

SAINT COLMAN CHURCH

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April 2, 2017

THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

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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

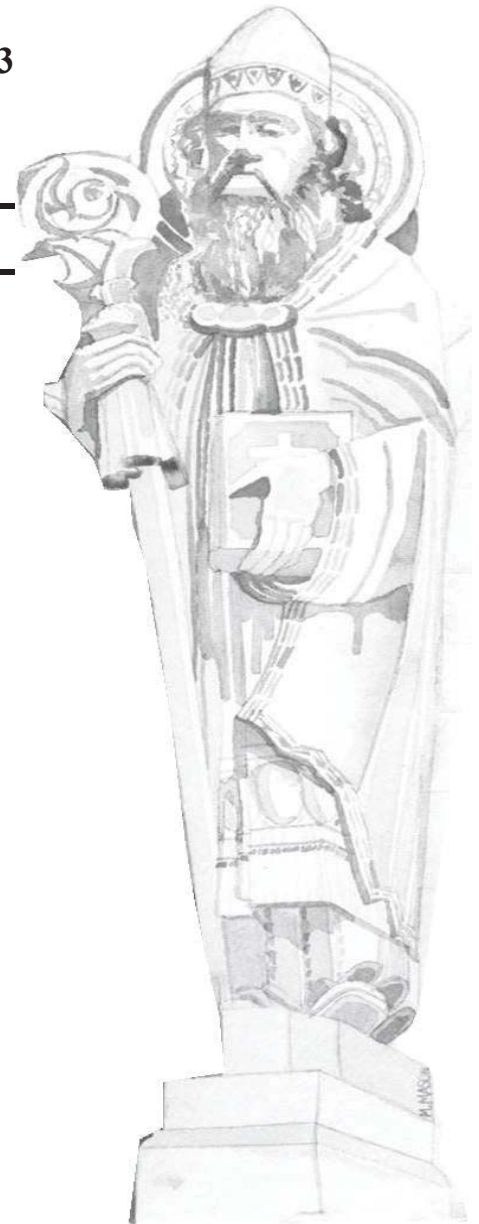
Weddings Call Rectory for arrangements.

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.



THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

In the Mass of Christian Burial, the preface reminds us that, for the Christian, in death “life is changed, not taken away.” Death is a transition, not a terminal experience. The major death-life moment for the Christian occurs in Baptism. From that point, there is a growth in life which blossoms into full engagement in God. In every death, of course, there is the pain of separation. But there is also cause for rejoicing if we truly accept the Word of God, if we believe in the Lazarus story. It is not the “grim reaper” who greets us but the loving Lord who has gone before us. As Paul reminds us “Why are we afraid?.” If God loved us enough to give us his Son, will He abandon us now? God promises that He will see us. Christ will come to us as surely as he came to Lazarus. Do we truly take him at his word?

Thoughts to reflect on and share: *“Whatever God promises He will surely do. Yet, at times, we still doubt because of our inability to put our trust in the One who loves us.”* Deacon Herb **Follow Deacon Herb on Facebook.**

LENT 2017 CONFESSION SCHEDULE

Saturday April 8th 12:00-12:45pm

Monday April 10th after 8:30am Mass & 6:30pm-7:15pm

Tuesday April 11th before and after 8:30am mass & 3:00pm-3:30pm

THERE WILL BE NO CONFESSIONS AFTER APRIL 11th UNTIL SATURDAY, APRIL 22nd. There are plenty of sessions during Lent to receive the Sacrament. Do not wait until the last minute.

PREPARE FOR HOLY WEEK

The Living Stations of the Cross will be presented on Palm Sunday at 2:00pm in St. Colman Church. The students from East Catholic grade school will share with us the message of Holy Week. Mark your calendar for this prayerful service.



DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY, APRIL 23rd

9 DAY NOVENA begins on Good Friday, April 14th at 12:45 PM and runs Monday– Friday April 17th-21st after 8:30 AM mass. Divine Mercy Sunday, April 23rd at 3 PM. Questions call Sue Buchholz at 412.824.5163

“Sanctuary Lamps”

The Sanctuary Lamps are lit this week in memory of Frank Zemarel by his wife, Josie.



Sunday, March 26, 2017

Offertory.....	\$5,700.00
Monthly	\$.00
Parish Share 2017.....	\$2,250.00
WEEKLY OPERATING EXPENSE.....	\$9,705.00

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.



