

The Pittsburgh Oratory
of Saint Philip Neri

Catholic Newman Center



ANNOUNCEMENT FROM THE PROVOST: MAIN CHAPEL IN FULL OPERATION!

November 8, 2024

Dear Friends,

It brings me great joy to announce that our new organ has been installed and the Oratory's Main Chapel is back to its full operation! All Masses, Confessions, and Adoration have resumed there. At some point in the next few months, we will update the chapel lighting and make adjustments to the choir loft, but until then, we are back to using the chapel full time.

One of the questions we received during the Campaign was whether or not the organ will be played at all Masses moving forward? In short, no. We will reserve the use of the organ to (most) weekend Masses, solemnities, and feast days. For a list of which Masses will have organ music, please visit the Sacred Music section of our website.

As far as these updates go, we will be providing less of them now that our fundraising goal has been met and the construction is nearing its completion. We will let you know if anything newsworthy comes up!

It is amazing to think that we began the campaign less than a year ago. We already enjoy a renewed chapel and a magnificent new pipe organ, and soon we will enjoy the use of a refurbished student center. Thank you for your help!

In Christ and St. Philip,

Fr. Michael Darcy, C.O.
Provost, The Pittsburgh Oratory

November 10 - Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, November 9 *The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica*

10:00am A Special Intention

Sunday, November 10 *Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time*

4:00pm (Sat.) Holy Souls in Purgatory

9:00am Dolly Sanquido †

11:00am Mark Gilloon ^{Birth}day

4:00pm Pilar Delgado †

9:00pm Patricia Milholland †

Monday, November 11 *Saint Martin of Tours*

7:00am Cecelia Will ^{Birth}day

5:15pm Grace Dorsey Ogg †

9:00pm Holy Souls in Purgatory

Tuesday, November 12 *Saint Joseph*

7:00am Tom Skrab †

5:15pm Kristin Gottron ^{Birth}day

9:00pm A Special Intention

Wednesday, November 13 *Saint Frances Xavier Cabrini*

7:00am Clarice Gedeist † Anniversary

5:15pm Emily Teodorski ^{Birth}day

9:00pm (Heinz Chapel) Current Newman Center Students Intentions
All Students in Bible Studies this semester

Thursday, November 14 *Weekday*

7:00am Martin Shaw †

5:15pm Mike & Molly Rosaschi ^{Wedding} Anniversary

9:00pm Rio Preisner †

Friday, November 15 *Weekday*

7:00am Joseph Tardio †

5:15pm Bernie O'Brien †

Saturday, November 16 *Weekday*

10:00am All Living and Deceased Priests

Sunday, November 17 *Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time*

4:00pm (Sat.) Ryan Walsh † ^{Birth}day

9:00am Ish McLaughlin † ^{Birth}day

11:00am Anthony DiCicco ^{Birth}day

4:00pm A Special Intention

9:00pm Maria Rosa Araujo †

Sanctuary Lamp & Altar Flowers

To request a Mass intention or to offer the Sanctuary Lamp/Altar Flowers for an intention, please visit the front desk or call in Monday-Friday 8:00am-4:00pm.

MASS AND CONFESSIONS

- HOLY MASS -

Sunday: 9:00am, 11:00am, 4:00pm, 9:00pm

Monday: 7:00am, 5:15pm, 9:00pm

Tuesday: 7:00am, 5:15pm, 9:00pm

Wednesday: 7:00am, 5:15pm, *9:00pm

Thursday: 7:00am, 5:15pm, 9:00pm

Friday: 7:00am, 5:15pm

Saturday: 10:00am, 4:00pm

**The Wednesday 9:00pm Mass takes place at Heinz Chapel.*

PLEASE NOTE: There will only be **one Mass at 10am on the**

following holidays: Independence Day, Labor Day,

Thanksgiving Day, Day after Thanksgiving, Memorial Day.

There will be **no scheduled confessions** on these holidays.

- CONFESSIONS -

Sunday: 2:00 - 4:00pm

Monday - Friday: 12:00 - 1:00pm and 4:00 - 5:00pm

Saturday: 12:00 - 1:00pm and 3:00 - 4:00pm

PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Perpetual Adoration except during Mass and on Tuesday mornings from 7am-10am. If you are interested in signing up for an hour, please visit: pghco.org/adoration

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CAMPUS MINISTRY GROUPS AND EVENTS

SCHOOL YEAR GROUPS AND EVENTS - ALL STUDENTS ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND

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| <p style="text-align: center;">Newman Night</p> <p>Join fellow undergrads and the campus ministers in the basement of St. Paul Cathedral for pizza, refreshments, and a rousing discussion on the issues of the day.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sundays at 7pm (immediately following St. Paul's 6pm Mass), St. Paul Cathedral basement</p> | <p style="text-align: center;">Mass on Campus: Chatham</p> <p>Come attend Mass on campus in the Campbell Memorial Chapel, every Sunday at 1pm</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sundays at 1pm, Campbell Memorial Chapel</p> |
| <p style="text-align: center;">Mass on Campus: CMU</p> <p>Come attend Mass on campus in the Wright-Rogal Chapel at 5pm. Confession offered prior to Mass at 4:30pm.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Mondays at 5pm, Wright-Rogal Chapel</p> | <p style="text-align: center;">Mass on Campus: Pitt</p> <p>Come attend Mass on campus in Heinz Chapel at 9pm, then head back to the Oratory for food and socializing!</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Wednesdays at 9pm, Heinz Chapel</p> |
| <p style="text-align: center;">Chit Chats</p> <p>Discussion group on various Catholic topics, on campus at CMU.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Thursdays at 8pm, Wright-Rogal Chapel</p> | <p style="text-align: center;">First Friday Feast</p> <p>In honor of the Sacred Heart, on the first Friday of every month enjoy a delicious dinner with friends new and old.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">First Friday of every month, following the 5:15pm Mass</p> |

Bible Studies

Connect with a FOCUS Missionary and join a weekly Bible Study!

