



# GEIBEL CATHOLIC NEWS

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## Geibel Catholic's Mission

The mission of Geibel Catholic Junior-Senior High School is to achieve and sustain excellence in faith formation, academics and service.

## GEIBEL CATHOLIC CALENDAR

[HTTP://GEIBELCATHOLIC.WPENGINE.COM  
/SCHOOL-CALENDAR/?MCAT=7](http://geibeltatholic.wpengine.com/school-calendar/?mcat=7)

## ATHLETIC CALENDAR

[HTTPS://WWW.GEIBELCATHOLIC.ORG/  
LISTS/ATHLETICCALENDAR/  
CALENDAR.ASPX](https://www.geibeltatholic.org/lists/athleticcalendar/calendar.aspx)



“THE HIGHER WE GO,  
THE MORE WE CAN HEAR THE VOICE  
OF CHRIST”  
– BLESSED PIER GIORGIO FRASSATI

## Live the Liturgy - Inspiration for the Week

God sends a John the Baptist into every person's life – someone who prepares His way, who calls out His truth. Look for the John the Baptist in your life. Pray you can be this person for someone else.

## Prayer Requests:

Fr. John Moineau; Msgr Paul Fitzmaurice, Fr. Willie Lechnar; Fr. Michael Sikon; Our Geibel Catholic School Family, Max, Stu, ACM, Dick, Tate Swaney, CC, Kelly Bell, the men and women serving our country; the Priests and Bishop of our Diocese. Have a prayer request? Email it to: [cnhernandez@geibelcatholic.org](mailto:cnhernandez@geibelcatholic.org)

## Returning Students 2024-2025 School Year

Please complete the link below to let us know if your child will or will not be returning to Geibel Catholic for the 2024-2025 School Year. This will help us to plan classes & ensure all students needs are met. Upon completion, please send to the Main Office \$50 for your child's registration fee. The fee will be credited on your 2024-2025 School Year Tuition Bill. This link needs to be completed by March 15th, 2024.

<https://forms.office.com/r/8YFTKoiA3x>

## Online Attendance Form:

We now have an online attendance form, that can be utilized when your child is either absent, running late, or needs to have an early dismissal. It can be found on our website, by selecting MYGHS, Parents, and then under forms, it is called: Student Absences. It can also be found by click on the below link: <https://www.geibelcatholic.org/student-absences/>

## Student Laptops & Device Agreements:

Geibel Catholic's NEW student laptops have arrived! In order for your student to receive their laptop upon returning from Christmas Break, new Device Agreement's need to be signed. They can be found in FinalForms at the following website:

[https://dioceseofgreensburg-pa.finalforms.com/?\\_gl=1\\*41s2ki\\*\\_ga\\*MTMwNTM2NzE1MS4xNzAzMTc1MzUw\\*\\_ga\\_YHR3YXDXTH\\*MTcwMzE3NTMyOS4xLjAuMTcwMzE3NTMyOS4wLjAuMA..](https://dioceseofgreensburg-pa.finalforms.com/?_gl=1*41s2ki*_ga*MTMwNTM2NzE1MS4xNzAzMTc1MzUw*_ga_YHR3YXDXTH*MTcwMzE3NTMyOS4xLjAuMTcwMzE3NTMyOS4wLjAuMA..)

**These need to be completed before your child will be able to have a laptop assigned to them.**

## After School Tutoring:

**Tutoring will resume the week of January 8th, 2024**

## Sports Admission & Season Passes

Geibel Catholic Sports admission prices are \$2/student & \$5/adults per game or this year, you have the option to purchase season passes. The season passes are \$25/student & \$50/adult. This will grant you admission to all home Geibel Catholic sporting events, except for playoffs. Tickets for playoffs are sold by WPIAL's.

