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WELCOME!

Invite a friend!

WHO ARE WE?

A Eucharistic community, striving to make the promise and challenge of the Gospel and the Catholic tradition a tangible reality in our own lives and in the lives of the members of the university community, the residents of our parish, and those drawn to us by the movement of God's grace. Served by the Paulist Fathers for over 100 years, we are guided by the three-fold Paulist mission of evangelization, reconciliation, ecumenism, and interfaith relations.

WHAT DO WE DO?

Our goals are to enhance the faith life of our community; to act as a servant church to local, national, and international needs; to point to God's action in the world and our own lives; to communicate the Good News of God's love and acceptance to the unchurched; to reconcile the alienated and wounded; and to heal the divisions within the Christian church and with other religions.

HOW DO WE DO IT?

Our mission is enhanced by the intersection of the university community and a geographical and intentional parish. The youth and intellectual challenge of the university invigorate the parish life; and the experience of family life, age, and childhood, as well as diverse careers, expand the boundaries of academia. This is melded in common worship, service, education, and celebration.

January 29, 2012

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

COMMUNITY GIFT

CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES Our Community Gift this week—5 % of today’s collection—is our monthly gift to Catholic Relief Services.

STEWARDSHIP

January	2011	2012
2nd Sunday:	\$17,938.00	\$15,000.69
3rd Sunday:	\$13,847.50	\$8,890.73
4th Sunday	\$8,246.00	\$9,422.25

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SCRIPTURE READINGS

Today, January 29 (Year B: Cycle II)

Deuteronomy 18:15-20
 First Corinthians 7:32-35
 Mark 1:21-28

Monday, January 30

Second Samuel 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13
 Mark 5:1-20

Tuesday, January 31

Saint John Bosco, priest
 Second Samuel 18:9-10, 14, 24-25, 30--19:3
 Mark 5:21-43

Wednesday, February 1

Second Samuel 24:2, 9-17
 Mark 6:1-6

Thursday, February 2

Presentation of the Lord
 Malachi 3:1-4
 Hebrews 2:14-18
 Luke 2:22-40 (or) 2:22-32

Friday, February 3

Sirach 47:2-11
 Mark 6:14-29

Saturday, February 4

First Kings 3:4-13
 Mark 6:30-34

Next Sunday, February 5

Job 7:1-4, 6-7
 First Corinthians 9:16-19, 22-23
 Mark 1:29-39

THIS SUNDAY AT NEWMAN

9:15 am Playgroup Program
 6:00 pm Student Dinner
 7:00pm SMT Meetings
 7:30 pm AA Meeting

THIS WEEK AT NEWMAN

Monday, January 30

12:10 pm Overeaters Anonymous
 1:00 pm Writing Group
 7:00 pm Rosary Group
 7:30 pm Meditation Group
 7:30 pm Catholicism DVD series

Tuesday, January 31

1:00 pm Tuesday Theology
 6:00 pm Overeaters Anonymous
 7:30 pm Choir Rehearsal

Wednesday, February 1

7:00 pm Student LGBT
 7:30 pm RCIA/Homecoming
 8:00 pm Student Rosary Group

Thursday, February 2

7:00 pm Faith Formation Meeting
 7:30 pm Yaggies and Graduates
 7:30 pm Emmaus Group

Friday, February 3

12:10 pm Overeaters Anonymous
 6:30 pm Chun Jin Ahm
 7:30 pm AA Meeting

Saturday, February 4

1:00 Triangle Alumni Gathering
 3:30 pm Reconciliation

CHAPEL CLEANING CREW

We welcome volunteers who feel called to “join the crew” in this quiet and gracious ministry to the whole community. Maintaining a clean and welcoming sacred space is essential to our communal worship. Cleaning of the upstairs and downstairs chapel floors takes a couple of hour each week, and with more committed volunteers one’s “call to service” could be only once every 4-6 weeks. If you are willing to “join the crew,” you will find a form on the Welcome Table in the lobby. Ask the Receptionist to place this completed form in the Chapel Cleaning Crew mailbox, or email Julia Casella at casellajul@aol.com with any questions.

