

# ST. ANDREW

January 21, 2024 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

# NEWMAN CENTER



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#### Mass Schedule:

All Masses are livestreamed.

Monday: 5:30 pm
Tuesday: 8:30 am
Wednesday: 5:30 pm
Thursday: 5:30 pm
Friday: 5:30 pm
Saturday: 5:30 pm
Sunday: 7:30 am, 9 am,
11 am, 7 pm



Thursdays immediately after Daily Mass.

# SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Thursday during Holy Hour Saturday 4:00 — 5:00 pm in the Confessional located in the church.

Visit us on our website at <a href="https://www.sanccatholic.org/">https://www.sanccatholic.org/</a>

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# (PRACTICING)

# **CATH**⊕LIC

A GOOD TIME FOR FULFILLMENT

There are some things that always come at the worst time. I've never gotten a telemar-keting call and thought, "This is a really convenient moment for me to listen to a sales pitch." I've never seen the compulsory software update notice flash on my computer screen when I didn't have a deadline I was struggling to meet. My kids never come down with the flu unless it's the weekend and the line at Urgent Care is stretching out the door.

And I never, ever feel the calm, persistent shoulder-tap of the Holy Spirit without thinking, "Now? Now is not a good time. Can you try again when I'm..."

But then I stop and think: when I am what? When I am stronger? When I am happier? When I am smarter? When I am a different person?

When God calls us, He calls the person He sees in front of Him. "Come on," He says, and He doesn't mean "When you're finished" or "When it's convenient" or "Think about it." He means now. This moment.

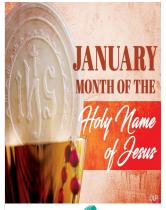
This is what Paul is saying when he writes that "the world in its present form is passing away." He is saying that your plans mean nothing, the kingdom of God is at hand. Abandon your nets, let your catch escape into the sea. You're not who you thought you were, and you don't need what you thought you needed.

Your sins do not define you. Your fears are not fate. Your inclinations do not govern you. Your life can be changed. We live in the time of fulfillment, and fulfillment is coming for you — ready or not.

"Jesus came to Galilee proclaiming the gospel of God: 'This is the time of fulfillment." — Mark 1:14

Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

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### WEEKLY READINGS

 Sunday:
 Jon 3:1-5, 10/ Ps 25:4-9/ 1 Cor 7:29-31/ Mk 1:14-20

 Monday:
 2 Sm 5:1-7, 10/ Ps 89:20-22, 25-26/ Mk 3:22-30

 Tuesday:
 2 Sm 6:12b-15, 17-19/ Ps 24:7-10/ Mk 3:31-35

**Wednesday:** 2 Sm 7:4-17/ Ps 89:4-5, 27-30/ Mk 4:1-20

**Thursday:** Acts 22:3-16/ Ps 117:1-2/ Mk 16:15-18

Friday: 2 Tm 1:1-8/ Ps 96:1-3, 7-8a, 10/ Mk 4:26-34

Next Sunday: Dt 18:15-20/ Ps 95:1-2, 6-9/ 1 Cor 7:32-35/ Mk 1:21-28



#### OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 21, 2024

Sunday 3rd Sunday of Ordinary Time

Monday Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children
Tuesday St. Vincent, Deacon and Martyr; St. Marianne Cope, Virgin
Wednesday St. Francis de Sales, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

Thursday Week of Prayer for Christian Unity ends; The Conversions of St. Paul the Apostle

Friday Sts. Timothy and Titus, Bishops Saturday St. Angela Merici, Virgin

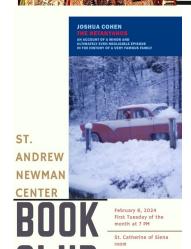
Sunday 4th Sunday of Ordinary Time; Celebrate Catholic Schools Week



# BIBLE / DOCTRINAL STUDY

Father Ogu and Father Gino are moderating our new Bible Study. It takes place every Tuesday in the St. Thomas Aquinas room beginning at 6 pm. The theology, history, and Exegesis of Books of the Gospels are being explored with their pastoral applications.

Please join us every week! You are invited to attend. May God bless you and enlighten you as you come.



# NEWMAN CENTER BOOK CLUB

The Newman Center Book Club will be discussing the novel, "The Netanyahus" by Joshua Cohen.

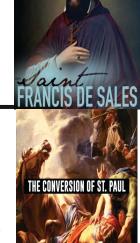
Everyone is welcomed to attend the meeting held on Tuesday, February 6, 2024 at 7 pm in the Saint Catherine of Siena room.

