

SAINT COLMAN CHURCH

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February 1, 2015

THE FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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DEACON HERB RILEY

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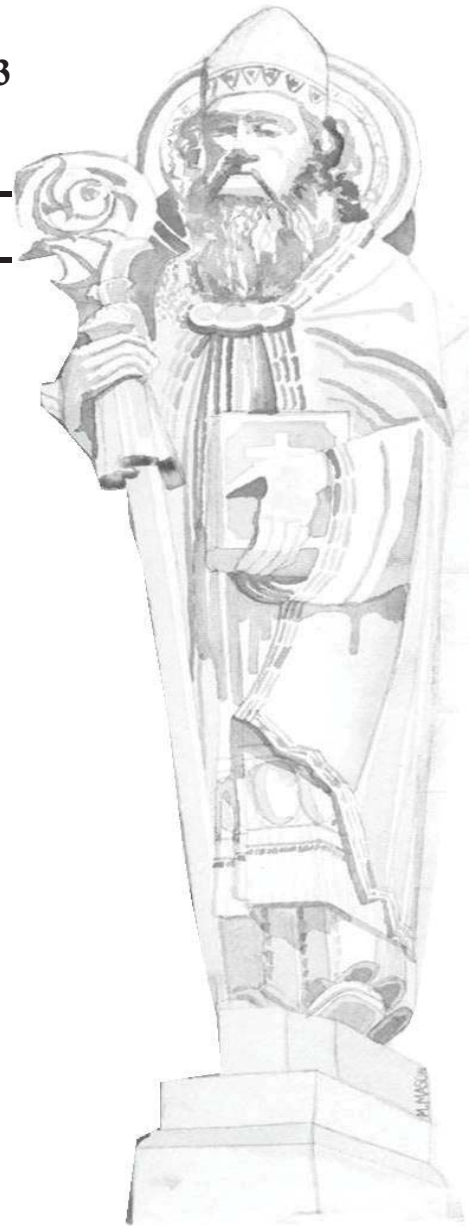
Betsy Krygowski*CCD Program Manager*

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Sr. Judith Stojhovic, RSM, ...*Principal, East Catholic School*

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.

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The prophet is the mouthpiece of God. He articulates God’s will for his people and usually stands outside the ordinary religious structures. In today’s liturgy, Jesus appears as a prophet among the people. As such he challenges the status quo and raises important questions which often contradict the norms of society. Many do not like the prophetic voice. But a voice must be heard that opposes destruction, killing the innocent, death, unemployment, poverty and squalor. Such prophetic, unpopular voices come out of a long tradition and we do ourselves no favor to ignore them. In our own unique ways we are the mouthpiece of God; in word and deed we articulate his message.

CONFIRMATION

Bishop William Winter will be celebrating the Sacrament of Confirmation for the eighth grade students from St. Colman and St. Maurice Parishes on Tuesday, April 14, 2015 at St. Maurice Church in Forest Hills. Any parishioners who have not completed their Sacraments of Initiation and wish to participate in this opportunity, please contact the parish office at 412-823-2564. Confirmation is a prerequisite for marriage in the Catholic Church.

BLESSING OF THROATS

St. Blaise was the Bishop of Sebaste in Armenia during the fourth century. According to various accounts he was a physician before becoming a bishop. From the eighth century he has been invoked on behalf of the sick, especially those afflicted with illnesses of the throat. In the United States the annual blessing of the throats is a traditional sign of the struggle against illness in the life of the Christian. This blessing is given on Tuesday, February 3rd, the memorial of St. Blaise. The opportunity to receive this blessing will be offered at the following times on Tuesday, February 3rd: following the 8:30am Mass and 6:45pm.

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES ASSOCIATION

The Catholic Cemeteries Association will be conducting an informal program in the coming months to determine the future needs of the diocesan cemeteries, in the areas surrounding our parish. This diocesan approved program is over thirty years old and remains as one of the most effective ways we can support the work of the Association. The purpose of the program is to provide assistance to the faithful by presenting options available to them at our diocesan cemeteries. As a parishioner, there may be an occasion when you will be contacted either in person, or over the phone, by a representative of CCA. For your protection, all CCA personnel are required to wear a photo identification badge, and immediately identify themselves as an employee of the Association. If you have any questions regarding the employment status, or contact made by a CCA representative, you are asked to call the Catholic Cemetery Association at 412-521-9133.

Sunday, January 25, 2015

Weekly Collection.....	\$5549.00
Monthly Collection.....	\$279.00
Parish Share.....	\$296.00

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.

