



Catholic Hokies

Catholic Campus Ministry
at Virginia Tech

FEATURED NEWS

Alternative Spring Break Trips

Every year we send several groups of Catholic Hokies on a variety of national and international trips for a week of joyful service, prayer, and fellowship. We are glad to once again be able to go forth and serve this spring. We will be having two interest meetings for ASBs, the first being next Sunday, November 7th at 3:30 pm and the second on Tuesday, November 9th at 9:00 pm. Meetings will be in the Great Room of the Newman House. Please come to one of these meetings to learn more about ASB and to learn how to sign up!

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

Theology of Women Our last Theology of Women of the semester will be on Monday, November 8th, at 7:00 pm in the Great Room! A VT alum, Maryclaire Gibson, will be sharing her discernment story and we will have discussions about discerning your vocation and other big life decisions. We will have hot soup and bread for dinner! Come and bring a friend!

Adoration with Praise and Worship We invite you to an evening of live music reflection in front of the Blessed Sacrament on Tuesday, November 9th at 7:30 pm. Come to pray and reflect with contemporary Christian worship songs to lift your spirit and help you surrender stress and worry to God!

Student Campus Minister Discernment Our annual Student Campus Minister Discernment will be occurring at the Newman House on Friday, November 12th from 7:00-9:00 pm and Sunday, November 14th at 2:30 pm. Please mark your calendars for this important decision for our ministry. Note that you must attend Friday in order to come on Sunday. Hope to see you there!

Servant Leader Applications Have you considered applying to be a Servant Leader? Applications are available starting November 5th and will be open until November 14th. Look for applications coming soon. If you have any questions or would like to talk about what it is like being a Servant Leader, please reach out to Chris Hitzelberger at chitzelberger@gmail.com

Knights Polar Plunge The Knights of Columbus are fundraising for Special Olympics Virginia, the Pregnancy Resource Center, and KOVAR. The more we raise, the more Knights you get to watch jump into the Cascades on November 13th! To give, Venmo your donation to [@hForsyth314](https://www.venmo.com/hForsyth314) or use Square: <https://square.link/u/2yZf51il>.

MASS READINGS

November 7th, 2021
32nd Sunday in Ordinary
Time

1KGS 17:10-16
PS 146:7-10
HEB 9:24-28
MK 12:38-44

Check out Fr. David's homilies
online at
vtcatholic.com/homily

EVENTS IN ADVANCE: DATES TO PUT IN YOUR CALENDAR!

Interest Meeting ASB
Nov. 7th @ 3:30 and Nov. 9th
@ 9pm

Praise and Worship
November 9th 7:30pm

**Campus Minister
Discernment**
November 12th 7pm and
November 14th 2:30pm

Newman Thanksgiving
November 16th 6:30pm

Unless specifically mentioned here,
assume the Normal Liturgy Schedule
applies

(Normal Liturgy Schedule on reverse
side)

Newman Thanksgiving

Our annual Thanksgiving dinner is Tuesday, November 16th at 6:30 pm. Stay tuned for more details about what food we need you to bring and ways we need your help setting up, decorating, and cleaning up!

Service Opportunity in San Antonio

Catholic Charities of San Antonio is helping to resettle both Hispanic and Afghan refugee families and the need for support has never been greater. Volunteers are needed now through the end of January working in shifts around the clock. The ideal candidate will be able to work one shift per day for at least a week, though longer stays are appreciated! Lodging and meals will be covered by Catholic Charities and we will work to provide financial support to cover airfare. If you would like to spend a portion of your winter break volunteering with refugees, or if you would like to volunteer while completing online classes during the semester, please reach out to Patrick Good (goodp55@vt.edu or 804-592-7527) for more information. Thank you for your help!

Volunteers Needed for Local Ministry

Looking for a way to serve in our community? Here at CCM we assist with 209 Market Place, a food pantry run by students for students in need. As a part of our ministry, we provide fresh groceries to 209 Market Place every Monday. We are looking for drivers to pick up food pantry donations from Starbucks. If you are interested in being a driver to pick up groceries/donations or helping with Monday deliveries, please email jalbrigo23@vt.edu.

Holy Land Pilgrimage

Have you ever wanted to go to the Holy Land and walk where Jesus walked 2,000 years ago? This summer Father David will be pilgrimaging to the Holy Land July 5th-17th. If you're interested in more information, please reach out to Michael at michael.hynes@focus.org.

Men's Group

To the Catholic men of Virginia Tech: this group is here for guys who seek to live a life of holy purity. We are student run and meet once a week to pray with one another, to support each other in the fight, and to learn how to be set free. Lust thrives in secrecy, and this can be the first step into the light. Only there can healing take place. Do not fight alone; allow us to help. Be the man you were created to be. Email smg.vtccm@gmail.com for more information.

Do You Need Some Spiritual Encouragement in Your Life?

Then come to the Empower Conference hosted by Damascus Catholic Mission Campus in Centerburg, Ohio! The Empower Conference is a nationwide retreat from December 16th-19th inspired by the need to empower 18-28 year olds to see that Jesus and the Catholic Church has what they are looking for. It was designed to solidify our identity to the Father, to teach our authority in the Son and to inspire mission in the Holy Spirit. Contact Lily Remias at lilyremias@vt.edu and Natalie McIntyre at nataliemci@vt.edu for further questions. We would love for you to join us!

QR Code for Small Groups!

**SUNDAY MASS**

10 AM, 12 PM, 8 PM at War Memorial Chapel

DAILY MASS

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

RECONCILIATION

Sundays • 9-9:45 AM,
11-11:45 AM, 7-7:45 PM
(War Memorial Chapel)
Tuesdays • 3:30-4:45 PM
(at War Memorial Chapel)
Thursdays • 8:00-8:45 PM
(at the Newman House)

Or by appointment
(contact Fr. David)

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Mondays-Fridays • 2-5 PM
Wednesday 9 AM – 12 PM
Thursday 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.
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QR Code for Music Ministry!

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