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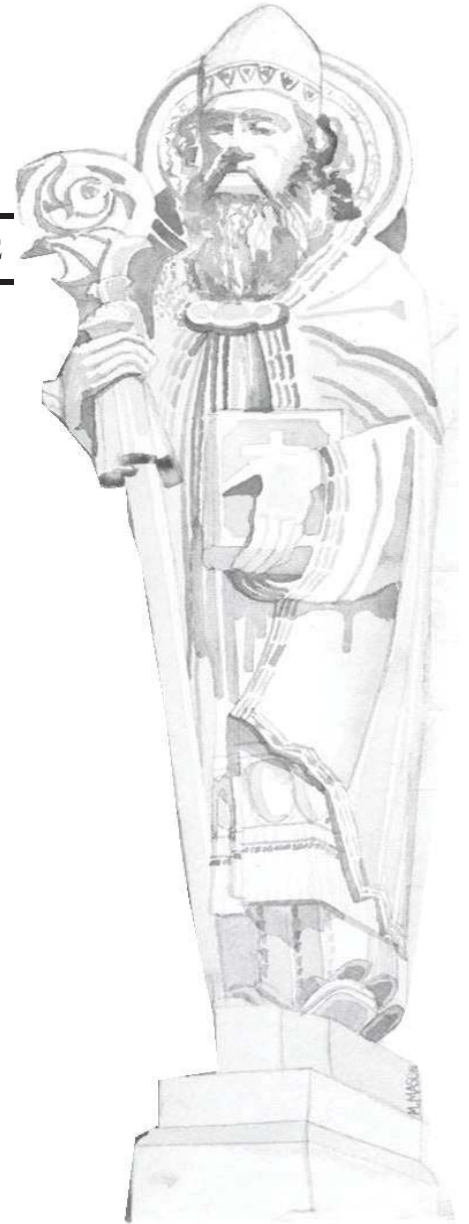
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February 3, 2013

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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Betsy Krygowski *CCD Program Manager*
Gerry J. Meyer *Business Manager*

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

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.

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.

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

There is something very obvious in today's reading, but perhaps something we don't think about to often. The final proof that we love cannot come from outside of ourselves. Even if our external actions seem to prove that we love, it might be the case that we are not really very loving at all. St. Paul tells us that what moves us to act is even more important than the act itself. The inside intentions and the outside actions must be in harmony. What we do must flow from a heart that cares for others. One definition of love says that it is wanting good for others. It is a desire that others receive what they need. And then it is the carrying out of those desires when possible and to the extent possible. And so the foundation of love is to be found in our hearts. If we have hearts filled with the love that comes from God, then we will be love.

**Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
A Family Perspective**

Mary and Joseph must have been proud when their village "all spoke well of Jesus and were amazed at his words." But they probably felt shame when the same people drove him out of town. Like Mary and Joseph, the highs and lows of parenting are our path to being a Holy Family.

ASH WEDNESDAY
February 13th
Mass will be celebrated at
8:30am, Noon and 7:00pm
Ashes will be distributed after the
homily of the Mass
A LITURGICAL SERVICE WILL BE
CELEBRATED AT 4PM
With distribution of ashes also

The Parish is looking for a volunteer to wash and iron the Altar Linens. If you are interested in helping please call the rectory office at 412-823-2564.

CONTRIBUTION STATEMENT FORM

Our contribution statements are completed for the year 2012. Money dropped loose into the collection basket cannot be recorded. Parishioners who wish to have a statement of their 2012 contributions are asked to complete the form below and send it to the parish office along with a self-addressed stamped envelope.

Request form ~ St. Colman Contribution Statement 2012

Name _____

Address _____

Envelope # _____

Christian Giving

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January 27th	
Regular Collection.....	\$5776.00
Monthly Collection.....	\$ 155.00
Parish Share.....	\$ 50.00

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 60 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.

Locally: **St. Bernadette Parish: Saturday, February 23, 2013 at 12:00PM.** To register, contact Marlene Kopper at 412-373-1797 or mvkopper@stbrnadet.org.

