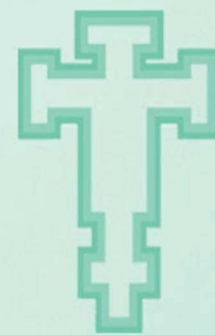




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Sunday, October 16, 2016 + Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Parish Mission Statement

St. Albert the Great Newman Parish, a Roman Catholic community at New Mexico State University, as a family of faith, welcomes everyone to encounter Jesus Christ through Word, Worship, Community, and Service. Guided by the Holy Spirit, we are changed for the better and sent forth as disciples of Christ to continue his work in the world.

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Parish Office Hours:

Mon– Thurs 8:30 am to 5:00 pm
Fridays 8:30 am to 1pm

Mass Schedule

Monday–Thursday: Daily Mass @ 5:30 pm
1st Friday of the Month : 5:30 pm
All other Fridays : 12:10 pm
Vigil Mass (Saturday) @ 5:30 pm
Sunday Masses @ 8:30 am, 11:00 am & 7:30 pm

Reconciliation

Saturdays, 4 to 5 pm; or by appointment.

Baptism

Parents who have been registered in the parish for 6 months need to schedule an interview with the Pastor through the parish office at least 3 months prior to the baptism date.

Marriage

Couples need to schedule an interview with the Pastor, through the parish office, 6 months prior to the wedding date.

Pastoral Care for the Sick

Ill and homebound parishioners, please call the parish office to schedule visits.

Anointing of the Sick

First Fridays of the Month

REPORT SEXUAL ABUSE

If you or someone you know has been a victim of sexual abuse by clergy or church personnel, contact Ms. Antoinette Fuentes, Victim's Assistance Coordinator for the Diocese of Las Cruces, at (575) 523-7577, or email afuentes@dioceseoflascruces.org

Faith Formation & Religious Education

Jesus said, "Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these."

Matthew 19:14

Classes resume
This week
October 16, 17, 18
Please check your
calendars.



Schedules are
available.
**For Confirmation
Calendars
please ask teachers**

**All Saints celebration will be
on October 23, 24, 25**

**Parents are asked to bring refreshments
for your child/ren's class**

Sacramental Preparation

First Communion - 3 year program beginning in 1st level, with reception of the Sacraments in 3rd level.

Youth Confirmation - 3 year program beginning in 9th grade (Conf. I), with reception of the Sacrament in the 11th grade (Conf. III).

Adult Confirmation - College students 18 years and older who have been Baptized and want to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation Please contact Sal Melendrez via email: sal@stalbertnewmancenter.org.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) – Unbaptized adults needing the Sacraments of Initiation or those who need Confirmation and those who wish to become members of the Church Please contact Sr. Nancy.

Second Collection



TODAY IS WORLD MISSION SUNDAY!
In announcing his decision to declare a Holy Year of Mercy, Pope Francis said, "Dear brothers and sisters, I have often thought about how the Church might make clear its mission of being a witness to mercy." Supporting the young churches throughout the world with your prayers and generous gifts is indeed a merciful witness of this mission. The collection today will help missionaries offer the poor of these areas practical help as they share the mercy of God. It will ensure the development of local dioceses, and support the work of priests, religious and lay leaders who serve those on the margins and in most need. Extend your merciful witness to the whole world through your gift in today's collection for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith!



Youth ministry will host a high school lock-in November 11th-12th from 6 pm Friday to 7 am Sunday. Email Carlos for more information.

Want to get involved with Youth Ministry? Text the message below to the number **81010**

For High School: @godsquadlc
For Middle School: @tinysaints

Have a question? Want to know how you can help? Email Carlos Briseño at carlos@stalbertnewmancenter.org

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are in Loving Memory of:

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Mary Ettinger

Donated by: Kitty Walker

Note from the Pope

Words of Wisdom from Pope Francis

"The Gospel tells us constantly to run the risk of a face-to-face encounter with others, with their physical presence which challenges us, with their pain and their pleas, with their joy which infects us in our close and continuous interaction. True faith in the incarnate Son of God is inseparable from self-giving, from membership in the community, from service, from reconciliation with others. The Son of God, by becoming flesh, summoned us to the revolution of tenderness."

