

Newman Center Holy Spirit Parish



Aloha! Welcome!

Aloha! E Komo Mail

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!

Office Hours:

Monday - Thursday: 9:00am to 4:00pm
(except Holy Days & Holidays)

Saturday and Sunday:
Open during Mass times and for activities as needed.

Liturgical Schedule

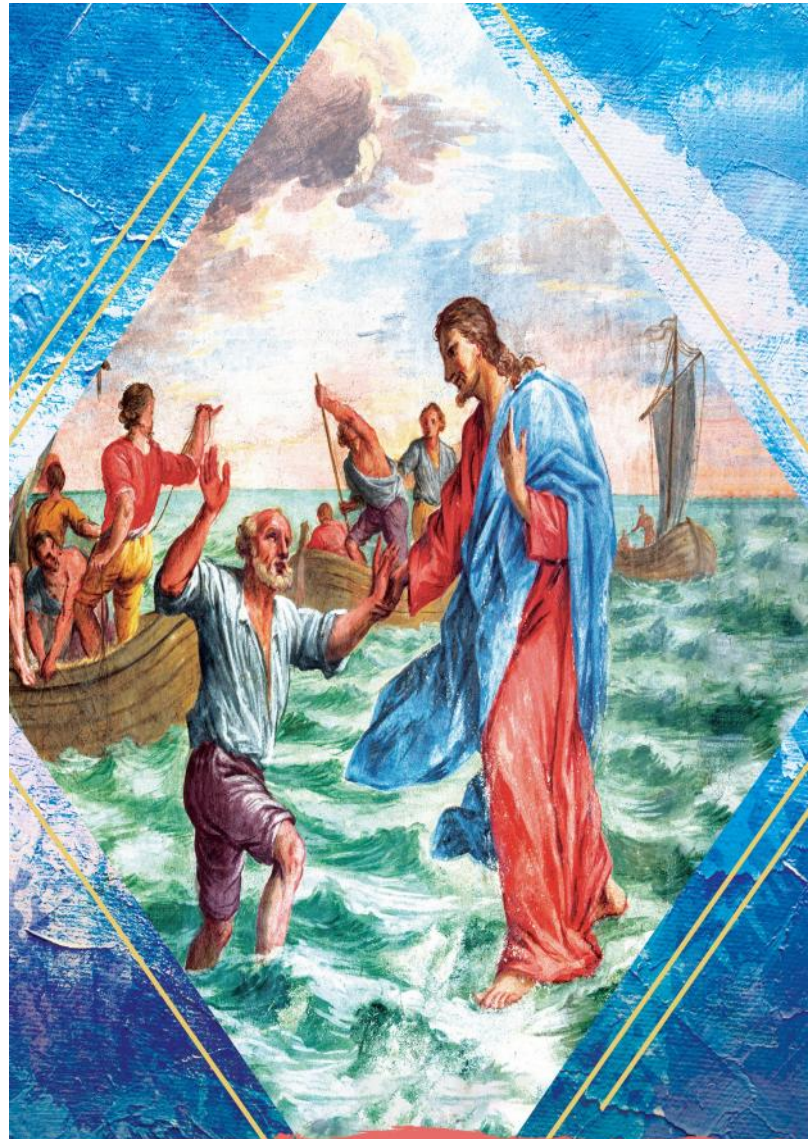
Daily Mass (Monday-Thursday)	12:10PM
Sunday Mass	5:00PM
(Saturday Evening Anticipated)	9:00AM
	11:00AM
(Student -led Mass)	5:00PM

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

Pastoral Team

Fr. Kurt Meyer, *Pastor & Director of Campus Ministry*
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19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

He became frightened; and, beginning to sink, he cried out, "Lord, save me!" Immediately Jesus stretched out his hand and caught Peter. - Mt 14:30-31

Our Mission

We are the Catholic Center and Campus Ministry at the University of Hawaii, 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 Hawaii, 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 us!

Sacramental Information

Reconciliation Saturday 3:45PM—4:30PM

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

Funerals 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 Call
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.

Confirmation 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 By 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 Ongoing
If you or someone you know are have not yet been baptized and are interested in becoming a member of the Catholic Faith, please call our parish office to learn more about the OCIA,

Stewardship of Time, Talent and Treasure

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 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

Offerings:

Plate Collection3,
08/01-08/02/2026

\$3,473

Online

TBD

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

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!



Give and gifts will be given to you; a good measure, packed together, shaken down, and overflowing, will be poured into your lap. For the measure with which you measure will in return be measured out to you.

SHARING
GOD'S
GIFTS

Luke 6:38

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 office.

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


Pray for ...
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Denise Esposito
Vernon Chock
Shirley Chock
Daniel Barr

Sandra Ching
Fr. Arnold Ortiz
Sheila Chong
Molly Mamaril

Student Council—HI-Lite

Aloha!

