



# Catholic Hokies

Catholic Campus Ministry  
at Virginia Tech

## FEATURED NEWS

### Valentine's Letter Writing

Stop by the St. Ignatius Room at the Newman House on Wednesday (02/10) from 1:00-5:00 pm and Thursday from 3:30-5:00 pm to craft and write Valentine's Day letters to your friends, family, or our Catholic Hokie Alumni! There may be some SWEET incentives if you guys come write letters...We will have everything you need and will be sending them for you! So bring some addresses, your friends and we will see you there! Have any questions? Email [cschoeb7@vt.edu](mailto:cschoeb7@vt.edu) or [mzruth2000@vt.edu](mailto:mzruth2000@vt.edu)

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

**Melchizedek Project** The Melchizedek Project, a group for ordinary men who are trying to figure out what God is asking of them regarding their state in life vocation, will again be gathering on Thursday evenings, 6:15-7:45 pm for dinner and discussion. We will meet on the following evenings. PLEASE add these dates to your calendars: Feb 11, 18, Mar 4, 18, 25, Apr 8, 22. If you would like to find out more, please speak with Father David.

**Form for Graduating Seniors** Please fill out [this form](#) if you are a senior graduating in May 2021. The Newman community has a tradition of doing something special for the graduating seniors at the end of the semester and we would like to continue that this semester. If you have any questions, please reach out to Maggie Moran at [maggiem99@vt.edu](mailto:maggiem99@vt.edu)

**Letters of Love and Basketball** Call all women! If you are looking for a community of women centered around Christ, come join Sisters in Christ! We are hosting our first recruitment event celebrating Galentine's Day on **February 13<sup>th</sup> at 12:00 pm** as we write letters that will be given to residents at English Meadows and watch the Tech basketball game against the Cardinals! The event will be in the Great Room.

**Sisterhood of Saints Series** Come listen to Elena Adinaro talk about preparing for and living a fruitful Lent on **February 15<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm** in the Great Room. Link to sign up is [here](#) and on Instagram [@sic\\_vt](#).

**Parish Information Form** Calling all students! We need your help! Our ministry wants to connect with your home parish to see how we can be of service to them. Please take a minute to fill out [this parish form](#). Thank you very much! Questions? Contact Mercedes at [mzruth2000@vt.edu](mailto:mzruth2000@vt.edu) or Chris at [cschoeb7@vt.edu](mailto:cschoeb7@vt.edu).

## MASS READINGS

February 7th, 2021  
5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

JOB 7: 1-4, 6-7  
PS 147: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6  
1 COR 9: 16-19, 22-23  
MK 1: 29-39

Check out Fr. David's homilies online at [vtcatholic.com/homily](http://vtcatholic.com/homily)

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

**Wednesday 2/10 and Thursday 2/11**  
Valentine's Day Card Writing

**Saturday 2/13**  
Sister's in Christ: Letters of Love and Basketball

**Monday 2/15**  
Sisterhood of Saints Series

**Wednesday 2/17**  
Ash Wednesday

Unless specifically mentioned here, assume the Normal Liturgy Schedule applies

(Normal Liturgy Schedule on reverse side)

**NEWS UPDATES****THE LATEST ON ALL THINGS NEWMAN****NORMAL SCHEDULE****Weekly Rosary**

Join the Knights of Columbus on **Sundays at 3:00pm** either at the Newman House or on Zoom for a weekly rosary! Zoom link is: <https://virginiatech.zoom.us/j/94770297905>

**Stewardship**

Stewardship is planned giving and does not leave giving to chance. It challenges us to plan. It asks us to prayerfully, and deliberately, appraise what we are doing with our time our talent and treasure.

**Catholic Hokie Social Media**

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, and Eucharistic Ministers! Contact Kieran Koch at [kierank@vt.edu](mailto:kierank@vt.edu) if you are interested in helping out!

**SUNDAY MASS**

11 AM, 5 PM, 8 PM  
(check for weekly location)

**DAILY MASS**

Mondays • 12:30, 5:30 PM  
Tuesdays • 12:30, 5:30 PM  
Wednesdays • 12:30, 5:30 PM  
Thursdays • 12:30, 5:30 PM  
Fridays • 12:30, 5:30 PM  
Saturdays • 9 AM  
(all at the Newman House)

**RECONCILIATION**

Sundays • 10-10:45 AM,  
4:00-4:45 PM, 7-7:45 PM  
(same location as Mass)  
Tuesdays • 3:30-4:45 PM  
(at the Newman House)  
Wednesdays • 8:00-8:45 PM  
(at the Newman House)

Or by appointment  
(contact Fr. David)

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION**

Mondays-Fridays • 2-5 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)

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