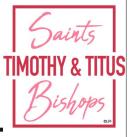
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Sunday	1 - 21	7:30 AM	Pro Populo
		9 AM	Denise Becker-Roemer (+)
		11 AM	
		7 PM	Charlie & Rosemary Walker (+)
Monday	1 - 22	5:30 PM	
Tuesday	1 - 23	8:30 AM	
Wednesday	1 - 24	5:30 PM	
Thursday	1 - 25	5:30 PM	Charlie & Rosemary Walker (+)
Friday	1 - 26	5:30 PM	







# OPPORTUNITIES TO RECEIVE THE SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK

The Rite of Anointing tells us there is no need to wait until a person is at the point of death to receive the Sacrament. A careful judgment about the serious nature of the illness is sufficient. When the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick is given, the hoped-for effect is that, if it be God's will, the person be physically healed of illness. But even if there is no physical healing, the primary effect of the Sacrament is a spiritual healing by which the sick person receives the Holy Spirit's gift of peace and courage to deal with the difficulties that accompany serious illness or the frailty of old age. ~ from the *United States Catholic Catechism for Adults* 

The Newman Center will be offering the Sacrament of Healing on the last Saturday or Sunday of the month. If you or a family member would like to get an anointing, please attend the 5:30 pm Vigil Mass on Saturday, January 27, and receive this powerful healing sacrament once the Mass has ended.

# WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY 2024

The theme for the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity in 2024 was selected by the Pontifical Dicastery for Promoting Christian Unity, the World Council of Churches, and the Christian Churches in Burkina Faso, coordinated by the community of *Chemin Neuf*, a French Catholic and ecumenical community of vowed and lay people and its local community in Burkina Faso.

# "You shall love the Lord your God... and your neighbor as yourself." - Luke 10:27

The theme, taken from the first chapter of the Gospel of Luke, reflects the connection between love of God and love of neighbor with a particular concern for challenging the boundaries of who is considered "neighbor". In this pericope, Jesus is questioned as to the path to eternal life. His answer is not to only observe the commandments, but to also imitate the love of God in the giving of self for another. It is a call for charity, mercy, justice, and unity.

(Prayer on bottom of Page 4).

### 2024 DDF

The Diocese of San Bernardino's annual Diocesan Development Fund (DDF) has officially released the targets for all the parishes. The goal we were given is \$33,200.

We are so grateful to the 10 families and anonymous contributors that have given to the DDF so far!

Funds given: \$2,173.37 (6.55%)

### CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

Goal 2022: \$358,200 Funds raised: \$44,000 (12.28%)

Goal 2023: \$310,588 Funds raised: \$51,520 (16.59%) In two years, we have raised 28.87% of the money to

purchase the Rectory!

Capital Campaign Goal for 2024: \$247,612

Funds raised: \$1,525.23 (0.62%)

#### 101 CREATIVE WAYS TO BE

# **GENEROUS**

#10 Say thank you. Not casually like we do a hundred times every day, but in an epic way. Think about a person who has had an enormous positive impact on your life, seek them out, and thank them like they have never been thanked before.

(Excerpt from "The Generosity Habit" by Matthew Kelly.)

"Be generous in prosperity, and thankful in adversity.

Be worthy of the trust of thy neighbor, and look upon him

with a bright and friendly face."

- Rainn Wilson -

# SAINT OF THE WEEK: SAINT JULIANA OF CORNILLON

In official Church procedures there are three steps to Sainthood: a candidate becomes "Venerable," then "Blessed" and then "Saint." **Saint** is the title given by the Church to someone who has been formally canonized as sharing eternal life with God, and therefore offered for public veneration and imitation.

St. Juliana of Cornillon, also known as St. Juliana of Liège, is remembered for her steadfast devotion to the Eucharist and her instrumental role in establishing the Feast of Corpus Christi.

### Prayer of Discipleship

Dear Jesus,

When you call to me, help me to listen. Give me the courage to respond bravely and boldly to Your invitation for my life.

Amen.

# WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY 2024

We pray, O gracious Trinity: Father, Son and Holy Spirit, that we all may be one as you are one. In your community of complete unity, we have our beginning and our end. To you we pray, asking for the gift of visible unity among all who believe in your Christ.

As we commemorate this Week of Prayer for Christian Unity, we are reminded by your Word that all human beings are our neighbors and that we are to love them like ourselves and in the same way we love you. Help us to overcome the barriers and divisions we have nurtured against your will.

Grant to us, O Lord, a new Spirit of love and solidarity, that we may proclaim your good news to all of creation. We ask this through your Son, Jesus Christ, who with you and the Holy Spirt are one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

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# JANUARY: THE GIFT OF LIFE

Every January there are special events and prayers for Life. January 22<sup>nd</sup> is marked as the day abortion was legalized throughout our nation with Roe v. Wade in 1973. We give thanks to God for Roe's reversal in June of 2022; however, we still need to pray and advocate for the protection of all human life from conception to natural death everywhere in our country and the world. There is so much work we still need to do.

Join thousands of Catholics nationwide in January and beyond by participating in prayer, action, and service events!

