

### Brewed Awakening w/ Fr. Friedel - Sept. 8

Enjoy late night coffee and snacks while participating in a faith-based discussion led by Fr. Friedel as we launch our new 'Brewed Awakening' series! Each month, a guest speaker will host a roundtable discussion that focuses on a relevant topic of faith.

Our first Brewed Awakening is Wednesday, Sept. 8 from 8-9pm in Pilling Chapel. If you have a topic of interest you'd like us to feature in Brewed Awakening, email Tom.

*"Awake, O sleeper, and arise from the dead, and Christ will give you light."*

*Ephesians 5:14*



### Catholic Q&A

Sunday, Sept. 12 - After Mass

Ask anything you want to know about the Catholic faith!

Before Mass, write anonymous questions on blank pieces of paper and put them in the basket. After Mass, we'll gather in a circle and answer each question. Food and drinks will be provided.

### Adoration & Confession - Sept. 13

Join us for Adoration & Confession! Adoration is a special time to pray in front of the Blessed Sacrament, and music and candles will further enhance the experience.

Fr. Friedel will be available for optional Confession, which is the sacrament through which our sins are forgiven and we become united with God.

Adoration & Confession is Monday, Sept. 13 from 7-8pm in Pilling Chapel.



Students enjoyed a cookout after Mass on Sunday, August 29. Thank you for living your faith on campus!



### EIU Panther Awakening Retreat

Eastern Illinois University's Newman Community invites our students to participate in their Panther Awakening Retreat from September 24-26! In addition to meeting students from EIU, you'll build bonds with other Millikin students so you can live faith more deeply here on campus. Our campus ministry will cover the cost to attend.

If interested, contact Tom: [tprior@millikin.edu](mailto:tprior@millikin.edu)

### Campus Reflection

*Marah Kiefer - Treasurer*

When starting college, I wasn't sure what all I wanted to be involved in but was willing to try to see where I fit best within the campus community. I knew I wanted to see if Newman would be a place where I would fit in being that starting college, I was not big into my faith. After giving Newman a chance, I realized how welcoming and accepting everyone was to anyone, regardless of differences. Now I am the Newman Catholic treasurer and am working with the most amazing group of people that I have ever had the pleasure of working with.

At this point, acceptance is important whether it be acceptance of others or acceptance of themselves. Everyone is human and deserves to be treated as such by others, along with being able to embrace their unique qualities. Some people only wish for the acceptance they have been denied by others, and as a community, it is important to not let the differences blind you to the fact that each person is still human and a creation of God. Even when we are not accepted by other people we are always accepted by God.



### Sunday Mass 11:30am – Pilling Chapel

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