LENTEN REGULATIONS

- 1) Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of fast and abstinence. The Fridays of Lent are days of abstinence in the United States.
- 2) The obligation of abstinence (refraining from eating meat) begins at the age of 14. The law of fasting (limiting oneself to one full meal and two lighter meals) obliges all between the ages of 18-59. No one should consider this obligation lightly.
- 3) Those individuals who have a medical condition in which fasting may be considered harmful are not obligated to fast, but should perform some other act of penance suitable to their age.
- 4) Pastors and parents are to see to it that minors, though not bound by the law of fast and abstinence, are educated in the authentic sense of penance and encouraged to do acts of penance suitable to their age.
- 5) All members of the Christian Faithful are encouraged to do acts of penance and charity during the Lenten season beyond what is prescribed by the law.
- 6) As a general rule, a request for a dispensation from the obligation of abstinence on Fridays of Lent will not be considered unless some serious reason is present. The attendance of social events, banquets, wedding rehearsals or receptions, or funeral wakes are not considered sufficient reason to request a dispensation.

HOME WITH THE LORD: In the spirit of Christian Charity your prayers are requested for the repose of the souls of Elizabeth Baran and Frances Quinn. May they rest in the peace and joy of the Lord.

FUTURE IMPORTANT DATES:

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

Legion of Mary Group: Every Saturday at noon at Fraser Hall, 500 Hunter St, Turtle Creek.

Little Rock Scripture Study: Meets every other Tuesday at 6:45 pm in the cafeteria. Visitors are welcome at any time. Contact Sue Buchholz at (412) 824-5163.

Catholic Men's Fellowship: 1st & 3rd Saturday of each month @ 8am in the Church Hall.

First Penance: *March 5th 6:30PM **PLEASE NOTE: (*Change in Date)**

First Eucharist: Sunday, April 28th Noon Mass

Night at the Races: Friday, February 8th 7:30pm-?

Parish Mission: May 19th-22nd

8th grade Confirmation Retreat: March 24th 12:00 noon Mass.

BAPTISM CLASS & DATES OF CELEBRATION

The next Baptism classes are scheduled for Saturday, March 2nd, 2013 and Saturday, June 1st 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 on February 10th and February 24th.

TURTLE CREEK FOOD PANTRY

Food and other non-perishable items can be dropped in the container outside of the rectory office. Your neighbors and the Turtle Creek Food Pantry **THANK YOU** for your generosity.

World Marriage Day - "Father, Grant that all who are in the holy union of marriage may reflect the beauty of your love and share it with others!" The Diocesan Celebration will take place on **Saturday, February 9, 2013, at St. Patrick Parish, in Canonsburg, PA.** It will begin with Mass at 5pm with Very Reverend Samuel Esposito, VE, Vicar for Vicariate 3, as the presider and homilist. Following Mass there will be a reception with reflection by Deacon Ralph and Susan Bachner from St. Killian Parish. All engaged and married couples are invited to attend. Donation is \$10/couple. To register please call the Office of Faith Formation 412-456-3160.

"Sanctuary Lamps"

The Sanctuary Lamp is lit this week in memory of Ella Kingston as requested by Joyce Damico.

ST. COLMAN'S 24TH ANNUAL CALENDAR PARTY AND FASHION SHOW will be held on Friday, April 19th. Anyone interested in sponsoring a table or just attending, please call Mary Jo Meyer @412-824-5099 for more information.

ANNUAL PARISH SHARE PROGRAM

On the weekend of February 9/10 the Annual Parish Share Campaign for 2013 will begin throughout the diocese. This program supports the various programs of the diocese which benefit every parish and helps maintain the important offices of the diocese. The theme this year builds on Bishop Zubik's second Pastoral Letter, "The Church Sharing!" The stewardship message is that through your generous offering in this campaign, both our parish and the Diocese as a whole can accomplish what we cannot do separately. You will be receiving a letter and pledge card in the mail before February 9th. We need your generous support in this effort. If you do not receive the mailing, please call the rectory. Our assessment for this year is \$74,637. Unfortunately we failed to reach our assessment for the 2012 campaign, therefore we must make up the difference from general funds. Again we need the support of all. Thank You.

ST. COLMAN "MARDI GRAS DERBY" FEBRUARY 8TH 7:30PM - ????
"NIGHT AT THE RACES"



BUY A TICKET FOR \$10 INCLUDES BEER, WINE & GREAT FOOD CANT' ATTEND?? YOU CAN STILL WIN!! BUY A HORSE FOR \$10 (Choose a name for your horse ex: Lucky Lady, Etc.) IF YOUR HORSE WINS - YOU WIN!!