Please visit this webpage: <a href="www.sbrlpc.org/respectlifejanuary">www.sbrlpc.org/respectlifejanuary</a> to find the list of these events including downloadable resources in English and Spanish.

#### 9 Days for Life Novena (January 16-24)

- 9 Days for Life is an annual novena for the protection of human life. Each day's intention is accompanied by a short reflection and suggested actions to help build a culture of life.
- Please visit the website above to download the full Novena prayer and a Bilingual prayer booklet.

#### Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children (January 22)

• The General Instruction of the Roman Missal (GIRM), no. 373, designates January 22 as a particular day of prayer and penance called the "Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children." The Church directs: In all the Dioceses of the United States of America, January 22 shall be observed as a particular day of prayer for the full restoration of the legal guarantee of the right to life and of penance for violations to the dignity of the human person committed through acts of abortion.

#### Precious Baby Mass at Sacred Heart, Rancho Cucamonga (Friday, February 9 at 6:30 pm)

• The Respect Life Ministry at Sacred Heart, Rancho Cucamonga invite you to participate in and commemorate the loss of a baby due to miscarriage, stillbirth, SIDS (Sudden Infant Death Syndrome), or abortion.



#### QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

First Reading The people of Nineveh (the capital city of the Assyrian Empire and historic enemy of Israel) repent-

ed of their sins when they heard Jonah's warning of God's impending destruction of their city. What

motivates you to repent?

**Second Reading** Paul encouraged the believers in Corinth to live with a sense of urgency and in a radically different

way than before coming to faith in Jesus. In what ways are you living counter-culturally as a person

of faith?

**Gospel Reading** This Sunday we hear the first words of Jesus in Mark's account of the call of the first disciples:

"This is the time of fulfillment. The kingdom of God is at hand. Repent, and believe in the gospel."

Jesus taught that the time had come for God to come and reclaim His world. What excites you

about this message?

### MINISTRIES AT THE NEWMAN CENTER

Book Club — Meets on the 1st Tuesday of the month at 7 pm in the St. Catherine of Siena room.

FCCW — Meets every 1st and 3rd Thursday of the month from 10 am to 12 pm in the Library.

Social Justice Ministry — Meets on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of the month at 6 pm in the St. Catherine of Siena.

Shawl Ministry — Meets on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of the month at 7 pm in the St. Rose of Lima room.

Women's Bible Study — Meets every 1st and 3rd Friday of the month from 9 am to 10:30 am in the St. Rose of Lima room.

Newman Sponsors — Meets every 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of the month at 7 pm in the St. Thomas Aguinas room.

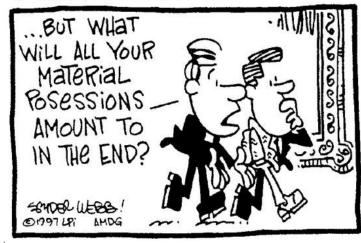
Dominican Laity — Meets every 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month at 12 pm in the St. Thomas Aquinas room.

#### YOU ARE INVITED TO GET INVOLVED WITH MINISTRY TO THE HOMEBOUND!

Are you searching for a ministry that "walks off the beaten path"? The purpose of the Ministry to the Homebound is to bring Holy Communion to those who are not physically able to attend Mass or for those who, due to their circumstances, are not able to attend Mass. Walk in the footsteps of Our Blessed Mother, who took Jesus to others, in this fulfilling and much-needed ministry.

Depending on the preference of those homebound, they may either choose to receive the Host, or, they may want to hear the readings first, followed by the reception of Holy Communion. For more information, please contact Sian Ormsby at <a href="mailto:sianro@att.net">sianro@att.net</a>.

# 3º SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME





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#### Diocese of San Bernardino Diocesan seminarians in formation



#### January/Enero 2024

Please pray for our seminarians in formation to the Priesthood



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	NEW YEAR	Ruben Chavarria Holy Innocents, Victorville	3 Oscar Montalvo OL of Assumption San Bernardino	4 Oliver Garcia Holy Name of Jesus Redlands	5 Michael Poulin Holy Name of Jesus Redlands	Matthew Glaudini St. Paul The Apostle,Chino Hills
7 Luis Morales St. Christopher Moreno Valley	8 Luis Angeles Holy Family, Hesperia	9 Larry Curtis St. Patrick, Moreno Valley	Juan Samaniego OL of Assumption San Bernardino	Jose Perez St. John The Evangelist, Riverside	Jose Hernandez St. Joseph Upland	Jose Cortez Jr. Holy Family, Hesperia
14 Isaias Delgadillo St. John XXIII Fontana/Rialto	Earl Reyes Philippines	16 Christopher Rodriguez St. Francis of Assisi La Quinta	17 Cesar Caldera St. John XXIII Rialto	18 Anthony Gutierrez Corpus Christi, Corona	Albert Salcido St. Patrick Moreno Valley	Alfredo Ledesma Our Lady of Hope, San Bernardino
Thomas Davis St. Christopher, Moreno Valley	22 ~ Albert Salcido ~ Alfredo Ledesma	~ Anthony Gutierrez ~ Cesar Caldera	~ Christopher Rodriguez ~ Earl Reyes	~ Isaias Delgadillo ~ Jose Cortez Jr.	26 ~ Jose Hernandez ~ Jose Perez	27 ~ Juan Samaniego ~ Larry Curtis
28 ~ Luis Angeles ~ Luis Morales	29 ~ Matthew Glaudini ~ Michael Poulin	30 ~ Oscar Montalvo ~ Oliver Garcia- Tirado	~ Ruben Chavarria ~ Thomas Davis			

