

SAINT COLMAN CHURCH

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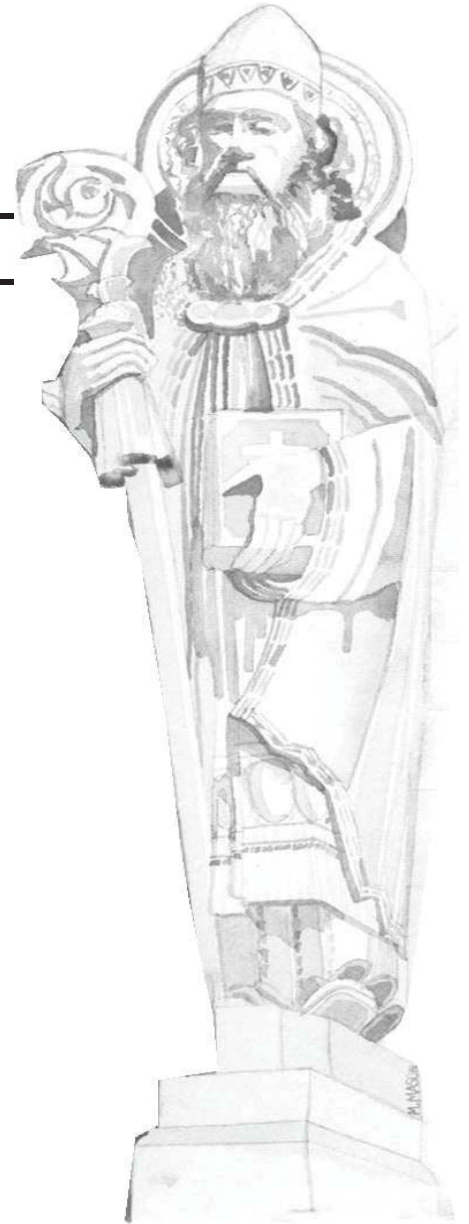
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April 6, 2014

THE FIFTH 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

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?

THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

A Family Perspective

Our families can become wrapped up chasing things we perceive will make us happy. The words to Lazarus, Jesus says to us: “Come out” from what entombs you. In this fifth week of Lent, “unite” yourself and be free from unnecessary possessions.

CONFIRMATION

Bishop David Zubik will be celebrating the Sacrament of Confirmation for the eighth grade students from St. Colman and St. Maurice Parishes on Tuesday, April 8, 2014 at 7pm here at St. Colman Church. We are in need of donations of cookies for the reception afterward. If you are interested in helping the cookies can be dropped off at the rectory office Monday or Tuesday, April 7/8 before 4pm. Thank you in advance. God Bless You, Mrs. Krygowski

“Sanctuary Lights”

The Sanctuary Lights are lit this week in memory of James Botti as requested by wife, Louise and Children.

LENT CONFESSION SCHEDULE

Saturday, April 12th 12:00 ~ 12:45 pm

Tuesday April 15th after 8:30 am Mass, 3:00 ~ 3:30 pm and 6:30 ~ 7:15 pm

Wednesday, April 16th after 8:30 am Mass

HOME WITH THE LORD: Your prayers are requested for the repose of the souls of Fr. John Markell, Gladys Poeschl and Barbara Mikulich. May they rest in the peace and joy of the Lord.

A DONATION HAS BEEN MADE TO THE ST. COLMAN UPDATE & RENOVATE FUND IN MEMORY OF: NICOLA DiCLAUDIO BY: James Samuels

March 30, 2014

Regular Collection.....	\$5751.00
Monthly Collection.....	\$526.00
Campaign for Human Development... ..	\$1365.00
Parish Share 2014.....	\$2530.00

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. Here are some local parishes offering the sessions.

North American Martyrs Parish: Thursday, June 12, 2014 at 7 pm. To register contact Donna Lew-Buechel at 412-349-0942.

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

April 13th thru April 20th

Palm Sunday Masses

Saturday: 6:00 pm

Sunday: 8:00 am

10:00 am, 12 Noon, 5:30 pm

Monday, April 14th

Mass: 8:30 am

Tuesday, April 15th

Mass : 8:30 am

Confessions: After 8:30 am Mass, 3:00-3:30 pm, & 6:30-7:15 pm

Wednesday, April 16th

Mass: 8:30 am

Confession: after 8:30 am Mass

Holy Thursday, April 17th

Mass of the Lord’s Supper: 7:00 pm

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 10:30 pm

Good Friday, April 18th

Stations of the Cross: Noon

The Lord’s Passion: 1:30 pm

Tenebrae Service: 7:00 pm

Holy Saturday, April 19th

Blessing of Baskets: 12:00 Noon

Easter Vigil Mass: 8:30 pm

Easter Sunday, April 20th

Mass: 8:00 am, 10:00 am, 12 Noon

FUTURE IMPORTANT DATES:

St. Colman Grief Sharing Group: Every third Thursday of each month from 6:30-8:30pm in the school Cafeteria. **ATTENTION: DATE CHANGE: April meeting will be held on April 10th.**

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.

Confirmation: Tuesday, April 8th 7pm St. Colman

First Communion: May 4th Noon Mass

St. Colman 25th Annual Calendar Party & Fashion Show: Friday, May 2nd in school cafeteria.

