



# Catholic Hokies

Catholic Campus Ministry  
at Virginia Tech

## FEATURED NEWS

### CCM Summit 2020: Known

Join your fellow Hokies at the annual CCM Summit! This event is 24 hours overnight in Richmond along with other schools both in the Richmond diocese as well as those traveling further! Come for fellowship, praise and worship, and to hear inspiring speakers. The cost for students within the Richmond Diocese (Virginia Tech is part of the diocese) is just \$25! You can register at the link in the email BEFORE February 3.



#### NEWS UPDATES: THE LATEST ON ALL THINGS NEWMAN (MORE ON THE BACK!)

**Super Bowl Party**  
Sunday, 2/2, 6:00 PM

Come out to the Newman House this Sunday February 2nd at 6PM to watch the Super Bowl! We will have couches and food set up in the Great Room for the big game! Hope to see you all there!

**Two for Two Hundred**

As we begin our celebration of the Bicentennial of our Richmond Diocese, I offer to you a **2 for 2 hundred invitation-challenge**. That we might richly celebrate this year (Jan 2020-Jan 2021), and draw closer to the Lord, while helping our friends do the same, **two** opportunities: First, I would ask each and every one of you to consider attending Mass **two** times each week. Sunday, of course, as the Church asks of us, but also one other time to grow in faith and honor God. Second, attend **two** major diocesan events during this Bicentennial year. Summit (Feb 8-9) would be the first event, and the end of the year Eucharistic Congress (Nov Nov 6-7) would be the second (more details to follow later). AND, when I attend these **two** events, I will bring along **two** of my friends. Let's bring it!

**Knights of Columbus  
Chore Drive**

February 29<sup>th</sup> and March 28<sup>th</sup>

Love a clean apartment but don't like doing it yourself? The Knights of Columbus will be doing a chore drive on Feb. 29 and Mar. 28. We will be doing household cleaning, cooking, and grocery shopping for a small fee. Details to follow.

#### MASS READINGS

February 2, 2020  
Feast of the Presentation of the Lord

MAL 3:1-4  
PS 24:7-10  
HEB 2:14-18  
LK 2:22-40

#### EVENTS IN ADVANCE: DATES TO PUT IN YOUR CALENDAR!

**Sunday 2/2**

8PM Mass moved to 5PM  
Super Bowl Party – 6:00PM

**Wednesday 2/5**

Holy Hour for Vocations – 8:00PM

**Friday 2/7**

12:30PM Mass only

**Friday-Saturday 2/7-2/8**

CCM Summit in Richmond

Unless specifically mentioned here, assume the Normal Liturgy Schedule applies

(Normal Liturgy Schedule on reverse side)

**Post-Grad/Young Adult Interest**

Attention all graduate students and young adults in the area: are you interested in a way to build community and to have access to continued spiritual formation? We are currently working on forming a group to foster community among this demographic in the Blacksburg area. Email Millie Griesemer at [griesemer.millie@gmail.com](mailto:griesemer.millie@gmail.com) if you are interested or want more information.

**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 • 3:30-4:45 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)

**LITURGY OF THE HOURS (DAILY PRAYER)**

Mondays-Fridays • 9:30 AM,  
5 PM, 10:30 PM  
(all at the Newman House)

Newman House Address:  
203 Otey St.  
Blacksburg, VA 24060

**February Holy Hour for Vocations**

Wednesday, 2/5, 8:00 PM

This month, we will be praying for men & women in consecrated life. February 2nd, the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord which is the Sunday before our Holy Hour, also marks annually the World Day for Consecrated Life in our Church (instituted by Pope St. John Paul II in 1997). We will be praying for those consecrated to God by the vows of chastity, poverty and obedience that they may seek to live their baptismal promises more intensely and have the grace to persevere in their commitment to the Lord and serve with open hearts and willing spirits.

**Spring Intramural Sports**

Are you interested in playing an intramural sport this semester? We will be forming teams for coed basketball, inner tube water polo, indoor soccer, 4v4 flag football, ultimate frisbee and softball! All are welcome and invite your friends! There will be one game a week, starting tentatively based on the sport. If you are interested, fill out the form in the survey and you will be contacted further.

**Follow us on Instagram and Facebook!**

Follow our social media accounts to keep up to date on everything happening in the community! Check out our Instagram ([@CatholicHokie](#)) as well as our official [Facebook Page](#). You can also join the Newman: newman, Newman, NEWMAN Facebook Group to get in touch with other people in the community (just search it in Facebook and we will approve you to join)!

**Interested in Helping out at Mass?**

We are always in need of people to help out with our Sunday Masses – especially altar servers, lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, greeters, singers, and musicians! Fill out the form in the email if you are interested in helping out, and someone will be in contact with you soon!

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