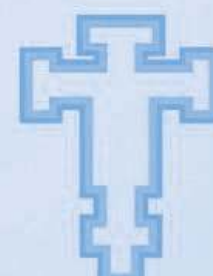




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CELEBRATE WITH SAINT ALBERT THE GREAT NEWMAN CENTER

Sunday, May 14, 2017 Fifth Sunday of Easter

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
Phone: (575) 522-6202 Fax: (575) 521-3453

Mass Schedule

Monday—Friday: Daily Mass @ 5:30 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 Friday 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

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AND FAITH FORMATION

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

-Religious Education registration for the 2017-2018 school year is underway! Register in the parish office. Baptismal copies are needed for First Communion students.

-Confirmation will take place on May 15th, 7pm

-Divine Mercy Cenacle will not meet April 12-June 21st.



HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

On May 18th at 5:30 pm the parish will have a recognition mass for the graduates of all High Schools to celebrate their achievements.

We hope you will join us!



May the blessing of
the Divine
Be an especially
bright benediction
Upon mothers
everywhere
On your blessed
day



**Fr. Ray's Farewell Mass
will be:**

**May 20th at 5:30 pm
May 21st at 10:00am
at Corbett Center**

WE WILL NOT HAVE ANY

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First Communion Flowers

In memory of: Vianney To (Grandfather)
Ursula Joo (Great Aunt)

By Lauren To

In memory of: Grandma Reilman &
Grandpa Reilman

By Jonah Stevenson

In memory of: Grandma Marianna
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By Destinee Esquibel

In memory of: David Moffett &
Lupe Valles

By Marae Martinez

In memory of: Linda Torezan &
Wesley Robershaw

By Addie Moccia

In memory of: Rudy Maynes

Note from the Pope

Words of Wisdom from Pope Francis

"All men, all women have a restlessness in their heart- (they may be) good or bad, but there is a restlessness. Listen to that restlessness. It's not saying: 'Go out and proselytise.' No, no! 'Go and listen.' "Listening is the second step. The first: 'Get up and go'; the second: 'Listen'. that ability to listen: What do people feel? What does the heart of the people feel? What does it think? But do they think mistaken things? But I want to hear these mistaken things, in order to understand where the restlessness is. We all have restlessness within."

From the Pastor's Desk



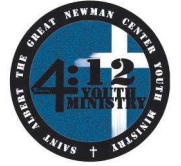
Hello, friends!

Congratulations to all NMSU and DACC graduates! As you move forward know that we here at Newman are praying for you. As the semester comes to a close I'd like to thank Mona and Sal and our student interns, Carla and Steven for their work with campus ministry. I'd also like to thank Bonnie and her staff of volunteers at Lunch Bunch for their ministry; well done! I'm also very thankful to the staff for their tremendous work!

A special note of appreciation to all of the mothers of the parish; Happy Mother's Day!

Please remember that next weekend we will not be having any masses here at Newman. The two weekend masses, Saturday at 5:30 p.m. and Sunday at 10 a.m., will both be held at the NMSU Corbett ballrooms, third floor. Also, we're all invited to the farewell reception that will follow the Sunday morning mass, at Our Lady of Guadalupe parish hall, in Tortugas.

6th-12th grade! You're invited to come join us for youth nights! Middle School Tuesdays at 6:30 p.m. High School Thursdays at 6:30 p.m. meet in the Alumni Room.



Want Youth Ministry news and reminders? Text the message below to the number 81010

For High School: @412hsym

For Middle School: @412msym

If you would like to volunteer with youth ministry, email

Let us pray for all 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

U.S. Army

PVT-2 Austin Meyers, PVT Vincent Fresquez Jr., PFC Joseph Chavira, PFC Gino Benedetti, SPC Vincent Chavira, SPC Jesus Navarro, SPC Vincent Fresquez Sr., SSG John Troy, SSG Perry Harrison, SGT Johnathn Stadish, MAJ Sean Dixon, LtC James Brady, LTC Edward Brady, LTC Greg Grusenmeyer

Each week a new military branch will be honored. If you know of anyone

NMSU Catholic Campus Ministry

*"Do not be afraid to bring Christ into every area of your life."
-Pope Francis*

Happy May Newman Community!

