

SAINT COLMAN CHURCH

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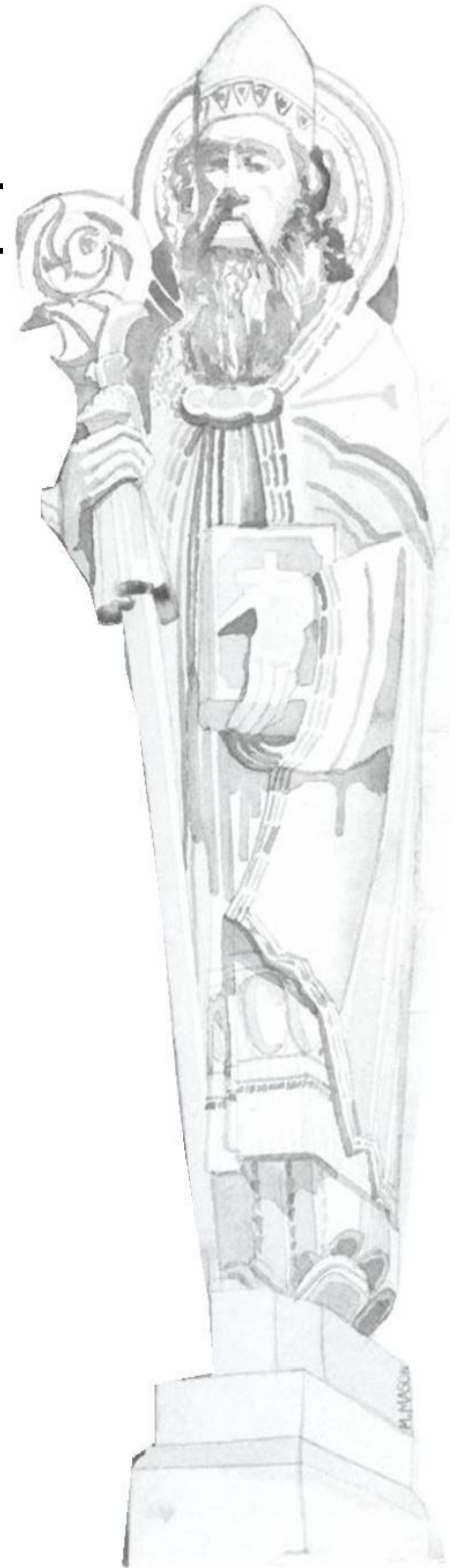
January 9, 2011

THE BAPTISM 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

THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

Baptism has been called the gate of the sacraments or the entrance way to the Church itself. All the promises of salvation become real in Baptism. It is the way that most of us were introduced to Christianity. Baptism brings together the promises of salvation brought about by Christ and actualizes them in the life of the person accepting the faith. Unfortunately, it is all too often little more than a “cultural reality”, a social event, something that every child is born into, a “must” in one’s life or a family pressure. How fitting it is to finish the Christmas season with this feast. It gives us the opportunity to personally examine our lives to reflect where Jesus whose birth we celebrated fits into our attempt to live Christianity and how we have nurtured the faith of the children in our care.



CONFIRMATION 2011

Bishop David Zubik will be celebrating the Sacrament of Confirmation for eighth grade students from Saint Colman and Saint Maurice Parishes on Tuesday, April 5, 2011 at 7:00pm at Saint Maurice Church in Forest Hills. Any parishioners who have not completed their Sacraments of Initiation and wish to participate in the ceremony, please contact the parish office. Confirmation is a pre-requisite for marriage in the Catholic Church.

INVITE A FRIEND TO MASS

This has been proven to be a most effective tool of evangelization - spreading the Good News. All of us need a nudge, a reminder, a sign of caring to help us be what we want to be. So, gently, warmly invite someone you know to join you either for the daily Mass or certainly to one of our Sunday Masses. Perhaps you will be the grace that brings someone back to the Lord.

