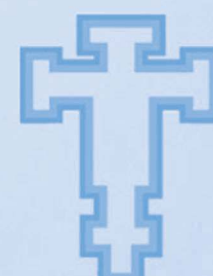




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Sunday, June 18, 2017 The Most Holy & Blood of Christ

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.

Classes for 2nd grade on Mondays are closed 4– 5 pm

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

Note from the Pope

Words of Wisdom from Pope Francis

"Whenever we set out to love as Jesus loved, we have to take the Lord as our example; especially when it comes to loving the poor. The Son of God's way of loving is well-known, and John spells it out clearly. It stands on two pillars: God loved us first (cf. 1 Jn 4:10.19), and he loved us by giving completely of himself, even to laying down his life (cf. 1 Jn 3:16).

Such love cannot go unanswered. Even though offered unconditionally, asking nothing in return, it so sets hearts on fire that all who experience it are led to love back, despite their limitations and sins. Yet this can only happen if we welcome God's grace, his merciful charity, as fully as possible into our hearts, so that our will and even our emotions are drawn to love both God and neighbour. In this way, the mercy that wells up – as it were – from the heart of the Trinity can shape our lives and bring forth compassion and works of mercy for the benefit of our brothers and sisters in need."

"down his life (cf. 1 Jn 3:16).

-Message for the First World Day of the Poor, November 29, 2017

Threads of Prayer Ministry

Threads of Prayer Ministry started on June 19, 2008. Our mission is to provide comfort, warmth and love to those in need with our handmade items and prayers.

Requests for blankets or shawls are made through the parish office throughout the year. Items are also available after each Mass at the time of our special blessing by our parish priest.

We are a small group of approximately 14 regular members but we have managed to give comfort with our items to 884 people to date.

Each year we select a Christmas project. This year we are making blankets for the children of Jardin de los Ninos. Last year we crocheted plastic mats for the residents of Hope City.

The previous year, we made shawls, hats and lapghans for the chemo room at Memorial Hospital. Some of our other projects included lapghans and a visit to our veterans at T or C Veterans Hospital, baby blankets and hats for Turning Point, hats and scarves to City of Hope and blankets and shawls for the women's shelter in Juarez, Ojo de Dios...(Eye of God).

Year round we collect toiletries for City of Hope and at Christmas we team with Sister Nancy and the Religious Education students to provide extra toiletries, health items and dog and cat food for City of Hope.

Making hugs is what we do. When we give an item away it is a prayer and a hug masquerading as a blanket or shawl.

Threads of Prayer



From the Seminarians Corner

Hello, Newman Community

Thanks for all your prayers and support this past year. Seminary was GREAT! I learned a lot not only academical but about myself in prayer and continual discernment. The community is so diverse and the classes are so unique, it's awesome beginning class with a prayer. The biggest thing I learned about being away from home is how much I missed it. I grew a greater love for our Diocese, when school gets tough I think of everyone back home and I remember your beautiful faces, your kind words and prayers. Please continue to pray for me in my journey and know that you can count on my prayers for all of you.

Blessings, Franky

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. Air Force

A1-C Zacariah Eye, Amn Estevan O. Perez,
SSgt. X Perez, Tgt Julianne Marie Lujan

Each week a new military branch will be honored.
If you know of anyone serving, please call the

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 Carlos Briseño at carlos@stalbertnewmancenter.org

NMSU Catholic Campus Ministry

Dear Newman Community,

What a week we've had at Campus Ministry Leadership Institute at Bellarmine University in Louisville, KY. A little about the Institute...

CMLI is a five-day training and working institute gathers student leaders and campus ministers from across the country as campus teams. Grounded in the US Bishops' Pastoral Letter, *Empowered by the Spirit*, the institute is designed to produce effective leaders who work collaboratively to develop and implement successful Catholic Campus Ministry programs on college campuses, both private and public.

