

The Mountain Calls...

HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC NEWMAN CENTER

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MISSION:

Holy Trinity Catholic Newman Center (HTCNC) is the Church that serves the college campuses in Northern Arizona. HTCNC enhances the Flagstaff academic community by providing faith-based programs, activities and resources that serve the sacramental and spiritual needs of its members. HTCNC inspires, assists, and encourages individuals to become faith-sharing local, national and global leaders of tomorrow.

SPRING READINGS

A time for renewal... it is not to late to reflect on the readings of this season...download the *Lenten Reflections* from the Newman Center website. These readings are authored by NAU college students. They can add insight and value to your understanding and perspectives of the season.

"Best selling Catholic author Mike Aquilina

shares wonderful stories of family life - full of love and laughter. "God stoops



down to lift up our homes, to make them outposts of his paradise...no matter how cold the winds may blow on a winter day." From the Introduction Paradise? Family life? Really? Yes—and one filled with laughter. If that doesn't sound like your family but you wish it did, or if you're just looking for a book to lighten your spirit, *Love in the Little Things* is for you. Love involves sacrifice, Mike Aquilina notes, but as he spins humorous stories from his own family, it is evident that moms, dads and kids are happier when they lay down their lives for one another. **Love in the Little Things** nudges the reader toward a more satisfying family life." www.catholicsummerreading.com

Holy Trinity Prayer

Glory be to the Father who used his power and love to create me in his image when I did not exist.

Glory be to the Son who sacrificed his blood, forgave my sins and opened the gates of heaven so that I may walk through them.

Glory be to the Holy Spirit who sanctified me in baptism, lifts me when I fall, and demonstrates His grace and goodness by His daily delivery of spiritual blessings to my soul, mind and heart, now and forever. Amen

THE NEWMAN CENTER TODAY...

Have you noticed the renewed energy in the Newman Center's efforts to keep you informed about activities and events? The web site has a full menu of information that will keep you up to date. You are invited to be part of the Newman Community and share with us your time, talent and treasure...A well defined list of programs and services can be viewed at www.NAUnewman.org.

Please Join Us:

Monday

Rosary 5:30 p.m.
 Sacramental Prep. 7:00 p.m.
 Life Matters 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday

Mass 5:30 p.m.

Wednesday

Liturgy of the Hours 5:30 p.m.
 EXALT! 7:00 p.m.

Thursday

Mass 5:30 p.m.
 Faith Sharing 6:00 p.m.

Friday

Just Faith 9:15 a.m.

Sunday

Mass 10:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.

Call us or check the website for time changes and additional events 928.779.2903 or www.NAUnewman.org

PARISH NEWS

The many ministries of San Francisco de Asis Parish can be found at:

www.sfdaparish.org

UPCOMING EVENTS

March

- Youth Retreat/Diocesan kitchen crew service project

- Woman's Retreat

April

- Seder Meal
- Campus Stations of the Cross
- Soup Kitchen
- Easter Sunrise Service
- Volunteer Recognition Dinner
- Lumberjack Awakening Retreat
- Bowling with Christian Ministries

May

- Confirmation
- Student Leaders Dinner
- Baccalaureate Mass and Reception
- Whiteriver Mission Trip

dates and times available at www.NAUnewman.org

INTERNS SPEAKING



Hello, my name is Michelle Bequette. I am a sophomore at NAU, studying Hotel and Restaurant

Management with a minor in Business. I grew up in a little town called Woodinville, in Washington state and moved to Tucson, AZ in fifth grade. I came to NAU to get away from the heat of Tucson and get back to those white Christmases I once knew. I came to the Newman Center freshman year, looking to belong. An old friend, who is also an intern, invited me to participate in a retreat. I made friends fast and found a family here. In the future, I hope to become an event planner, specifically weddings, at a resort, somewhere where the weather is nice and cold. This internship will help me reach my career goal by making me learn how to manage my time and juggle many events and activities, while still surviving.



Colleen McGillicuddy-
 Hometown: Phoenix, AZ

Major: Elementary Ed. w/ emphasis in Spanish, minor Psychology



Why at NAU?: far enough away, but close enough to home, different weather including seasons, great teacher's college

Why go to Newman Center?: The best and only Catholic church to go on campus!

Career Goal: Become a bilingual teacher, possibly counselor as well, and to teach and live in 3+ states before I have a family or settle down.

How does the Newman Center helps achieve my career goal? Working here as an intern is helping me take on the role of a leader and understand different people, so when I become a teacher or possibly a counselor, I will have good experience helping and working with people.

