

2011 NATIONAL NEWMAN CONFERENCE

Newman and Education



**Saint Anselm College
Welcomes the
2011 National Newman Conference**

“The result is a formation of mind—that is, a habit of order and system, a habit of referring every accession of knowledge to what we already know, and of adjusting the one with the other; and, moreover, as such a habit implies, the actual acceptance and use of certain principles as centres of thought, around which our knowledge grows and is located. Where this critical faculty exists, history is no longer a mere story-book, or biography a romance; orators and publications of the day are no longer infallible authorities; eloquent diction is no longer a substitute for matter, nor bold statements, or lively descriptions, a substitute for proof.”

- JHN, *Idea of a University*

Conference Thematics: Our eighteen presentations explore sundry sides to the Conference theme. Some situate Newman vis-à-vis others: Sir Robert Peel, Pope Benedict XVI, and the Benedictine tradition itself. Additional presentations examine influences on him such as from the cities of Rome and Oxford. Not surprisingly, *Idea of a University* gets scrutinized: the roles of theology and of the church’s superintending function, the cultivation of mind in liberal education, to mention a few analyses. The dynamics of tutorial education and of residential colleges, the place of catechetics – all these presentations and others await us at the 2011 Conference.

The Newman Association of America takes as its purpose the dissemination of knowledge of the life, views, and writings of John Henry Newman and the promotion of the cause of his canonization.

In September 2010, Pope Benedict XVI beatified Newman, conferring upon him the title “Blessed,” that is, worthy of reverence in recognition of his having practiced virtue to an extraordinary degree.

The Association publishes three newsletters per year, which are included with annual membership, for a minimum \$25 donation. We welcome your inquiries about the conference and the Association.

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Conference Schedule

Thursday, July 28

1:00 – 3:00	Registration, Dana Center
3:00 – 3:50	Concurrent Session 1, Dana Center
5:00	Eucharist, Abbey Church
6:30	Dinner, Davison Hall
7:30 – 8:30	Plenary Forum: Recollections of the Beatification, Discussion on Teaching Newman, Davison Hall, Dr. Robert C. Christie, Moderator
8:30	NAA Sponsored Social

Friday, July 29

7:00 – 8:30	Breakfast, Davison Hall
8:30 – 9:20	Concurrent Session 2, Dana Center
9:40 – 10:30	Concurrent Session 3, Dana Center
10:50 – 11:40	Concurrent Session 4, Dana Center
12:00 – 2:00	Lunch, Davison Hall, Break
2:00 – 2:50	Concurrent Session 5, Dana Center
3:10 – 4:00	Concurrent Session 6, Dana Center
5:00	Eucharist, Abbey Church
6:30	Banquet, Davison Hall
7:30	Open Mike Plenary Session, Davison Hall
8:30	Hospitality with Cash Bar

Saturday, July 30

7:00 – 8:30	Breakfast, Davison Hall
8:30 – 9:15	Conventual Mass, Abbey Church
9:30 – 10:20	Concurrent Session 7, Dana Center
10:30 – 11:20	Concurrent Session 8, Dana Center
11:30 – 12:20	Concurrent Session 9, Dana Center
12:30	Lunch, Davison Hall, and Departure

Accommodations will be in single or shared rooms in St. Joan of Arc Hall, located on the Saint Anselm College campus, with shared hallway bathrooms. A limited number of apartments for married couples, with private baths, are available elsewhere on campus.

For those who prefer alternate accommodations, we recommend The Hampton Inn & Suites Manchester-Bedford, (603) 623-2040 will offer a modest university discount and shuttle service to campus. Also, some single rooms are available at the monastery for priests and brothers. Contact Duane Bruce at dbruce@anselm.edu for this option. If you choose one of these arrangements, register for *Non-residential* Participation.

Meals will be provided by campus catering services in Davison Hall.

Transportation:

By Air: Manchester-Boston Regional Airport, a short cab ride from Saint Anselm College, is served by major carriers. Boston's Logan Airport is an approximate hour and a half drive. Van service and rental car agencies are available.

By Car: Driving directions will be sent with confirmation of registration.

Parking: Free parking is available in the parking lot between the Dana Center and St. Joan of Arc Hall.

Conference Registration

Choose ONE
of the following two options:

Full Conference Participation:

Includes fees for conference sessions, all meals, and two nights lodging on the Saint Anselm campus. Please note that costs are the same per person per night, regardless of room choice.

Single Room - \$290 per person

**Shared Room - \$290 per person
Roommate:**

**Apartment - \$290 per person
Roommate:**

Non-residential Participation:

Includes fees for conference sessions, Thursday dinner, lunch and dinner on Friday, and lunch on Saturday. No lodging included. Use this option if you are lodging at the Hampton Inn or the monastery. **\$190 per person**

Discounts:

Students and presenters may deduct **\$20** from their conference fees. Only one discount may be taken.

TOTAL AMOUNT DUE:

\$

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

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E-mail Address: _____

Please make check payable to **NAA**

Registration and Fees are due by July 10, 2011

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