

SAINT COLMAN CHURCH

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February 27, 2011

EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

REV. JAMES E. KUNKEL.....*PASTOR*
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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

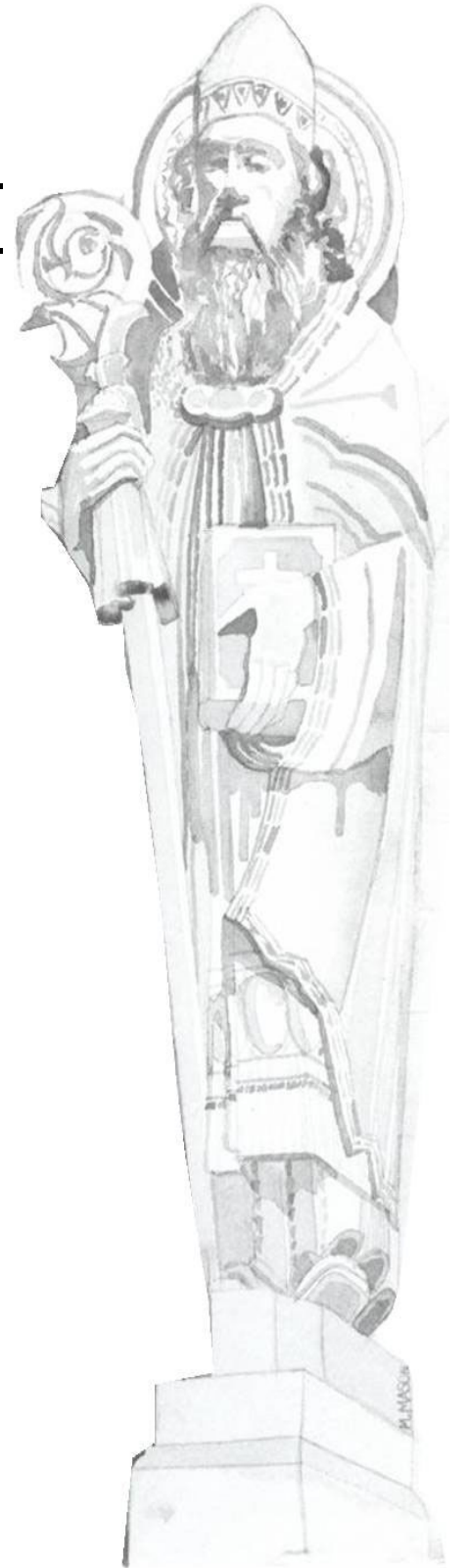
Confessions Saturday 12:00 pm - 12:45 pm

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





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In today's Gospel, Jesus seems to be telling the apostles to have a completely different and larger perspective than the Gentiles or non-believers. When Jesus says "I'm telling you not to worry about your life or your body, what to eat or what to wear..." this is not just a command to live a carefree life, with a don't worry, be happy" attitude. Jesus knows the basics of how to provide food, shelter and clothing for ourselves and our families are always going to be on the apostles minds and on ours. There is nothing evil in that we are not angels without bodies. But Jesus gives us options. The time and energy we invest in working and spending for our daily needs can be seen either as a way of serving God or a way of pursuing wealth. In doing our tasks, we can trust God, or we can fret over the bank balance; we can seek God's rule over our lives, or we can worry endlessly about tomorrow. Jesus reminds us that we can place our total trust in God.

BAPTISM CLASS & DATES OF CELEBRATION

The next Baptism classes are scheduled for Saturday, March 5th and Saturday, June 4th at 11:00am in the school. Please note these dates 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 March 13th & March 27th.



Home with the Lord: In the spirit of Christian charity your prayers are requested for the repose of the souls of Mildred Clawson and Anna Mae Jaquette. May they rest in the peace and the joy of the Lord



The Confraternity of the Rosary's Communion Sunday is March 6th at the 8am Mass. Please sit in the front pews.

CONTRIBUTION STATEMENT FORM

Our contribution statements are completed for the year 2010. Money dropped loose into the collection basket cannot be recorded. Parishioners who wish to have a statement of their 2010 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 2010

Name _____

Address _____

Envelope# _____

GOD LOVES THE CHEERFUL GIVER

February 20th

Regular Collection.....\$5581.50

Monthly Collection.....\$167.00

Parish Share.....\$30.00

DIOCESE 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.

PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN SEMINAR

Saturday, March 5, 2011 from 1-4 pm at the St. Raphael School Auditorium, 1154 Chislett St, Pittsburgh, PA 15206. Please call Pam Matia at 412-298-6845 or go to www.diopitt.org to register.

ANNUAL PARISH SHARE PROGRAM

On the weekend of March 5/6 the Annual Parish Share Campaign for 2011 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 a pledge card before March 6th. We need your generous support in this effort. Our assessment this year is \$72,438. if you do not receive this mailing, please call the rectory. Unfortunately we failed to reach our assessment for the 2010 campaign, therefore we must make up the difference from general funds. Again we need the support of all. Thank you.

"Sanctuary Lamps"

The Sanctuary Lamps are lit this week in memory of Cecelia Basala as requested by Frank & Josie Zemarel.

FUTURE IMPORTANT DATES:

LENTEN FISH FRY: Starts Ash Wednesday, March 9th 4-7pm in school cafeteria.

Pastoral Council Meeting: Monday, March 7th 7:00pm

First Reconciliation: Saturday, March 12th 1:30 pm in the Church.

Seder Meal: Saturday, April 16th at 7pm in school cafeteria.

First Communion: Sunday, May 1st at Noon Mass

Calendar Party: Friday, May 13th 6:30 pm in the School Cafeteria

Baccalaureate Mass for Seniors: Sunday, May 22nd 10:00 am Mass

ASH WEDNESDAY

Wednesday, March 9th is Ash Wednesday, the beginning of the Lenten Season. Ashes will be blessed and distributed *after the homily* of the Mass. Mass will be celebrated at 8:30am, Noon and 7:00 pm. A service with distribution of ashes will be celebrated at 4:00 pm also.

REMINDER: All parish information & bulletins can be found on our website @ www.saintcolmanchurch.org. Check it out.

DIOCESAN ADULT FAITH FORMATION SERIES

Tuesday, March 15th from 7:30-9:00 pm at Seton LaSalle High School auditorium. **FAMILY ROSARY WRESTLING—With Greg and Jennifer Willits:** Greg and Jennifer Willits have been married for 16 years and are the parents of four young boys and a daughter and are the funders of RosaryArmy.com. They are the hosts of a daily 3-hour talk show called “The Catholics Next Door” or Sirius XM’s The Catholic Channel. Bringing a unique mix of real life and the Catholic faith, Greg and Jennifer’s look at the world covers the gamut of family living, from kids to comic books and from fast food to noisy neighbors, with regular attempts at living out their faith on a daily basis thrown in for good measure. Continuing education credit is available for priests, deacons and catechists. The lecture is free - all are welcome to attend. Bring a friend!!

SPECIAL PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING

The next Pastoral Council Meeting is scheduled for Monday, March 7th at 7pm in the school cafeteria. The Director of the Office of Evangelization, Deacon Alexander Wroblicky, will be visiting to address the issue of Evangelization. At the request of Bishop Zubik he will be meeting with all Pastoral Councils throughout the diocese along with the parishioners of the parish. We have been chosen to be one of the first in this effort. Along with his input, he wishes to hear from parishioners on this effort of outreach, especially to non-practicing Catholics and the unchurched. Evangelization is the spreading of the Good News of Jesus Christ. We all have a commission from Baptism to do so. Mark your calendars. The session will be approximately an hour and a half.

La Roche College Honors Religious Congregations of Women

On Saturday evening, March 19th La Roche College will formally acknowledge the indelible contributions of the 28 apostolic religious congregations of women of the Diocese of Pittsburgh by honoring them with the “Ad Lucem” Award. This award is given to individuals or a group of individuals whose vision, leadership and determination have made positive and lasting contributions to society, the community and the professions. The women religious being honored have served many of us as teachers, caregivers, pastoral ministers, administrators and many other ministries that contribute to the good of the church. You are invited to support this event to be held at 6:30 pm at The Westin Convention Center Hotel. Proceeds are used for scholarships and projects that benefit the academic and campus-life experience of students. This year, a new scholarship will be established in honor of the Women Religious of Pittsburgh. Seating for parishioners is \$200 per person. To register online, go to www.laroche.edu/foundersgala. Our parish code is fg11. For additional information, go to specialevents@laroche.edu or call 412-536-1020.