My name is Maria Calvo and I'm a third-year nursing student going into my senior year at UH Mānoa. I'm from the beautiful island of Guam and moved to O'ahu for college. Newman has been my home since the very first Sunday I moved to the island. I enjoy spending time learning about my faith, hanging out with my friends, playing pickleball, and eating (of course). I look forward to giving back to Newman and enjoying my last year at UH.



The Word of the Lord Weekly

Readings for the week of August 9, 2026

Sunday: 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-13a/Ps 85:9ab and 10, 11-12, 13-14
Rom 9:1-5/Mt 14:22-33

Monday: 2 Cor 9:6-10/Ps 112:1-2, 5-6, 7-8, 9/Jn 12:24-26

Tuesday: Ez 2:8-3:4/Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131
Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14

Wednesday: Ez 9:1-7; 10:18-22/Ps 113:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/Mt 18:15-20

Thursday: Ez 12:1-12/Ps 78:56-57, 58-59, 61-62/Mt 18:21-19:1

Friday: Ez 16:1-15, 60, 63 or 16:59-63/Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6
Mt 19:3-12

Saturday: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab/Ps 45:10, 11, 12, 16/1 Cor 15:20-27/Lk 1:39-56

Next Sunday: Is 56:1, 6-7/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6 and 8/Rom 11:13-15, 29-32/Mt 15:21-28

Observances for the week of August 9, 2026

Sunday: 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday: St. Lawrence, Deacon and Martyr

Tuesday: St. Clare, Virgin

Wednesday: St. Jane Frances de Chantal, Religious

Thursday: Sts. Pontian, Pope, and Hippolytus, Priest, Martyrs

Friday: St. Maximilian Kolbe, Priest and Martyr

Saturday: The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Next Sunday: 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time



In remembrance, let us pray for all who have died, that they may rejoice with the Risen Lord, especially our recently deceased:

Student Council—HI-Lite

Talofa and Aloha!

My name is Aubrianna Fotu and I am of Tongan descent. I was born and raised in San Francisco. And I am currently attending the University of Hawai'i at Manoa and have been active member of the Newman Center for the past two years. I am so blessed and grateful to part of this community and look forward to serving my fellow students on the Student Council.



From the desk of the Pastor

Although we are rather a small church community in comparison to other churches, we probably still don't know many of our fellow parishioners. For as creatures of habit we tend to go to the same Mass every Sunday and we hardly ever get to associate with people who usually attend a different Sunday Mass. So, I, along with the Pastoral Council and Finance Council, thought it would be best to have a gathering that we can all get together. What better day than October 9, the Feast Day of our Patron Saint John Henry Newman, at the Japanese Cultural Center right down the street. It is the same place where we celebrated the 40th anniversary of our Parish. The theme is simple "Growing our Legacy." Over the next few weeks will be having sign-up sheets regarding who is interested in attending and if anyone else wants to help with the planning of the Gala. More news to follow. Can't wait till October 9th.

Sincerely in Christ,
Fr. Kurt Meyer



HOLY MASS 5 PM
BBQ TO FOLLOW

SUNDAY, AUGUST
23, 2026

WELCOME BACK MASS & BBQ

Join us for Worship,
Food, and Fellowship



NEWMAN CENTER -
HOLY SPIRIT PARISH
1941 East West Road
Honolulu, HI 96822



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3 Weeks UNTIL WELCOME WEEK!

WHETHER YOU'RE
CATHOLIC, CURIOUS,
OR JUST LOOKING FOR GOOD PEOPLE,
we've got a place for you. ♥

FAITH
♥
FRIENDSHIP
♥
FUN
♥
PURPOSE

SAVE THE DATES!
AUGUST 23 - 30

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EVERYONE IS INVITED! ♥



Welcome
WEEK

Faith.
Friendship.
Fun.
Purpose.

ALL ARE WELCOME!
come as you are. leave as family. ♥

BUILD COMMUNITY ♥ GROW IN FAITH ♥ MAKE MEMORIES

SUNDAY 8/23	STUDENT MASS 5:00 PM, WELCOME BBQ TO FOLLOW AT THE NEWMAN CENTER	
MONDAY 8/24	GAME & ICE CREAM NIGHT 6:00 - 7:15 PM AT THE NEWMAN CENTER	
TUESDAY 8/25	ADORATION 5:00 - 6:00 PM AT THE NEWMAN CENTER	
WEDNESDAY 8/26	TRIVIA & DINNER 6:00 - 7:15 PM AT THE NEWMAN CENTER	
THURSDAY 8/27	ROSARY MAKING NIGHT 6:00 - 7:15 PM AT THE NEWMAN CENTER	
SUNDAY 8/30	STUDENT-LED MASS - 5:00 PM AT THE NEWMAN CENTER	

EVERYONE IS INVITED! ♥
Whether you've been attending church
your whole life or are just curious,
there's a place for you here.
We can't wait to meet you! ♥

ALL EVENTS HOSTED BY THE
NEWMAN CENTER -
YOUR CATHOLIC HOME AT UH!

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QUESTIONS?
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COME FOR THE EVENTS. ♥ STAY FOR THE COMMUNITY. ♥ GROW IN FAITH TOGETHER. ♥