Newman Center Holy Spirit Parish



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Office Hours:

Monday - Friday:

9:00am to 5:00pm

(except Diocesan Holidays)

Newman Center may remain open till evening programs conclude

Saturday and Sunday,

Open during Mass times and for activities as needed.

<u>Liturgical Schedule</u>

Daily Mass (Monday-Thursday) 12:10PM

Sunday Mass

(Saturday Evening Anticipated) 5:00PM 9:00AM

11:00AM

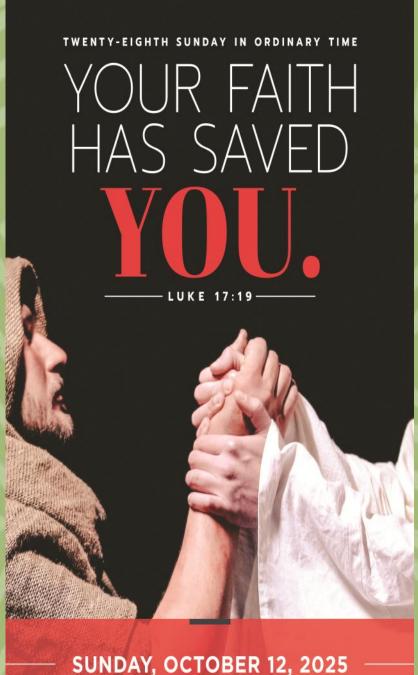
(Student -led Mass) 5:00PM

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Saturday) 3:45PM—4:30PM

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We welcome your call and are here to serve you! Contact the Parish Office to speak with us or make an appointment. We look forward to hearing from you!



Aloha! Welcome!

We are the Catholic Center and Campus Ministry at the University of Hawai Li, and under the Catholic Diocese of Honolulu, serving parishioners, staff, faculty, and students alike that stimulates critical thinking and dialogue about issues that challenge Christian living and commits to a living faith that practices and promotes justice.

We are a spirit-filled and welcoming community that proclaims and celebrates the Good News through liturgy, the sacraments, faith sharing, outreach, and social action. As the Roman Catholic Community of the University of Hawai'i, we offer opportunities for life-long faith development to all who choose to join us. We invite the contribution of gifts in stewardship and evangelism, and challenge one another in the same manner that Jesus challenges us: to love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind and to love your neighbor as yourself. Come journey with

Sacramental Information

Reconciliation

Saturday 3:45PM-

4:30PM

<u>Baptism</u> By

Request

Please contact the parish office at least one month before the date desired for the Baptism.

<u>Funerals</u> At

Need

Funerals and the Rite of Christian Burial are made in conjunction with the Mortuary of your choosing. Please contact the Parish Office prior to finalizing a date with the mortuary.

Holy Matrimony

By Request

Couples need to contact the parish office at least eight months prior to your desired wedding date to begin the marriage preparation required by the Diocese of Honolulu.

Holy Orders—Religious Life

By Cal

Is God calling you to the Priesthood, Diaconate, or Religious Life? God doesn't call the qualified. He qualifies the called. Call us today to setup a discussion with our Pastor where you can continue discerning God's call.

Holy Communion

Ongoing

Programs are available for those who have not yet received their First Eucharist. Please contact our Parish Office for more information.

<u>Confirmation</u>

Ongoing

Programs are available for those who have not yet received the Sacrament of Confirmation. Please contact our Parish Office for more information.

Anointing of the Sick

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Request

If you or someone you know are in need of receiving the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick, please call our parish office to schedule Order of Christian Initiation for Adults



CATHOLIC

Mini Reflection: I have enough faith to know that God can heal me. But do I have enough faith to embrace the purpose for which He heals me?

Your Faith Has Saved You

Your faith has saved you. These are the words I pray I will hear when my heart stops beating, when the last breath has left my lungs.

We hear Jesus say these words, or words like them, several times in the Gospels: to the woman bold enough to grasp for his cloak in a crowd, to the men who testify to their belief that he can restore their sight, to the leper kneeling before him in thanks.

These are some of my favorite passages in all of Scripture, because they illustrate so beautifully what salvific faith is — and what it is not.

It's so easy to think that I have done all the necessary work by simply believing. Yes, Christ is my Savior. Yes, the Church is his bride. Yes, this doctrine is true, that dogma is infallible, so on and so forth.

I believe!

Well, so what? Satan believes, too. It doesn't do him any good.

The lepers had faith — so they begged Jesus to heal them. They had faith — so they followed his instructions and went to the priests. Their faith was sufficient to motivate these actions, which led to their physical healing. But only one had faith strong enough to understand that physical healing doesn't mean anything without spiritual results. Only one had enough faith to go back to the source of his healing and say, "Thank you. Now what?"

I have enough faith to know that God can heal me. But do I have enough faith to embrace the purpose for which He heals me?

If Jesus tells you that your faith has saved you, he isn't talking about faith as merely an internally held belief. In each of these Gospel passages, he's talking about faith as a conviction that is making itself seen. Heard. Felt. He's talking about an arm that is reaching for the hem of a garment, a voice that says "I believe" or a knee that is bent in gratitude.

