

SAINT COLMAN CHURCH

"A Pennsylvania Charitable Trust"

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March 1, 2015

THE SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

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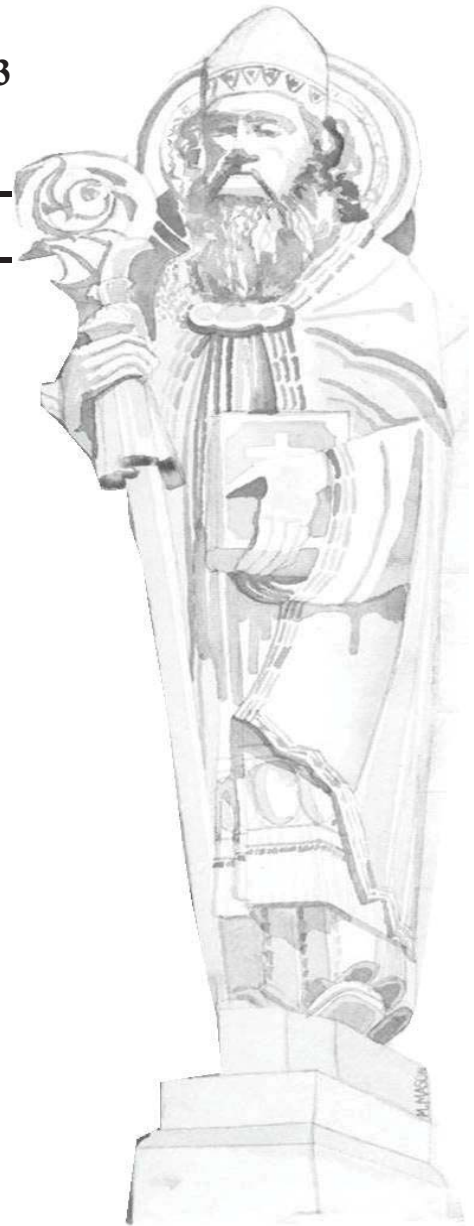
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Sr. Judith Stojhovic, RSM, ...*Principal, East Catholic School*

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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There are a few things in life that mean as much to us as trust. We all want to find people we can trust. We also want a God we can trust, because as important as our material and physical needs are, even more important are those needs we call our spiritual needs. When life itself threatens to overwhelm us, we need the comfort and assurance that can only come from a God who has our best interests at heart. We need to trust in God who knows us down to the last hair on our head, and who wants nothing, absolutely nothing, but the best for us. When everything around us seems to be falling apart, the challenge that faith puts before us is to trust that God will be there for us. For Jesus the Transfiguration (Gospel today) was a moment of trust in the will of his Father. That is the trust we must pray for also.

Sunday, February 22, 2015	
Weekly Collection.....	\$5957.75
Monthly Collection.....	\$1251.00
Parish Share.....	\$5755.00

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 17th 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 412-824-5163.

LADIES OF CHARITY
The Ladies of Charity invite ALL parishioners to join them in a prayer chain. This ministry requires no meetings, no schedules and no committees. You simply pray for those requesting prayers at your own pace in your own environment. If you are interested in participating in this ministry, please contact Marci Mason at 412-215-4289 or email marciart.marciartsy@verizon.net. God Bless.

Lenten Nullity Presentations - The Tribunal Office will be providing a 45 minute presentation in each of the four Vicariates of the diocese. The purpose of the talk is to provide information about the nullity process and help those wanting to begin the process to do so by receiving the initial paperwork. The talks are directed toward those who have a desire for adult education regarding this often misunderstood subject. People involved in RCIA as teachers or directors may have a special interest in attending. All presentations will begin at 7 pm and are free. Registration is not required but to plan for chairs and refreshments please let us know that you are coming at tribunal@diopitt.org or 412-456-3033. The remaining presentations are scheduled for March 2nd, St. Benedict the Abbott, Peters Twp.; March 3rd, St. John Fisher, Churchill; March 10th St. Camillus, New Castle; March 11th, Sts. John & Paul, Franklin Park; March 19th, St. Ann, Waynesburg; March 23rd, St. Sebastian, Ross Twp.

RETROUVAILLE: A LIFELINE for MARRIED COUPLES
Retrouvaille offers help to couples experiencing trouble in their marriage. The weekend and post sessions focus on rebuilding marriage through better communication, listening, and understanding. Call today to begin the healing process beginning with a weekend on April 10, 2015. Contact Retrouvaille at 412-277-3434 or email 3041@retrouvaille.org. More information is available at www.retrouvailleofpittsburghinc.org.

The Light is Still on For You!!
*“The Light is Still on For You!” is an initiative of the Diocese of Pittsburgh to encourage Catholics to avail themselves of the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Confession is the best way to participate in the Lord’s Passion at Easter. Confession will be available on **Wednesday, March 18th** from 6-9pm in every Catholic parish in the Diocese.*

LENT CONFESSION SCHEDULE
Saturday, March 7th 12:00-12:45pm
Saturday, March 14th 12:00-12:45pm
“THE LIGHT IS ON FOR YOU” PROGRAM
Wednesday, March 18th 6:00-9:00pm
Saturday, March 21st 12:00-12:45pm
Saturday, March 28th 12:00-12:45pm
Monday, March 30th 6:30-7:15pm
Tuesday, March 31st 3:00-3:45pm
Wednesday, April 1st after 8:30am Mass

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

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

First Communion: April 26th Noon Mass

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

Pre-Cana Logo: The annual St. Maurice Pre-Cana Wedding/Marriage preparation classes will be held Saturday, March 21st from 12:45-4:45pm and Sunday, March 22nd from 1-5:30pm in the parish center at St. Maurice. Our sessions will fulfill the Diocese of Pittsburgh's requirements for couples wishing to be married in 2015 in the Catholic Church. Registrations will be taken on a first-come, first-served basis. The deadline for registration will be March 13th. Please call the Parish Center Office at 412-271-0809. The cost is \$60 per couple.

