



The Pittsburgh Oratory
of Saint Philip Neri

Catholic Newman Center

February 1 - Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

***CANDLEMAS – MONDAY FEB. 2, 5:15PM MASS**

All are invited to bring their own candles to be blessed during Candlemas. See the back of the bulletin for more info on Candlemas.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, January 31 *Saint John Bosco*

10:00am (Ad orientem) Randal Grzybowski † Anniversary
4:00pm (Sunday anticipated) Intentions in the General Mass Intentions Book

Sunday, February 1 *Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

9:00am (Ad orientem) Marcy Martin †
11:00am (Heinz Chapel) Newman Center Students Intentions
4:00pm Philip Schnur Intentions
9:00pm Mr. & Mrs. Alfredo Mena †

Monday, February 2 *The Presentation of the Lord*

7:00am Holy Souls in Purgatory
*5:15pm (Candlemas) Patty Dolan †
9:00pm David Davies †

Tuesday, February 3 *Weekday*

7:00am Taryn Kadar Intentions
5:15pm Alexis DiClaudio Intentions
9:00pm Laetitia Pierre-Louis Intentions

Wednesday, February 4 *Weekday*

7:00am William J. Puz † Anniversary
5:15pm Justin Brown and Miranda Shaw Family Intentions
9:00pm Brandon Linkes Health/Healing

Thursday, February 5 *Saint Agatha*

7:00am A Special Intention
5:15pm Tom Hurst Thanksgiving
9:00pm A Special Intention

Friday, February 6 *Saint Paul Miki and Companions*

7:00am Ish McLaughlin † Anniversary
5:15pm Newman Center Class of 2025 Intentions

Saturday, February 7 *Weekday*

10:00am (Ad orientem) Intentions in the General Mass Intentions Book
4:00pm (Sunday anticipated) William Hernandez †

Sunday, February 8 *Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

9:00am (Ad orientem) Sr. Catherine O'Malley † Birthday
11:00am (Heinz Chapel) Newman Center Students Intentions
4:00pm Donald Grice †
9:00pm Brandon Linkes Health/Healing

Sanctuary Lamp & Altar Flowers A Special Intention

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

**During the academic year, the 11:00am Mass on Sunday is celebrated at Heinz Chapel on the University of Pittsburgh campus, *not* in the Oratory Chapel.

*The 9:00pm Mass on Mon-Thu is celebrated during the academic year, while our schools are in session.

‡Ad Orientem Masses

Confessions

Sunday: 3:00 - 4:00pm (2 priests available)

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

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

Holiday Schedule

There will be only be **one Mass at 10:00am and no regularly scheduled confessions** on the following holidays:
Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day,
Thanksgiving Day, Day after Thanksgiving.

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

CONNECT WITH THE ORATORY

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CAMPUS MINISTRY GROUPS AND EVENTS

SCHOOL YEAR GROUPS AND EVENTS – All Students are welcome to attend

Newman Night

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.

Sundays at 7:00pm, St. Paul Cathedral basement

Mass on Campus: CMU

Come attend Mass on campus in the Wright-Rogal Chapel Mondays at 5:15pm. Confession offered prior to Mass at 4:45pm.

Mondays at 5:15pm, Wright-Rogal Chapel

First Friday Feast

Celebrate the Sacred Heart of Jesus every first Friday of the month with a big dinner.

First Friday of every month at 6:00pm, Newman Center

Mass on Campus: Pitt

Come attend Mass on campus in Heinz Chapel, Sundays at 11am!

Sundays at 11:00am, Heinz Chapel

Bible Studies

We have many small group bible studies led by students and FOCUS missionaries throughout the week!
Visit pghco.org/bstud or scan the QR code to fill out your info and availability, and we will reach out to get you involved!



CONNECT WITH CAMPUS MINISTRY

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LITTLE ORATORY GROUPS AND EVENTS

ALL ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND

Want to be the first to hear all announcements, schedule changes, and events at the Oratory?

Get the "Little Oratory at a Glance" calendar sent right to your inbox every month!

→ Sign up at pghco.org/calendar or scan the QR code!



Sunday Coffee and Donuts

Enjoy donuts, bagels, and coffee at the Oratory on the first Sunday of the month, following the 11:00am Mass.

NEXT ONE ON SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 1ST!

First Sunday of every month, following the 11:00am Mass, Oratory Downstairs Conference Room

Oratory Lecture Series

Join the Oratorian 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!

Thursday, February 26th, 6:30pm – Drinks & snacks, 7-8:30pm – Lecture & discussion

Children's Holy Half-Hour

On the second Friday of the month, children are invited to spend time before Our Lord in Adoration. The holy half-hour will be most accessible to children 4+ (some prayers will be read), but younger children are able to participate and are most welcome.

Friday, February 13th, 10:30am

Bible Study: Sunday Mass Readings

Join Fr. Mike every Friday in reading, studying, and reflecting on the themes and lessons of the Sunday Mass readings.

Friday, February 6th, 4:00pm, in-person AND on Zoom at pghco.org/biblestudyzoom

Sign up for emails & announcements at pghco.org/biblestudy-email

LITTLE ORATORY GROUPS & EVENTS - CONTINUED

Solemn Vespers

Join the Oratorians for Solemn Vespers every Sunday.

Sundays at 5:15pm in the Chapel

JOIN US FOR CANDLEMAS MONDAY, FEB. 2ND, 5:15PM MASS



Candlemas, which occurs 40 days after Christmas on February 2nd, celebrates the **Presentation of the Lord in the Temple**. This was the day that, in keeping with Jewish law, Mary and Joseph brought the baby Jesus to the temple for the first time. Simeon, upon seeing the Child Jesus, says,

“For my eyes have seen your salvation which you prepared in sight of all the peoples, a **LIGHT** for revelation to the Gentiles, and glory for your people Israel.” (Luke 2:30-32)

From these words comes the Catholic tradition of blessing of the candles.



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THE FATHERS OF THE ORATORY CORDIALLY INVITE YOU TO

The Rednal Benefit

2026

SATURDAY | 21 | FEBRUARY

5:00PM – 9:00PM

Join us for an evening of dinner and delight in support of the Oratory's Rednal Retreat House and Newman Center retreat ministry for students! Rednal remains a place where young men and women encounter God in ways that shape the rest of their lives - your generosity is the way this ministry continues to thrive. Make your impact now by supporting this year's Rednal Benefit!

FOR MORE INFO,
& TO RSVP AND MAKE YOUR
DONATION VISIT:

→ [PGHCO.ORG/REDNAL2026](https://pghco.org/rednal2026)