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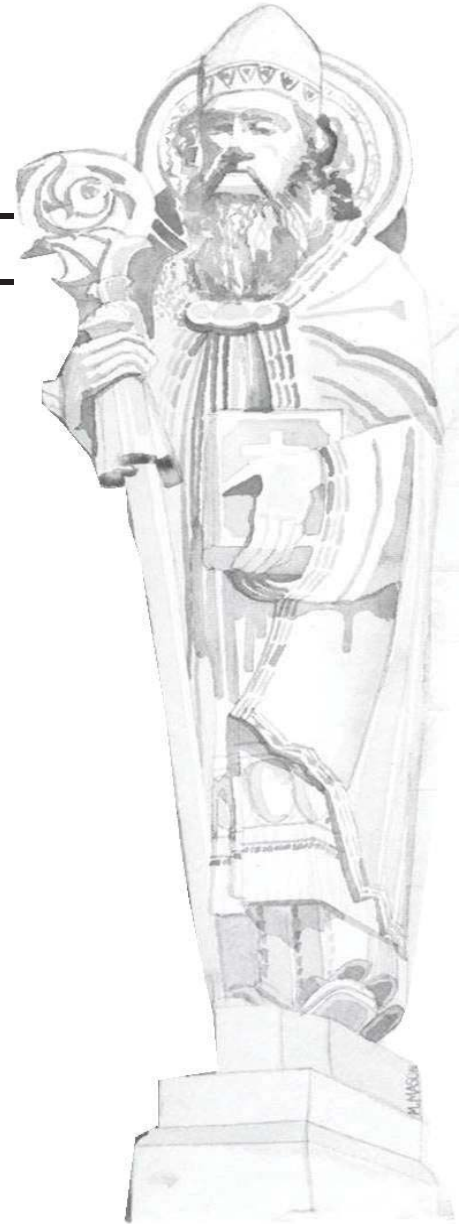
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March 10, 2013

FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

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

DEACON HERB RILEY

Thomas Cosley*Director of Liturgical Music*

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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

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 OF LENT

Today is Laetare Sunday, as the Entrance Antiphon indicates: "Rejoice, Jerusalem! Be glad for her, you who love her; rejoice with her, you who mourned for her, and you will find contentment..." Jerusalem, the home of God's people! Rejoice, because your children are on their way home, home to a true and better understanding of the part that God's enduring love and forgiveness plays in their lives. It is a Sunday of rejoicing because it recalls to us that we are God's work of art, created by his grace, not by our personal efforts. Let our tongues be silenced if we ever forget that God so loved the world and each and every one of us - - sinners and saints alike - - so much that he gave up his only Son, that all who believe in him might have eternal life.

REMINDER: AS A SIGN OF REVERENCE FOR THE EUCHARIST, PLEASE BOW YOUR HEAD AS YOU RECEIVE COMMUNION.

Fourth Sunday of Lent: A Family Perspective

We may feel like the Prodigal Son but the gospel wants us to focus on the father who was forgiving and understanding. We all make mistakes and need forgiveness. Who in your family needs your forgiveness and acceptance this Lent?

Seder Meal - Saturday, March 23rd at 7:00 pm in the school cafeteria. Offering is \$10 per person. Meal includes roasted Lamb/Chicken, rice pilaf, green beans, tossed salad, roll/butter, sorbet. We, as Christians, celebrate Seder, sharing a common ancestry with our Jewish brothers and sisters, and in memory of the meal that Jesus celebrated with His apostles. By reservation only. To make reservations call the rectory office at 412-823-2564 or call Sue Buchholz at 824-5163. Seating is limited.

A DONATION HAS BEEN MADE TO THE ST. COLMAN UPDATE & RENOVATE FUND IN MEMORY OF:

Marie Kelley

By: A Friend

IN MEMORY OF:

Alfretta Polidora

By: Rose Mary & Joseph Kuznicki

The McCullough Family

IN MEMORY OF:

Ella Kingston

By: The Kochers

IN MEMORY OF:

Alfred & Rose Pugliano

By: The Leax Family

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.



March 3rd	
Regular Collection.....	\$6956.00
Monthly Collection.....	\$2334.00
Parish Share 2013.....	\$1178.00

**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, your are not to minister in the parish. There are many sessions listed on the Diocese of Pittsburgh website at www.diopitt.org.