BUY A RAFFLE TICKET - - - UPDATE & RENOVATE RAFFLE \$1000 FIRST PRIZE \$500 SECOND PRIZE \$2 DONATION PER TICKET DRAWING EASTER SUNDAY, MARCH 31, 2013 TICKETS FOR "NIGHT AT THE RACES" CAN BE PICKED UP IN THE RECTORY OFFICE RAFFLE TICKETS CAN ALSO BE PICKED UP OR DROPPED OFF IN THE RECTORY OFFICE OR DROPPED IN THE COLLECTION BASKET. HORSES MUST BE BOUGHT BY FEB. 3RD

A DONATION HAS BEEN MADE TO THE ST. COLMAN UPDATE & RENOVATE FUND

IN MEMORY OF:

CLARE KUNKEL

BY:

**Angie Johnson & Family
Ron, Gail, Al & Ellen Bachy**

ARE YOU LOOKING for a faith-filled, value-centered, quality education for your child in a safe and caring environment? Come join us and be a part of "East Catholic School" in Forest Hills, PA. Registration for the 2013-2014 school year is now open. Please call the office at 412-351-5403 from 8:30am-2:00pm to schedule a tour of the school, to request information or to discuss requirements. Full day Kindergarten - 8th grade program. Students must 5 years old by September 1, 2013 to be eligible for Kindergarten.



FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME ~

February 3rd

8:00 am ~ All Living & Deceased of our Parish
10:00 am ~ Jennifer Cwynar ~ Cheryl & Herb Riley
12:00 pm ~ Constance Silverio ~ Tony, Francie, Carmen & Doreen Angotti
5:30 pm ~ Meta & John Pugliano ~ Family

Monday ~ Weekday ~ February 4th

8:30 am ~ Mrs. Marie Novak ~ Son, Ted Novak, Jr.
12:30pm ~ Hamilton Hills: Clara Van Halanger ~ Maxine Stadlerman

Tuesday ~ St. Agatha, Virgin & Martyr ~

February 5th

8:30 am ~ Goldie Grachen ~ Betty McDevitt

Wednesday ~ St. Paul Miki, & Companions, Martyrs ~ February 6th

8:30 am ~ John & Georgette Payne ~ Bill

Thursday ~ Weekday ~ February 7th

8:30 am ~ Tami Fiumara ~ Husband, John & Children, Nick & Carla

Friday ~ Weekday ~ February 8th

8:30 am ~ Frank Payne ~ Bill

Saturday ~ Weekday ~ February 9th

6:00 pm ~ Elaine McIntyre ~ Charles & Karen McIntyre & Family

FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME ~

February 10th

8:00 am ~ Rosemarie & Alfred Pugliano ~ Louis Genaro
10:00 am ~ M/M John Hearn & Deceased Members of the Hearn Family ~ Anita Saccamano
12:00 pm ~ Michael Yates ~ Shirley & John Leopold
5:30 pm ~ All Living & Deceased of our Parish



Saturday ~ February 9th

6:00 pm ~ Tina Kuniak, Arlene Gross, Debbie Sargo, Alyssa Sargo

Sunday ~ February 10th

8:00 am ~ Paul Messineo, Betty Lou Parello, Mary Jo Meyer, Marleen Grill

10:00 am ~ Karen Murray, Alicia Cole, Renae Brinza, Volunteer

12:00 pm ~ Elaine Clugston, Pauline Schoffstall, Martha Mallik, Volunteer

5:30 pm ~ James Jordan, Joanne Saint Pierre



Saturday ~ February 9th

6:00 pm ~ Alyssa Sargo

Sunday ~ February 10th

8:00 am ~ Bill Eckenrode

10:00 am ~ Wanda Melocchi

12:00 pm ~ Phil Wills

5:30 pm ~ Sue Buchholz



Saturday ~ February 9th

6:00 pm ~ Andy Speranza, Steven Churilla

Sunday ~ February 10th

8:00 am ~ Paul, Brandon & Jordan Messineo

10:00 am ~ Jimmy, Josh & Jacob Murray

12:00 pm ~ Carly Haas, Stacie Knee

5:30 pm ~ Noah Martino