MORE EVENTS & FURTHER DETAILS CAN BE FOUND IN THE ONLINE BULLETIN AT CALNEWMAN.ORG.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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ANNUAL PAULIST APPEAL FEB 4-5 Paulist Deacon Rich Andrie will speak at all the masses next weekend. He'll be sharing his vocational vision as a Paulist. Rich will be ordained in May. Rich spent his first apostolate as a Paulist novice with us during Lent 2006. He and the Paulists here, and throughout our community, are deeply grateful for your help in enabling the Paulists to prepare Rich and his classmates for Paulist ministry in the 21st century. Almost 80 Paulists have served at Newman over the last 150 years! Envelopes are available for this collection on the rear table and at the front desk.

HELP WANTED IN RESTORING LARGE

CANDLES Might you have a little time, patience and some artistic/creative ability, to help "rejuvenate" some large candles? If so, please contact Colleen at colleenlenord@gmail.com.

BAY AREA SOCIAL JUSTICE FORUM

Saturday, February 11 from 8:30 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

Holy Names University and the JustFaith ministry of the Oakland Diocese presents the forum: *People of Hope, Agents of Change, A Different World is Possible.*

The a.m. keynote speaker is Daniel Groody, CSC, PhD, University of Notre Dame. His presentation is entitled *Dying to Live: A Theology of Migration.* Groody is an award-winning author, film director and internationally recognized expert on issues of immigration and globalization. The p.m. keynote speaker is Jack Weinstein, Regional Director, Facing History and Ourselves. His presentation is entitled *Educating for Civic Participation.* Weinstein is working with educators in the Bay Area to combat racism, anti-Semitism and prejudice, and nurture democracy through educational programs. Morning and afternoon workshops include: Human Trafficking; Immigration; Restorative Justice; Muslim-Christian Dialog; Water as a Human Right; Death Penalty in California; Community Organizing and Capacity Building; Education Justice; Affordable Housing; Engaging in Global Solidarity; Educating Against Racism and Bigotry in Schools; Engaging Youth in Social Justice. Location: **Valley Center for the Performing Arts, Holy Names University.** Online Registration: www.hnu.edu/SocialJustice. *Fliers are posted in the foyer of the church with more details.*

THE NONVIOLENT PEACEMAKING GROUP

invites you to join us as we present the award-winning documentary **FREEDOM RIDERS** on **Sunday Jan. 29th immediately following the 9:30 a.m. Mass** (cosponsored by the Junior & Senior Faith Formation team).

"RESTORATIVE JUSTICE" PANEL to meet on **Thursday February 9th at 6:30 p.m.** Short film "Beyond Conviction" followed at 7 p.m. with our four panelists. Sponsored by our Just Faith Group.

16% OF AMERICANS ARE HUNGRY Please contribute some food in our food bins, which are picked up regularly by Alameda Food Bank.

FATHER ROBERT BARRON'S CATHOLICISM series continues **Monday, January 30 at 7:30 p.m.** The title of the week's DVD is *A Vast Company of Witnesses: The Communion of Saints.* There will be a discussion of its major points following the showing. (*Each DVD in the series stands alone. Viewers can appreciate any one of the series without having seen the others.*) **Monday, February 6—** *The Fire of His Love: Prayer and the Life of the Spirit* **Monday, February 13—** *World Without End: The Last Things.*

DO YOU FEEL CALLED TO BE A LECTOR, who proclaims the scriptures at mass? The lector brings the Word of God to life for the gathered assembly—a prayerful gift of ministry to the Newman community that we share. Our next twice-annual Lector Orientation Workshop will be held on **Weds Feb. 8 & 15** from 7:00 p.m.—9:15 p.m. in the chapel. Please attend *both* evenings to become a regular lector. If you have any questions, you can contact Jeff Dhont, who will lead the workshop, at 510-690-0533. Whether you have previous lector experience, or are just assessing your calling, you are welcome and will find the workshop useful.

CONFIRMATION CLASS begins this **Tuesday evening at 7:30.** Intended for students and other adults who have been baptized and made first communion. Classes extend through each Tuesday through March 13. Meet in the second floor lounge.

LOAVES AND FISHES WOMEN'S SHELTER

weekend breakfasts needs volunteers. The volunteers need to have transportation, plan a breakfast, purchase the items, prepare and serve the food. The person would need to be at the shelter at 5:50 a.m. Please contact Mary at cusoon4t2@sbcglobal.net for further information.