LENTEN FISH FRY

Please join us in the school cafeteria from 4-7pm every Friday during Lent for our Lenten Fish Fry. Enjoy our "Hand Dipped" Fried or Baked Cod Fish and all your favorite side dishes. Donations of baked goods are needed for the Bake Sale. Baked goods can be dropped off at the rectory office or the cafeteria after 2:30 on Fridays. Volunteers are also needed.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE IN PITTSBURGH

St. Colman Parish will be participating on Monday, March 18th, 11am-3pm. Our church community will commit to one 4 hour prayer "shift" at the Planned Parenthood facility at 933 Liberty Ave, Pittsburgh. Volunteers are needed to represent our parish in this pro-life movement. Look for additional communication in the coming weeks! For information contact Arlene Gross, 412-823-6447 or email at arlgro@verizon.net.

Widowed, Separated or Divorced? The loss of a spouse through separation, divorce or death is a most traumatic experience. Many people who have suffered this loss feel left out by their church, uneasy around married friends, unsure of themselves, and uncertain about their future. The Beginning Experience weekend is intended to help widowed, divorced, separated people who would like to pass through the grief and begin to move forward with their lives Come to a safe place. Travel from heartache to hope. The next weekend will be held April 5-7, 2013 at the Gilmary Center in Moon Twp, PA. Payment arrangements and possible financial assistance are available. For more info www.BeginningExperience.org, or make a confidential call to Mary 412-523-2405 or Steve Smith 412-367-4948.

Home With The Lord: Your prayers are requested for the repose of the souls of Robert Henry and Elizabeth Brian. May they rest in the peace and the 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.

Rediscover Catholicism: Meets every Tuesday at 9:15am in Werthman Hall or 7:00 pm in the cafeteria. Classes start Tuesday, March 5th. Contact Sue Buchholz at (412) 824-5163.

Seder Meal: Saturday, March 23, 2013 at 7:00pm.

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

Parish Mission: May 19th-22nd

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

All Day Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: The last Wednesday of each month until the end of June. After the 8:30am Mass (unless there is a funeral) until Benediction at 6:30 pm

Valley Seniors Present: "NOAH" Join us for a trip to Lancaster, PA on May 1&2, 2013. Package includes Round Trip Motor Coach Transportation, Deluxe overnight accommodations, Full Buffet Breakfast at your hotel, Amish Style Dinner at the famed Hershey Farms Restaurant, Reserved seating at the Sight & Sound Theater featuring "NOAH", guided tour of Lancaster and other side trips. All this for just \$209.00. Call Marlene at 412-365-0120 to reserve seats.

NEWLY BAPTIZED

We welcome to the faith community of St. Colman Parish: Adelynn Grace Paradine, Michael Angelo Knox, Broden Marshall Broker, Zoey Elizabeth Bianchi, Liam Antonio Wilson, Brookson Carter Yost, Madeline Rose Kimmell, Alexis Jade Leichter, Aubree Nicole Leichter and Jayce Maverick Frisk.

"WHY MUST HE DIE?"

The Tricounty Choir Institute will present: "Why Must He Die?" at Good Shepherd Church, Braddock Ave at Frazier Street, Braddock, PA on Sunday, March 24th at 2pm. This musical passion play will complete Palm Sunday to begin Holy Week, the most solemn week of our liturgical year. Come enjoy and be inspired.

BAPTISM CLASS & DATES OF CELEBRATION

The next Baptism classes are scheduled for 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 March 17, and April 7.

GATHERING OF CATHOLIC MEN

Don't miss the 8th annual Diocesan-wide Gathering of Catholic Men on Saturday, April 6th, 2013 at the A.J. Palumbo Center. It's a day of prayer, fellowship, worship, and inspiration. For more information contact our Parish Captains for Christ Team Leader's Ted Novak 412-596-2544 or Mike Krygowski 412--216-0070, or visit the CMF-Catholic Men's Fellowship website at www.cmf-pitt.org.