## Science Bowl:

Science bowl Participants will be meeting on Tuesday's afterschool (unless noted otherwise) in Mrs. Cline's room from 2:30-3:15pm on the following dates: 1/9, \*Wed 1/17, 1/23, 1/30. 2/6. 2/13, 2/20, 2/27. Any questions please contact Mrs. Cline, [ccline@geibelcatholic.org](mailto:ccline@geibelcatholic.org)

## Gator Café Menu



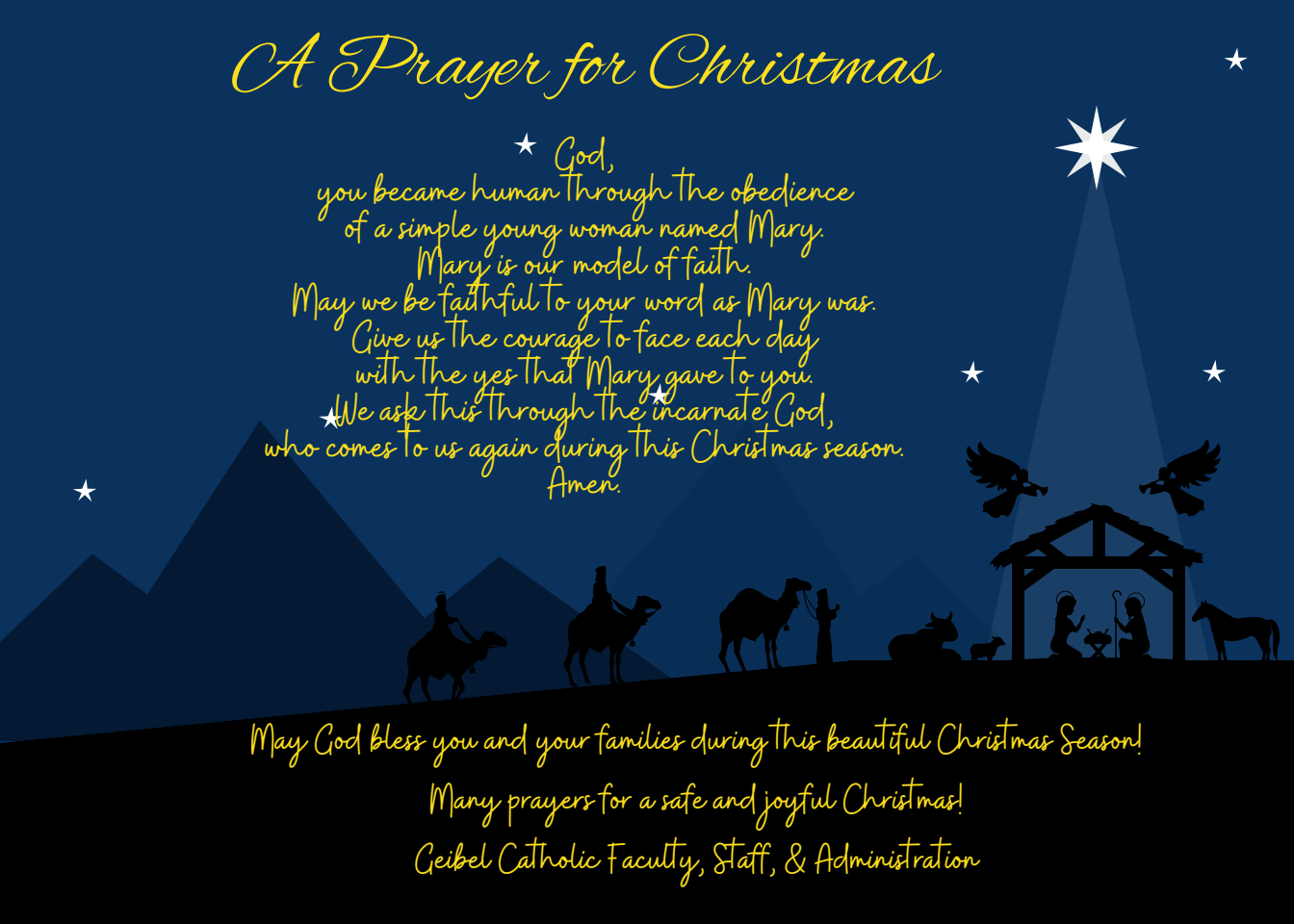
Monday, December 18 <sup>th</sup>	Tuesday, December 19 <sup>th</sup>	Wednesday, December 20 <sup>th</sup>	Thursday, December 21 <sup>st</sup>	Friday, December 22 <sup>nd</sup>
Popcorn Chicken Mashed Potatoes Green Beans Pudding	Nachos Grande Beef/Cheese/Lettuce Corn Cookie	Pasta w/marinara Green Beans Breadstick Dessert	Early Dismissal	No School
Monday, December 25 <sup>th</sup>	Tuesday, December 26 <sup>th</sup>	Wednesday, December 27 <sup>th</sup>	Thursday, December 28 <sup>th</sup>	Friday, December 29 <sup>th</sup>
Merry Christmas! No School	No School	No School	No School	No School
Monday, January 1 <sup>st</sup>	Tuesday, January 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Wednesday, January 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Thursday, January 4 <sup>th</sup>	Friday, January 5 <sup>th</sup>
Happy New Year! No School	No School	Macaroni & Cheese Broccoli Breadstick Cookie	Grilled Cheese Tomato Soup Crackers Rice Krispie Treat	Homemade Pizza Pasta Salad Chips Ice Cream
Monday, January 8 <sup>th</sup>	Tuesday, January 9 <sup>th</sup>	Wednesday, January 10 <sup>th</sup>	Thursday, January 11 <sup>th</sup>	Friday, January 12 <sup>th</sup>
Pancakes Sausage Hash Brown Apple Sauce	Soft Taco Beef/Cheese/Lettuce Corn Pudding	Pasta w/marinara Green Beans Breadstick Cookie	Crispy Chicken Wrap Lettuce/Tomato French Fries Brownie	Personal Pan Pizza Carrots Chips Cake
Monday, January 15 <sup>th</sup>	Tuesday, January 16 <sup>th</sup>	Wednesday, January 17 <sup>th</sup>	Thursday, January 18 <sup>th</sup>	Friday, January 19 <sup>th</sup>
No School	No School	Pasta w/meatballs Green Beans Breadstick Pudding	Hamburger Tater Tots Corn Brownie	Homemade Pizza Pasta Salad Chips Jell-O
Monday, January 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Tuesday, January 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Wednesday, January 24 <sup>th</sup>	Thursday, January 25 <sup>th</sup>	Friday, January 26 <sup>th</sup>
Chicken Nuggets Mashed Potatoes Broccoli Apple Sauce	Walking Taco Beef/Cheese/Lettuce Corn Pudding	Cheese Ravioli Green Beans Breadstick Popsicle	Hot Ham & Cheese Sandwich Chicken Noodle Soup Crackers Cookie	Calzone Pasta Salad Chips Jell-O