LGBT CATHOLICS: MOVING FORWARD

TOGETHER It's a new year and we are beginning the camaraderie of our meetings anew. What are your hopes and plans, your prayers and concerns, for the coming year? What do you see as the role of your faith in these anticipations? How can we, your fellow LGBT Catholics, support your intentions? Join the LGBT Catholics as we ask God's grace in the renewal of our journey. We meet this Thursday, Feb 2 from 7:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. in the lounge. For more information on the group or to get on our email list, contact Antonio Salas at (510) 663-6302 or LGBT_Newman@yahoo.com. All are welcome.

WEEKLY CHRISTIAN MEDITATION

at **NEWMAN Monday nights 7:30—8:15 p.m.** in the Gallery on the first floor. Learn about and experience this ancient Christian tradition of contemplative prayer, which seeks God in silence and stillness—beyond word and thought. Questions? Call facilitator: Klara Komorous-Towey (510) 548-9808 or email klara@ktarch.com. Also: Jeannie Battagin (510) 849-2181.

SEEING YOU SEE ME...

I spend about seven hours every week on the bus, commuting to and from work. No matter what day or time I find myself on the bus, I am surprised—from little girls singing to a man performing a monologue railing against politics—by the life and vibrancy there. I am a witness to the life and rhythm of a city, to minutes and hours in other people's lives.

As Catholics, we weekly witness to Jesus' ministry of healing and care. In this time especially we are invited to witness once again the burgeoning of Jesus' public ministry, of his growth in power and persona. I wonder, though, how many of us are passive witnesses and how many of us take the leap into becoming an active witness of our faith. Our Catholicity is so much more than being observers at the birth, death, and Resurrection of Jesus. We are also asked to witness, to be living reminders of God-in-the-world.

My grandmother has recently contracted breast cancer. In relating this to one of my good friends, she told me about the relationship between her grandmother and herself. It is one that is strained by years of separation and cultural divide, however it is most strained by her grandmother's sour disposition. "She has not led a happy life," she told me. It's true, because she, like her mother before her, were not in a space to live their life with the horizon of God as an accessible reality. "Do you know how I want to live my life? I want to guide it towards the good, to what God is calling me to. I want to live the rest of my life as much as possible within what God calls me to do."

What my friend is suggesting is to live her life as an active witness of God's ever creative force, of Jesus' teachings, and of her own sense of Catholicism. For her, it means continual spiritual formation and practice, being part of a community of worship, and living her life in with her inner compass pointed in the direction of God. This, I find, is a fine example of actively witnessing to her faith.

Of course, it all *sounds* so easy. It is not easy. Being a witness to Christ means thinking about our actions, and how they reflect the Catholic in us. It means being a thinking participant in our lives. It means remembering that communion doesn't *just* happen, but that it is created intentionally by individuals.

For me, becoming an active witness means incorporating the love Jesus shows into my job. It means considering that all life is valuable and incorporating that into the decisions that I take. In concrete terms, it means listening to my mother even when I know that she only calls to complain.

At the end of the conversation, my friend asked me to pray for her, that she may have the strength to call her grandmother more often. So now I pray that all of us, wherever we are on our life path, have the courage and strength to continue to witness in our lives to the power and mystery that is Christ and our faith.

—Liz Castro

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Mass Schedule

Weekdays Mon-Sat: 12:10 pm

Weekends Saturday: 5:00 pm (anticipatory for Sunday)

Sunday: 7:30, 9:30, & 11:30 am

5:00 & 10:00 pm

Hearing assistance units are available at the front desk.

Regular School-Year Building Hours

Monday—Friday: 9:00 am—9:15 pm

Saturday: 9:00 am—6:00 pm (1st Saturdays until 7:00 pm)

Sunday: 7:00 am—11:00 pm

Reconciliation

Saturday: 3:30—4:30 pm

Other times by appointment.

Eucharist for the Sick or Homebound

Leave a message for the priest on duty at Newman Hall.

Baptisms and Marriages

Call the weekday receptionist for further information.

Infant/Toddler Care & Playgroup

Childcare is available Sundays at the 9:30 am Mass. A faith program for 2-5 year olds is also available during the 9:30 am Mass.

Coffee & Donuts

Coffee and donuts are served after the 9:30 am Mass.

Sunday Parking

There is limited parking on Sundays in the Newman parking lot across Dwight Way from the church building. Parking is also available at UC Berkeley's Underhill Lot (west of College between Channing and Haste), for \$0.50/hour on Sundays.