Catholic Daughters of the Americas Court Westinghouse No. 759: The CDA will not hold a meeting in January. Communion Sunday will be January 16th at the 10:00 am Mass



Home with the Lord: In the spirit of Christian charity your prayers are requested for the repose of the soul of John Hanna. May he rest in the peace and the joy of the Lord.

“Sanctuary Lamps”

The Sanctuary Lamp is lit this week in memory of Mrs. James F. Currie, Sr. as requested by her children and grandchildren.



GOD LOVES THE CHEERFUL GIVER

January 2nd	
Regular Collection.....	\$7529.25
Monthly Collection.....	\$2797.00
Parish Share.....	\$490.00


**DIOCESAN VICTIM ASSISTANCE HOTLINE
1-888-808-1235**

DIOCESAN DATABASE & REGULATIONS FOR ALL MINISTRIES: All ministers including catechists, staff, choir, ushers, lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, etc. are required by the Diocese of Pittsburgh to be cleared in the following ways: 1) Be registered on the Diocesan Database. 2) Sign the Code of Pastoral Conduct. 3) Be cleared by the Dept. of Public Welfare for Child Abuse. 4) Be cleared by the State Police Criminal Record Check. 5) Attend Protecting God’s Children for Adults Workshop. If you have not completed the above or have questions, and are presently involved in any ministry in the parish, please call Mike Krygowski@412-824-7226 or email at St_Colman_Parish_Poc@yahoo.com. Forms are available in the Parish Office. All costs are covered by the parish.

LATE NITE CATECHISM

The gloriously funny play, LATE NITE CATECHISM, the original, is coming to St. Ferdinand Church, Saturday, March 26, 2011. Tickets are on sale now. There will be 2 shows - Matinee at 1:30 pm (prices \$30 & \$35) -Late Show at 7:30 pm (prices \$40 & \$45). Tickets must be purchased in advance. Raffles - Refreshments - Snacks will be available at and extra cost. For more information Call: Midge @724-452-9589 or Sandy @724-869-0438.

MUSIC FOR THE SPIRIT

 The Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra (PSO) musical Director Manfred Honeck will lead the PSO in a free Music for the Spirit concert that is part of an annual program of concerts that celebrate the spiritual and universal message of music. The special concert will begin at 7:30pm on February 17, 2011 at St. Paul Roman Catholic Cathedral in Pittsburgh’s Oakland neighborhood. The program will include works by Haydn, Bruckner, Mahler, Faur’e, Berlioz and more. General admission tickets are free to the public and are limited to four per household. Tickets can be reserved by calling the Heinz Hall box office at 412-392-4900.



BAPTISM CLASS & DATES OF CELEBRATION

The next Baptism class is scheduled for Saturday, March 5th at **11:00am** in the school. Please note this date if you anticipate a baptism in the next few months. The class is required prior to the celebration (**along with membership in the parish**). The Sacrament of Baptism will be celebrated January 30th, February 13th, February 27th, March 13th & March 27th.

DR. KING MASS & PROGRAM

The community is invited to the **Annual Dr. King Mass, Sunday, January 16, 2011 at 12:00pm (noon) at St. Paul Cathedral**. Fr. Donald Breier, pastor of St. Paul Cathedral, and Fr. David Traylor, pastor of St. Charles Lwanga, are the co-celebrants. A light reception and the recognition of school essay winners will follow in the parish social hall. Sponsored by the St. Paul Cathedral Race & Reconciliation Dialogue Group.

ANNUAL BLOOD DRIVE FOR LIFE

How do you plan to observe the Martin Luther King, Jr. holiday on Monday, January 17, 2011? Sign-up now for the 8th Annual Martin Luther King, Jr. Blood Drive for Life, from 1-6pm, at St. Benedict the Moor Church (above Mellon Arena). Help us to reach our goal of 50 participants. Save a life by donating blood or registering as a bone marrow donor. Contact the sponsors to register or for more information: Diocesan Office for Black Catholic Ministries, 412-456-3170 or Central Blood Bank 412-209-7245.