# *A Prayer for Christmas*

★ God,  
you became human through the obedience  
of a simple young woman named Mary.  
Mary is our model of faith.  
May we be faithful to your word as Mary was.  
Give us the courage to face each day  
with the yes that Mary gave to you.  
★ We ask this through the incarnate God,  
who comes to us again during this Christmas season.  
Amen.

May God bless you and your families during this beautiful Christmas Season!

Many prayers for a safe and joyful Christmas!  
Geibel Catholic Faculty, Staff, & Administration







A special day for students to discover their passion and explore exciting careers in the Automotive Aftermarket Industry in an environment filled with examples of the ultimate in automotive innovation, creativity and design.

### Coming to these Select Cities

Cincinnati	Jan. 12
Pittsburgh	Jan. 19
Kansas City	Feb. 2
Detroit	Mar. 1
Chicago	Mar. 8
Omaha	Mar. 8
Indianapolis	Mar. 22
Winnipeg	Mar. 22
Salt Lake City	Apr. 5
Calgary	Apr. 5

# STUDENT Career Day 2024

## ***Includes:***

- General discussion with comments from sponsors and guest speakers
- Admittance onto show floor before general public, where students can speak with car owners, builders, vendors and manufacturers' representatives
- Discounted price of \$10.00 per student admission wristband is valid Friday only. Concessions will be open early to allow students to purchase their lunch.