CATHOLIC MEN’S FELLOWSHIP

Attention Catholic Men: Don’t miss the Fifth Annual Diocesan-wide Gathering of Catholic Men on Saturday, April 9, 2011 at A. J. Palumbo Center. It’s a day of prayer, fellowship, worship and inspiration. For more information contact Parish Conference Leadership Team, John Parker @ 412-829-3665 or Mike Krygowski @ 412-216-0070 or visit the CMF-Catholic Men’s Fellowship website at www.cmfpitt.org

40 DAYS FOR LIFE

Christians throughout Pittsburgh are invited to take part in the national 40 Days for Life effort from March 9th (Ash Wednesday) through April 17th (Palm Sunday). This ecumenical 40 day campaign to end abortion, which consists of prayer, fasting and peaceful vigil...will kick-off on Saturday, March 5th at 6:00 pm at First Presbyterian Church, located at 320 Sixth Ave., downtown Pittsburgh. Come share in a meaningful time of praise and worship, followed by a candlelit procession to Planned Parenthood 933 Liberty Ave. All are welcome! For more info or to volunteer contact Nikki Bruni 412-926-9413, nbruni@comcast.net or www.40daysforlife.com/pittsburgh.

The CDA will hold their monthly meeting at 10am in the School Cafeteria on Saturday, March 12th. After the meeting we will make a pilgrimage to Saint Anthony Chapel on Troy Hill. Family and Friends are also invited to attend. Communion Sunday is March 20th at the 10:00 am Mass. Please sit in the front center pews.



THE EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sunday ~ February 27th

8:00 am ~ Agnes & Carl Miller ~ Betty & Joe Dombrosky

10:00 am ~ Mary Salopek ~ M/M James Miller

12:00 pm ~ Bob Reed ~ Andy & Carol Chuba

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

Monday ~ Weekday ~ February 28th

8:30 am ~ Frank Payne ~ Bill Payne

Tuesday ~ Weekday ~ March 1st

8:30 am ~ William Driscoll ~ Cvetan Family

Wednesday ~ Weekday ~ March 2nd

8:30 am ~ Anna Milosvich ~ Family

Thursday ~ Weekday ~ March 3rd

8:30 am ~ Pat Pillage ~ Family

Friday ~ Weekday ~ March 4th

8:30am ~ Cecelia Basala ~ Frank & Josie Zemarel

Saturday ~ Weekday ~ March 5th

6:00 pm ~ James Albanese, Sr. ~ Family

THE NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sunday ~ March 6th

8:00 am ~ Felix Lorenz ~ Wife & Family

10:00 am ~ Dolores Riley ~ Cheryl & Herb Riley & Family

12:00 pm ~ Joseph Martinelli ~ Daughters

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



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Saturday ~ March 5th

6:00 pm ~ Pam Zagar, Bill Stanonik, Jim Bour, Barbara McCabe (1)

Sunday ~ March 6th

8:00 am ~ Arlene Gross, Betty Lou Parello, Paul Messineo, Mary Jo Meyer

10:00 am ~ Kelly McIntyre, Alcia Cole, Marci Mason, Julie McDermott

12:00 pm ~ Nancy Brush, Maureen Leonardo, Janet Currie, Harry Bernacki

5:30 pm ~ James Jordan, Deborah Logan



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Saturday ~ March 5th

6:00 pm ~ Charmain Warble

Sunday ~ March 6th

8:00 am ~ John Parker

10:00 am ~ Marc Tinsley

12:00 pm ~ Phil Wills

5:30 pm ~ Charles Riley

Eucharistic Ministers and Lectors:

The April through June schedules are being prepared. If there are any dates you can't serve, please call Arlene Gross @ 412-823-6447.



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Saturday ~ March 5th

6:00 pm ~ Andy Speranza, Carly Haas

Sunday ~ March 6th

8:00 am ~ Eric Sciulli, Christian Parker, Sal Aiello

10:00 am ~ Jimmy & Josh Murray, Stacie Knee

12:00 pm ~ D. Contestabile, Stormy Green, Alaina Fawcett

5:30 pm ~ Jacob Craig