-*Evangelii Gaudium*, Section 88

St. Albert the Great Newman Center
Presents:



The **Oktoberfest Committee** would like to thank everyone who purchased our raffle tickets.

Our Winners were:

- 1) **\$1,000.00:** Lou Martinez
(This raffle money is being donated back to St. Alberts by Lou Martinez – Fr. Ray and the Parish community thank you for being so generous).
- 2) **\$500.00:** Katie Hicks
- 3) **\$250.00:** Maria Lujan

From the Pastor's Desk



Hello friends:

The office of vocations is again hosting a discernment retreat for men who might be considering the possibility of priesthood on the weekend of November 4-6, 2016. The retreat will be hosted at the San Patricio retreat center and I invite any man who might be interested to talk to me and I'll give you more information on the details. Over the past several years this weekend retreat has proven to be beneficial for our local church and I would encourage and ask for your prayers.

Bishop Cantu has appointed Fr. Alex to work as the associate vocation director, so he and I will be working closely on this very important ministry.

Last Friday I had a very unexpected visit; Sr. Anna Marie Broxterman stopped in, on her way to Silver City, to say hello. Sr. Anna Marie, CSJ, was campus minister at WNMU while I was a student there and she had a huge impact on my discernment and subsequent decision to enter seminary. I like to think that she played a very important role in my young life, offering guidance and encouragement as well as opportunities to grow in ministry. Sr. Anna Marie and I had a great visit; I'm so grateful to her for her ministry and witness of faith.

I think it's very normal for a student to discern the possibility of service in the church, either as a priest or as a religious sister, as they figure out what they want to do in life. Over the last several years we have worked hard to create and sustain a culture of discernment and vocation promotion, primarily through our collective prayer but also through the witness of young men who have taken the chance and entered seminary formation. If you're even slightly considering service in the church please talk to someone, a parent, a teacher or myself. Please continue to pray for vocations to the priesthood and religious life.

Fr. Ray

NMSU Catholic Campus Ministry

Threads of Prayer



Do you crochet or knit?

Our Threads of Prayer Ministry donates blankets/shawls to those in need of comfort, a hug, or spiritual healing. This ministry needs your help to make these blankets and shawls. Would you be willing to join the wonderful ladies in this ministry? If so, please contact the office with your name and phone number.

Let us pray for those serving in our Armed Forces



Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. We ask this in the name of Jesus, our Lord and Savior. Amen.

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Each week a new military branch will be honored. Please let us know if you know of anyone serving, Please call the parish office at 575-522-6202.

"Do not be afraid to bring Christ into every area of your life."

-Pope Francis

Dear Newman Community,

NMSU recently held a street fair event called Peek of Las Cruces. The idea is to give students a 'peek' of our community. This year the event also included a food drive competition to support Aggie Cupboard, the NMSU food pantry. Student organizations gathered food the last few weeks then built a New Mexico landmark themed 'canstruction' on the day of the event. Newman students participated, using food purchased with funds raised through Lunch Bunch for a Cause. Our Balloon Fiesta themed canstruction ended up taking two of three prizes— People's Choice and Judge's Choice! A big thank you to all student and resident parishioners who came to eat at our Lunch Bunch for a Cause meals earlier this semester. With your support we were able to purchase nearly \$400 worth of food for the Aggie Cupboard.



The Aggie Cupboard provides free emergency food assistance to NMSU and DACC students, faculty and staff. Do you know someone in need of food? Fall distribution hours are Wednesday & Thursday from 3-6pm. Bring your NMSU ID. Want to make an additional donation to the Aggie Cupboard? Food donation drop offs are Thursdays from 9am-Noon at Regents Row B115. If you need to arrange an alternate drop off time, email aggiecupboard@nmsu.edu. You can also make a financial contribution through the NMSU Foundation. Go to <http://giving.nmsu.edu> and specify that your gift is for the Aggie Cupboard.

Peace,

Mona

It is a scandal that there is still hunger and malnutrition in the world! It is not just a question of responding to immediate emergencies, but of addressing together, at all levels, a problem that challenges our personal and social conscience, in order to achieve a just and lasting solution.

