



Christ our Cornerstone

Newman Central Catholic High School



Awards Assembly

Graduating Class of 2017

May 10, 2017, 1:00 pm

Opening Prayer—Deacon Larry Zitkus

Newman Central Catholic High School Student of the Month

Newman Central Catholic High School Student of the Year

Whiteside Area Career Center Student of the Month

Whiteside Area Career Center Student Recognition

Awards and Scholarships

Illinois State Scholars

National Honor Society

St. Timothy Award

College Scholarships

Newman Scholarships

Music Awards

Math Club Awards

Scholastic Bowl Awards

Varsity Career Letter Awards

Academic All Conference

Closing

Master of Ceremonies

Debbi Kelly

Academic All Conference

Sophomores

Andrew Ackman

Brycen Bartel

Isaac Blaney

Olivia Boesen

Sydney Christoffersen

Katherine Crisham

Madison Craft

Nickolas Eddinger

Alec Faley

Baylei Ferris

Michael Frank

Hailey Frank

Chase Graham

Shay Hafner

Madaline Jacobs

Chloe Klein

Jenna Johnson

Amber Long

Spencer Mauch

Hannah McCarty

Lucas Olson

Breann Rosengren

Jacob Rude

Emily Schaab

David Swegle

Jacob Terveer

Alexis Wetter

Kyle Yde

Freshmen

Mattea Bianchi

Cody Britt

Macaire Brown

Aidan Brown

Lucas Ely

Rosa Juarez

Erin Kelly

Connor McBride

Avery Meyer

Margaret Oswald

Joselyn Reed

Kiley Sanders

Sydney Schott

Benjamin Sheats

Kyle Tunink

Sierra Williams

Academic All Conference

Seniors

Christopher Ahlers	Mary Jensen	Richard Rank
Caleb Ardis	Kevin C. Knack	Zachary Rice
Aidan Bollman	Kaylie Matera	Ryan Rude
Zachary Brauman	Anne McCoy	Kate Ryan
Megan Carney	Teagan McKenna	Connor Schmall
Kaitlyn Collins	Thomas Moore	Kyle Schmitt
Sarah Davis	Jacob Neisewander	Aaron Scroggins
Grace Ely	Ryan Noble	Kelsey Simpson
Caitlin Farley	Brady Osborne	Kalen Smith
Madysen Ferris	Elise Pasley	Lakyn Waldschmidt
Jacob Garland	Catherine Payan	Sean Weir
John T. Haenni	James Phelps III	Madalyn Wilson
Ethan Hafner	Michael Powers	John Wilson
Jacob Heiderscheit		

Juniors

Kaitlyn Accardi	Drake Farster	Elizabeth Oswald
Natalie Amezola	Bradley Fritts	Jillienne Roe
Easton Bianchi	Emiline G Strum	Cael Sanders
Eli Blaney	Kassidy Heffelfinger	Carlie Sherman
Bailey Boesen	Delaney Hinrichs	Kirsten Tunink
Katie Bonnell	Matthew Hodge	Landen Vesley
Cody Bonnell	Baylie Howell	Erin Vits
Juan Briseno	Samuel Jungerman	Travis Williams
Cade Gorzny	Gehrig Koerner	Cassidy Wilson
Jaedin Canterbury	Audrey Melton	Hannah Wilson
Karter Decker	Jalen Morthland	Lauren Wilson
Catalina Desmond-Lopez	Payton Murray	Aubrie Wolf
Tanner Doran	Hannah Newberry	

NCCHS Student of the Month

September	Christopher Ahlers	October	Teagan McKenna
November	Jacob Neisewander	December	Kevin C. Knack
January	Catherine Payan	February	Megan Carney
March	Sarah Davis	April	Hannah Jones
May	Michael Powers		

NCCHS Student of the Year

Presented by Chris Mitchell Sauk Valley Bank Christopher Ahlers

WACC Student of the Month

September	Lakyn Waldschmidt	November	Jacob Heiderscheit
January	Jaedin Canterbury	January	Madysen Ferris
February	Luke Furr	February	Kelsey Simpson

WACC Student Recognition Awards

Allied Health, Student Recognition	Grace Ely
Presented by Mrs. Pat Gaumer	
Digital Media Arts, Student Recognition	Kelsey Simpson
Presented by Mrs. Pat Gaumer	

