

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

Due to reconstruction, Drexel Newman Mass, Penance and Eucharistic Adoration have been temporarily suspended.

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

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.

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.

Life's Call – A Weekend Retreat

During **May 14-16, 2010**, spend a weekend with Scripture Stories, Saints, and Sisters as you explore your own life's call. For young women interested in learning more about discernment and religious life. Offered by the Sisters of the Holy Redeemer. Accessible by public transportation. Please contact Sr. Ana for more information or to participate: 215-914-4109 or vocations@holyredeemer.com.

National Catholic Student Coalition (NCSC) Retreat

Join students of the NCSC for the Days of Recreation/Eco-Spiritual Retreat, **July 23-25, 2010** at Ricketts Glen State Park (Benton, PA). \$30 cost includes meals. You should bring your own tenting equipment but if that's a problem contact Catlyn Ream, NCSC Northeast Regional Chair, at northeast@ncscweb.com. For more information see www.catholicstudent.org: Click on News & Events, then Days of Recreation.

DREXEL NEWMAN

Choose Life

The Drexel Newman Choose Life Group is sponsoring a baby products drive for **A Baby's Breath.com** which is a crisis pregnancy center located in Bryn Mawr, PA. A collection box will be situated in the worship space in the back of Church for the following weekends: **May 1/2, May 8/9 and May 15/16**. The following items are needed for babies ranging from infant up to one year old: diapers, wipes, powder, ointment, one piece outfits, one piece pajamas, socks, booties, bibs, bottles, nipples and toys. Our next Choose Life meeting will be at the Intercultural Center (Newman quarters) 33rd and Chestnut Streets on **Wednesday, May 19 at 7:30 pm**.

PENN NEWMAN: ALL STUDENTS

Extended Hours for Finals Week!

All Penn students are invited to use the Penn Newman Center as a place to study, relax and socialize. We'll have snacks and maybe even some healthy food available, along with free wireless!

- o Sunday, May 2: 7:30-11:00 pm
- o Monday-Thursday, May 3-6: 8:30 am – 11:00 pm

Dollar Dinner

Last Dollar Dinner this week (May 6) 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!

Penn Baccalaureate Mass & Reception

All graduating undergrad and grad students of Penn and their family and friends are cordially invited to celebrate the Baccalaureate Mass & Reception. Mass is **Saturday, May 15, at 5:30 pm** at St. AJ's with the reception following immediately after at Penn Newman. *Please RSVP the number attending the Reception no later than May 10* to Mary Mahon: mjmahon@newman.upenn.edu.

Kentucky Appalachia Mission Trip

Join us as we work with and learn from the people of Appalachia, one of the poorest regions in the US, **July 23-31, 2010**. Contact jeffklein@newman.upenn.edu.

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, and consequently placed below grade level in local schools. Contact Jeff Klein at jeffklein@newman.upenn.edu.

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.

PENN NEWMAN: GRAD STUDENTS

Christian Life Community (CLC)

Founded in Ignatian spirituality, CLC is a lay community that meets regularly in groups of 6-12 peers from their community or university to pray, reflect, and discuss issues of life and faith. We would like to start some CLC groups of Penn grad students to begin meeting in Fall 2010. If you are interested, please contact Jeff Klein at jeffklein@newman.upenn.edu.