

FROM OUR POPE



Pope Francis' prayer intention for the month of January 2024 is for the gift of diversity in the Church.

"Let us pray that the Spirit helps us recognize the gift of different charisms within the Christian communities, and to discover the richness of different ritual traditions within the Catholic Church.

There is no need to fear the diversity of charisms in the Church. Rather, living this diversity should make us rejoice! Diversity and unity were already very much present in the first Christian communities. The tension had to be resolved on a higher level. But there's more. To move forward on the journey of faith, we also need ecumenical dialogue with our brothers and sisters of other confessions and Christian communities. This is not something confusing or disturbing, but is a gift God gives to the Christian community so it might grow as one body, the Body of Christ."



To watch a video of the Pope's prayer intention for January 2024, scan this QR Code.

STEWARDSHIP: TIME, TALENT & TREASURE

WAYS TO GIVE FINANCIALLY



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Holy Spirit Parish
2700 Dwight Way,
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We are grateful to you, our parishioners and visitors, who give generously and help us keep our programs running and aging building standing.

WAYS TO GIVE OF YOUR TIME & TALENT



Habitat for Newmunity 1/13/24 Join our stalwart team of volunteers who come out monthly to keep Newman looking its best. We'll meet next on January 13th (in two weeks) at 9 am and work until about noon. Get more information from Alan (510) 501-9688.



svdp-alameda.org

St. Vincent DePaul of Alameda has a number of volunteer opportunities. visit their volunteer webpage www.svdp-alameda.org/volunteer.html OR.. scan this QR code.



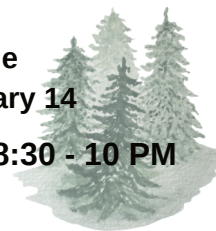
UPDATES

Final Week of Winter Break Schedule

BUILDING HOURS December 17 - January 14

SUNDAY 7:30 AM - 1:15 PM, 4:30 -6:30 PM, 8:30 - 10 PM

MONDAY - SATURDAY: 9:30 AM - 1:00 PM



UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

Women in Conversation - "So What is Discernment? Listening for God!"
Sat. January 13th 9 am - noon, Upstairs in the Lounge and Via Zoom



Join us in the new year as we spend a prayerful morning reflecting on ways to listen for God's voice in our lives. We'll explore the meaning of 'discernment' and then engage in some simple practices to use to listen for God's voice. The talk/workshop begins at 9:30am. Coffee & social at 9:00am. Bring something to share! Newman Hall Lounge and via Zoom. This is a Hybrid Event. Pick up a flyer in the foyer (or scan this QR Code) or email Jean at moleskypoz@me.com

Mark your calendars for **Wednesday, January 24th, 7-9:30 pm** when we'll be offering participants an opportunity to discover why the **racial wealth gap** in the U.S. persists. It'll be a lively, invigorating and informative evening. More information will be available soon.



Newman Nonviolent Peacemaking joins with Pax Christi and JustFaith to present a morning program on Peace. January 27th 9:30 am until noon. Peace and justice teachers, writers, and activists John Dear, SJ and Therese Mughannam Walrath will share insights from their decades of experience. Please scan the QR code see the flyer for details and to RSVP.

ONGOING ACTIVITIES

Catholicism Wow! <https://www.calnewman.org/catholicism-wow>

Catholicism **Wow!** meets via Zoom for an hour **each Wednesday at 7 p.m.** For more about the upcoming topic and to get the Zoom link contact Ned & Yvette Niccolls at niccolls@comcast.net or visit the website above.

Emmaus Group z

Join the Emmaus group **every Thursday at 7 p.m.** via Zoom to reflection on and discuss the upcoming Sunday's readings. Use the link above or scan the QR code for details & contact information.



Newman Hiking Group

Observe Bay Area nature in the final days autumn. Join the Newman Hiking group as it wanders the trails in the East Bay with Bob Gannon as your guide. **Fridays (and some Saturdays) 2:45 PM - 5:00 PM** (rain cancels). To find out where we'll be hiking each week, contact rmgannon@pacbell.net

FAITH FORMATION

LITTLE CHURCH -- RESUMES JANUARY 7, 2024

A program for pre-school children, the group meets with Grace Shannon at 10 a.m. in the multiversity room to pray and learn some prayers.

1ST COMMUNION CLASS- RESUMES JANUARY 7, 2024

Second and third graders preparing for First Communion meet with iMichael Dalton in the Hecker Room Sundays from 9 - 10 am.

FAMILY FAITH FORMATION -NEXT GATHERING JANUARY 28TH

Our Family Faith program next meets in the new year on January 28th from 11 am until 1 pm in the Multiversity Room.

TEEN CONFIRMATION CLASS- RESUMES JANUARY 7, 2024

Sundays, 9:00 -11:00 a.m. The 1st and 2nd year students in this 2-year program meet weekly with Cal student, Camilla San Juan. Sugarcookiecamilla@gmail.com or text 650-773-5989.

ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (OCIA)

Meets on Tuesdays at 7:30 pm. For more information and/or to join, please **contact Fr. Ivan:** itou@calnewman.org or 510-848-7812.



MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

Saturday	1/6	5 pm	Rest of the soul of Ron McCullough (+)
		8 am	
Sunday	1/7	10 am	For the People of the Parish
		5 pm	
		9 pm	
Monday	1/8	12:10 pm	
Tuesday	1/9	12:10 pm	Rest of the soul of Everett P. Harry (+)
Wednesday	1/10	12:10 pm	
Thursday	1/11	12:10 pm	
Friday	1/12	12:10 pm	
Saturday	1/13	12:10 pm	

To have a Mass said (i.e., request a Mass Intention) please stop by the front desk to check on availability and fill out a Mass Request Form. We ask for a donation of \$10 for each Mass. (Checks may be made out to the Paulist Fathers)

OUR DEARLY DEPARTED

We pray for the repose of the souls of our recently departed including...

John Piercy (d. 12/09/23); Funeral Mass, January 15 at 11 am

Kathryn Buford, (d. 01/29/22) Funeral postponed until January

Kathryn is the sister of parishioner, Roberta Gannon.

Mary Luersen (d. 10/29/23): Funeral, Sat., January 20th (time not yet set)

Ron McCullough (d. 10/23/23): Funeral was Sat., December 9th at 1:30 pm

Carmen Neafsey (d. 11/4/23): Funeral was Tues., Nov. 28th, 10:30 am

WE PRAY FOR PEACE!



MASS SCHEDULE THIS WEEK

Sunday Saturday Vigil, 5 pm
Sunday 8 am, 10 am*, 5 pm, 9 pm
*livestreamed. Find the link at our website, calnewman.org, or use the QR code below.

Daily Tues - Sat at 12:10 pm
*livestreamed. Find the link at our website, calnewman.org, or use the QR code below.

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday 11-12 noon,
by appointment (510) 848-7812

Adoration/Holy Hour
Morning adoration and Thursday
Night adoration, confession & Mass
are **on hiatus** until mid January

Newman Mass Live Stream

Join our live stream Mass, Sunday at 10 AM via Youtube Live, or check out our previously recorded Sunday Masses.

To receive communion at home, please call the office (510) 848-7812 and let us know. The Homebound Ministry team will contact you to set up a visit.

Daily Mass Readings

Have access to the Mass readings right on your phone! Scan this QR code to follow along with the Mass readings, during, before, and after Masses.



BUILDING HOURS THIS WEEK

Sunday 7:30 am -12:15 pm, 4:30 - 6:30, 8:00 - 10:30 pm
Monday- Friday 9:30 am -1:30 pm
Saturday 9:00 am - 1:15 pm, 4:30 -6:30 pm

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THIS WEEK AT NEWMAN

Visit the website for more information about these events

Saturday, January 6th - 5 pm Mass

Sunday, Jan. 7th - Epiphany of Our Lord

Masses 8 am, 10 am, 5 pm, 9 pm

- First Communion Class - 9 am Hecker Room
- Teen Confirmation Class - 9 am Upstairs Lounge
- Little Church 10 am Multiversity Room
- Coffee & Donuts after the 10 am Mass Newman's front plaza

Monday, Jan. 8th - Baptism of our Lord Daily Mass 12:10 pm

- Food not Bombs - 9am -6:30 pm Kitchen
- Building and Grounds Committee - 10 am Hecker
- Parish Council - 7:30 pm Hecker

Tuesday, Jan. 9th - Daily Mass 12:10 pm

- Tuesday Theology - 2 pm ZOOM
- Choir Rehearsal - 7 pm Multiversity Room
- OCIA 7 pm Gallery

Wednesday, Jan. 10th - Daily Mass 12:10 pm

- Newman Elders - 1 pm Hecker (or Gallery)
- Catholicism WOW! - 7 pm on-line

Thursday, Jan. 11th - Daily Mass 12:10 pm

- Emmaus Group - 7 pm. ZOOM!
- College Bay AA Meeting - 8:00 pm Hecker Room

Friday, Jan. 12th - Daily Mass 12:10 pm

- Campus AA meeting 12-1 pm Hecker
- Hiking the East Bay Trails -2:45 pm Various Trails
- Open Door AA Meeting -7:30 pm Multiversity Room

Saturday, Jan. 13th- Daily Mass 12:10 pm

- Women in Conversation - 9am Upstairs Lounge
- Confession - 11 am-noon Gallery/Emmaus room
- Sunday Vigil Mass 5 pm



MISCELLANEOUS

Nearly 30 Cal Newman students and FOCUS missionaries as well as Fr. Ryan and seminarian Zach Turner were in St. Louis this past week for the **SEEK conference**. SEEK is an annual Catholic conference where thousands adults go to be inspired and gain fellowship through the embodiment of Jesus Christ. What was it like? Who was there? Ask them about it. Students and FOCUS missionaries are beginning to return to campus for the spring semester. Cal classes start on Tuesday, January 16th.

Student Groups: It's a new year and new semester and thus time to update/refresh room reservations and calendar events. Please contact the front desk to let us know when your groups will be meeting and which room(s) you'd like to reserve.

If you use **Donation Envelopes**, please pick up your box of 2024 Envelopes at the front desk.

Welcome to Newman Hall-Holy Spirit Parish

a ministry of the Paulist Fathers

We gather...

To hear God's word,

To taste Jesus' life in
the Eucharist,

To be a community of
God's love for one
another and for all.

We are sent...

To relish learning that
enriches all lives,

To heal divisions in our
church and world,

To participate in the
world's quest for justice
and peace.



January 7, 2024

THE EPIPHANY of our LORD

Wherever you are on your faith journey, you are welcome here!