



Newman Community

CATHOLIC CAMPUS MINISTRY AT VIRGINIA TECH

SUNDAY READINGS

OCTOBER 29, 2017

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Exodus 22:20-26

1 Thessalonians 1:5C-10

Matthew 22:34-40

FEATURED ANNOUNCEMENTS

All Saints' Day Masses

11/1, 5:30 & 9:00 PM: This Wednesday, November 1st, is the Solemnity of All Saints—and a Holy Day of Obligation. Masses will be offered at 5:30 and 9:00 PM in the War Memorial Chapel. Saints become saints by hanging out with other saints; so bring a friend with you to Mass!

Student Campus Minister Discernment

Friday 11/3–Sunday 11/5: All are encouraged to help discern our community's next student campus minister! On Friday at 7:00 PM, we'll come together at the Newman House to discuss where we are as a community, where we want to be as a community, and the traits that we desire our student campus minister to possess. The following day, on Saturday, we will NOT meet as a community; but we ask that everyone take the discernment process of student campus minister to prayer. On Sunday, we'll meet at 2:30 PM at the Newman House and eventually come to a unanimous decision about who we will call upon to help lead our community. Only those who are present on Friday evening can attend Sunday's gathering. You are still invited to come on Friday evening if you cannot come on Sunday, and we ask for everyone's prayers over the next couple of weeks for the intention of our community and its servant leaders.

WEEK IN REVIEW

SUNDAY 10/29

Normal Liturgy Schedule
Sunday Supper • 6:00 PM

MONDAY 10/30

Normal Liturgy Schedule

TUESDAY 10/31

Normal Liturgy Schedule
Halloween!
RCIA • 8:30 PM

WEDNESDAY 11/1

All Saints' Day!
Mass • 5:30 PM, 9:00 PM

THURSDAY 11/2

Normal Liturgy Schedule
Melchizedek Project • 6:15 PM
Mary Martha Ministry • 7:30 PM

FRIDAY 11/3

Normal Liturgy Schedule
SCM Discernment • 7:00 PM

SATURDAY 11/4

Normal Liturgy Schedule
Casino Night • 7:30 PM
VT Football @ Miami • 8:00 PM

NEW UPDATES *The latest on all things Newman*

Women's Retreat: I Will Not Be Shaken

November 10-12

The annual Diocese of Richmond College Women's Retreat is a chance for you to join together with other Catholic ladies to grow in both faith and fellowship. Join us from November 10th to 12th at the Watermarks Camp in Scottsville, VA. Sign up online at evangelizerichmond.org/events/collegewomensretreat2017 and be sure to use this discount code for VT students: VTWRP.

Casino Night

Sat. 11/4, 7:30-11:00 PM

The Daughters of Isabella and Knights of Columbus will be co-hosting a Casino Night on Saturday at the Newman House. There'll be food, games, and dancing! Dress is semi-formal and the entrance fee is \$5, but bring more money if you'll want to buy extra chips.

COMING UP SOON

Theology of Women • 11/7
Praise and Worship • 11/7
Square Sunday • 11/12
Newman Thanksgiving • 11/14

Newman Spotify

Newman has a Spotify account in the works! This account will be used at events and will offer playlists for a variety of topics (like studying, praise & worship, relaxing, etc.) to those with personal Spotify accounts. Follow us on Spotify by searching for "John Henry Newman" in the Spotify search bar. If you have any suggestions or questions, please email music@vtcatholic.com.

Sunday Supper

today, 6:00 PM

Come down to the Newman House at 6:00 PM for our weekly Sunday Supper! This week, we'll be serving Chicken Parmesan with salad and ice cream for dessert.

Matthew 25 Partner

Youth Apostles Institute

This week's Matthew 25 Partner is the Youth Apostles Institute, a group of priests and laymen who are committed to evangelize, teach, advise, challenge, console, and love the young with the ultimate purpose of inspiring them to live Christ-like lives that are centered on prayer and the Sacraments in the Catholic Church. They form members and volunteers in faith, fellowship, service, and youth ministry. They minister in several states and serve thousands of young people each year, especially here at VT.

BUT WAIT, THERE'S MORE!**Is Halloween Catholic?**

Halloween is a name that means nothing by itself—it's a contraction of "All Hallows Eve," and it designates the vigil of All Hallows Day, more commonly known today as All Saints' Day. (hallow, as a noun, is an old English word for saint; as a verb, hallow means to make something holy or to honor it as holy) Both the feast of All Saints' Day (11/1) and its vigil (10/31) have been celebrated since the early 8th century, when they were instituted in Rome by Pope Gregory III. A century later, the feast and its vigil were extended to the Church at large by Pope Gregory IV. Today, All Saints' Day is a Holy Day of Obligation, when we're called to attend Mass.

Despite concerns among some Catholics and other Christians in recent years about the "pagan origins" of Halloween, there really are none. While Christians who are opposed to the celebration of Halloween frequently claim that it descends from the Celtic harvest festival of Samhain, substantial evidence is nonexistent.

SUNDAY MASS

10 AM, 12 PM, 8 PM
(all at the War Memorial Chapel)

DAILY MASS

Mondays • 5:30 PM

Tuesdays • 5:30 PM

Wednesdays • 12:30, 5:30 PM

Thursdays • 5:30 PM, 9 PM

Fridays • 5:30 PM

Saturdays • 9 AM

(all at the Newman House)

RECONCILIATION

Sundays • 9–9:50 AM,
11:20–11:50 AM, 7–7:50 PM
(at the War Memorial Chapel)

Tuesdays • 3:15–4:45 PM

(at the War Memorial Chapel)

Thursdays • 8–8:45 PM

(at the Newman House)

Or by appointment

(contact Fr. David)

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Mondays–Fridays • 2–5 PM

Thursdays • 6–9 PM

(all at the Newman House)

DAILY PRAYER

Mondays–Fridays • 9:30 AM,
5 PM, 10:30 PM

(all at the Newman House)

NIGHT PRAYER

Every night at 10:30 PM

(all at the Newman House)

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