Please join me in congratulating all NMSU & DACC seniors who are graduating this weekend! Graduates, your efforts and hard work- challenging group projects, late night cram sessions, balancing school, family & work- have paid off.

We hope your time at NMSU has been an opportunity to grow not only academically and professionally but also socially, emotionally and spiritually. As you embark on the next chapter of your journey, remember you always have a home here at the Newman Center. You will continue to be in our thoughts and prayers!

Peace!

Sal

Blessing of Graduates

Before you were even formed, God knew you. While in your Mother's womb, God named you. At your birth, God's breath filled you with life.

Today we celebrate what you have become at this moment in time.

And so we pray, God of our beginnings,

We thank you for the gifts of these graduates; their excitement, their awesome wonder and curiosity, their open speech and encouraging words.

Their contributions have blessed and challenged us, and we have become a richer and more diverse community because of them.

As they step forward into the world that awaits, comfort their fears with the full knowledge of your divine presence.

Strengthen their resolve to walk in the footsteps of Jesus as modern-day disciples in a world that needs their spirit.

Guide their feet as they move through life, protecting them from the pitfalls of darkness while they help to lead future generations into the warmth and promise of your light.

We ask this blessing upon each of them, In the name of the Father, the Son,

ST. ALBERT'S FINANCIAL REPORT

COLLECTIONS – 2017:

May 6,7th , 2017

Envelopes/Loose Currency:	\$ 2,246.68
Loose Checks:	\$ 3,373.00
Envelope Checks:	\$ 4,626.00
E-Giving:	\$ 2,047.13
Received in the Office:	<u>\$ 2,447.49</u>

TOTAL: \$ 14,740.30

2 nd Collection: Good Shepherd

E-Giving: \$ 115.00

UNITED IN MINISTRY – 2017 (as of 5/3/17): Goal:

\$ 92,998.48

Pledged: \$ 72,582.49

Received: \$ 38,362.25

Donors: 158

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

Mari Franco, Jed Hendee, Walter Kazmier, Ernest Chavez,
Bertha Salas, Msgr. Getz, Manuela Chavez, Larry Hill,
Marie Tighe, Freddy Rodriguez, Monica Dominguez,
Teresa Rementer, David Garza, Raymond Telles, Matt Bridges,
Miranda Thomas, Zachary Simione, Don Medina, Joe Harbeck,
Gina McFeely, Joan Jacinto, Frank Gonzales Jr. , Raymond
Barreras, Gloria Newton ,Ed Shoonover, Leticia Baskette



Homebound

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

If you or your loved one is/are in need of prayer,
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

First Communion Weekend

8:30 am - Mass

11:00 am - Mass

7:30 pm – Student Mass

Monday

5:10pm - Evening Prayer

5:30 pm - Daily Mass

8:00 pm – Confirmation Mass

Tuesday

5:10 pm - Evening Prayer

5:30 pm - Daily Mass

Wednesday

5:10 pm - Evening Prayer

5:30 pm - Daily Mass

Thursday

5:10 pm - Evening Prayer

5:30 pm - Daily Mass

6:00 pm – Divine Mercy Cenacle Group

Friday

5:30 pm– Daily Mass

Saturday

9:00 am – Music Practice

4:00 pm - Confessions

5:30 pm - Vigil Mass

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

Readings for the Week

May 14, 2017

Sunday: Acts 6:1-7, Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19, 1 Pt 2:4-9,
Jn 14:1-12

Monday: Acts 14:5-18, Ps 115:1-5, 15-16, Jn 14:21-26

Tuesday: Acts 14:19-28, Ps 145:10-13ab, 21,
Jn 14:27-31a

Wednesday: Acts 15:1-6, Ps 122:1-5, Jn 15:1-8

Thursday: Acts 15:7-21, Ps 96:1-3, 10, Jn 15:9-11

Friday: Acts 15:22-31, Ps 57:8-10, 12, Jn 15:12-17

Saturday: Acts 16:1-10, Ps 100:1-3, 5, Jn 15:18-21

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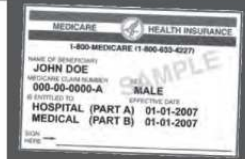


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