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.

DIVORCED, WIDOWED OR SEPARATED

The loss of a spouse through, separation, divorce or death is a traumatic experience. The **Beginning Experience** weekend is intended to help widowed, divorced or separated people who would like to pass through the grief and begin to move forward with their lives. Come to a safe place. The next weekend will be **March 20-22, 2015** at the Gilmary Retreat Center in Moon Township, PA. Payment arrangements and possible financial assistance are available. For more information, explore our website at www.BeginningExperience.org or make a confidential call to Mary at 412-523-2405 or Steve at 412-367-4948.

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.

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

CATHOLIC HOSPICE: Is currently seeking part-time and full-time RNs and Home Health Aides to share in their mission of caring for the terminally ill in Allegheny and Beaver counties. Hospice experience is a plus. Interested candidates should fax their resume to 724-933-6225 or email bstroud@catholichospice.org to take the first step for a fulfilling career.

EAST CATHOLIC SCHOOL in Forest Hills, PA will host an informational Open House for families who are exploring educational options for their children in grades Pre-K through 8. The Open House will be held on Sunday, March 22nd from 1:30-3:00 pm in Keane Hall (School Cafeteria). As a part of our Open House activities, East Catholic is inviting all children (ages 3-7, along with their parent or guardian) who are ready to begin preschool, kindergarten or first grade in August 2015 to join us for a "Stomp, Stomp, Roar, Roar - I'm a Dinosaur Story Time" from 1:30-3 pm. Children may wear going-on-an-adventure clothes and enjoy a Dinosaur story time with singing, thinking, playing and crafts. Walking tours of the school will be available during Story Time. Registration for Story Time is required and can be made by calling the East Catholic School Office 412-351-403 during school hours (8:30am- 2pm). Last day for registration is Friday, March 20th. An informal program is planned with school tours and an opportunity to discuss grade level curriculum. Admission information will be available including details about tuition, financial aid, after-school care, and extra curricular activities. Families will be able to meet some of the teachers and administrative staff. Special Notice for Kindergarten Enrollment: Children who will be five years old before September 1st are eligible to enroll in Kindergarten. East Catholic School Kindergarten Program offers half-day and full-day options. Join the East Catholic Team and have your child be a part of a great tradition of Catholic Education that lasts a lifetime. For more information or to register, call the East Catholic School Office at 412-351-5403

St. Colman Lenten Fish Fry

Please join us for our Lenten Fish Fry 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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MARCH 1st

8:00 am ~ Michael & Anna Milosvich ~ Family
10:00 am ~ Felix Lorenz ~ Wife & Family
12:00 pm ~ William Shaffer ~ Family
5:30 pm ~ All Living & Deceased of our Parish

Monday ~ Lenten Weekday ~ March 2nd

8:30 am ~ Peter & Angela Maria Payne ~ Family

Tuesday ~ Lenten Weekday ~ March 3rd

8:30 am ~ George Hovanec ~ Jack & Cass Hanlon

Wednesday ~Lenten Weekday ~ March 4th

8:30 am ~ Cecilia Basala ~ Frank & Josie Zemarel & Ed Basala

Thursday ~ Lenten Weekday ~ March 5th

8:30 am ~ Father Paul Schratz ~ Father Jim

Friday ~ Lenten Weekday ~ March 6th

8:30 am ~ Joseph Martinelli ~ Family
7:00 pm ~ Stations of the Cross

Saturday ~ Lenten Weekday ~ March 7th

6:00 pm ~ Joseph DelleDonne ~ Wife

THE THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT ~ March 8th

8:00 am ~ James J. Albanese
10:00 am ~ Dorothy Lohner ~ Ron & Julie McDermott
12:00 pm ~ Mike & Mary Madden ~ Mike, Verna, & Mike
5:30 pm ~ All Living & Deceased of The Parish



Saturday ~ March 7th

6:00 pm ~ Jim Bour, Carol Delullis, Charmain Warble,
Tina Kuniak

Sunday ~ March 8th

8:00 am ~ Wanda Melocchi, Michael Lanigan, Paul
Messineo, Sharon Parker

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

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

5:30 pm ~ Wendy Martino, Joanne Saint Pierre



Saturday ~ March 7th

6:00 pm ~ Karen Lindow

Sunday ~ March 8th

8:00 am ~ John Parker

10:00 am ~ Marc Tinsley

12:00 pm ~ Harry Bernacki

5:30 pm ~ Pamela Ross



Saturday ~ March 7th

6:00 pm ~ Scott & Samantha Doherty

Sunday ~ March 8th

8:00 am ~ Christian & Jonathan Parker

10:00 am ~ Jimmy, Josh, & Jacob Murray

12:00 pm ~ Lucca Paoletti & Tina Vos

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