

"And this will be a sign for you:
you will find an infant wrapped in
swaddling clothes and lying in a manger.
And suddenly there was a multitude of
the heavenly host with the angel,
praising God and saying:
'Glory to God in the highest
and on earth peace to those
on whom his favor rests.'"

Luke 2: 12-14

— The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph —

The Pittsburgh Oratory of Saint Philip Neri
Catholic Newman Center

December 28 - The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph

IMPORTANT SCHEDULE CHANGES:

ADORATION ANNOUNCEMENT: Continuing through 1/11, Adoration will take place **ONLY between the first and last Masses of the day** (no overnight Adoration).
9:00PM DAILY MASS ANNOUNCEMENT: There is **No 9:00pm daily Mass on Mon-Thu** for the holiday break. 9:00pm Mass Mon-Thu will resume Monday 1/12/26.
SCHEDULE CHANGES FOR THE SOLEMNITY OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD: Thursday 1/1, Holy Day of Obligation
Mass: 5:15pm (vigil 12/31), 10:00am (1/1), 5:15pm (1/1) Confession Schedule: Please note, there will be **no regularly scheduled confessions** on Thursday, 1/1.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, December 27 *Saint John*

10:00am (Ad orientem) Intentions in the General Mass Intentions Book
4:00pm (Sunday anticipated) David "Moon" Mullen †

Sunday, December 28 *The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph*

9:00am (Ad orientem) Fr. Michael Darcy, C.O. Intentions
11:00am (Heinz Chapel) Newman Center Students Intentions
4:00pm Theresa Baldesberger †
9:00pm for the fruitfulness of the Oratory's ministries

Monday, December 29 *Fifth Day within the Octave of the Nativity of the Lord*

7:00am A Special Intention
5:15pm Joseph & Mathildé Aul Intentions

Tuesday, December 30 *Sixth Day within the Octave of the Nativity of the Lord*

7:00am Elias Ketcham Birthday
5:15pm Anthony Chaer Birthday

Wednesday, December 31 *Seventh Day within the Octave of the Nativity of the Lord*

7:00am Scott McLeod, Sr. † Anniversary
5:15pm Rosa Salvador-Murillo Birthday

*Thursday, January 1 *Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God*

10:00am Philip Schnur Intentions
5:15pm for the fruitfulness of the Oratory's ministries

Friday, January 2 *Saints Basil the Great & Gregory Nazianzen*

7:00am Marcy Martin †
5:15pm Peter Italo Bucci †

Saturday, January 3 *Christmas Weekday*

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

Sunday, January 4 *The Epiphany of the Lord*

9:00am (Ad orientem) A Special Intention
11:00am (Heinz Chapel) Newman Center Students Intentions
4:00pm Leona Palilla †
9:00pm Friends & benefactors of the Oratory

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 Mon-Fri 8am-4pm.

MASS AND CONFESSIONS

Holy Mass - *NOTE: See Important Schedule Changes Above

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 - *NOTE: See Important Schedule Changes Above

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

*NOTE: See Important Schedule Changes Above

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

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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!



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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, JANUARY 11TH!**

****PLEASE NOTE the January Sunday Donuts will differ from the typical schedule of the first Sunday of the month. There will be NO Sunday Donuts on 1/4, and instead will be on 1/11.**

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, January 29th, 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, January 9th, 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.

****NO Bible Study this Friday, January 2nd**

Stay tuned for details on the next bible study!

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

****PLEASE NOTE: There will be NO Solemn Vespers on Sunday 12/28 nor 1/4.**



Children's Holy Half-Hour

Friday, Jan. 9
10:30-11:00AM

Children of all ages are invited to spend a half-hour with Our Lord in Adoration. The time is spent in prayers, hymns, a decade of the rosary, an age-appropriate reflection, and candlelit benediction.

Held the Second Friday of every month.

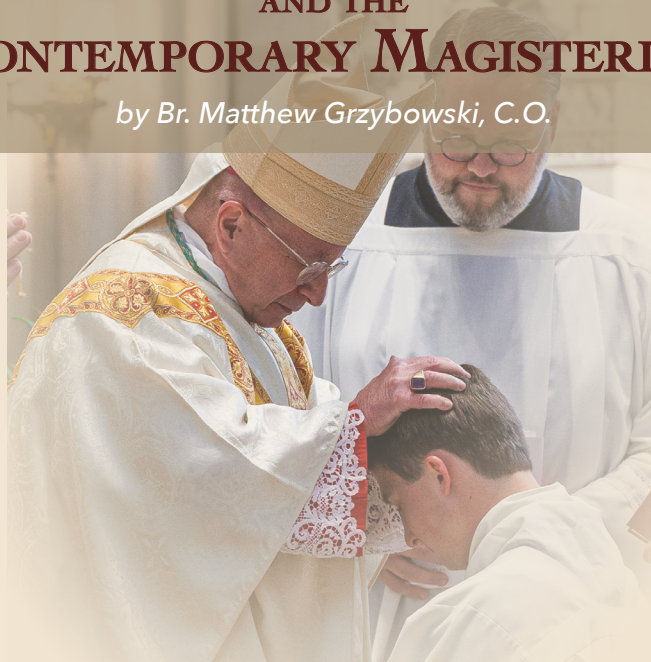
Pick up a coloring page flyer in the lobby!

The Oratory Lecture Series Presents

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY ORDERS AND THE CONTEMPORARY MAGISTERIUM

by Br. Matthew Grzybowski, C.O.

Join us for the next lecture series where Br. Matthew will discuss what the Church has taught about the Sacrament of Holy Orders since the Second Vatican Council.



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Jan. 29**

6:30pm

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7-8:30pm

Lecture & Discussion