

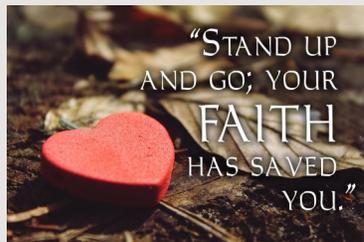
# CHRIST CHURCH NEWMAN CENTER

OPENING HEARTS, CHANGING LIVES

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**October 2, 2022**

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time



## Sunday Masses

9:15 am & 8:00 pm

## Weekday Mass

Thursday, 8:00 pm

## Confessions

Sunday, 7:30 pm

## This Week's Happenings

### **Tuesday (10/4):**

Bible Study 6pm

### **Wednesday (10/5):**

Family Formation, SEND & Confirmation—5:30pm Meal

### **Thursday (10/6):**

Oktoberfest 6pm

Mass—8pm

### **Saturday (10/8)**

Community Meal—11am

Cor ad Cor Concert—6:30pm

### **Sunday (10/9):**

#### **St. John Henry Newman Feast Day**

Mass—9:15am & 8pm

Coffeehouse—9pm



## St Therese of Lisieux

The Story of a Soul is the autobiography of St Therese. Her "little way" of doing little things with great love is beautiful and very difficult and part of why she is declared a Doctor of the Church. Let us enter into her story through the quotes below:

Jesus points out to me the only way which leads to Love's furnace – that way is self-surrender – it is the confidence of the little child who sleeps without fear in its father's arms.

You know well enough that Our Lord does not look so much at the greatness of our actions, nor even at their difficulty, but at the love with which we do them.

Miss no single opportunity of making some small sacrifice, here by a smiling look, there by a kindly word; always doing the smallest right and doing it all for love.

Love alone have I ever given to the good God; with love He will repay me.

Jesus, it seems to me you could not have overwhelmed a soul with more love than you have poured out on mine.

Do not imagine that love can be found without suffering, for we carry with us our human nature; and yet, what a source of merit it is!

## Letter to her sister, Celine

In times of aridity when I am incapable of praying, of practicing virtue, I seek little opportunities, mere trifles, to give pleasure to Jesus; for instance, a smile, a pleasant word when inclined to be silent and to show weariness. If I find no opportunities, I at least tell Him again and again that I love Him; that is not difficult, and it keeps alive the fire in my heart. Even though this fire of love might seem extinct I would still throw little straws upon the embers, and I am certain it would rekindle.

## Letter to her Missionary Brothers

If God should take me soon to Himself, I ask you to continue each day this same prayer, for in Heaven my desire will be the same as upon earth; to love Jesus and to make Him loved.

## Prayer

### From Story of a Soul

Sometimes when I am in such a state of spiritual dryness that not a single good thought occurs to me, I say very slowly the "Our Father," or the "Hail Mary," and these prayers suffice to take me out of myself.

I take refuge, then, in prayer, and turn to Mary, and our Lord always triumphs.

For me, prayer is a burst from my heart, it is a simple glance thrown toward heaven, a cry of thanksgiving and love in times of trial as well as in times of joy.

Frequently, only silence can express my prayer.

Let us not grow tired of prayer: confidence works miracles.

## Faith

### From Story of a Soul

It is good to serve God in darkness and trial! We have only this life to live by faith.

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It is true I am not always faithful, but I never lose courage. I leave myself in the Arms of Our Lord.

We must abandon the future into the hands of God.

No harm can come to me since, in whatever happens, I see only the tender hand of Jesus.

**Hope**

**Story of a Soul**

Time is but a shadow, a dream; already God sees us in glory and takes joy in our eternal beatitude. How this thought helps my soul! I understand then why He lets us suffer.

