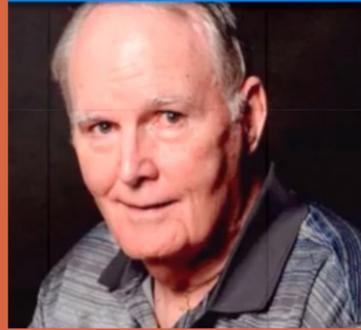


## Volunteer of the Week



**Mickey Bridger**  
Thanks to Mickey for furnishing the last Sunday dinner for our students. He says he's a good cook, but finds it easier to "order in." Mickey enjoys any activity that involves his family and friends. He would like others to know he's truly interested in helping others, and "what you see is what you get... no frills...no pretense." When asked where he likes to vacation, Mickey replied it didn't matter where it was, "...as long as it was with friends and family. Mickey has been a strong supporter of the Blessed John Newman University Parish and the Catholic Newman Center, and we appreciate him.

*Please contact Mary Ferguson to volunteer for preparing students' Sunday dinners.*

## Special Thanks To Our E-Givers



A-State Catholic Newman Center would like to thank all those who are currently giving electronically. You may not see these fellow parishioners place an envelope in the basket every week, but their consistent giving does not go unnoticed in our parish office. Each month our parish receives a steady and predictable stream of income from those donors who have made the commitment to give to God first by having a designated contribution automatically transferred to our parish. E-giving is easy and convenient. Check out our website, [astatecnc.weshareonline.org](http://astatecnc.weshareonline.org)



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## Around the Diocese

**Spring Shadow Days** - Subiaco Academy, a Catholic, Benedictine boarding/day college preparatory school for boys, grades 7-12, located east of Fort Smith, is offering the opportunity for prospective students and parents to visit and experience Subiaco. 2018 Spring Shadow Days are scheduled for Fridays, Feb. 9, March 9, and April 13. Families can sign up for a Shadow Day or schedule a visit at another time by contacting Admissions: 800-364-7824, or [admissions@subi.org](mailto:admissions@subi.org). Events are free of charge, including meals and overnight accommodations. Applications for the 2018-19 school year are now being accepted. For more information, visit website at [www.SubiacoAcademy.us](http://www.SubiacoAcademy.us)

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**HERE I AM!** A Women's Religious Vocation Discernment Retreat will be held – February 24-25, 2018 at the Diocesan Pastoral Center, 2500 N. Tyler St., Little Rock, AR 72207. Come see that Sisters are Real People! The retreat is for young women 16-35 years of age who want to learn and discern about Religious Life. Sponsored by the Diocesan Offices of Vocations, Youth & Campus Ministry, & Minister for Religious, the retreat will include talks on Religious Life by Sisters from congregations serving in Arkansas; time for prayer & reflection; and opportunity to speak with the Sisters. The Retreat is free. Registration deadline is February 15th. For the Registration Form and more information click on <http://bit.ly/dolrwr2018> or contact Sr. Mary Clare, Minister for Religious [smcbezner@dolr.org](mailto:smcbezner@dolr.org) or 501-664-0340, ext. 309.

### CNC Office Hours

(When Astate is in session)

Monday - 12:00pm-11:00pm  
Tuesday - 9:00am-3:00pm  
Wednesday - 12:00pm-3:00pm  
Thursday - 12:00pm-11:00pm  
Friday - Closed  
Saturday - Closed  
Monday - 12:00pm-11:00pm

### Student Study Hours

(When Astate is in session)

Monday - 7:00am-11:00pm  
Tuesday - 7:00am-5:30pm  
Wednesday - 7:00am - 5:30pm  
Thursday - 7:00am-11:00pm  
Friday - 7:00am-5:30pm  
Saturday - No Study Hours  
Sunday - 3:30pm-10:00pm

### Mass times

Monday - 7:00am  
Wednesday - 12:10 and 5:30pm  
Thursday - 7:00am  
Friday - 7:00am  
Saturday - First Saturday at 8:00am

### Eucharistic Adoration Hours

Monday - 7:30am-5:30PM  
Tuesday - 7:30AM-5:30PM  
Wednesday- 7:30AM-5:30PM  
Thursday - 7:30AM-5:30PM  
Friday - 7:30AM-5:30PM

**Entrance Song - St. Augustine Hymnal #355 - Shout to the Lord**

**First Reading**

**1 SM 3:3B-10, 19**

Samuel was sleeping in the temple of the LORD where the ark of God was. The LORD called to Samuel, who answered, "Here I am." Samuel ran to Eli and said, "Here I am. You called me." "I did not call you," Eli said. "Go back to sleep." So he went back to sleep. Again the LORD called Samuel, who rose and went to Eli. "Here I am," he said. "You called me." But Eli answered, "I did not call you, my son. Go back to sleep."

At that time Samuel was not familiar with the LORD, because the LORD had not revealed anything to him as yet. The LORD called Samuel again, for the third time. Getting up and going to Eli, he said, "Here I am. You called me." Then Eli understood that the LORD was calling the youth. So he said to Samuel, "Go to sleep, and if you are called, reply, Speak, LORD, for your servant is listening." When Samuel went to sleep in his place, the LORD came and revealed his presence, calling out as before, "Samuel, Samuel!" Samuel answered, "Speak, for your servant is listening." Samuel grew up, and the LORD was with him, not permitting any word of his to be without effect.