Retrouvaille: helps couples through difficult times in their marriage. In today's busy world, many couples experience boredom, coldness, frustration, and loneliness. Others suffer anger and other forms of conflict. Retrouvaille provides tools that help get your marriage back on track. It gives you the opportunity to rediscover each other and examine your lives together in a new and positive way. For confidential information about or to register for the program beginning with a weekend on January 14, 2011, please contact Retrouvaille at 412-277-3434 or email 3041@retrouvaille.org. More info at www.helpourmarriage.com

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.

ROAD TO THE DIACONATE

It is now January, 2011, and my classmates and I are five months away from ordination. At times it seems like just yesterday that we began this five and a half year journey, and at others, it seems every bit that long. But it is now close to its end and we look toward it with excitement, anticipation, and humility, along with a good bit of fear mixed in. We have just completed our fall semester that was dedicated in its entirety to homiletics (yes, you will be hearing me preach someday soon!) It was a hard semester but one where we all learned a great deal, particularly in the difference between giving a speech or a presentation and offering a homily. I pray to the Holy Spirit that I learned my lessons well, but I suppose all of you will ultimately be the judge of that. As we begin our next and last semester, I ask for your continued prayers for me and all of my classmates, that the Holy Spirit will continue to guide and direct us and lead us to our day of ordination on June 11, 2011.

*Yours in Christ,
Herb Riley.*

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HOLY HOUR WITH EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

On Wednesday, January 26th there will be a Holy Hour with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament celebrated in Church from 6:30pm and concluding at 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 prayer, spiritual reading or just meditating on God's love and continuing presence in your life.

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Sunday - January 9th

8:00 am - Jeffrey Shogan - Family
10:00 am - Anne Calcutta - Family
12:00 pm - Mrs. James F. Currie, Sr. - Children &
Grandchildren
5:30 pm - All the Living & Deceased of our Parish

Monday - Weekday- January 10th

8:30 am - Gebroski & Vargo Families - Mary Gebroski

Tuesday - Weekday - January 11th

8:30 am - Alphonso Botti - Son, Mark

Wednesday - Weekday - January 12th

8:30 am - Mary Moskal - Betty & Joe Dombrosky

Thursday - Weekday - January 13th

8:30 am - James Petrucci - Ken Sabino & Dennis
McGowan

Friday - Weekday- January 14th

8:30am - Donald Buzzard - Anne & Family

Saturday - Weekday - January 15th

6:00 pm - Marg & Dave O'Connor - Speranza Family

THE SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sunday - January 16th

8:00 am - Anna Milosvich - Family
10:00 am - Theresa Sabino - Sabino Family
12:00 pm - Carolyn Clugston - Family
5:30 pm - All the Living & Deceased of our Parish





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Saturday - January 15th

6:00 pm - Debbie Sargo, Charmain Warble, Donna Boyer, Verna Bango

Sunday - January 16th

8:00 am - Mary Jo Meyer, Larry Canobbio, Lorraine Meglio, Volunteer

10:00 am - Sue Buchholz, Alicia Cole, Linda Lorenz, Marci Mason

12:00 pm - Pauline Schoffstall, Renae Brinza, Janet Currie, Phil Wills

5:30 pm - James Jordan, Theresa Wos



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Saturday - January 15th

6:00 pm - Arlene Gross

Sunday - January 16th

8:00 am - Mike Lanigan

10:00 am - Herb Riley

12:00 pm - Maureen Leonardo

5:30 pm - Alyssa Aiello



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Saturday - January 15th

6:00 pm - Scott & Samantha Doherty

Sunday - January 16th

8:00 am - Paul, Brandon & Jordan Messineo

10:00 am - Marissa & Tara Ponitz, Becca MArtz

12:00 pm - Jimmy & Josh Murray

5:30 pm - Collin Shaffer, Noah Martino