EAST CATHOLIC SCHOOL GALA NEWS

***Gala 2015** - Saturday, March 7th at Stratigos Banquet Hall. Tickets are on sale now, \$85 per person.

***Spaghetti Dinner** - Sunday, February 8th 3-6pm in the School Cafeteria (Keane Hall) Spaghetti provided by Spaghetti Warehouse \$8.00/Adult (\$9.00 at the door) \$6.00/Children (\$7.00 at the door) and Bake Sale... Tickets on sale now.

***The Gala Committee** is looking for **donations**. All items needed for the auction...Time Shares, Hotel Stays, Airline Miles, Tickets, Kids Items, Gift Cards, Sports Items, Gift Baskets.

***Check out the Gala website at ww.eastcatholicschool.org/gala**

Any questions please contact Janet Estocin at 412-260-1430 or email estocinservices@aol.com

Lenten Adult Formation - Tuesdays beginning February 16th from 6:45-8pm for 7 consecutive Tuesdays in the St. Colman Meeting room located in the school cafeteria (Handicap accessible). We will be reading and reflecting on Bishop Zubik’s *The Church Evangelizing*. This is an excellent pastoral letter and we believe you will be enriched by it’s reflection and discussion. Please make every effort to attend. Any questions please call Sue at 412-524-5163.

CONTRIBUTION STATEMENT FORM

Our contribution statements for the 2014 year are complete. Money dropped loose into the collection basket cannot be recorded. Parishioners who wish to have a statement are asked to complete this form and send it to the parish office along with a self-addressed stamped envelope.

Name _____

Address _____

Envelope # _____

FUTURE IMPORTANT DATES:

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

Ladies of Charity: Last Monday of the month in the meeting room of the cafeteria. 7-9pm.

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

CDA: Meeting 2nd Friday of each month 6:30-8pm

East Catholic School Gala: Saturday, March 7th

40 Days for Life: March 10, 2015 3-7pm

Sedar Meal: Canceled

Calendar Party: April 17th 6-10pm school cafeteria

First Communion: April 26th Noon Mass

Confirmation: Tuesday, April 14, 2015 7PM St.

Maurice Church.

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAS

Become a member - be inspired. Come to our next meeting on Friday, February 13th at 6:30pm in the Cafeteria Meeting room. Light refreshments will be served.

The Catholic Men's Fellowship will not meet at St. Colman Parish on Saturday, February 7th. Instead, the meeting will take place at St. Paul Seminary. Regular meeting will resume at St. Colman on February 21st.

Saint Colman Social Media: Stay up to date with the latest events and news about the Catholic Church and St. Colman Parish. Like us on Facebook (<https://www.facebook.com/saintcolmanchurch>) and follow us on Twitter (<https://twitter.com/colmanc>).

World Day for Consecrated Life is February 2nd and will be celebrated in Church on the weekend of February 7/8. Please pray for all those who have made commitments in the consecrated life, and be sure to thank them on their special day. May they continue to be inspired by Jesus Christ and respond generously to God's gift of their vocation.

WORLD MARRIAGE DAY

WORLD MARRIAGE DAY will be celebrated the weekend of February 14/15th, 2015. This year's annual Diocesan celebration will take place on **Saturday, February 14, 2015 at Holy Sepulcher Parish, Butler** (Glade Mills) with 4:00pm Mass celebrated by Regional Vicar for Vicariate 4, Very Rev. Philip N. Farrell. Following Mass will be a presentation and social in the church hall. All engaged and married couples are invited. Suggested donation is \$10/couple. Registration is requested, although not required. Registration forms are available in the back of the church or in the rectory office.

***HOME WITH THE LORD:** Your prayers are requested for the repose of the souls of Janet McCann, Genevieve Barone, Marybelle Garofolo, and Concetta Alfieri. May they rest in the peace and joy of the Lord.*

SUNDAY TV MASS FOR HOMEBOUND PARISHIONERS

6:30AM WINP(ION) CHANNEL 16

CABLE TV

COMCAST CABLE CHANNEL 4

VERIZON FiOS CHANNEL 16

SATELLITE TV

DISH NETWORK CHANNEL 16 OR 216

DIREC TV CHANNEL 305

BAPTISM CLASS & DATES OF CELEBRATION

*The next Baptism class is scheduled for Saturday, March 7th and June 6th at **11:00am** in the school cafeteria meeting room. **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 on February 8th, & 22nd, March 8th & 22nd, April 12th & 19th and May 3rd.*

