correct our faults and strengthen what is weak in our character. To perceive the wooden beam in our eye is not enough; we must remove it.

To honestly evaluate ourselves is to examine our hearts and motivations and strive always to build up a store of goodness within ourselves. This goodness within needs to be the resource that fuels the actions we take and the words we speak.

This Wednesday we begin Lent. It is a perfect time to do some fearless self evaluation.

The Beauty of the Saint John's Bible

The Beauty of The Saint John's Bible, presented by Bob O'Connor, Ph.D. of St. Mary's University in San Antonio, a biblical scholar with over 50 years of teaching and pastoral experience. The presentations will take place on the evenings of Monday, March 11th to Wednesday, March 13, 2019 from 6:00pm to 8:00pm at Chaminade University of Honolulu, and are free and open to the public.



In November 2010, Chaminade University procured a seven-volume set of *The Saint John's Bible Heritage Edition*. These presentations will be one of the first opportunities that members of the community will be able to learn about the volumes and examine closely their beauty. The Saint John's Bible, the first hand-written, hand-illuminated, grand-scale bible to have been commissioned by a Benedictine monastery in more than 550 years, offers the ability to allow our hearts to be transformed by the power of sacred art. During his presentations, Dr. O'Connor will share valuable insights into the potential transformative effects that beauty and sacred art has in transforming our lives.

Please feel free to contact Anthony Selvanathan at aselvanathan@rcchawaii.org or (808) 723-0803 if you have any questions or would like more presentations about the presentations.

Back Page Series on 'What is Campus Ministry?'

The first three weeks we have focused on the history of the campus ministry, the relationship between the Church and higher education, and those who serve on campus. In the remaining weeks focus on the six pillars of Catholic campus ministry in the USA: 1) Forming the Faith Community, 2) Appropriating the Faith, 3) Forming the Christian Conscience, 4) Educating for Justice, 5) Facilitating Personal Development, and 6) Developing Leaders for the Future. Through these six pillars, the faith community on campus can achieve the mission of the Church while adapting the message of the Gospel to meet the needs of the academic community.

Week 6: Forming the Christian Conscience

It is our responsibility to facilitate the formation of a Christian conscience so that community members can make decisions based on gospel values. Instructors and graduate assistants might experience a conflict in values as they try to balance their research and teaching and attempt to remain objective in the classroom while expressing their personal opinion. Faculty members' integrity can be tested as they fight against grade inflation and struggle to maintain academic freedom while accepting external funding for research.

Campus Ministry has the task of assisting in the formation of Catholic consciences so that individuals who will continue to face very complex ethical issues throughout their lives are prepared to make good moral judgments according to gospel values. Through our conscience we are able to detect a call from God, summoning us to love the good and avoid evil. It is in response to this call, heard in the secret recesses of our hearts, that we make the judgments of conscience required by the concrete circumstances of our daily lives. This requires an informed conscience, one nourished in prayer, enlightened by study, structured by the Gospel, and guided by the teachings of the Church. But, we need the community of faith to challenge our illusions and to call us to greater self-honesty.

In the work of campus ministry, we accompany students (and others) in their struggles with peer pressure, relating to family members, sexual conduct, drinking, forming friendships, honesty in studies, pursuing a career in line with their moral code. We go beyond the mere sharing of personal feelings. We make an earnest effort to create an open atmosphere so that students can speak freely about their life situations. It requires patience, a commitment to accompany, concern for the indi-



Come join us in prayer as we begin Lent,
the season of praying, fasting, and almsgiving

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Catholic Campus Ministry at the University of Hawai'i at Mānoa
ALL ARE WELCOME!

Mass with the Distribution of Ashes

12:10 PM, 5:00 PM, 7:00 PM,
& 9:00 PM (*student-led*)

Greeters, Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers needed!

Please sign up on the wooden doors.

vidual in order for this mutual trust to be established.

The professional work of campus ministry is much more than maintaining the Newman Club, organizing events, or recruiting students to "work". We must have a good working knowledge of the wisdom found in our faith tradition to address the questions of personal values and ethics. Engaging members of our community is a valuable way we have extended the effort to form Christian consciences, such as those who have also volunteered their time and talent as counselors and spiritual directors. Are you a counselor or a mental health professional? Let me know if you're willing to help. — *Chris Malano*

Sustain these young leaders of our Church and community through prayer.

Student Council

Geneva Dela Cruz; Andrea Flores; Nicole Lang;
Ana Lowe; Matthew Minoza; Mar Moreno; Ann Ngo;
Jonah Tiwanak; Kealani Turingan

Student Leaders in Specialized Ministries

Jay-Jay Bernardo (*Music Ministry*); Jonathan Ibanez
(*Liturgical Ministries*); Ezekiel Tolentino (*Music Ministry*);
Casey McGrath (*Graduate Students Representative*); Reta
Youkhana (*Student Rep to Pastoral Council*)

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Weekly Campus Ministry Events

Sundays: Student Mass & Dinner, 5 PM

Wednesdays: Faith Sharing, Mass & Fellowship, 9 PM

Confessions by appointment with Fr. Alfred Guerrero



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