

SAINT COLMAN CHURCH

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February 8, 2015

THE FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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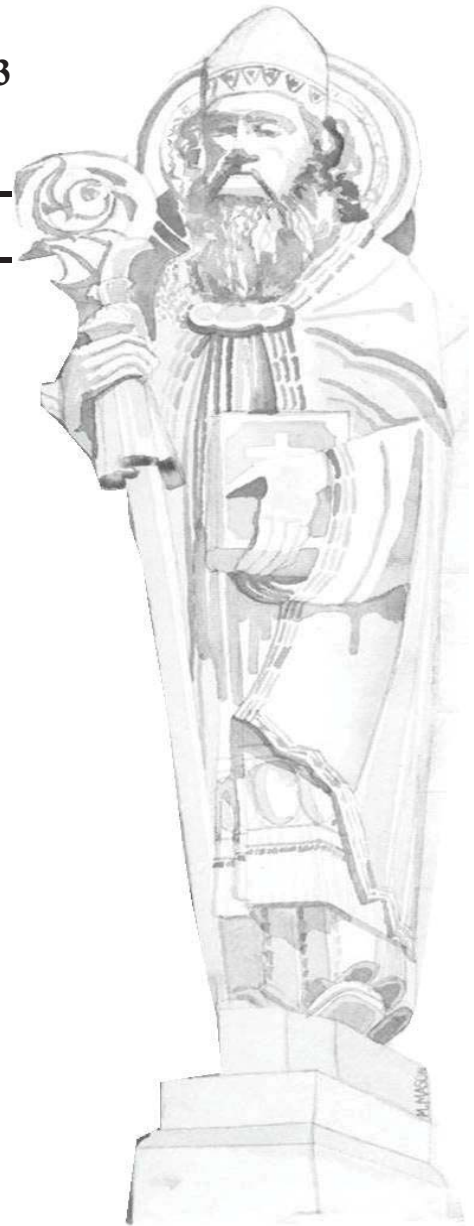
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ST. COLMAN MISSION STATEMENT

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.

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Missing the Point

Mark tells us, in the gospel, that one of the first things Jesus did in his ministry in Capernaum was to work several miracles, cur the sick; including Peter’s mother-in-law. The news spread rapidly. Crowds gathered waiting for the new prophet, bearing their illnesses and problems. Jesus is found in prayer. The apostles tell him of his sudden popularity. The crowds are looking for miracles. But Jesus gives an unexpected response, not what the apostles or crowds expected to hear. This is not the reason he came. He tells the apostles it is time to move on. The Second Person of the Trinity did not become human in order to fulfill our wishes and requests. He came “to proclaim the good news...that is what I have come to do.” And what is the good news? It is that human beings can, through Christ, be in touch with God. They can share in the life and joy of their Creator. Sick or well, problemed or carefree, all human beings can be friends with God. If one is in union with God, a friend with the divine, what else could one want? The people of Capernaum didn’t understand; they wanted what they wanted, not what Jesus came to bring. Hopefully, we understand his message better.

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.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

The 14 Stations of the Cross can be found in almost every Catholic Church and chapel, probably because throughout our history, Christians have longed to literally walk in the footsteps of Christ. For nearly 2000 years the shrines in and around Jerusalem have drawn pilgrims inspired by the life and death of the Lord. However, not everyone is able to travel to the Holy Land, so ever since the Middle Ages, churches began erecting images devoted to various aspects of the passion. By the 15th century, the Franciscans had developed a devotion the called “stations,” which means a place where people stand still or gather together. It took a while to fix the number and the names of the stations, but in 1731 Pope Clement XII established the 14 we know today. Even now there are variations on the number. Some versions (like the one we use here) add a 15th station, the Resurrection of Christ, because the death of Christ means nothing without the resurrection. Another example is the version designed by Pope John Paul II, which eliminates some stations which were based solely on tradition (the three falls, Veronica, etc.) and replaces them with events from the gospels (the betrayal by Judas, the denial by Peter, etc.). We offer the Stations of the Cross here each Friday at 7pm during Lent.

Sunday, February 1, 2015

Weekly Collection.....\$5512.00

Monthly Collection.....\$1459.00

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.

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.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE-VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Stand witness for the Unborn. Program starts on Ash Wednesday and ends on Palm Sunday, 2/18 to 3/29/15. St. Colman is participating in this peaceful prayer vigil on **Tuesday, March 10th from 3-7pm**. In addition St. Colman is pleased to have a shift supervisor every Tuesday 5-7pm throughout the campaign. She could also use your assistance. Consider this opportunity by getting involved . For more information and car pooling details, contact Arlene Gross at 412-823-6447.

“Sanctuary Lamps”

The **Sanctuary Lamp** is lit this week in memory of **Sarah L. Defelice** as requested by **Concetta D. Palarino** and family.

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

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.

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/tcolmantc>).

