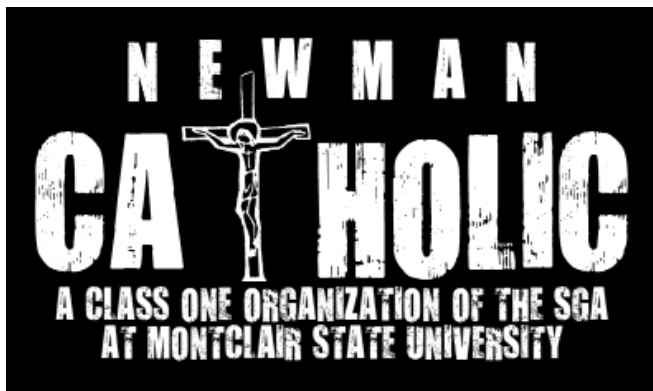


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Fully known and fully loved

By Hopi Graham
Newman President

Retreats have always had a special place in my heart. In fact, going on a retreat during high school is a huge reason why my faith is such a big part of my life right now.

I always seem to have at least one big realization every retreat I go on, and I was truly hoping for this to happen on our retreat about discipleship at the end of March. I definitely received what I was looking for, but it did not happen until the very end of the retreat. For the first two days, the time away from school seemed to be just that. I got to relax, participate in Mass and Eucharistic adoration every day, and make some new friends from schools around Montclair.

When Sunday came, I was glad that I went on the retreat, but I was ready to head back to

school and get back to “real life.” A few hours before we left the retreat center though, we got to go to adoration one more time and hang out with Jesus. Throughout the retreat, I had been praying about my want to be fully known and loved for who I am, and I knew that I needed to continue talking to Jesus about this in my last hour of adoration. When I began to pray, I had the feeling that Jesus needed me to quiet my heart and thoughts.

I tried to do just that, and Jesus explained that before I can be fully known and loved by the people around me, I need to understand that I am fully known and loved by Him and I need to have a desire to know and love Him. This was mind-blowing to me because it was something I am always told, but it finally clicked.

He is so ready
to love you, if
you just give
him permission.

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“
Mount Calvary is the academy of love.
St. Francis de Sales
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UPCOMING EVENTS

PRAY

Monday Chrism Mass

8:00 PM - Join the Newman community at the archdiocesan basilica as Fr. Jim and dozens of other priests offer the Holy Mass and Cardinal Tobin blesses the chrism oil that will be used throughout the archdiocese this year.

EAT

Tuesday United Taste of America

Newman Catholic is co-sponsoring this event where Syrian chefs will prepare a meal for all students in attendance, and will share a bit about their experiences in Syria and America.

DAILY CALENDAR

Sunday, April 14, Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion

7:30 PM - Sacrament of Reconciliation - Do you want to experience Jesus' forgiveness of your sins - Fr. Jim is available to hear confessions till 8:15 PM - Student Center Café B & C

7:30 PM - SING? PLAY AN INSTRUMENT? Join our musicians with Mr. Bruce Mauro, our Music Director as they rehearse for this evening's Mass. - Student Center Café B & C

8:30 PM - CATHOLIC SUNDAY MASS - Student Center Café B & C

Monday of Holy Week, April 15

2:00 PM - Eboard Meeting - Newman II

4:00 PM - Raising Hearts Small Group - Newman Center

7:00 PM - **Chrism Mass** - Cathedral Basilica of the Sacred Heart, Newark - Join the Newman community at the archdiocesan basilica as Fr. Jim and dozens of other priests offer the Holy Mass and Cardinal Tobin blesses the chrism oil that will be used throughout the archdiocese this year. Leaving from Newman at 5:45 PM.

8:00 PM - Men's Bible Study - Newman Center (email Darin if you plan to attend)

Tuesday of Holy Week, April 16

5:30 PM - DAILY MASS - Newman Center Chapel

7:00 PM - United Taste of America - SC Ballroom A - In lieu

of our regularly scheduled Newman Night, Newman Catholic is co-sponsoring this event where Syrian chefs will prepare a meal for all students in attendance, and will share a bit about their experiences in Syria and America. This event will create dialogue and connection across differences in race, religion, ethnic background and nationality.

Wednesday of Holy Week, April 17

3:00 PM - Women's Bible Study - Newman Center

5:30 PM - DAILY MASS - Newman Center Chapel

SACRED TRIDUUM:

HOLY THURSDAY, April 18

GOOD FRIDAY, April 19

HOLY SATURDAY APRIL 20

Newman Center is closed - No Masses or Activities during these holiest of days in the Church calendar.

For Schedules for local parishes celebrations of the Sacred Triduum of Holy Thursday - Good Friday and Holy Saturday, please check out our website: www.MSUNEWMAN.com

- For an explanation of these days, see page 4 of today's bulletin

Easter Sunday, April 21

NO MASS ON CAMPUS FOR EASTER SUNDAY - Have a blessed Easter, whether you're with family, friends, or elsewhere! Our normal Sunday Mass time will return on Sunday, April 28th.

GRAHAM, from front

We are all constantly given opportunities to know and love Jesus and let Him know and love us, but how often do we take those opportunities? Jesus's love is so prevalent each and every day and He is so ready to love you, if you just give him permission. Jesus was sacrificed on a cross for us and all of our sins. He knew that we would still sin, but He came to save our souls because he loves us so much!