He's talking about faith that is so strong it becomes action. This is the faith I hope I can have.

- Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

New to Newman Center - Holy Spirit Par-

Aloha! E Komo Mai!

We welcome you to your new spiritual home and are delighted to have you join our parish community!

At Newman Center - Holy Spirit Parish, we know that we are all individual parts of the mystical Body of Christ. Working together, we find great joy in doing God's work here on earth. We invite and encourage you to join us as we pray, work and fellowship together.

Please contact the Parish Office to register. Welcome!

Stewardship of Time, Talent and Treasure

Tithes and Offerings:

9/27/2025-09/28/2025: \$3,038.00

Online: 09/26/2025-10/02/2025:

May we continue to receive God's gifts gratefully, manage them responsibly, and share them joyfully. Mahalo for your generosity!

Upcoming Second Collections:
10/25-10/26 World Mission Sunday
11/08-11/09 Archdiocese for the military services USA
11/15-11/16 Catholic Campaign for Human Development

Giving Made Easy

Giving online is safe and easy using our secured online platform, by visiting WeShare at:

newmanhawaii.weshareonline.org

Thank you, for your continued support of our parish as we strive to meet the needs of our faith community!

STEWARDSHIP PRAYER

Generous and Loving Creator, you have called us to Malama i ka Makana (Cherish the Gift).

As disciples of your Son, we ask that your Spirit open of

As disciples of your Son, we ask that your Spirit open our minds and hearts to more deeply appreciate your countless blessings. Increase your transforming spirit within us, so as to nurture our call to stewardship as a way of life marked always by faith-filled prayer,

service to others and generous giving.

With the kokua of St. Marianne and St. Damien, teach us to be good stewards so we may return a hundred-fold the makana entrusted to us.

We pray this through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

The Word of the Lord Weekly

Sunday's Readings

First Reading:

Naaman went down and plunged into the Jordan seven times

at the word of Elisha, the man of God.

His flesh became again like the flesh of a little child, and he was clean of his leprosy. (2 Kgs 5:14)

Psalm:

The Lord has revealed to the nations his saving power. (Ps 98)

Second Reading:

If we have died with him we shall also live with him; if we persevere

we shall also reign with him. (2 Tim 2:11-12)

Gospel:

Then he said to him, "Stand up and go; your faith has saved you." (Lk 17:19)

Readings for the week of October 12, 2025

Sunday:

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2 Kgs 5:14-17/Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4 (see 2b)/ 2 Tm 2:8-13/Lk 17:11-19

Monday:

Rom 1:1-7/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4/ Lk 11:29-32

Tuesday:

Rom 1:16-25/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5/Lk 11:37-41

Wednesday:

Rom 2:1-11/Ps 62:2-3, 6-7, 9/Lk 11:42-46

Thursday:

Rom 3:21-30/Ps 130:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6ab/ Lk 11:47-54

Friday:

Rom 4:1-8/Ps 32:1b-2, 5, 11/Lk 12:1-7

Saturday:

2 Tm 4:10-17b/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18/ Lk 10:1-9

Observances for the week of October 12, 2025

Sunday: 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday: Columbus Day; Indigenous Peoples' Day

Tuesday: St. Callistus I, Pope and Martyr

Wednesday: St. Teresa of Jesus, Virgin and Doctor of the

Church

Thursday: St. Hedwig, Religious; St. Margaret Mary

Alacoque, Virgin

Friday: St. Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop and Martyr

Saturday: St. Luke, Evangelist



Nourishing Our Faith

Prayer On the Go

https://pray-as-you-go.org/ https://www.sacredspace.ie/

Daily Scripture and Reflections: https://www.dailyscripture.net/daily-meditation/

Contemplative Prayer (via Zoom) Monday Nights at 6:30 pm. 30 minutes of silence, followed by Scripture and Sharing. For more information, contact Cheryl Treiber-Kawaoka 808-227-5162

Prayer Corner

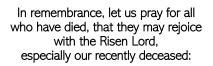
This column in our bulletin are for those in our community who are sick and those who recently died. To add someone (with their permission) or yourself to the prayer list for the sick or someone on the In Memoriam list, please contact the parish office.



Christie Dinell Tom Dinell Denise Esposito

Please remember the sick and homebound in our community. Pray that they may find comfort and healing, especially:

> Vernon Chock Shirley Chock Daniel Barr



Anthony Locascio



FUNERAL NOTIFICATION

Anthony Locascio

Friday, October 17, 2025

Visitation: 9:30 AM Mass: 10:00 AM

Newman Center Holy Spirit Parish

Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him. May he rest in peace. Amen.



Around the Diocese





BRAD KEHR, J.D. Americans United for Life Government Affairs Director



State House of Representatives House Minority Floor Leader



Scan the QR code for a full list of speakers!