Awards and Scholarships

Trish Joyce '77 Scholarship

Presented by Trish Joyce

Jessica Coleman Strader Memorial Scholarship

Presented by: Jared Strader & Terry Bright

SVCC Scholars and Baseball Scholarship

Presented by Dr. David Buchen

Sterling American Legion Scholarship

Presented by Mike Wolber

American Legion Award

Presented by Mike Wolber

Sterling American Legion Auxiliary Barbara Johannsen Scholarship

Presented by Vicki Lutyens

Sterling Moose Family Center Scholarship

Presented by DuWayne Beck

Kathleen Dieterle Scholarship

Presented by Petra Noel Dieterle Paufve

American Red Cross Scholarship

Presented by Janet Jarvis

Sterling Optimist Scholarship

Presented by Mark Sedig

Sauk Valley Area Chamber, Charles A. Farnham Scholarship

Presented by Kris Noble

CGH Auxiliary Scholarship

Presented by Linda Osborne, Betty Clementz

Rock River Lumber & Grain

Presented by Joe Rosengren

Madysen Ferris

Elise Pasley

Caleb Ardis

Jacob Rhodes

Elijah Leffelman

Teagan McKenna

Mary McDonnell

John T. Haenni

Christopher Ahlers

Sarah Davis

Mary McDonnell

John T. Haenni

Megan Carney

Kelsey Simpson

Hannah Jones

Maura Harrison

Megan Carney

Sean Weir

Math Club Awards

Math State Competition

9th Place Algebra I

Nathan Ahlers, Dean Ellorando,
Avery Meyer, Clare Sanders,
Benjamin Sheats, John Simpson

IHSA Scholastic Bowl All Sectional Team

Michael Powers

Varsity Career Letter Awards

John D. Ackert

Christopher Ahlers

Caleb Ardis

Aidan Bollman

Zachary Brauman

Enrique Briseno

Megan Carney

Kaitlyn Collins

Sarah Davis

Tyree Dillard

Grace Ely

Caitlin Farley

Madysen Ferris

Luke Furr

Jacob Garland

Grant Gockel

John T. Haenni

Ethan Hafner

Maura Harrison

Benjamin Harting

Jacob Heiderscheit

Mary Jensen

Kevin C. Knack

Elijah Leffelman

Kaylie Matera

Anne McCoy

Mary McDonnell

Teagan McKenna

Samantha Miller

Thomas Moore

Jacob Neisewander

Ryan Noble

Nate Olson

Brady Osborne

Elise Pasley

Catherine Payan

James Phelps

Michael Powers

Richard Rank

Jacob Rhodes

Zachary Rice

Brett Riley

Ryan Rude

Kate Ryan

Connor Schmall

Kyle Schmitt

Aaron Scroggins

Kelsey Simpson

Kalen Smith

Lakyn Waldschmidt

Brianna Walls

Sean Weir

John Wilson

Madalyn Wilson

Math Club Awards

IHSA Regional Champions

ICTM Regional Math Contest

Individual Written Awards:

1st Place Algebra I	Kyle Tunink
3rd Place Algebra I	Nathan Ahlers
1st Place Pre-Calc	Zi An (Merlin) Li
1st Place Algebra II	Kirsten Tunink

Team Awards:

1st Place Calculator	Kyle Tunink, Shay Hafner, Kirsten Tunink, Caleb Ardis, Zi An (Merlin) LI
1st Place Algebra I	Nathan Ahlers, Dean Ellorando, Avery Meyer, Benjamin Sheats, John Simpson, Kyle Tunink
2nd Place Pre-Calc	John D. Ackert, Kevin C. Knack, Zi An (Merlin) Li, Jacob Neisewander, Michael Powers, Jacob Rhodes
2nd Place Jr./Sr. 8 person	Jaedin Canterbury, Hannah Newberry, Abigail Phelps, Travis Williams, John D. Ackert, Kevin C. Knack, Jacob Neisewander, Jacob Rhodes
2nd Place Oral Competition	Eli Blaney, Caleb Ardis

American Mathematics Competition

AMC 12	
1st Place	Caleb Ardis
2nd Place	Kevin C. Knack, David Swegle
3rd Place	Kirsten Tunink
AMC 10 1st Place	David Swegle