LENT CONFESSION SCHEDULE

Saturday, March 16th 12:00-12:45pm

Saturday, March 23rd 12:00-12:45pm

**Tuesday, March 26th after 8:30am Mass,
3:00-3:30pm and 6:30-7:15pm**

Wednesday, March 27th after 8:30am Mass

**Serra Catholic High School
"Meet the Students Night"**

Thursday, March 14th at 7PM. Incoming Freshman, spend time with current students and find your place in our clubs, activities, and sports. Parents, meet other parents and find answers to all of your questions about our Serra Catholic community! Contact: Mrs. Lori Lyons, Admissions Director 412-751-2020 ext 134 or lyonsl@serrahs.org.

AN INVITATION TO ALL CATHOLIC WOMEN

One of the largest organizations of Catholic women in the world, under the guidance of the Blessed Mother as our patron, the Catholic Daughters of the Americas is dedicated to strengthening our spiritual life through Christ and His Church. The CDA was founded in 1903 by the Knights of Columbus in Utica, New York. We are organized in 42 states, Puerto Rico, the Dominican Republic, Mexico, the Virgin Islands and Guam. There are 16 Courts in the Pittsburgh Diocese all with varying meeting schedules. Any woman 18 years of age or older, of the Catholic faith, who love and support the Church and wish to participate in social and charitable activities are welcome to join. Answer the Lord's call to you with faith, generosity and love. Joining the Catholic Daughters of the Americas is a wonderful gift from God. An informational social will be held Monday, March 18th at 7pm in the cafeteria meeting room, St. Colman Parish, 100 Tri-Boro Ave., Turtle Creek. Contact Lisa McCann at 412-824-7867 www.catholicdaughters.org (National) www.cdapa.com (State)

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 12-14, 2013. Contact Retrouvaille at 412-277-3434 or e-mail 3041@retrouvaille.org. More information is available at www.helpourmarriage.com.



FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT ~ March 10th

8:00 am ~ Tina Valenti ~ Sylvia Fragomeni
10:00 am ~ Vittoria Rossetti ~ Susan Emerick
12:00 pm ~ William Blotzer ~ Margaret Blotzer & Family
5:30 pm ~ All Living & Deceased of our Parish

Monday ~ Lenten Weekday ~ March 11th

8:30 am ~ Cecilia Basala ~ Jack & Helen Harchelrode

Tuesday ~ Lenten Weekday ~ March 12th

8:30 am ~ Alfred & Rosemarie Pugliano ~ Alane Rossetti & Children

Wednesday ~ Lenten Weekday ~ March 13th

8:30 am ~ William Wahrhaus ~ Family

Thursday ~ Lenten Weekday ~ March 14th

8:30 am ~ Clyde McClelland ~ Wife, Helen

Friday ~ Lenten Weekday ~ March 15th

8:30 am ~ Herb Riley, Sr. ~ Cheryl, Herb & Family
7:00 pm ~ Stations of the Cross

Saturday ~ Lenten Weekday ~ March 16th

6:00 pm ~ Matthew & Mart Stapinski. ~ Andy & Gerry Rensko

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT ~ March 17th

8:00 am ~ David & Jean Buccella ~ Hunsberger Family
10:00 am ~ Renee Watkins ~ Cwynar Family
12:00 pm ~ Dorothy & Albert Rapp ~ Marci Mason
5:30 pm ~ All Living & Deceased of our Parish



Saturday ~ March 16th

6:00 pm ~ Barbara McCabe, Charmian Warble, Debbie Sargo, Sharon

Sunday ~ March 17th

8:00 am ~ Paul Messineo, Bill Eckenrode, Gloria Common, Mike Lanigan

10:00 am ~ Marci Mason, Julie McDermott, Karen Murray, Linda Lorenz

12:00 pm ~ Lynn Bahleda, Joyce Blotzer, Maureen Leonardo, Harry Bernacki

5:30 pm ~ Christine Stinson, Larry Canobbio



Saturday ~ March 16th

6:00 pm ~ Anina Parker

Sunday ~ March 17th

8:00 am ~ Jennifer Zapata

10:00 am ~ Alicia Cole

12:00 pm ~ Joe Kopper

5:30 pm ~ Charles Riley



Saturday ~ March 16th

6:00 pm ~ Sal Aiello, Andy Speranza

Sunday ~ March 17th

8:00 am ~ Paul, Brandon, Jordan Messineo

10:00 am ~ Mimi, Lexi, Ashley Astle

12:00 pm ~ Alaina Fawcett, Lucca Paoletti

5:30 pm ~ Noah Martino