BAPTISM CLASSES AND DATES OF CELEBRATION

The next Baptism classes are scheduled for Saturday, June 3rd and Saturday, September 2nd at 11am in the school cafeteria meeting room. **Please note this date** if you anticipate a baptism in the next few months. This class may be taken before the birth of your child. The class is required prior to the celebration (**along with membership in the parish and attendance at Mass**). The Sacrament of Baptism will be celebrated on April 23rd, May 7th, May 21st, June 4th & June 25th.



CONFIRMATION ~ Bishop William Waltersheid will be celebrating the Sacrament of Confirmation for the eighth grade students from St. Colman, St. Maurice, St. John Fisher, Good Shepherd, Word of God and Madonna del Costello Parishes on Monday, April 24th at 7pm at St. Maurice Parish. Any parishioners who have not completed their Sacraments of Initiation and wish to participate, please contact the parish office at 412-823-2564. Confirmation is a prerequisite for marriage in the Catholic Church.

HOME WITH THE LORD: Your prayers are requested for the repose of the soul of Adele Pecora and John Samsa. May they rest in the peace and the joy of the Lord.

THANK YOU

Thank you to Al, Ron and Gail Bachy of Al Bachy Landscape for donating their services and materials for the grooming of the property around the church. They did a beautiful job. Please remember Al Bachy Landscape if you have any landscape needs.

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION

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

Catholic Men's Fellowship: 1st & 3rd Saturday of each month @ 9am in the School Cafeteria meeting room.

Catholic Daughters of the Americas: Meeting 2nd Friday of each month 6:15-8pm All women are welcome!

Honoring Your Body: Spirit filled Yoga classes are held on Thursdays, 6:45-8pm in Werthman Hall. 1st Class free. Classes for April and May will be held on April 20th and May 18th due to the holidays. Contact Connie Tinsley 412-443-4837 for information.

Bible Study: Monday's 6:30-8pm All are welcome!

Holy Hour:

Living Stations of the Cross: Performed by East Catholic Students on Sunday, April 9th 2pm

Seder Meal: Saturday, April 8th 7pm in school cafeteria.

SEDER MEAL - SATURDAY, APRIL 8th at 7pm in the school cafeteria. Offering \$11 per person. Meal includes roasted Lamb/Chicken, red potato's, 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 412-823-5163. Seating is limited/ reservations are necessary.



ST. COLMAN LENTEN FISH FRY : Every Friday during Lent from 3-7PM IN THE SCHOOL CAFETERIA Enjoy our "Hand

Dipped" Fried or Baked Cod Fish Sandwich \$7.00, Side dishes \$2.50 each or 2 for \$4.00. Sides include: Haluskie, Pierogies, Mac-n-Cheese, French Fries, Boston Clam Chowder and Crab Cakes. Donations of Baked Goods are needed and can be dropped off at the rectory office or the cafeteria. Hope to see you!!! **VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED!!!**

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAS COURT WESTINGHOUSE #759 will hold their April meeting on April 7th due to Good Friday

A DONATION HAS BEEN MADE TO THE ST. COLMAN UPDATE AND RENOVATE FUND IN MEMORY OF: MARCELLA TOTTER & VIOLA STEPANSKY BY: DOUG & FRED A NELSON & RICHARD & KELLY DeVOE

IN MEMORY OF: WAYNE SHILLINGER BY: MR. JOEL SPIEGEL

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

Palm Sunday Masses

Saturday: 6:00pm
Sunday: 8:00am, 10:00am, 12:00 Noon, 5:30pm

LIVING STATIONS OF THE CROSS

2:00 pm IN CHURCH

Monday, April 10th

Mass: 8:30 am

Confessions: After 8:30 am **Mass**

6:30pm-7:15pm

Tuesday, April 11th

Mass: 8:30am

Confessions: Before and after 8:30 am Mass

3:00pm-3:30 pm

Stations with CCD 7:00 pm.