For more information go to  
[www.autorama.com](http://www.autorama.com) or contact  
Bob (204) 229-0397  
Email: [bobchubala@gmail.com](mailto:bobchubala@gmail.com)

General session takes place on Friday mornings. Following this session, students visit the show before the general public.



Student Career Day offers automotive students at the high school and college level an opportunity to learn about career possibilities and scholarship opportunities.

At the Student Career Day presentation, experts from different segments of the automotive industry discuss where automotive student's talents can take them. In addition, representatives from schools and universities will discuss automotive curriculums and scholarships and will show them how to get to where they want to be.

In conjunction with

**AutoRama.**  
**WORLD OF WHEELS.**  
**CAVALCADE CUSTOMS.**

Produced by CHAMPIONSHIP  
Auto Shows

For ticket information and registration forms:  
Go to [www.autorama.com/studentday](http://www.autorama.com/studentday) and then click on Student Day (Your City)

12/31/2023 to 1/6/2024

 **Geibel Catholic School Calendar**

## Monday, January 1, 2024

### **Geibel Catholic Girls Varsity Basketball Practice**

Mon 1/1/2024 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Gym

### **Geibel Catholic Junior High Boys Basketball Practice**

Mon 1/1/2024 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Gym

### **Geibel Catholic Boys Varsity Basketball Practice**

Mon 1/1/2024 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Gym

## Tuesday, January 2, 2024

### **Geibel Catholic Junior High Cheer Practice**

Tue 1/2/2024 3:00 PM - 4:30 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Gym

### **Geibel Catholic Girls Basketball vs Monessen**

Tue 1/2/2024 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Middle-High School (611 E Crawford Ave, Connellsville, PA, 15425, United States)

## Wednesday, January 3, 2024

### **Geibel Catholic Girls Varsity Basketball Practice**

Wed 1/3/2024 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Gym

### **Geibel Catholic Girls Varsity Basketball Weight Room**

Wed 1/3/2024 5:00 PM - 5:30 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Weight Room

### **Geibel Catholic Boys Basketball vs Monessen**

Wed 1/3/2024 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Middle-High School (611 E Crawford Ave, Connellsville, PA, 15425, United States)

## Thursday, January 4, 2024

### Geibel Catholic Junior High Cheer Practice

Thu 1/4/2024 3:00 PM - 4:30 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Cafeteria

### Geibel Catholic Junior High Boys Basketball Practice

Thu 1/4/2024 3:00 PM - 4:30 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Gym

### Geibel Catholic Boys Varsity Basketball Practice

Thu 1/4/2024 4:30 PM - 6:00 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Gym

### Geibel Catholic Girls Basketball @ West Greene

Thu 1/4/2024 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

**Location:** West Greene High School (1352 Hargus Creek Rd, Waynesburg, PA, 15370, United States)

## Friday, January 5, 2024

### Geibel Catholic Girls Varsity Basketball Practice

Fri 1/5/2024 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Gym

### Geibel Catholic Girls Varsity Basketball Weight Room

Fri 1/5/2024 5:00 PM - 5:30 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Weight Room

### Geibel Catholic Middle School Basketball vs CDT

Fri 1/5/2024 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Gym

### Geibel Catholic Boys Basketball @ West Greene

Fri 1/5/2024 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

**Location:** West Greene High School (1352 Hargus Creek Rd, Waynesburg, PA, 15370, United States)

## Saturday, January 6, 2024

### Conn Area CYO Basketball Games

Sat 1/6/2024 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Gym

### Geibel Catholic Jr High Basketball vs MQA

Sat 1/6/2024 1:30 PM - 2:30 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Gym





SAINT VINCENT COLLEGE

# OPEN HOUSE *WOMEN'S DAY*

January 27<sup>th</sup>, 2024 | 10 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Work with female faculty and students  
in hands-on sessions and workshops  
for a variety of interests.