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# Prayer for Vocations

God our Father.

We thank you for calling men and women to serve in your Son's kingdom

As priests, deacons, religious, and consecrated persons.

Send your Holy Spirit to help us respond generously and courageously to Your call.

May our community of faith

support vocations of sacrificial love in our youth.

We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you in the Holy Spirit,

One God for ever and ever.

Amen

# ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament . I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You.

# PRO-LIFE MINISTRY AND MASS

The Pro-Life Ministry invites you to join them on the first Saturday of every month at 9 a.m. to celebrate a Pro-Life Mass.

The next Mass will be held on Saturday, February 3.

"We proclaim that human life is a precious gift from God; that each person who receives this gift has responsibilities toward God, self, and others; and that society, through its laws and social institutions, must protect and nurture human life at every stage of its existence." - USCCB Committees

#### COFFEE AND DONUTS

The Newman Center Hospitality Ministry provides donuts for parishioners after the 9 am and 11 am Masses.

Your gift allows this ministry to continue providing an abundance of coffee creamers, hot chocolate, fruit juices, and donuts.



#### THE QUESTION CORNER

#### Question:

CAN A PERSON (THE MOTHER, FATHER, OR PROVIDER) EVER BE FORGIVEN FOR AN ABORTION?

#### Answer:

For people of faith, any conversation of human sinfulness should always lead us to reflect on God's loving mercy. Because God's mercy is greater than any sin, the Church is clear that even those involved in the sin of abortion can be reconciled with God and the Church. To help make this grace more available through the Sacrament of Reconciliation, Pope Francis extended the permission to absolve someone of the sin of abortion to all priests in 2016.

Even with the grace and blessings of the Sacrament of Reconciliation, the tragedy of abortion and the aftermath of abortion takes a toll on everyone involved. Ministries of outreach and support, such as Project Rachel, offer pastoral counseling, support groups, retreats, and other forms of care. As Christians, we are also called to help promote this healing and reconciliation in all its forms. To learn more, visit www.hopeafterabortion.com.



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# <u>C.S.F.</u>

### **Catholic Student Fellowship**

We are the Catholic Student Fellowship (C.S.F.) that is associated with UCR and RCC. We also welcome all local university students to St. Andrew Newman Center.

Our goal is to make faithful, passionate disciples of Jesus Christ and leaders of the Catholic Church. We hold general meetings every Monday in the library at 7:00 p.m. and other events throughout the quarter! Most of our events take place at the St. Andrew Newman Center.

Please get in contact with us via email or our Instagram to get the details. Come check us out and make new friends! All are welcome!

# MISSION STATEMENT

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**Deputy Grand Knight** 

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St. Andrew Newman Center is a campus ministry that complements the secular education provided at University of California at Riverside and Riverside Community College. We provide home for the students, members of the university and college communities, and others who choose to join in our mission.

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V Our mission is to strengthen the faith of these groups and develop their gifts so that they may grow into passionate, faithful disciples of Christ, leaders of the Catholic Church.

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We are a place of welcome, a worshipping community, a place of generous hospitality, and a resource for those seeking to learn about Scripture, the sacraments and Catholic tradition. We are a place where we reach out to others with love and an informed sense of justice.



For January 2024, we join the Holy Father in praying for:

The gift of diversity in the Church

We pray that the Holy Spirit may help us to recognize the gift of different charisms within the Christian community and to discover the richness of different traditions and rituals in the Catholic Church.

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# Help The Knights Defend The Faith with Apologetics

"Always be ready to give an explanation to anyone who asks you for a reason for your hope, but do it with gentleness and reverence;"-1 Peter 3:15-16

Objection: Mary had other children.

"When Jesus saw his mother, and the disciple whom he loved standing near, he said to his mother, "Woman, behold, your son!" - Jn 19:26

If Mary had in fact, had other children, it would not have been appropriate for Jesus to assign her into the care of John. The alleged "other children" or "brothers" would have been responsible for taking care of their mother. This would have neem especially true in the Jewish culture.

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