Discover a new way to improve your health and well-being. Ease anxiety, manage stress, and get in shape with a FREE low-impact class that combines meditative Christian prayer and gentle movements to strengthen your body and your spirit. Upcoming classes will take place on Saturdays, February 14, 21 and 28th from 10:45-11:45am. All classes take place in Werthman Hall. To register or for more information, visit HonoringYourBody.com or call Connie at 412-443-4837.

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.

Magnificat Pittsburgh

Ladies, come to the Magnificat Pittsburgh prayer breakfast on February 21st 9am-12 noon at the Sheraton Four Points in Cranberry Twp. Cost is \$20. to register go to www.magnificatpittsburgh.com or call Kay 724-772-6749. **Registration deadline is February 13th.**

SUNDAY TV MASS FOR HOMEBOUND PARISHIONERS

6:30AM WINP(ION) CHANNEL 16

CABLE TV

COMCAST CHANNEL 43 & 190 6AM

VERIZON FiOS CHANNEL 16

SATELLITE TV

DISH NETWORK CHANNEL 16 OR 216

DIRECT TV CHANNEL 305

FREE STORY-TIME AT EAST CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Wednesday, February 11th is the next "Perfect for Preschoolers Story-time" at East Catholic School in Forest Hills. This is a free story, rhyme, song and craft program designed to entertain and engage young children ages 2 1/2 to 5 years old. Each program features appealing books, favorite stories, and lively activities. The theme of this Story-time is "Fairy Tales". There will be one session from 12:30-1:30 pm. We invite all children, along with their parent or guardian, to come and visit Story-time at East Catholic School Library. Registration is required by calling the East Catholic School office at 412-351-5403 during school hours (8:30am until 2:00pm). Final date for registration is Monday, February 9th. Come join us for some "Fairytale" fun!!! East Catholic follows Woodland Hills School district weather cancellation.

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 22nd, March 8th & 22nd, April 12th & 19th and May 3rd.

ST. ROBERTS PARISH "YOUTH GROUP BINGO"

Sunday, February 15th to benefit the Poland trip for World Youth Day. Kitchen opens at 1:00pm and Bingo starts at 2:00pm at St. Robert's Parish Center. Jackpot is \$500 and tickets are \$20. Call Joyce Krasinski for tickets or information 412-829-1662.

St. Colman Lenten Fish Fry

Please join us for our Lenten Fish Fry beginning on Ash Wednesday, February 18th and every Friday during Lent including Good Friday from 4-7pm in the school cafeteria. Enjoy our delicious Baked or Fried Cod Fish and all your favorite side dishes. Donations of Baked goods are needed and can be dropped off at the rectory office or the cafeteria. Thank you for your support. We hope to see some new faces this year.



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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

Monday ~ Weekday ~ February 9th

8:30 am ~ For the Health of Al Greenwalt ~ Family

Tuesday ~ St. Scholastica, Virgin ~ February 10th

8:30 am ~ Betty Greenwalt ~ Al Greenwalt

Wednesday ~ Weekday ~ February 11th

8:30 am ~ For the Health of Colleen & Arden ~ Family

Thursday ~ Weekday ~ February 12th

8:30 am ~ Alma Hassack ~ The Hassack Family

Friday ~ Weekday ~ February 13th

8:30 am ~ Deceased Members of the Samuel Payne
Family ~ John & Joyce McClelland

**Saturday ~ Sts Cyril, Monk & Methodius, Bishop ~
February 14th**

6:00 pm ~ Lucy Brinza ~ Daughters, Renae & Nadine

THE SIXTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME ~

February 15th

8:00 am ~ Helen Santini ~ Irene Myers

10:00 am ~ Angeline J. Cvetan ~ Cvetin & Kucic
Families

12:00 pm ~ Nick DiClaudio ~ Joanne DiClaudio &
Family

5:30 pm ~ All Living & Deceased of our Parish



Saturday ~ February 14th

6:00 pm ~ Bill Stanonik, Ed Hlatkey, Carol DeIullis, Barbara McCabe

Sunday ~ February 15th

8:00 am ~ Paul Messineo, Alison Sciulli, Lorraine Meglio, Mary Jo Meyer

10:00 am ~ Marci Mason, Karen Murray, Julie McDermott, Kraig Riley

12:00 pm ~ Joe Kopper, Theresa Lugar, Marguerite Crokus, Maureen Leonardo

5:30 pm ~ Christine Stinson, Volunteer



Saturday ~ February 14th

6:00 pm ~ Renee DiCesare

Sunday ~ February 15th

8:00 am ~ Bill Eckenrode

10:00 am ~ Alicia Cole

12:00 pm ~ Pauline Schoffstall

5:30 pm ~ Joanne Saint Pierre



Saturday ~ February 14th

6:00 pm ~ Andy Speranza

Sunday ~ February 15th

8:00 am ~ Paul, Brandon, & Jordan Messineo

10:00 am ~ Jimmy, Josh & Jacob Murray

12:00 pm ~ Analise Balaschak, Carly Haas

5:30 pm ~ Landon Dunnick, Volunteer