

May 07, 2017
4th Sunday of Easter



Mass Schedule:
Sunday 10:00 a.m.
(interpreted)
5 p.m.

At Masses we
remember:
10 am: Dan Buechel
5 pm: Betsy Iles

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\$324.10
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Today we welcome Bishop Matthew Clark and his administrative assistant, Sr. Mary Anne Binsack to Newman at RIT. Bishop Clark is the retired bishop in the Diocese of Rochester.

Are you graduating this year? Newman @ RIT will celebrate Baccalaureate Mass on Thursday, May 18th at 7 pm in the Allen Chapel. Graduates wear cap and gown. This Mass is for guests and family members of graduates. Sign up at Mass or email: amncpm@rit.edu

RITNation

Last week a student stopped me after Mass and asked why we were still singing Easter songs. Great question. The answer is because we are still in the season of Easter. Yes, the Easter season lasts for eight weeks. The eighth week is when we close the Easter season with the feast of Pentecost—also known as the birthday of the Church. And so there you have it—fun fact for the week!

It won't be long before many head home for jobs or co ops. But, before we get there, many have projects and finals to get through as well as cleaning out apartments, houses and dorms. Like I mentioned last week, when I get overwhelmed, I recently developed a new mantra, "Be Fearless for me O God." It might sound crazy, but just taking a deep breath and inviting God to enter my feeling of frustration and moment of being overwhelmed does indeed calm me. Try it.

Many of you have debit and some, a lot of money left on debit. You might consider going to the corner store and purchasing nonperishable items with left over debit that Newman could use in the fall. Please consider pasta, sauce, salad dressings and beverages. You can drop these things off at the Newman office and we will use them in the fall for our student dinners.

And, if you are on campus or living in Rochester this summer, remember that Newman is still alive and well. We continue to have a 10 am Mass each Sunday when classes are not in session. Feel free to join us anytime!

Graduating? Sign up for Baccalaureate Mass on Thursday, May 18th at 7 pm in the Allen Chapel. All are welcome.

Know that we are here for you!