**Responsorial Psalm**

**Psalm 40:2, 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10**

R. (8a and 9a) **Here am I, Lord; I come to do your will.**  
 I have waited, waited for the LORD, and he stooped toward me and heard my cry. And he put a new song into my mouth, a hymn to our God.  
 R. **Here am I, Lord; I come to do your will.**  
 Sacrifice or offering you wished not, but ears open to obedience you gave me. Holocausts or sin-offerings you sought not; then said I, "Behold I come."  
 R. **Here am I, Lord; I come to do your will.**  
 "In the written scroll it is prescribed for me, to do your will, O my God, is my delight, and your law is within my heart!"  
 R. **Here am I, Lord; I come to do your will.**  
 I announced your justice in the vast assembly; I did not restrain my lips, as you, O LORD, know.  
 R. **Here am I, Lord; I come to do your will.**

**Second Reading**

**1 COR 6:13C-15A, 17-20**

Brothers and sisters: The body is not for immorality, but for the Lord, and the Lord is for the body; God raised the Lord and will also raise us by his power. Do you not know that your bodies are members of Christ? But whoever is joined to the Lord becomes one Spirit with him. Avoid immorality. Every other sin a person commits is outside the body, but the immoral person sins against his own body. Do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit within you, whom you have from God, and that you are not your own? For you have been purchased at a price. Therefore glorify God in your body.

**Gospel Acclamation**

R. **Alleluia, alleluia.** We have found the Messiah: Jesus Christ, who brings us truth and grace. R. **Alleluia, alleluia.**

**Gospel Reading**

**John 1:35-42**

John was standing with two of his disciples, and as he watched Jesus walk by, he said, "Behold, the Lamb of God." The two disciples heard what he said and followed Jesus. Jesus turned and saw them following him and said to them, "What are you looking for?" They said to him, "Rabbi" — which translated means Teacher —, "where are you staying?" He said to them, "Come, and you will see." So they went and saw where Jesus was staying, and they stayed with him that day. It was about four in the afternoon. Andrew, the brother of Simon Peter, was one of the two who heard John and followed Jesus. He first found his own brother Simon and told him, "We have found the Messiah" — which is translated Christ —. Then he brought him to Jesus. Jesus looked at him and said, "You are Simon the son of John; you will be called Cephas" — which is translated Peter.

**Offertory Song - St. Augustine Hymnal #485 - Here I Am, Lord**

**Communion Song - St. Augustine Hymnal #494 - The Summons**

**Meditation Song - St. Augustine Hymnal #347 - How Great is Our God**

**Dismissal Song - St. Augustine Hymnal #469 - Lead Me, Lord**

**Weekly at the Center**

**Mondays:** 6:00 p.m. - Food  
**Faith Night** 7:00 p.m. - Faith Night  
*A focus on learning and growing deeper in the Catholic faith and traditions in a small group atmosphere.*

**Wednesdays:** 12:10 p.m. - Weekday Mass  
 6:30p.m. - RCIA

**Thursdays:** 6:00 p.m. - Food  
**Revive Night** 7:00 p.m. - Revive  
*Focus is on prayer at Revive, including group and communal prayer, with fun activities following.*  
**XLT & Confessions 1st Thursday each month.**

**Sunday:** 3:30 p.m. - Music Practice,  
 5:00 p.m. - Rosary/Confession  
 5:30 p.m. - Mass  
 6:30pm - Dinner

Congratulations from the Diocese of Little Rock to Blessed John Newman University Parish for surpassing the 2017 CASA goal. The Diocese expressed appreciation for this parish's participation, and reminds us this support will enable the Diocese of Little Rock to provide for the present and future ministries and pastoral needs of the church. The Diocese asked that their gratitude be extended to all who participated.



From the CNC clergy and staff, a very sincere hope that the students and staff of ASU are rejuvenated from an enjoyable Christmas season break. We believe our students have the talent and character to build authentic relationships, and bring their enthusiasm to a new round of study. We wish all our ASU students and staff a positive and bright beginning to the 2018 school year.



**CNC Helpers**

**Jan 17th - 12:10 Mass:** Lector: Betsy Huss

**Jan 21th - 5:30 Mass:**  
 Lector: Arturo Fuentes  
 Extraordinary Ministers : Eucharist: Thomas Fowler  
 of the Holy Communion Chalice: Claudia Fuentes, Moira O'Keefe,  
 Mickey Bridger & Clare Doss

Ushers: Natalie Lyons & Keira O'Keefe  
 Server: *Unfilled*  
 Gift Bearers: Natalie Lyons & Keira O'Keefe  
 Sun. Dinner Clean Up: *Unfilled - Please volunteer*



**SMALL GROUPS**

Specialized small groups focusing on different aspects of student spiritual life were formed during the last semester, and are being re-organized during the Leadership Conference this week in Chicago. Watch for news regarding this, and plan to join an On-Campus small group.

**OFFERTORY Last Sunday:**

**\$ 738.23**

We appreciate your support. Thank you!