*Lunch included.*



Register at  
[bit.ly/svc-womens-day](https://bit.ly/svc-womens-day)

- Participate in sessions on various subjects including biological science, communication, engineering, marketing, education, and more.
- Listen to keynote speaker Karyn Pratt, C'90, vice president of marketing and strategy development at Adelphi, as she shares her Saint Vincent story.
- Hear the women's leadership panel discussion and engage in a Q&A session with women who are leaders in the community.
- Create and/or hone your résumé at the Résumé Workshop led by the Center of Career and Professional Development.





1/7/2024 to 1/13/2024

 **Geibel Catholic School Calendar**

## Monday, January 8, 2024

### **Geibel Catholic Jr High Basketball Practice**

Mon 1/8/2024 3:00 PM - 4:30 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Gym

### **Geibel Catholic Boys Varsity Basketball Practice**

Mon 1/8/2024 4:30 PM - 6:00 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Gym

### **Geibel Catholic Boys Varsity Basketball Weight Room**

Mon 1/8/2024 6:00 PM - 6:30 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Weight Room

### **Geibel Catholic Girls Basketball vs Mapletown**

Mon 1/8/2024 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Middle-High School (611 E Crawford Ave, Connellsville, PA, 15425, United States)

## Tuesday, January 9, 2024

### **Geibel Catholic Jr High Basketball Practice**

Tue 1/9/2024 3:00 PM - 4:30 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Gym

### **Geibel Catholic Girls Varsity Basketball Practice**

Tue 1/9/2024 4:30 PM - 6:30 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Gym

### **Geibel Catholic Boys Basketball vs Mapletown**

Tue 1/9/2024 7:30 PM - 8:30 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Middle-High School (611 E Crawford Ave, Connellsville, PA, 15425, United States)

## Wednesday, January 10, 2024

### **Geibel Catholic Boys Varsity Basketball Weight Room**

Wed 1/10/2024 2:30 PM - 3:00 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Weight Room

### **Geibel Catholic Boys Varsity Basketball Practice**

Wed 1/10/2024 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Gym

### ■ Geibel Catholic Girls Varsity Basketball Practice

Wed 1/10/2024 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Gym

## Thursday, January 11, 2024

### ■ Geibel Catholic Jr High Basketball Practice

Thu 1/11/2024 3:00 PM - 4:30 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Gym

### ■ Geibel Catholic Boys Basketball @ Winchester Thurston

Thu 1/11/2024 5:30 PM - 7:30 PM

**Location:** Winchester Thurston School (555 Morewood Ave, Pittsburgh, PA, 15213, United States)

### ■ Geibel Catholic Girls Basketball @ Avella

Thu 1/11/2024 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM

**Location:** Avella Area Junior-Senior High School (1000 Avella Rd, Avella, PA, 15312, United States)

## Friday, January 12, 2024

### ■ Geibel Catholic Girls Varsity Basketball Practice

Fri 1/12/2024 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Gym

### ■ Geibel Catholic Girls Varsity Basketball Weight Room

Fri 1/12/2024 5:00 PM - 5:30 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Weight Room

### ■ Geibel Catholic Boys Basketball @ California

Fri 1/12/2024 7:30 PM - 8:30 PM

**Location:** California Area Senior High School (11 Trojan Way, Coal Center, PA, 15423, United States)

## Saturday, January 13, 2024

### ■ Geibel Catholic Jr High Basketball @MQA

Sat 1/13/2024 2:30 PM - 3:30 PM

**Location:** St Joseph High School (800 Montana Ave, Natrona Heights, PA, 15065, United States)



GEIBEL CATHOLIC PARENTS

# VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

## How you can help:

### Clearances Needed for:

- 50/50 and concessions at sporting events
- Organizing and running fundraisers like the Auction/Gala, Spaghetti Dinner, and Golf outing.
- Coaches for our sports.
- Sports Booster Officers

### No Clearances needed to:

- Bring drinks and food for concessions.
- Attend Games and Events
- Join the Geibel Parent Society (GPS). Send your phone number and name to [hspeeney@gmail.com](mailto:hspeeney@gmail.com)

## Interested In Joining Us?

From the Geibel Parent  
Society (GPS)

- If you have clearances from a previous school or church, please send to the office or have them transferred.
- **Volunteer clearances are FREE and good for 5 years!**
- Great way to be involved with the Geibel community.

