

MINISTRY DEVELOPMENT FELLOWSHIPS

A few words of explanation.

For the past 10 years the Newman Center has been able to offer students the ability to work in an area of ministry of their choosing while providing a stipend of \$3,000.00 to offset their living expenses during the school year.

The Newman Center will offer a total of 5 Fellowships to eligible students. The explanations below identify the areas of ministry that are considered most useful to the programs we offer at the Newman Center.

5 Fellowships offered for the 2011-2012 Academic year

- Liturgical Music - One (1) Fellowship that allows a student to gain skills in leading and organizing music for the Newman Center Liturgies with an effort made towards encouraging student involvement. An ability to lead music at the Sat. 4:30pm and Thurs. 10:00pm Liturgies is preferred for this Ministry.
- Justice and Peace/Social Justice Ministries - One (1) Fellowship in which the student will work towards educating and encouraging involvement of students in the Peace and Justice tradition of the Roman Catholic Church. Blood Drives, Service Trips, Habitat Builds and helping local organizations are a few typical examples.
- Faith Sharing/Bible Study - One (1) Fellowship in which the student will help organize and oversee weekly and seasonal (Advent and Lent) Bible Studies and Faith Sharing experiences at the Newman Center and possibly around Campus.
- Campus Outreach - Two (2) Fellowships are awarded in this area. The two students will visit Catholic students on campus each week. Informing them of the ministry of the Newman Center and inviting them to participate in the various programs offered.

Working with a Staff mentor, these Fellows learn ministry skills and exercise these skills with Newman Center members. At times some students have teamed up to share the responsibilities of a single Fellowship; splitting the stipend and sharing the work load.

Good luck with your proposal!