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gather together after Sunday Mass.

Winter 2012



# NEWMAN NEWS



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**Your invitation to the 2012  
Spring Fundraiser is inside.  
We hope to see you there!**



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## OUR MISSION

The Newman Catholic Center welcomes, supports, and challenges college students in their Christian spiritual growth and development. We are a Roman Catholic campus ministry under the direction of the Diocese of Monterey and the Marist Fathers and Brothers, serving the students of Cal Poly and Cuesta College.

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## LIVING IN THE NEWMAN COMMUNITY HOUSES

There are 4 Newman Community Houses in which 20 students live as practicing Catholic community members.  
Here are two of the houses:



### Mission:

"Our Catholic faith is a common thread that we show, bringing us together into Christian community. Following the examples of Bill and Faith Ann Fieldhouse, we strive to create a welcoming spirit-filled house with Christ at the center."

## FAITH HOUSE



### Mission:

"The St. Joseph House honors the example of St. Joseph, the patron of the Universal Church. It is a home for college students whose commitment is to develop and live as a Catholic Christian family. In the spirit of St. Joseph, we strive to lead holy lives and to lead others to a deeper relationship with Christ."

## ST. JOSEPH HOUSE



## WOMEN'S GROUP

**Women's Group:** At one of their weekly meetings, Women's Group had a fun-filled pumpkin night, which involved sharing pumpkin foods, painting pumpkins and watching a Halloween movie.

**Men's Group:** The Men's Group got together at Grover Beach to ride around the dunes, play football and rugby, eat some tasty barbeque and hang out around a bonfire.



## MEN'S GROUP



## CENTRAL COAST WALK FOR LIFE

Many Newman students participated in the county-wide Walk for Life through downtown San Luis Obispo in October.

# From the Desk of The Director Father John Ulrich, S.M.

## YOUR INVESTMENT IS PAYING OFF

We are truly blessed that even in these difficult and challenging financial times our friends have continued to respond generously to our needs. Your sacrifices on our behalf are bearing fruit in the lives of our young adult Catholics. We keep in contact with many of our alum and it's really heartening how many of them have remained engaged in their faith and are active in parish life. I assure you that your investment in our work is enriching our Church.

### Update on our Chapel Project

At present we are at \$664,838 toward our goal of One Million Dollars for our Capital Campaign. We experienced a bit of a bump in the road. In May we received an unexpected donation of \$130,000. In July we were informed that the donation was intended for Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Monterey and we had to return the gift. That was surely disappointing news, but we continue to surge ahead with faith and confidence in Divine Providence. If you know of any Foundations or individuals who may be willing to push us over our goal, please let me know.



Many thanks to the men of Faith House for coordinating the Fall Retreat "Catholic Survival Guide to College," on 10/7- 10/9.

## FALL RETREAT

# ALUMNI CORNER



**JESSICA ARMSTRONG**  
**BROADCAST JOURNALISM**  
 2010

Since graduation, the Lord has led me down a faith-filled path. After working for about a year in production at KSBY News in SLO, I asked the Lord to kick-start my life and take me where He wanted me to go. He brought me to Helena, Montana. I'm now a reporter/anchor for Beartooth NBC. Although I struggle with some stories I report on and don't always know if a life in media is in the work that I do. I've met some ordinary people doing extraordinary things in this community. Right now, I'm helping out the Young Women's Christian Association (YWCA). It's a house for homeless women who have different, and often troubled, pasts. I'm using my cinematography skills to produce a video showcasing how these women have changed their lives. For all of the up and coming or recent grads, I'd like to share something that I'm discovering as I'm away from home; the move across states

is not nearly as difficult as the spiritual journey that accompanies it. A priest at Carroll College (the Catholic university right behind my station) told me that the trying times after graduation—the growing pains from student to adult and the extreme dose of reality that sets in when you realize the world doesn't agree with what you believe—they're all a part of God's plan and His desire that you rely fully on Him. It's like going through the desert; you must give up your desires and live for Him, through Him and in Him. And when your desires become one, the fear, the trials and anything else in this world that would cause you to get distracted or to stray, can't touch you. Be strong; be radical and faith-filled, loving and compassionate. Be the image of Christ in the world and don't let anyone take your light away!

## WHERE ARE YOU NOW?

If you are a Newman alumni we want to know how the Lord is using you. Let us know what you are doing. Send us your name, major, year of graduation, along with a brief paragraph telling us what's happening in your life.

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## MONASTERY WORK DAY

Eighteen Newman students spent a day of service on Oct. 22 at the Monastery of Norbertine Nuns in Tehachapi. Students helped the cloistered nuns with a range of tasks, from building fences to helping make Christmas wreaths; there was even some goat herding involved!



## WELCOME BACK BBQ

Freshmen and returning students enjoyed a delicious BBQ the first week of school.



## MEN'S GROUP PUMPKIN RELAY

The Men's Group hosted its 3rd Annual Pumpkin Relay where teams tried to get their pumpkins through an obstacle course in one piece!



## SLO BOUND

Newman students welcomed incoming freshmen at the Mission Plaza during the Week of Welcome.



## MASS ON THE GRASS

Freshman and returning students gathered for Mass on the Grass and dinner at the Newman Center on Sept. 18th.



# THANK YOU

The Newman Community thanks those who generously support us in memory or in honor of loved ones.

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## Saturday April 28, 2012

**Madonna Inn Garden Room**  
100 Madonna Road  
San Luis Obispo

### Schedule of Events:

**5:00 pm**  
No Host Bar & Social Hour  
Silent Auction  
**6:30 pm**  
Dinner  
\$75.00 per person

### Live Auction

to follow dinner

### Reverse Drawing Auction

**\$50.00 per ticket**  
**\$3,500.00** in the reverse drawing.  
Only 200 tickets will be sold!  
free ticket upon request  
need not be present to win

**This is your invitation  
to make a dinner  
reservation and purchase  
a reverse drawing ticket.**

Guests may select their seating upon  
arrival. Reservations and tickets will  
be held at the door. Please respond  
early, room capacity is 150 people.

**Deadline is April 23, 2012!**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Dinner (\$75.00 per person) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ number of Dinner Tickets

### Entree Choices

\_\_\_\_\_ Filet Mignon \_\_\_\_\_ Boneless Breast of Chicken \_\_\_\_\_ Vegetarian Pasta

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