**12/24/2023 to 12/30/2023**

 **Geibel Catholic School Calendar**

## Tuesday, December 26, 2023

### **Geibel Catholic Girls Varsity Basketball Practice**

Tue 12/26/2023 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Gym

### **Conn-Area Catholic CYO Basketball Practice**

Tue 12/26/2023 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Gym

### **Geibel Catholic Jr High Boys Basketball Practice**

Tue 12/26/2023 3:00 PM - 4:30 PM

### **Geibel Catholic Boys Varsity Basketball Practice**

Tue 12/26/2023 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Gym

## Wednesday, December 27, 2023

### **Geibel Catholic Junior High Cheer Practice**

Wed 12/27/2023 2:00 PM - 3:30 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Gym

### **Geibel Catholic Girls Basketball @ Neighborhood Academy**

Wed 12/27/2023 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM

**Location:** The Neighborhood Academy (709 N Aiken Ave, Pittsburgh, PA, 15206, United States)

### **Geibel Catholic Boys Varsity Basketball Practice**

Wed 12/27/2023 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Gym

## Thursday, December 28, 2023

### **Geibel Catholic Junior High Cheer Practice**

Thu 12/28/2023 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Gym

### **Geibel Catholic Girls Basketball Neighborhood Academy Tournament**

Thu 12/28/2023 12:00 PM - 3:00 PM



**Location:** The Neighborhood Academy (709 N Aiken Ave, Pittsburgh, PA, 15206, United States)

■ **Geibel Catholic Jr High Boys Basketball Practice**

Thu 12/28/2023 3:00 PM - 4:30 PM

■ **Geibel Catholic Boys Varsity Basketball @ South Allegheny Holiday Tournament**

Thu 12/28/2023 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM

**Location:** South Allegheny Ms/Hs (2743 Washington Blvd, McKeesport, PA 15133)

## Friday, December 29, 2023

■ **Geibel Catholic Girls Varsity Basketball Weight Lifting**

Fri 12/29/2023 11:30 AM - 12:00 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Weight Room

■ **Geibel Catholic Girls Varsity Basketball Practice**

Fri 12/29/2023 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Gym

■ **Geibel Catholic Boys Varsity Basketball at South Allegheny**

Fri 12/29/2023 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM

**Location:** South Allegheny Ms/Hs (2743 Washington Blvd, McKeesport, PA 15133)

## Saturday, December 30, 2023

■ **Geibel Catholic Boys Varsity Basketball Practice**

Sat 12/30/2023 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Gym

■ **Geibel Catholic Girls Varsity Basketball Weight Room**

Sat 12/30/2023 11:30 AM - 12:00 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Weight Room

■ **Geibel Catholic Girls Varsity Basketball Practice**

Sat 12/30/2023 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM

**Location:** Geibel Catholic Gym

The background is a deep red with several glossy red hearts of various sizes scattered around. In the center, there are two wine glasses filled with a light-colored liquid, flanking a large, stylized golden rose that has a sparkling effect.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9TH, 2024

# VALENTINE'S *Musical Benefit* NIGHT

TICKETS:  
\$65.00

FOOD, DRINKS, & MUSIC  
GUEST ARTISTS  
BRASS KNUCKLES BAND  
BACK TOGETHER FOR ONE NIGHT

DOORS OPEN AT 6:30 PM

AARON'S BUILDING, 139 PITTSBURGH ST,  
CONNELLSVILLE, PA

CHECKS MADE PAYABLE TO: GEIBEL CATHOLIC  
QUESTIONS OR MORE INFORMATION: 724-628-5600