

# SAINT COLMAN CHURCH

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January 8, 2017

THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

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## *ST. COLMAN MISSION STATEMENT*

*We, the parish community of St. Colman, actively seek to proclaim the glory of God through worship, the Eucharist, and service to others. Through this community of faith, we endeavor to spread the Word and the Good News of Jesus Christ. We unite with the inspiration of the Holy Spirit and are guided by Jesus Christ Our Lord and Savior.*

## MASSES

Weekdays		8:30 am
Sundays	(Vigil)	6:00 pm
		8:00 am
		10:00 am
		12:00 pm
		5:30 pm

**Confessions** Saturday 12:00 pm - 12:45 pm

**Baptisms** Call Rectory for registration and parent program.

**CCD Religion Classes** Tuesday 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm

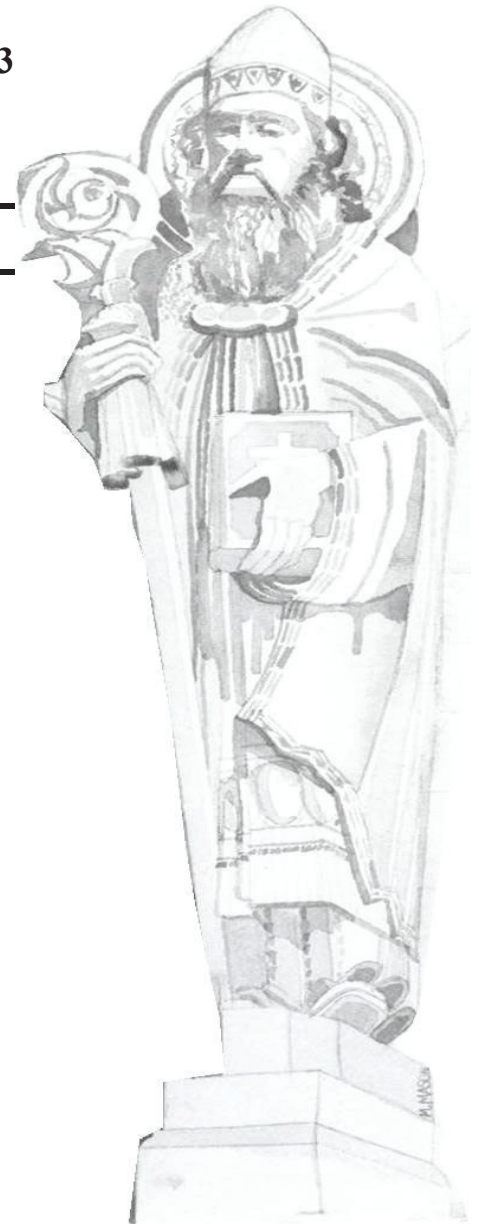
**Weddings** Call Rectory for arrangements.

**Bulletin Deadline** 2 weeks in advance of publication

**Office Hours: Monday-Friday 9am-4pm**

If you are having a planned hospital procedure or stay and would like Anointing of the Sick beforehand, please contact Fr. Kunkel @ 412-823-2564.

Gluten free hosts are available for those who have wheat intolerance. Please let Father Jim or Deacon Herb know.



*No matter what your present or past status in the Catholic Church. No matter what your current family or marital situation. No matter what your past or present religious affiliation. No matter what your personal history, age background, race or color. You are invited, welcomed, accepted and loved at St. Colman Catholic Church.*




**FEAST OF THE EPIPHANY**

There is a story called "The Other Wise Man" by Henry Van Dyke. It's about a fourth person who is supposed accompany the other three wise men on their journey to search for the newborn King. The name of the person is Artaban. As he prepares for the journey, h takes with him a bag of precious stones to give to the baby King. On his way to join the other three wise men, he stops to help a poor person . The delay is just enough to make him miss his rendezvous with the others. Artaban never does catch up with them. He constantly runs into people who need help. And he always stops to help them. Eventually, he gives away all his precious stones. As the story ends, he is old and poor. He never realized his dream to meet the King of Kings and place at his feet his gift of precious stones. Our gift is not a one-time gift of gold, frankincense or myrrh. It is a full time gift of love and service. Some people may consider us foolish for giving this gift. But in the end Jesus will console us with encouraging words. "Come, you who are blessed by my Father. Inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world. For I was hungry and you gave me food, thirsty, and you gave me drink, a stranger and you welcomed me... Whatever you did for one of these least of mine, you did for men."

<b>Weekly offering</b>	
<b>Sunday, December 25th</b>	
Offertory.....	\$5693.00
Christmas.....	\$9173.00
Children & Youth.....	\$2426.00
<b>Sunday, January 1st</b>	
Offertory.....	\$7035.00
Monthly.....	\$1663.00
Parish Share.....	\$422.00
<b>WEEKLY OPERATING EXPENSE.....</b>	<b>\$9,705.00</b>

**DIOCESE VICTIM ASSISTANCE HOTLINE 1-888-808-1235**  
**DIOCESAN DATABASE & REGULATIONS FOR ALL MINISTRIES: Protecting God's Children** - This is a session required by the Diocese for ALL Volunteer ministers and staff members of the Parish, including catechist, ushers, lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, choir members, or any of the other 57 ministries in the parish. You **MUST** attend this session to complete your clearance process. Without this class, you are not to minister in the parish. There are many sessions listed on the Diocese of Pittsburgh website at [www.diopitt.org](http://www.diopitt.org). There will be a Protecting God's Children session on Saturday, January 28th at St. Bernadette, 245 Azalea Dr, Monroeville held in Biedenbach Hall contact Marlene Kopper 412-373-1797 or [mkopper@stbrnadet.org](mailto:mkopper@stbrnadet.org).