Wednesday, April 12th

Mass: 8:30 am

Holy Thursday, April 13th

Mass of the Lord's Supper: 7:00 pm

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 10:30 pm

Good Friday, April 14th

Stations of the Cross: Noon

Celebration of the Lord's Passion

With Scripture, Veneration of the Cross

and Holy Communion: 1:30 pm

Tenebrae Service: 7:00 pm

Holy Saturday, April 15th

Blessing of the Food Baskets: 12:00 Noon

Easter Vigil Mass: **8:30 pm**

Easter Sunday, April 16th: Mass 8- 10- Noon



St. Colman 27th Annual Calendar Party & Fashion Show will be held on

Friday, April 21st in the school cafeteria. Anyone interested in sponsoring a table or just looking for a night of fun, please call Mary Jo Meyer at 412-824-5099.

SAM PRESENTATION- "ADDICTION 101" APRIL 19th AT 7PM ST. BERNADETTE PARISH MONROEVILLE

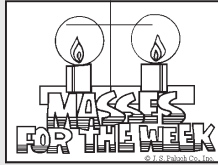
Please join the Substance Addiction Ministry for a presentation by Josie Morgano, a psychologist, educator and counselor in Pittsburgh. For the last 10+ years she has focused on addiction education, evaluation and treatment. In the "Addiction 101" presentation she will cover:

- Review of the disease of addiction
- Differentiate between use, abuse and addiction
- Discuss common drugs of abuse
- Discuss community resources

The presentation will be in the Lourdes Center with light refreshments following.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Wednesday, April 5th after 8:30 A.M. mass volunteers are needed to help clean the pews in the church to prepare for Easter Sunday. Call rectory office at 412.823.2564



Fifth Sunday Of Lent ~ April 2nd

8:00 am ~ Emil Meglio ~ Lorraine
10:00 am ~ Rosella Manion ~ Family
12:00 pm ~ Missy Madden ~ Mom, Dad & Mike
5:30 pm ~ Snopko-Kondas & Yoha Families ~ Donna
Yoha

Monday ~ Lenten Weekday ~ April 3rd

8:30 am ~ The Deceased Members of the Brochetti &
Caliari Families ~ Brochetti children
9:30 am ~ Hamilton Hills ~ All Living & Deceased of
Our Parish

Tuesday ~ Lenten Weekday ~ April 4th

8:30 am ~ Dolores Wilson ~ Becky, Ben & Joe

Wednesday ~ Lenten Weekday ~ April 5th

8:30am ~ John & Antoinette Urban ~ Tom & Betty

Thursday ~ Lenten Weekday ~ April 6th

8:30 am ~ Helen Tomasic ~ Kathy

Friday ~ Lenten Weekday ~ April 7th

8:30 am ~ Grace Kravetz ~ Betty McDevitt
7:00pm ~ Stations

Saturday ~ Lenten Weekday ~ April 8th

6:00 pm ~ Peggy & Al Viccari ~ Betty & Joe
Dombrosky

Palm Sunday ~ April 9th

8:00 am ~ All Living & Deceased of our Parish
10:00 am ~ Herb Riley Sr. ~ Deacon Herb & Cheryl
Riley & Family
12:00 pm ~ Edward Bahleda ~ Family
5:30 pm ~ Francis & Mary Buchholz ~ Family



Saturday ~ April 8th

6:00 pm ~ Bill Stanonik, Arlene Gross, Debbie Sargo, Charmain Warble

Sunday ~ April 9th

8:00 am ~ Mary Jo Meyer, Helen Wilson, Linda Lorenz, Betty Lou Parello

10:00 am ~ Connie Tinsley, Patti Connelly, Karen Murray, Renae Brinza

12:00 pm ~ Elaine Clugston, Lynn Bahleda, Marguerite Crokus, Martha Mallik

5:30 pm ~ Wendy Martino, Nikki Riley



Saturday ~ April 8th

6:00 pm ~ Deacon Herb/ P. Zagar

Sunday ~ April 9th

8:00 am ~ Deacon Herb/ W. Melocchi

10:00 am ~ Deacon Herb/ A. Cole

12:00 pm ~ P. Schoffstall/ J. Kopper

5:30 pm ~ Deacon Herb/ C. Riley



Saturday ~ April 8th

6:00 pm ~ Samantha Doherty

Sunday ~ April 9th

8:00 am ~ Christian & Jonathan Parker

10:00 am ~ Josh & Jacob Murray

12:00 pm ~ Lucca Paoletti & Tina Vos

5:30 pm ~ Justin O'Shell