

Newman Center Notes

Penn Newman Center 3720 Chestnut Street
www.newman.upenn.edu

Drexel Newman Center 30 South 33rd Street
www.drexelnewman.org

Daily Mass

Mon-Fri 7:30 am, 12:05pm Penn Newman
St. Bede Chapel – Upper Level
Mon-Fri 1:00pm Drexel Newman
St. Katharine Drexel Chapel – 2nd Floor

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available at Drexel Newman on a weekly basis on Wednesdays 12:30-1:00pm. Weekly Eucharistic Adoration is offered at Drexel Newman Center on Thursdays, after the 1:00 pm Mass until 4:00 pm.

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Operation Santa Claus

Penn Newman's OSC drive is looking for individuals to donate gifts to underprivileged children in West Philly again this year. Contact Matt Catalano at matcat@sas.upenn.edu to pick up a gift request! **Gifts due Dec. 4.**

Locks of Love Hair Drive

Locks of Love is an organization that uses donated hair to create wigs for children who have suffered from an illness that results in hair loss. In April 24, 2010, Penn Newman will be holding an event where hair stylists from the area will provide haircuts for anyone interested in donating 6 or more inches of hair! For more information contact Elizabeth Kopec: ekopec@sas.upenn.edu.

Speaker: Fr. James Martin, SJ

On **Thursday, Dec. 10, at 6:30 pm**, Penn Newman welcomes this nationally renowned Church commentator and author. See www.newman.upenn.edu for more info. The Penn community is invited to this event funded by the Frank J. Hager '79 Fund for Catholic Thought.

Morning Scripture Study

We gather at **8:00 am on Wednesdays** in the lower level of Penn Newman. New members are warmly welcomed. Contact Charlotte Ethier at ethiercc@aol.com.

Circle of St. Bede

The Circle of St. Bede invites interested faculty and professionals to join us on **Tuesdays 8:10-8:50 am** in the lower level of Penn Newman. If interested, please contact Dr. Peter Dodson: dodsonp@mail.vet.upenn.edu.

DREXEL NEWMAN

Thursday Devotions

During the final week of classes for Fall Term we will come together asking for strength and perseverance by praying the Chaplet of Divine Mercy **Thursday, Dec. 3 at 8:00 pm**.

PENN NEWMAN: ALL STUDENTS

Newman Coffeehouse!

On **Tuesday, Dec. 8, 6:15 pm** at Penn Newman, enjoy refreshments and entertainment during the last week of classes! Contact Joe Weinhoffer at josephcw@seas.upenn.edu if you are interested in giving a 10-minute performance!

Penn Newman: Spiritual Mentoring/Direction

Spiritual mentoring/direction is an opportunity to meet one-on-one with a professional minister to speak about your life. Several mentors are available to Penn undergraduate and graduate students. See www.newman.upenn.edu.

Lunch with Penn Newman Chaplain

Join us for lunch with Fr. Phil Florio, SJ. We will meet **Mondays and Thursdays at the Button at Noon** and then head to a local eatery for stimulating and fun conversation!

Service Opportunity: Tutoring

Participate in a tutoring program for children from K-4th grades at Annunciation BVM Church in South Philly on **Mondays, 3:00-5:15 pm**. The children are primarily Mexican immigrants who are just learning English. Contact Jeff Klein at jeffklein@newman.upenn.edu.

Holy Hour

Join us for our weekly Holy Hour on **Wednesdays at 8:00 pm** at Penn Newman – Liturgy of the Hours, Adoration, and Benediction. Fr. Phil Florio, SJ, will also hear confessions weekly at 7:00 pm on Wednesdays.

Dollar Dinner!

Thursdays at 6:00 pm, at Penn Newman, gather with us for an all-you-can-eat pasta dinner for just \$1! All Penn students are welcome and no reservation necessary!

West Philly Recess Initiative

Penn Newman students will be gathering for this program at local elementary schools. **2 hours per week (M-F)** on site around lunchtime. Promote a more pleasant lunchroom and environment conducive to interactive play and fitness through games and activities. Contact Natalie at west.philly.recess@gmail.com.

PENN NEWMAN UNDERGRADS

Walking to 10:00 pm Mass?

Interested in walking to 10:00 pm Mass each Sunday with other Catholics? Newman will help coordinate people walking together. Email Jeff Klein at jeffklein@newman.upenn.edu and let him know which dorm you are coming from; we'll meet you there at 9:50 pm.

Catholic Community Chats (C3)

Our next C3 will be **Tuesday, Dec. 1, at 8:00 pm** at Penn Newman. *All Penn undergrads welcome!* E-mail Julianne Gamino (gamino@nursing.upenn.edu) for more info!