LEGAL INSIGHTS

MOVEMENT GROWTH STRATEGIES

RESULTS-ORIENTED **ADVOCACY TOOLS**

ALOHA GUIDED ACTION STEPS



Saturday, October 25th 8:45 am - 2:00 pm

Honolulu Country Club 1690 Ala Puumalu Street Honolulu, Hawaii 96818



MORE INFORMATION: litraining.org/hawaii



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Father Dario Rinaldi

October 24 & 25, 2025

Check in Friday at 5;30 pm. Overnight, then dismissal October 25 at 4:00.



Contact Ron Gochenouer for more information. (808) 206-4420 gochron@gmail.com



Around the Parish

AN INVITATION!

WHAT - THE GIFT OF YEARS (Joan Chittester)
An hour of camaraderie and reflection over soup and salad of and among Goldenagers (ages 60 and above)

WHY - There are many programs in the Church for Faith Formation with children and youth. Programs for the "Goldenagers" are few and far between and generally focus on "how to grieve," How to prepare for the end of life, etc. This gathering is for those who want to reflect on the Graces they have received and/or pray for. "Embracing the blessings of this time and overcoming the burden of it - that is the spiritual task of late life...Life is still about being all that you can be" - (Joan Chittester)

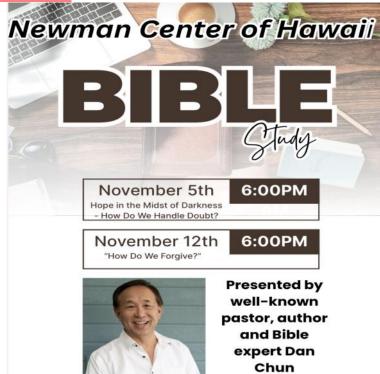
WHEN - Every third Sunday of the month after the 11:00 AM Mass

WHERE - Newman Center/Holy Spirit Parish

Contributions to the weekly agenda to be discussed by attendees after the first session. Understandably, you need to sign up at least 4 days before the third Sunday so that everyone will have a plate and a bowl...

For Questions, contact Virgie Chattergy (808) 221-8755.





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Interested in being nourished by the Word. Come to a special two-part Bible Study, on November 5th and 12th at 6:00 pm. Focusing on the topics, "Hope in the Midst of Darkness - How Do We Handle Doubt?" and "How Do We Forgive?"

But you may ask yourself why Bible study? Because the Bible is sacred, special and holy. And we should study the bible because as Disciples of Christ, we should Learn the Word, Love the Word, Live the Word and Give the Word.

The two-night Bible Study will be led by The Rev. Dr. Dan Chun. Dan is a Presbyterian Pastor, who was the senior pastor of First Presbyterian Church of Honolulu for 29 years. He currently attends Newman Center weekly for Mass since October 2023 often with his Catholic wife Pam.

Dan has two divinity degrees and a doctorate and a certificate from Loyola University in New Orleans' Institute of Religious Communication. Dan has the qualifications to share his wisdom of Scripture with us.

Dan also has Masters in Cinema Production from USC and is an award-winning filmmaker and prior to entering ministry, Dan was a news reporter for KGMB TV.

In addition, Dan and his wife Pam co-founded Hawaiian Islands Ministries (HIM) that trained more than 80,000 Catholic and Protestant leaders. Dan has also worked with Compassion International helping to feed hungry children from the around world, releasing children from poverty in the Jesus' name.

Join Dan on November 5th and 12th at 6pm, and let this well-known author of the book, *How to Pick A Spouse,* famous speaker and podcaster bless us with his knowledge.

All our Welcome to attend.



There have been times in my life when being thankful didn't come easily. When I was going through something difficult, it was hard to notice the good around me. I was so focused on what wasn't working out that I missed the small ways God was still there, whether it was in the people who cared, in the moments of peace that broke through, or in the quiet strength that helped me keep going. Over time, I learned that gratitude isn't just about saying "thank you" when life is good but about trusting that God is present even in the hard and difficult moments in our lives.

In today's Gospel, Jesus heals ten lepers, but only one returns to say thank you. All ten were cured, but the one who came back, a Samaritan, received something more. His gratitude doesn't just show good manners but showed faith and awareness. By returning to Jesus, he opened himself to a deeper kind of healing, one that touched his heart and not just his body. Like those lepers, we sometimes forget to turn back. We pray for something, and when it happens, we move on without pausing to thank God. But gratitude reminds us to stop, to look around, and to see how much grace is already at work in our lives.

We are reminded that being grateful changes us. It helps us see God's goodness even when things aren't perfect. May we learn to return to Jesus again and again, not just to ask for help, but to say, "Thank you, Lord," for the blessings we already have and for the ways He continues to walk with us every day.

"How often do we say thank you to those who help us, those close to us, those at our side throughout our life? All too often we take everything for granted." – Pope Francis

A BIG MAHALO to our parishioners and benefactors for your continued prayers, love, and support for campus ministry. We are blessed by your generosity and kindness to our student community. May we continue to pray for one another, and for peace in our world and among our brothers and sisters.

Come Holy Spirit! St. John Henry Newman, pray for us!

Blessings to you and your 'ohana! Fay C. Pabo

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