**Voting and the Common Good**

**UP-Coming Panel Discussions**

**Sponsored by the Peace and Justice Committee**

October 16, Sunday: 7:00 – 8:00 pm. Newman Terrace  
 Kevin LaNave: St. Cloud Technical and Community College  
 Molly Weyrens: Christ Our Light Church  
 Steve Bresnahan: Former Executive Director of Catholic Charities

**Come celebrate Saint John Henry Newman and who we are as Christ Church Newman Center with a CONCERT on Saturday, October 8<sup>th</sup> at 7:00PM in the chapel! Social hour 30 minutes before (wine and other refreshments), followed by beautiful, inspiring, contemplative music brought to you by Stacy, Sven and Steve.**

**Parish Prayers**

Anne Fields	Schroeder	† Valerie Meinz
Nancy Huber	Kelly Hoppe's mother-in-law	† Bette Bartos
Penny Zook		† Rich Theisen
Waletzko's grandson Isaac	Helen Trisko	+Mike Schmiesing, brother of Sharon
Kathy Williams	Carol Agnes	+Carol Reiter
Kevin & Melissa Kruger's brother Mark	Jill Schultz	+Ed Schnettler
Linda Urbik	Brett Wise, son-in-law of Kevin & Vickie Strobel	+Jim Pehler
Dave & Caroline Williams'sson Jeff	Cathy Wieme's mother, +Carol Skoien	+Denise Keller
Courtney Vorell's father	†Katie Waletzko	+Mary Kelley, sister of Barb Grachek
Paul Snyder	†Don Prom	+Jennifer Symalla
Grace Bellicot	†Renee Miller	+Elaine Quella
DougNieters	†Will Ellenbecker	+Bob Huber
Mil Voelker	† Stanley McElhone	+Dawn Newton
Tom Keaveny	† Bill Schroeder	+Roy Hoelscher, brother of Jay Schroeder
Isla Johns	† Vern Cronin	+Robert Surma
Aaron Volker	† Donald Lardy	+Geneva Cameron
Gene Hoelscher	† Sallie Bellicot	
Millie Moran, sister of Jay	† Deborah Rodriguez	

**Visit our livestream! Search YouTube: Christ Church Newman Center**



**Daily Readings are found at [usccb.org](http://usccb.org)**

**Parish Oktoberfest! Thursday, October 6th, 6pm**

Students and permanent members are invited to a Newman Oktoberfest! Join us for brats, pretzels, a root beer (and beer!) keg, and good fellowship including a students vs. permanent members bean bag tournament! Bring the whole family! Outside, if weather permits!

**October Student Events**

**Thurs, October 13th, Theology on Draft**

- 6pm at House of Pizza, Sartell  
 - Topic, "how does the Church grow young?"  
 - Come for free pizza and a great talk! Additional food and beverages are on your own.  
 - Carpooling available!

**Thurs, October 20th, Student Community Night (Humans vs. Zombies!)**

**Thurs, October 27th, Free Student Meal (Hotdish Heaven!)**

**& Pumpkin Carving**

-Meal served at 5pm, pumpkins after!

Interested in the Peace & Social Justice Committee?

Contact any committee member:

Sandy Lawrence	Steve Vincent	Lisa Powers
Jannine Provinzino	Karen Von Slyke	Rose Molitor
Nancy McBride	Pat Welters	

**LET'S GAZE AT THE STARS**

# NEWMAN ASTRONOMY NIGHT

Sunday, October 2, 2022 on the teardrop after the 8pm Mass.

**There will be two telescopes set up to view the moon and planets.**

TEC Retreats of the St. Cloud Diocese: 43 Years and over 41,000 Participants! TEC (Together Encounter Christ) is a three-day retreat for both youth (age 16+) and adults. TEC has been described as action packed, intense, life changing, affirming, relevant, and unforgettable. It's an opportunity to discover more about yourself and to deepen your relationship with Christ. Central Minnesota TEC holds its retreats at its location just north of Little Falls. There are openings on the TEC MEA retreat and others scheduled each month. For cost and registration information for this weekend and others, check out the web site at [www.cmtec.org](http://www.cmtec.org) or call (320)532-4455. Or call Becky Christie at 320.492.3018

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