**Thoughts to reflect on and share:** "Our most amazing epiphany is when we realize in whose light we walk and what an illuminating path He has laid open for us."; Deacon Herb **Follow Deacon Herb on Facebook.**

**BAPTISM CLASS & DATES OF CELEBRATION**  

 The next Baptism class is scheduled for Saturday, March 4th at 11am in the school cafeteria meeting room. **Please note this date** if you anticipate a baptism in the next few months. This class may be taken before the birth of your child. The class is required prior to the celebration (**along with membership in the parish and attendance at Mass**). The Sacrament of Baptism will be celebrated on January 15th, January 29th, February 12th and February 26th.

**CHUCH ALIVE CAMPAIGN UPDATE**  
 Your generosity has allowed St. Colman to install a first class organ. This was the first priority on our case statement to use the funds. Due to a situation that is developing in the church the boiler must be replaced. It is the original boiler from 1977 when the church was built. In order to use the campaign funds we must change the case statement since this project was not in our original plan. To insure transferring these funds the parish must be informed of this adjustment to allocate funds for the boiler. Bids have been started to address this need.

**WEEKEND RETREAT FOR POST-ABORTION HEALING**  
 Rachel's Vineyard, a weekend retreat designed to heal the emotional and spiritual wounds of abortion, will be held January 20-22,2017 at Tabor House in Millvale. In a confidential and supportive atmosphere, Rachel's Vineyard demonstrates God's love, forgiveness, and compassion to women (and men) struggling with abortion's aftermath. To register or for more information , call Toni Jester at 412-352-5348 or email: [toniajf1@comcast.net](mailto:toniajf1@comcast.net).

**ON MISSION FOR THE CHURCH ALIVE!**  
 God seeks to reveal his Love, Hope and Peace, if we only watch, listen and respond. **ON MISSION FOR THE CHURCH ALIVE!** Is an opportunity to heed the call to grow the Church and provide more vibrant worship, effective ministries and community outreach. As the consultation process continues, get engaged through OnMissionChurchAlive.org and sign up for e-mail updates.

**HOME WITH THE LORD:** Your prayers are requested for the repose of the soul of Audrey Toth. May she rest in the peace and joy of the Lord.

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

**St. Colman Grief Sharing Group:** Every third Thursday of each month from 6:30-8:30pm in the school Cafeteria.

**Catholic Men's Fellowship:** 1st & 3rd Saturday of each month @ 9am in the School Cafeteria meeting room.

**Catholic Daughters of the Americas:** Meeting 2nd Friday of each month 6:15-8pm All women welcome!

**Honoring Your Body:** Spirit filled Yoga class resumes Thursday September 8th 6:45-8pm in Werthman Hall. 1st Class Free. Connie Tinsley 412-443-4837.

**Holy Hour & Exposition: January 23, 2107**

**Bible Study-The Bible and the Blessed Mary** - Monday's 6:30-8:00pm. Open sessions. All are welcome.

**CHURCH ALIVE PROCESS**

Consultation sessions at St. Colman have concluded. However, the information packets are available in the rectory office and in the church vestibule. Models for future parish structures are explained in the packets.

**RETROVAILLE A LIFELINE FOR MARRIED COUPLES:**

Hope and help for troubled marriages is available through Retrouvaille. For confidential information about or to register for the program beginning with a weekend on January 13, 2017, please contact Retrouvaille at 412-277-3434. More information is available at <http://www.retrouvailleofpittsburgh.org>.

**SIGHT AND SOUND THEATER**

Take a trip to the Sight and Sound Theater in Lancaster, PA to see Jonah, the weekend of April 11th-12th. Price is \$240 and includes Transportation, meals, 2 shows, side trips and lodging at the Continental Inn. For reservations or more information call Marlene at 412-365-

**"Sanctuary Lamps"**

*The Sanctuary Lamp is lit this week in memory of Janet Flegal, Officer in Catholic Daughters of the Americas. as requested by The Catholic Daughters of the Americas Court Westinghouse #759.*



**A DONATION HAS BEEN MADE TO THE  
ST. COLMAN UPDATE & RENOVATE FUND  
IN MEMORY OF:**

**Frank & Laverne Evanovich**

**BY:  
Frank & Ann**

**ST. ANTHONY SCHOOL PROGRAMS AND  
DEPAUL SCHOOL FOR HEARING & SPEECH**

The Pittsburgh Diocese is home to two nationally recognized educational programs for children with special needs: St. Anthony School Programs and DePaul School for Hearing and Speech (formally known as DePaul Institute). A special collection to benefit these two organizations will be taken the weekend of January 14/15, 2017 at all the masses at each parish. Your donation will help St. Anthony School Programs and DePaul School for Hearing and Speech to further their goals of providing quality educational programs and services to their students. Your support is critical. Your generosity will help these organizations forever improve the lives of their students.

