

JOHN CARDINAL NEWMAN HOUSE  
NEWSLETTER  
"THE CATHOLIC CHURCH AT BINGHAMTON UNIVERSITY"

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WELCOME BACK

Welcome back to all our returning students, faculty and administration and especially, to new students and transfer students! We remind you that the Newman House is here for you....Our purpose in being here is to enrich your University experience, especially your ongoing spiritual growth and experience of Church community and life while at school.

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NEWMAN HOUSE SCHEDULE

Daily Mass: Monday-Wed-Fri.....9:00 am

Weekend Masses: Saturday.....5:00 pm

Sunday.....10:00 am

5:00 pm

Confessions are heard 15 minutes before each Mass, or by appointment.

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Please enter into retreat, education and service projects throughout the year. Your presence is a gift to our faith community.

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We are in the midst of much rehabilitation work in and around Newman House. We are installing a circular driveway in front of Newman House (for more parking space!). We soon will be installing a kitchen in the student common room, so you can prepare meals for your gatherings here. We will be painting and refurbishing the chapel, gathering space, offices and bathrooms. You can help in a couple of ways: pray for the success of our fund raising for these projects, encourage your parents, other family members and friends with means to support Newman House financially, offer your voice, talents and time for the refurbishing of Newman House, pitch in with Fr. Corey for any of the "grunt" work that must be done. Remember, this is

our house and God's home!

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There are many ways for you to be involved here at Newman House. We are in need of Servers at Liturgy, Music Ministers, Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, activity leaders, etc. Prayerfully consider lending your talents to our communal life at Newman House and contact Caitlyn Edmunston or Father Corey with your willingness to serve.

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RETREAT

Our first retreat experience is upon us! Please sign up to join students from Syracuse University, SUNY Oswego, and SUNY Cortland at Mt Alverna, near Syracuse on September 18-19 (Fri. evening to Sat. evening). We will provide transportation, you provide yourself, your desire to experience Christ and openness to some fun and relaxation! See Fr. Corey or Caitlyn Edmunston.

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TODAY or ASAP:

Fill out the registration sheets at the back of chapel. This enables us to stay in contact with you and your family throughout the year. Return the sheets to the same place as you leave!

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REMEMBER!

We cherish you! AND God will not be outdone in generosity!

Fr. Corey