Pitt Students: Contact Dan Tully (daniel.tully@focus.org) for men's groups or Marykate O'Brien (marykate.obrien@focus.org) for women's groups.

CMU Students: Contact Morgan Gillis (morgan.gillis@focus.org) for men's groups or Abbie Hedglen (abigail.hedglen@focus.org) for women's groups.

CONNECT WITH CAMPUS MINISTRY

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| <p>Undergrad Discord: pghco.org/discord</p> <p>Instagram: @catholicnewmanclub412</p> <p>Facebook: @PittsburghNewmanClub @tartancatholic</p> | <p style="text-align: center;">Pitt FOCUS Team</p> <p>Marykate O'Brien, Director - marykate.obrien@focus.org Constance Viollet - constance.viollet@focus.org Katie Creamer - katherine.creamer@focus.org Dan Tully - daniel.tully@focus.org Joseph Heaney - joseph.heaney@focus.org John Wang - john.wang@focus.org</p> | <p style="text-align: center;">CMU FOCUS Team</p> <p>Abbie Hedglen, Director - abigail.hedglen@focus.org Corinne Gorski - corinne.gorski@focus.org Morgan Gillis - morgan.gillis@focus.org Matthew Ayers - matthew.ayers@focus.org</p> |
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LITTLE ORATORY GROUPS AND EVENTS

ALL ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND

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| <p style="text-align: center;">Sunday Coffee and Donuts</p> <p>Please sign up to bring donuts and bagels (<i>you can be reimbursed</i>). Visit pghco.org/donuts for more info.</p> <p>PLEASE NOTE: Due to ongoing construction on the Oratory's basement level, Sunday Coffee/Donuts is temporarily paused for the foreseeable future. Stay tuned for details on the return of Sunday Coffee and Donuts soon!</p> | <p style="text-align: center;">Solemn Vespers</p> <p>Join the Oratorians for Solemn Vespers every Sunday.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sundays at 5:15pm in the Chapel</p> |
| <p style="text-align: center;">Children's Holy Half Hour</p> <p>On the second Friday of the month, children are invited to spend time before Our Lord in Adoration. The holy-hour will be most accessible to children 4+ (some prayers will be read), but younger children are able to participate and are most welcome.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Friday December 13, 10:30-11AM</p> | <p style="text-align: center;">Bible Study: Sunday Mass Readings</p> <p>Join Father Mike every Thursday in reading, studying, and reflecting on the themes and lessons of the Sunday Mass readings.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Thursday November 14, 3pm, in-person AND on Zoom at pghco.org/biblestudyzoom</p> <p>Sign up for emails & announcements at pghco.org/biblestudy-email</p> |

LITTLE ORATORY GROUPS AND EVENTS - *CONTINUED*

Oratory Lecture Series

Join the Oratorian Fathers and Brothers as they present a lecture on a topic of their choosing, ranging from Scripture, liturgy, prayer, and Oratorian spirituality. The group begins with drinks, snacks, and fellowship. All are welcome! Held the last Thursday of every month.*

Thursday November 21*, 6:30pm - Drinks & Snacks, 7-8:30pm - Lecture & Discussion

*Please note, this month's lecture series will take place on 11/21 rather than the last Thursday of the month due to the Thanksgiving holiday.

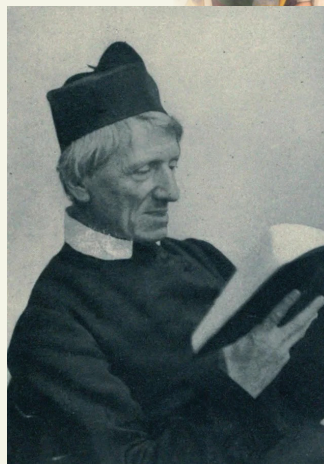
The Oratory Lecture Series Presents

THE MONOPHYSITE CONTROVERSY: CROSSROADS AT CHALCEDON

In the early centuries of the Church, the Monophysites ("mono" = one, "physus" = nature) believed that Christ had one nature, a combination of human and divine. Against this view, the Church clarified at the Council of Chalcedon that Christ has two natures, that He is fully human and fully divine.

Monophysites thought they were holding a middle position – a "via media." St. John Henry Newman, nearing his own conversion to Roman Catholicism, found his "via media" of the Anglican Church in the same situation, not holding to a Christological heresy, but instead holding an errant way of reconciling tensions between Protestantism and Roman Catholicism.

This lecture goes deep in history, so that we can learn the lessons and remain faithful to Christ, true God and true man.



THURSDAY,
NOV 21

6:30pm
Drinks & Snacks

7-8:30pm
Lecture & Discussion



Solemn Vespers

Join the
Oratorian Fathers
every Sunday
at 5:15pm for sung
Solemn Vespers.