DIRECTOR'S MESSAGE

Dear Friends,

Catholic leaders are raised up through the efforts and resources of the community. The Newman Center takes pride in forming Catholic leaders for our church. Upon graduation students leave campus life with the ability to take leadership positions in business and in their church. Through our retreats, sacramental prep program, bible studies, Exalt! service experiences, socials, and student intern program, students have opportunities to study, learn and grow in the faith and their relationship with God.

One of our most successful Church leadership training programs is the Student Intern Program. Students apply in April for intern positions. Student interns are essential to facilitating our parish life at the Newman Center. They are visible in the community and fellow students often come to them for advice and peer-counseling. During the school year interns receive training in workshops, retreats, and on-the-job life experiences. After graduation they often become leaders in their parishes and professions. Newman Center interns have joined Catholic volunteer service corps, the seminary, and they have become active volunteers in their parish communities. In their careers they are points of light exhibiting Catholic values in their work with clients and co-workers while building the Kingdom of God. The five focus areas for the interns during the next school year are: Social Justice and Service, Publicity and Outreach, Faith Life and Prayer, Social Activities and fellowship, and Music & worship.

The Newman Center is not fully funded by our local San Francisco de Asis Parish nor by the dioceses. It must raise funds to maintain the ministry and provide programs and services to the students. Thank you for your past support. If you have not financially supported us in the past, please prayerfully consider adding the Newman Center to your charitable contribution list. You will be helping to form young adult college students into the Catholic leaders of tomorrow.

Also, please pray for our college students. The last part of the school year after Spring Break is one of the most stressful for them. They are tired yet still have projects, papers, and finals to complete. They often ask for prayers for endurance and wisdom. May God bless you during the Lenten and coming Easter Seasons.

Yours in Christ,

Michael Vollmer, MTS





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RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

"Start by doing what's necessary; then do what's possible; and suddenly you are doing the impossible."

St. Francis of Assisi



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MINISTRY FOCUS

Adult Spiritual Formation Program:

This Newman Center Program is a Sacramental preparation class for those wanting to receive the Sacraments of Baptism, Communion and Confirmation. The class is twenty-two weeks long and lead by a Certified Spiritual Director or Minister who counsels individuals and reviews topics and teachings of the church as they relate to a student's faith formation and religious education.

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ALUMNI SEARCH

Holy Trinity Catholic Newman Center is looking for its alumni. An Alumni Association would be a true asset to the Center. It is a great time to step up, join in the efforts and help the Newman Center start a volunteer group that will have fun, renew friendships and enhance spiritual growth in the NAU community.

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT

This publication is available in three formats. You can read it and print it out from the website. You can receive a copy of the Mountain Calls by e-mail blast and you can continue to get it by mail. Please contact us if you would like to get your copy via e-mail. To do so would save paper and postage. Most important to the Newman Center is that you do receive a copy and enjoy the presentation.

DEVELOPMENT



"We have to learn to give, learn to share, learn to think of others. We have to learn to hold life loosely and freely to give away our time and energy and money for the purpose of helping others, trusting that there will still be enough to take care of our needs and give us joy."

Thomas Kinkade



BOOT CAMP 2009

A NEWMAN EXPERIENCE

Stephanie's Story

"I found the Newman Center by attending a summer bible study the summer before I started college. That bible study and the people I met through the bible study started me on a journey of faith. During high school and elementary school I had been involved in religious education classes, and my family went to church every Sunday. Even with this participation, my faith was not very deep. I had never had the opportunity to be in communion with other Catholic young adults who lived their faith and their religion daily because of a passion for love and for Jesus. I found a community of love and support at the Newman Center. The atmosphere of the Newman Center allowed me to open myself up to exploring and deepening my faith. Within my freshman year of college, I was confirmed through the program at the Newman Center. The confirmation program helped continue the journey I was making deeper into my faith that had started with the summer bible study.

Over the course of the next four years of study, the Newman Center became my home away from home. If I was upset, stressed out, needed a shoulder to cry on, excited, happy, or just plain hungry and looking for some free food, the Newman Center was the place to go. I hung out there, I made friends there, I prayed there, I studied there, I laughed and loved there. I met my best friends at the Newman Center, and I became closer to my faith and to God at the Newman Center.

Now that I have graduated college and moved on to a full time job, I still attend a bible study for young adults at the Newman Center. We are a group of young professionals and graduate students who come together to read and discuss scripture. My faith and my knowledge of what it means to be Catholic continue to grow because of this group sponsored by the Newman Center. The Holy Trinity Newman Center was integral to my life throughout college. My faith would not be what it is today without the Newman Center. "

Stephanie W.

Easter



The Newman Center invites you to attend **Sunrise Mass on Easter Sunday April 12, 2009 at 6:00 a.m.** Please dress warmly, bring a lawn chair and a blanket for your comfort.