



*The 40th Annual
Cardinal Newman Lecture
Saturday, October 3, 2020 – 9:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
Rock Hill Oratory 434 Charlotte Avenue Rock Hill, SC*



Presented by Sr. Maureen Sullivan, OP

Saint John Henry Newman: Vatican II's Prophet

Old Testament prophets were not fortune tellers. Rather, they were men who spoke on God's behalf. They were bringers of hope. Reform is at the heart of every prophet's message, and their task was to translate God's covenantal promise into concrete actions. These insights provide the foundation for this lecture. Although separated by more than a century, Newman had a profound influence on the Second Vatican Council. This lecture will examine Newman's prophetic instincts and his relationship to Vatican II.

Maureen Sullivan is a Dominican Sister of Hope from New York, with a Ph.D. from Fordham University. She is a nationally known speaker and author of two books on Vatican II. She will be sharing her knowledge and passion for this important chapter in our church's history and its relationship to the Oratory's most recent saint.

Schedule for October 3

9:00 a.m.	Gathering & Morning Prayer	12:45 p.m.	Lunch and Informal
9:30 a.m.	Presentation		Discussion
12:00 Noon	Eucharistic Liturgy	2:00 p.m.	Closing

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