The Institute has five major goals: 1) To foster the growth of participants' leadership and discipleship in the context of Catholic faith on campus, 2) To provide students and ministers with a "big picture" perspective of campus ministry, 3) To develop or improve a project that will be ready to implement upon returning home, 4) To learn and practice collaborative campus ministry team skills, 5) To generate and share new ideas and program possibilities through networking with other campuses (USCCB Website).

It was such a privilege to see our students at CMLI. For several of them, traveling out of state to a national conference was a new experience, but they did a fantastic job- attentive to the workshops, outgoing in their networking with others students, and diligent I their work on a project to bring back to implement at NMSU in the fall. They were truly a great example of the faithful young leaders we are blessed to have in our Church!

Peace, Mona



ST. ALBERT'S FINANCIAL REPORT
COLLECTIONS – 2017:

June 10/11, 2017

Envelopes/Loose Currency:	\$ 1,503.91
Loose Checks:	\$ 1,986.00
Envelope Checks:	\$ 2,410.00
E-Giving:	\$ <u>1,852.13</u>
TOTAL:	\$ 7,752.04

Received in the Office:

Sunday Collection:	\$ 530.00
La Bodega:	25.00
Religious Education:	\$ 165.00
Maintenance Fund:	\$ 66.00
Misc.	\$ <u>100.00</u>
TOTAL:	\$ 886.00

2nd Collection: Peter's Pence

E-Giving:	\$ 60.00
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UNITED IN MINISTRY – 2017 (as of 5/31/17):

Goal:	\$ 92,998.48
Pledged:	\$ 79,557.49
Received:	\$ 48,156.48
Donors:	167

E-Giving: Here is an easy way to give your weekly, monthly, quarterly donations to St. Albert the Great.

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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, David Garza, Raymond Telles, Matt Bridges, Don Medina, Zachary Simione, Joe Harbeck, Gina McFeely, Joan Jacinto, Frank Gonzales Jr., Raymond Barreras, Gloria Newton, Ed Schoonover, Leticia Baskette

Homebound

**Bertha Banegas, Alfredo & Erlinda Moreno,
Rocio Edmondson, Charles & Mary Miller,
KC & Virginia Stevens, Willemina Paupaw,
Larry Losleban, Priscilla Daneliak, Lorraine Schulte,
Martina Garcia, Herlinda Apodaca, Bernarda Gamboa,
Gina Gomez, Robert Santistevan, Janet Mills,
Beatrice Aguilera**

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

8:30 am - Mass

11:00 am - Mass

7:30 pm – Student Mass

Monday

5:10pm - Evening Prayer

5:30 pm - Daily Mass

Tuesday

5:10 pm - Evening Prayer

5:30 pm - Daily Mass

Wednesday

5:10 pm - Evening Prayer

5:30 pm - Daily Mass

6:30 pm - Divine Mercy Cenacle will not meet

(April 12- June 21st.)

Thursday

5:10 pm - Evening Prayer

5:30 pm - Daily Mass

6:00 pm - Rosary for Families

6:30 pm - Youth Group Meeting

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 June 18, 2017

Sunday: Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a

Ps 147:12-15, 19-20/1 Cor 10:16-17

Jn 6:51-58

Monday: 2 Cor 6:1-10/ Ps 98:1-4/ Mt 5:38-42

Tuesday: 2 Cor 8:1-9/ Ps 146:2, 5-9a

Mt 5:43-48

Wednesday: 2 Cor 9:6-11/ Ps 112: 1-4, 9

Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday: 2 Cor 11:1-11/ Ps 111:1-4, 7-8

Mt 6:7-15

Friday: Dt 7:6-11/ Ps 103:1-4, 6-8, 10

1 Jn 4:7-16 / Mt 11:25-30

Saturday: Is 49:1-6/ Ps 139:1b-3, 13-15

Acts 13:22-26/ Lk 1:57-66, 8

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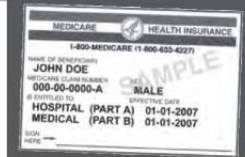


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