-Pope Francis, 10/16/13

ST. ALBERT'S FINANCIAL REPORT
COLLECTIONS - 2016:

October 8/9, 2016:

Envelopes/Loose Change:	\$ 1,844.16
Loose Checks:	\$ 2,530.00
Envelope Checks:	\$ 6,415.00
E-Giving:	<u>\$ 1,297.13</u>
TOTAL:	\$12,086.29
Received in Office:	
Sunday Collection:	\$ 1,575.00
Flowers:	\$ 385.00
RE Registration:	\$ 380.00
RE Donations:	\$ 70.00
TOTAL:	<u>\$ 2,410.00</u>
TOTAL DEPOSIT:	\$14,496.29

Second Collection — Mission Sunday

E-Giving: \$100.00

UNITED IN MINISTRY (AUGUST):

Goal:	\$80,396.06
Total Pledged:	\$69,785.00
Payments Received:	\$54,003.32
Deficit:	\$26,392.74
# Donors:	116



Please include these people and their families in your prayers that they may experience Christ's comfort and healing:

Joline Rosen, Mari Franco, Jed Hendee,
Walter Kazmier, Ernest Chavez, Bertha Salas,
Msgr. Getz, Manuela Chavez, Larry Hill,
Marie Tighe, Ruben Martinez, Freddy Rodriguez,
Monica Dominguez, Teresa Rementer, David Garza
Matthew Benton, Susan Benton, Matt Bridges,
Miranda Thomas, Zachary Simone, Don Medina,
Joe Harbeck, Bishop Ricardo Ramirez,
Frank Gonzales Jr. , Raymond Barreras

Homebound

Bertha Banegas, Alfredo & Erlinda Moreno,
Rocio Edmondson, Charles & Mary Miller,
Catherine & Jon Hooley, KC & Virginia Stevens,
Willemina Paupaw, Priscilla Daneliak, Lorraine Schulte,
Martina Garcia, Herlinda Apodaca, Olga Warriner,
Priscilla Grijalva, Bernarda Gamboa, Robert Santistevan,
Frank Mesa, Mary Slavik, Janet Mills

If you or your loved one is/are in need of payer,
please notify the Parish Office at (575) 522-6202.

THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES

AA Meets Sunday – Saturday at 7:00 am at The Bridge

Sunday

8:30 am - Mass
11:00 am - Mass
4:00 pm - Conf. II
5:00 pm - Conf. I
5:00 pm - 6-8th RE Classes
6:00 pm - Conf. III
7:30 pm - Student Mass

Monday

10:30 am - Rosary on Campus
4:00 pm - K-5th Grades Rel. Ed Classes
5:10 pm - Evening Prayer
5:30 pm - Daily Mass
6:00 pm - K-6th Grade Rel. Ed Classes

Tuesday

12:10 pm - Mass on Campus (Spiritual Center)
4:00 pm - 1-4th Grade Rel. Ed Classes
5:10 pm - Evening Prayer
5:30 pm - Daily Mass
6:30 pm - Youth Group meeting (Middle School)

Wednesday

5:10 pm - Evening Prayer
5:30 pm - Daily Mass
5:30 pm - Midweek Mass/Dinner (Campus Ministry)
6:30 pm - Divine Mercy Cenacle Group

Thursday

5:00 pm - Evening Prayer
5:30 pm - Daily Mass
6:00 pm - Divine Mercy Chaplet
6:30 pm - Youth Group Meeting (High School)
8:00 pm - Newman Night (Campus Ministry)

Friday

12:10 pm - Daily Mass

Saturday

9:00 am - Music Practice
4:00 pm - Confessions
5:30 pm - Mass

Bulletin Deadline:

Mondays by Noon, Holidays on
Thursday by 12:00 noon.

Readings for the Week

October 16, 2016

Sunday: Ex 17:8-13/ Ps 121:1-8/ 2 Tm 3:14—4:2
Lk 18:1-8

Monday: Eph 2:1-10/ Ps 100:1b-5/ Lk 12:13-21
Phil 3:17-4:1/ Jn 12:24-26

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

Wednesday: Eph 3:2-12/(Ps) Is 12:2-3, 4b-6
Lk 12:39-48 /2 Cor 4:7-15/ Mt 28:16-20

Thursday: Eph 3:14-21/ Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 11-12, 18-19
Lk 12:49-53

Friday: Eph 4:1-6. Ps 24:1-4b, 5-6/ Lk 12:54-59

Saturday: Eph 4:7-16/ Ps 122:1-5/ Lk 13:1-9

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