***AN INVITATION TO VISIT SAINT VINCENT COLLEGE-** Saint Vincent College extends an invitation to all college-bound students and their families to visit their scenic and historic campus in Latrobe, Pennsylvania. Academic Spotlight Day IS scheduled on and Monday, February 16th. Get Acquainted Day Open House are Saturdays April 11th, June 20th, July 18th and August 15th. Details at www.stvincent.edu/visit or 800-782-5549.*

***SUMMER PROGRAM AT SAINT VINCENT COLLEGE, LATROBE, PA;** Saint Vincent College will host the fifth annual Faith and Reason Program.. This year's program will be held on campus from Sunday, June 14th through Friday, June 19th and will be directed by Dr. Michael Krom, associate professor and chair of the philosophy department. Students age 15 and older are invited to apply for admission to the program. Further information is available by contacting Dr. Krom at 724-805-2844 or michael.krom@stvincent.edu.*

*On Sunday, January 25th, Bishop David Zubik announced the results of **Our Campaign for The Church Alive!** More than 44,000 donors representing about 130,000 Catholics across the Diocese of Pittsburgh pledged gifts totaling **\$230,309,054**. the target was \$125,000,000. To date **\$62,667,752** has been received, including \$ 719,265.00 here at St. Colman Parish. Already the Campaign is having a positive impact. We have invested your gifts in repairing the school roof of the newer building, repairing the ceilings and painting several classrooms. As our pledges are paid over the next five years we will continue to update you on the progress toward our priority needs. As pastor I want to personally thank all who are sacrificing for the work of the Church, and I join you in giving thanks to our generous God*



**THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME ~
February 1st**

8:00 am ~ John Garofolo ~ Family
10:00 am ~ Jim & Pauline Seese ~ Daughters & Son
12:00 pm ~ John Basala ~ Wife, Marie Basala
5:30 pm ~ All Living & Deceased of our Parish

**Monday ~ The Presentation Of The Lord ~ Febru-
ary 2nd.**

8:30 am ~ Antoinette Urban ~ Audrey Yates
9:30 am ~ Hamilton Hills: Dorothy Romanelli ~ Frater-
nal Order of Eagles #1634

**Tuesday ~ St. Blaise ~ Bishop & Martyr~ Febru-
ary 3rd**

8:30 am ~ Mrs. Marie Novak ~ Sons, Dan & Ted No-
vak

Wednesday ~Weekday ~ February 4th

8:30 am ~ Tillie Pasierb ~ Pysnik Family

Thursday ~ St. Agatha ~ Martyr ~ February 5th

8:30 am ~ Louise George ~ Family

**Friday ~ St. Paul Miki & Companions, ~ February
6th**

8:30 am ~ William Klein ~ Family

Saturday ~ Weekday ~ February 7th

6:00 pm ~ Tami Fuimara ~ Husband John & Children
Nick & Carla

THE FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

February 8th

8:00 am ~ John & Theresa Palarino ~ Son
10:00 am ~ Mildred Hearn ~ Children
12:00 pm ~ Louie & Dorothy Palarino ~ Mike, Verna,
& Mike
5:30 pm ~ All Living & Deceased of our Parish



Saturday ~ February 7th

6:00 pm ~ Tina Kuniak, Arlene Gross, Joe Saxman,
Carol DeIullis

Sunday ~ February 8th

8:00 am ~ Betty Lou Parello, Wanda Melocchi, Mary Jo
Meyer, Helen Wilson

10:00 am ~ Alicia Cole, Linda Lorenz, Renae Brinza,
Mike Krygowski

12:00 pm ~ Lynn Bahleda, Joyce Blotzer, Elaine Clug-
ston, Martha Mallik

5:30 pm ~ Wendy Martino, Pamela Ross



Saturday ~ February 7th

6:00 pm ~ Charmain Warble

Sunday ~ February 8th

8:00 am ~ Mike Lanigan

10:00 am ~ Marc Tinsley

12:00 pm ~ Harry Bernacki

5:30 pm ~ Sue Buchholz



Saturday ~ February 7th

6:00 pm ~ Scott & Samantha Doherty

Sunday ~ February 8th

8:00 am ~ Sal & Rocco Aiello

10:00 am ~ Lexi & Ashley Astle

12:00 pm ~ Lucca Paoletti, Nathan Holmes

5:30 pm ~ Noah Martino, Justin O'Shell