**HOLY HOUR WITH EXPOSITION OF THE  
BLESSED SACRAMENT**

There will be a Holy Hour with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament this Monday, January 23rd from 6:30-7:30pm. This is an opportunity to worship in a prayerful, reflective manner in the special presence of the Eucharist. Consider spending some quality time in prayerful, spiritual reading or just meditating on God's love and continuing presence in your life.

**CATHOLIC ALUMNI CLUB OF PITTSBURGH**

**Softball & tennis players wanted, co-ed: Singles, 21 and over.** Tennis is played at Moore Park in Brookline, Softball is played in Blawnox. The Catholic Singles Club of Pittsburgh is looking for players of all abilities. The group also offers parties, picnics, mini golf, hiking, volleyball, dinners, spirituality events, trips, and many other great events. For more information or an application, go to their website: [www.cacpittsburgh.org](http://www.cacpittsburgh.org), or contact Gary at [Gary.Urbatis@verizon.net](mailto:Gary.Urbatis@verizon.net) or 412-427-8772 or [cac.softball@yahoo.com](mailto:cac.softball@yahoo.com).

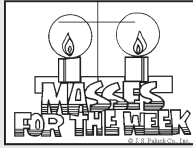
**LITURGICAL REMINDER**

During the recitation of the Profession of the Faith at Mass at the words, **"by the power of the Holy Spirit.....became man,"** a bow of the head is the appropriate liturgical gesture. On the solemnities of the Annunciation of the Lord and Christmas all kneel for these words. Also, before receiving Communion, the communicant gives a bow of the head as a sign of reverence before the sacrament, both before the Body of Christ and before the Blood of Christ.

**CHURCH PARKING**

We ask that you kindly fill the parking spaces in the lot before parking your car in the open space or driveway of the Church lot. There is a limited number of spaces and we need to maximize their usage. Many times there are empty spaces both in the small lot and near the school building. If you do not wish to use a space, please do not enter the lot until the spaces are full. Thank you for your cooperation.

**ANYONE IN NEED OF HOME HEALTH CARE  
PLEASE CONTACT MARLENE AT 412-365-0120.**



**The Epiphany of the Lord ~ January 8th**

8:00 am ~ Margaret Saccomano ~ Family  
10:00 am ~ John Blazeovich ~ Jonette Blazeovich  
12:00 pm ~ Mrs. James F. Currie, Sr. ~ Children & Grandchildren  
5:30 pm ~ All Living & Deceased of our Parish

**Monday ~ The Baptism of the Lord ~ January 9th**

8:30 am ~ Kovach Family ~ Kelly & Jerry Kovach

**Tuesday ~ Weekday ~ January 10th**

8:30 am ~ Patrick Laird ~ Connie, Pat & Maura

**Wednesday ~ Weekday ~ January 11th**

8:30 am ~ Sophie & Michael Harcarik ~ Family

**Thursday ~ Weekday ~ January 12th**

8:30 am ~ Alphonso Botti ~ Mark & Nancy Botti

**Friday ~ Weekday ~ January 13th**

8:30 am ~ Sam Garofolo ~ Family

**Saturday ~ Weekday ~ January 14th**

6:00 pm ~ Clementine Sargo ~ Mary Coles

**Second Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ January 15th**

8:00 am ~ Megan Bradley ~ Don & Diane  
10:00 am ~ Deceased Members of the Galletta Family & Baby McClelland ~ John & Joyce McClelland  
12:00 pm ~ Carolyn Clugston ~ Family  
5:30 pm ~ Valerie Domitrovic ~ The Volcheck Family



**Saturday ~ January 14th**

6:00 pm ~ Carol Deiuliis, Arlene Gross, Debbie Sargo,  
Bill Stanonik

**Sunday ~ January 15th**

8:00 am ~ Wanda Melocchi, Mary Jo Meyer, Sharon  
Parker, Bill Eckenrode

10:00 am ~ Kraig Riley, Mike Krygowski, Renae  
Brinza, Julie McDermott

12:00 pm ~ Lynn Bahleda, Martha Mallik, Elaine Clug-  
ston, Marguerite Crokus

5:30 pm ~ Joanne Saint Pierre, Nikki Riley



**Saturday ~ January 14th**

6:00 pm ~ Tina Kuniak

**Sunday ~ January 15th**

8:00 am ~ John Parker

10:00 am ~ Kevin Tinsley

12:00 pm ~ Joe Kopper

5:30 pm ~ Charles Riley



**Saturday ~ January 14th**

6:00 pm ~ Samantha Doherty

**Sunday ~ January 15th**

8:00 am ~ Christian & Jonathan Parker

10:00 am ~ Ashley Astle, Chloe Noah

12:00 pm ~ Analise Balaschak, Lucca Paoletti

5:30 pm ~ Landon Dunnick

**Happy 2017**