Many times, the world tells us that love is a feeling, but when we truly understand what Jesus did for us, that is when we begin to comprehend what love really is. Each of us has a desire to be fully known and loved for who we are. We want to feel comfortable to fearlessly be ourselves, and who is better to fulfill that desire than the One who died on a cross for you? As you continue throughout this semester, and into the rest of your life, I urge you to seek out Jesus every day and begin to get to know Him. I promise you will not regret it, and you may even learn the true meaning of love.

RCIA: Why be Catholic? Or any religion for that matter?

We believe that God made us out of love and for love... And in the RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) we talk about who God is, His presence in the world and in our lives. We share our faith, pray, study scripture and see what God is saying to us today... what it means to be Catholic and to live a Christian life. So if you're interested in joining the Catholic Church or are already Catholic but haven't received your First Communion or Holy Spirit, why not check the RCIA out. Just email or speak to Sean Grealy our Campus Minister or Fr. Jim our Chaplain for more information.

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DAILY MASS READINGS

Today's Mass: Isa 50:4-7; Ps 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24; Phil 2:6-11; Phil 2:8-9

Monday:

Isa 42:1-7

Ps 27:1, 2, 3, 13-14

[no bibl. ref.]

John 12:1-11

Tuesday: Isa 49:1-6

Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5-6ab, 15+17

[no bibl. ref.]

John 13:21-33, 36-38

Wednesday:

Isa 50:4-9a

Ps 69:8-10, 21-22, 31+33-34

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Matt 26:14-25

ABOUT US

WHO IS NEWMAN?



We are named after BLESSED JOHN HENRY CARDINAL NEWMAN.

Over the last century on many secular colleges and universities around the world, centers have been founded to meet the spiritual needs of the Catholic people as well as to be a voice in the dialogue between the Church and the secular world on these campuses.

These centers are named after Blessed John Henry

Cardinal Newman. Newman lived in the 19th Century, was a professor, became a convert to the Catholic faith and is still remembered among many things as a holy priest.

Among the many theological writings he did was "The Idea of the University" a series of essays where he observed that the University and the Church are driven by the same goal - the search for the universal truth.

WHAT IS NEWMAN CATHOLIC?

The NEWMAN CATHOLIC CAMPUS MINISTRY has been an active organization at Montclair State University

for over 50 years. Our mission is to help students grow in their faith through spiritual, social and community outreach programs. We do this through helping each other deepen their relationship with Jesus Christ and the Catholic Church which he founded. We are sponsored, funded and operated by the ROMAN CATHOLIC ARCHDIOCESE OF NEWARK. We are chartered as a CLASS I ORGANIZATION OF THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION and are a recognized active partners with the University on many committees and initiatives.

HOLY THURSDAY

WHAT HAPPENED ON THAT DAY



Jesus celebrates the Passover Seder/Last Supper with the Apostles.



He washes their feet, showing them what type of leaders they are to be as priests.

"This is the Chalice of my blood."



Jesus institutes the Eucharist.

"This is my body"



"Do this in remembrance of me"

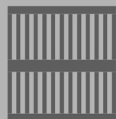
"Not my will, but yours be done."



Jesus suffers the Agony in the Garden, sweating blood in anguish as he prays.



Judas betrays Jesus and hands him over to the authorities. Jesus is



Jesus is taken away and imprisoned.

WHAT YOU'LL SEE AT CHURCH



The priest wears white because it's a joyful day, celebrating our love for Jesus in the Eucharist.



The priest will wash people's feet as a sign of his dedication to those whom he serves.



No Masses are celebrated on Good Friday, so the priest must plan (and consecrate) ahead.



After Mass, the altar is stripped, and most decorations are taken down or covered. The consecrated hosts are transferred to an "Altar of Repose" somewhere else in the Church until needed on Good Friday. (Often, due to security, a move to a more secure location is done late Thursday night.) This absence of the Eucharist helps us experience the loss and emptiness the Apostles felt on Good Friday.



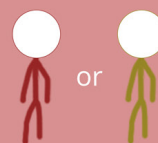
The Chrism Mass, in which the Bishop blesses all the holy oils for his diocese, is also celebrated on Holy Thursday.

GOOD FRIDAY

WHAT HAPPENED ON THAT DAY



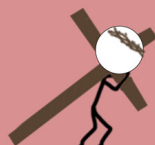
While Jesus is interrogated, Peter denies knowing him three times.



Pontius Pilate questions Jesus. He offers the crowd a choice: Jesus or Barabbas?



Jesus is scourged.



Jesus carries the cross on which he will be crucified.



Jesus is nailed to the cross and left to die.



He gives his mother Mary to John, and in turn, each of us.

"It is finished."

Jesus dies.



Guards come to break Jesus' legs to speed his death. Already dead, they pierce his side.



Jesus' body is taken down from the cross, prepared for burial, and placed in the tomb.

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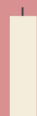
The priest wears red to bring to mind the blood Jesus shed.

15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31	1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11

This is the one day all year on which no Masses are celebrated.



The tabernacle will still be empty and the church still undecorated.



Candles are lit only when Jesus (in the Eucharist) is present, and during the Veneration of the Cross.



St. John's account of the Passion is read. The congregation often reads the part of the crowd demanding Jesus' crucifixion to reinforce how our sins made necessary the cross of Christ.



The Veneration of the Cross occurs during the Good Friday service. Those at the service show a sign of love (kiss, genuflect, etc) to a cross in thanksgiving for Jesus' cross.