Awards and Scholarships

Sterling-Rock Falls Community Trust Board Presented by John Miller	Sarah Davis Madyson Ferris John T. Haenni
Helen R. Dillon Memorial Presented by John Miller	Madyson Ferris
Lucile Sudbury Memorial Scholarship Presented by John Miller	Madyson Ferris
Home Hospital Scholarship Presented by John Miller	John T. Haenni
Rock Falls American Legion Scholarship Presented by Roger Jacobs	Richard Rank
Nucor Corporation Educational Scholarship	Nathan Olson
Kiwanis Scholarship	Teagan McKenna
KSB Healthcare Scholarship	Megan Carney Mary Jensen
Oregon Knight of Columbus Scholarship	Hannah Jones
National Propane Gas Association Scholarship	Samantha Miller
Fireside Scholarship Essay Finalist	Christopher Ahlers
Bob Woessner Memorial Scholarship—Sterling Rock Falls Men’s Club	Thomas Moore
John F. Wahl Scholarship	Kevin C. Knack
CGH Summer Scholars	Christopher Ahlers Megan Carney
Margaret Mary and John Smidebush Memorial Scholarship	Mary Jensen
Diane Castillo Carver Scholarship	Lakyn Waldschmidt

Awards and Scholarships

Daughters of the American Revolution	Jacob Neisewander
Comcast Leaders and Achievers Scholarship	Christopher Ahlers
Mary Maxine Redmond Scholarship	Sarah Davis Catherine Payan
Washington County Association of Home and Community Education Scholarship	Sean Weir
Kreider Alliance Scholarship	Elise Pasley
Illinois State Fair Superior Young Producer Award	Kaitlyn Collins
Rock River Roadrunners Presented by Pat Warkins	Christopher Ahlers

Illinois State Scholars

Christopher Ahlers	Terissa Brininger
Megan Carney	Kevin C. Knack
Jacob Neisewander	Elise Pasley

National Honor Society

Seniors

Christopher Ahlers	Jacob Heiderscheid	Elise Pasley
Aidan Bollman	Mary Jensen	Catherine Payan
Zachary Brauman	Hannah Jones	James Phelps
Terissa Brininger	Kevin C. Knack	Michael Powers
Megan Carney	Anne McCoy	Ryan Rude
Sarah Davis	Teagan McKenna	Connor Schmall
Grace Ely	Samantha Miller	Kelsey Simpson
Madyson Ferris	Thomas Moore	Lakyn Waldschmidt
Maura Harrison	Jacob Neisewander	

St. Timothy Award

John T. Haenni	Catherine Payan
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Newman Scholarships

Edward W. Grennan Memorial Scholarship	Olivia Boesen Bailey Boesen Nicholas Nailor Brianna Jackley Joselyn Reed
St. Andrew K of C Council #11874 Scholarship	Brianna Jackley Jacob Terveer
Helen (Long) Blomberg Scholarship	Tanner Doran
Louise Jacobs Scholarship	Travis Williams Lucas Olson
Rev. Matthew Allen Vanderbleek Scholarship	Alejandra Padilla
Mr. & Mrs. Manuel Villa Memorial Scholarship	Brentin Erickson Julianne Howard Juan Briseno
Margaret Mary and John Smidebush Memorial Scholarship	Karter Decker Devante J. Johnson

Music Awards

Arion Award	Hannah Jones
Music Director Award	Jacob Neisewander
Student Musical Director	Kassidy Heffelfinger
Choir Director Outstanding	Freshmen—Erin Kelly and Nathaniel Ahlers
Musician Ship Awards	Sophomore—Dion Tress and Jacob Terveer Junior—Audrey Melton and Baylie Howell Senior—James Phelps and Connor Schmall

Three Rivers Conference Choir

Mattea Bianchi	Zachary Brauman	Hannah Jones
Jarod Lehrke	Audrey Melton	James Phelps
Kaylin Sarver	Connor Schmall	Dion Tress

IMEA District VIII Festival Choir

Hannah Jones

Newman Scholarships

Maxine Redmond Scholarship	Baylei Ferris Jaedin Canterbury Mercedes Moore Mattea Bianchi Easton Bianchi Juan Briseno
Mr. & Mrs. Robert Wahl Scholarship	Victoria Erickson
Msgr. Raymond Wahl Memorial Scholarship	Devon House
Jerry McGinn Memorial Scholarship	Shay Hafner
John W. and Marie A. Schmitt Scholarship	Trevor Buser Hunter Buser
Msgr. Burns Scholarship	Karter Decker
Robert A. Propheter Scholarship	Jaxson Schabacker
Margaret (Flynn) Feltham Memorial Scholarship - Class of '76	Michael Frank
Rev. Leo Bartel Scholarship	Hannah Newberry
Ann Hermes Memorial Scholarship	Trevor Buser Hunter Buser Chase Graham
William & Patricia Eberley Memorial Scholarship	Julia Ardis
Peter Saucedo Memorial Scholarship - Class of '82	Torrie Bolin
Mary G. Haenni Memorial Scholarship	Bailey Boesen
John. F Wahl Scholarship	Alejandra Padilla Chase Graham Margaret Oswald Elizabeth Oswald Savannah Skinner Michaela Skinner
Newman Scholarship Class of 1960	Julianne Howard Riley Vondra Kyle Yde
Theresa Smith Scholarship	Victoria Erickson

College Scholarships

DePaul University Presidential Academic Scholarship and Athletic Scholarship	Christopher Ahlers
Morrison Institute of Technology Counselor Scholarship	Aidan Bollman
Northern Illinois Merit Scholarship, Huskie Legacy	Terissa Brininger
Missouri Southern State University Yours to Lose Scholarship, Presidential Scholarship and Lion Pride Scholarship	Megan Carney
University of Northern Iowa Good Neighbor Award, Out of State Scholar Award and Out of State Legacy Award	Sarah Davis
Knox College Founders Scholarship, Service and Leadership Scholarship, Scripps Scholarship and Grant Award	Madyson Ferris
Muscatine Community College Ruth Scholarship	John T. Haenni
Ellsworth Community College Meritorius Scholarship, Leadership Scholarship and Housing Scholarship	Ethan Hafner
The University of Alabama Collegiate Scholar Scholarship	Maura Harrison
Morrison Institute of Technology Counselor Scholarship	Jacob Heiderscheit
St. Ambrose University Academic Scholarship	Mary Jensen
University of Hartford Presidential Scholarship	Hannah Jones
Iowa State University Award for Competitive Excellence	Kevin C. Knack
Monmouth College Dean's Scholarship	Teagan McKenna
Iowa State University Award of Competitive Excellence and Generations Scholarship	Thomas Moore

College Scholarships

Highland Community College Baseball Scholarship	Nathan Olson
Quincy University Franciscan Service Scholarship, Legacy Scholarship, Presidential Scholarship and St. Francis Solanus Scholarship	Elis Pasley
Edgewood College Aspiring Writer Scholarship, Dominican Honor Scholarship, Edgewood Grant and Mazzuchelli Award	Catherine Payan
Creighton University Academic Scholarship, University Grant and Board of Trustees Scholarship	James Phelps
St. Olaf College Dean's Scholarship	Michael Powers
Highland Community College Baseball Scholarship	Richard Rank
Monmouth College Theater Arts Scholarship	Connor Schmall
St. Ambrose Independent Designated Scholarship	Kaylin Sarver
Upper Iowa University Alumni Scholarship, Presidential Scholarship and Special Grant	Kelsey Simpson
Knox College Scholarship and Grant	Kalen Smith
Quincy University Franciscan Service Scholarship, St. Francis Solanus Scholarship and QU Women's Softball Grant	Lakyn Waldschmidt
Morrison Institute of Technology Counselor Scholarship	Sean Weir

Newman Scholarships

Urban (Ben) & Mary Francque Memorial Scholarship	Jonathon Rhodes
Bittorf Family Scholarship Presented by Betsy Bittorf Maxson	Bailey Boesen Brady Moran Liam McDonnell Brooke Richardson Mackensie Richardson
Class of 1952 Scholarship Presented by Bill Stotzer	Natalie Brotheridge Margaret Oswald Abigail Phelps
Sr. Silver Fox - Class of 1971 Scholarship Presented by Richard Webber and Bill Glick	Colin Roberts Bailey Boesen Tanner Doran Natalie Brotheridge Olivia Boesen Travis Williams Hannah Newberry
Richard N. Webber Jr. & Ronald Webber '72 Memorial Scholarship Presented by Richard Webber and Family	Bailey Boesen Jacob Terveer Lucas Velasquez
Thomas A. McGinn Family Scholarship Presented by Christine McGinn	Gehrig Koerner Jacob Terveer
Depasquale Family Scholarship	Brianna Jackley Torrie Bolin
Sr. Rosemary Keegan SL Memorial Scholarship	Abigail Phelps Shannon Weir
Cheshier Family Scholarship Presented by Dorothy Cheshier	Travis Williams
Sr. Clarice Memorial Scholarship - Class of '85	Kelly Rockhold
Eileen Puskedra(Mrs. P) Scholarship	Hannah Dixon
Matthew E. and Helen E. Grennan Memorial Scholarship	Cade Bianchi