Catholicism Series: 7pm school cafeteria meeting room.

LENTEN FISH FRY: EVERY FRIDAY 4-7PM DURING LENT IN SCHOOL CAFETERIA

BAPTISM CLASS & DATES OF CELEBRATION

The next Baptism class is scheduled for Saturday, June 7th 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 April 27th and May 18th.

Seder Meal~ Saturday, April 12th at 7pm 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 at 412-823-2564 or Sue Buchholz at 412-824-5163. Seating is limited.

SAVE THE DATE: St. Colman 25th Annual Calendar Party and Fashion Show will be held on Friday, May 2nd in the school cafeteria. Anyone interested in sponsoring a table or just joining us for a night of relaxation and fun, please call Mary Jo Meyer at 412-824-5099.

ATTENTION

PLEASE NOTE: St. Colman Grief Sharing Group will meet on April 10th instead of April 17th due to the Holy Week schedule.



Sunday, April 27th is Divine Mercy Sunday, there will be a prayer service at 3pm including recitation of the Divine Mercy Chaplet to song. Please attend.

VALLEY SENIORS presents a fun-filled trip to Lancaster, PA. 2days and 1 night, May 6-7, 2014. Package includes *Round Trip Motor Coach Transportation, *1 Night Deluxe Accommodation in Lancaster, PA, *1 Great Breakfast, *1 Delicious Amish Dinner, * See the Magnificent Story of "Moses" brought to life at the beautiful Sight & Sound Theater., *Visit to the Pretzel Factory, *Visit to Wilbur Chocolates, *Shopping at Kitchen Kettle Village, *All taxes and meal gratuities, *Baggage handling. All for only \$209 pp/dbl. For information contact Marlene Woodring at 412-365-0120.

ST. COLMAN LENTEN FISH FRY

Please join us for our Lenten Fish Fry every Friday from 4-7pm in the school cafeteria. Enjoy our delicious Baked or Fried Cod Fish and all of 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.

EASTER BLESSING OF THE FAMILIES

On Easter Sunday, April 20, 2014, Bishops Zubik, William Waltersheid, and William Winter will welcome families of the Diocese of Pittsburgh to their Annual Blessing of Families at St. Paul Cathedral, Oakland, beginning at 2:00pm. As they greet and bless your family personally they affirm and support you as a household of love and witness to The Faith. Come and experience the Bishops' expression of appreciation for the gift that you are, and the gifts that you bring to our Diocesan Faith Community. Each family attending will receive a special memento to take home and the children will receive a sweet treat.

Catholic Hospice is reaching out & inviting you to consider volunteering with us in support of our pro-life mission towards end of life care. We would love to have people who share our mission and are open to encountering one of life's most rewarding experiences, join our volunteer team. If Patient Care is not your primary interest we are welcoming people who enjoy fundraising, community events or clerical work to join our team as well. Volunteer training for Patient Care will be held on **Tuesday, April 22, 2014 from 9:00am to 4:00pm** at our office in Wexford. If you are interested in learning more about our volunteer opportunities, please call Robyn Aguzzi at (724) 933-6222 or email raguzzi@catholichospicepgh.org. For additional information on Catholic Hospice go to www.catholichospicepgh.org.

LADIES OF CHARITY

The St. Colman's Ladies of Charity are beginning "Soupers Sundays". The last Sunday of the month (omitting summer months) they will sell pints of homemade soup after the 10 am and Noon masses. The cost is \$3.00 per pint and the soup will be packaged and ready to be taken home and heated. They will be sold in the vestibule of the church. April 27th's soup is Vegetable Beef. Please consider supporting our ladies and making your tummy happy.



THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT ~ April 6th

8:00 am ~ David Bucella ~ Hunsberger Family
10:00 am ~ Francis & Mary Buchholz ~ Buchholz Family
12:00 pm ~ Daniel Joseph Ferguson, Jr. ~ Family
5:30 pm ~ All Living & Deceased of our Parish

Monday ~ Lenten Weekday ~ April 7th

8:30 am ~ Peggy & Al Viccari ~ Betty & Joe Dombrosky
9:30 am ~ Hamilton Hills ~ Clara Van Halanzer

Tuesday ~ Lenten Weekday ~ April 8th

8:30 am ~ Della Carothers ~ Richard Carothers
7:00 pm ~ Confirmation

Wednesday ~ Lenten Weekday ~ April 9th

8:30 am ~ James Botti ~ Wife, Louise & Children

Thursday ~ Lenten Weekday ~ April 10th

8:30 am ~ The Deceased Members of Brochetti & Caliaro Families ~ Brochetti Children

Friday ~ Lenten Weekday ~ April 11th

8:30 am ~ Carmen Cortazzo ~ Family
7:00 pm ~ Stations of the Cross

Saturday ~ Lenten Weekday ~ April 5th

6:00 pm ~ In Memory of Schwoeble & Kirsch Families
~ Ray & Jeanne Schwoeble

PALM SUNDAY ~ April 13th

8:00 am ~ Frank Pugliano ~ Dolly & Joe Kuhner
10:00 am ~ Carmine DeMeo, Jr. ~ Family
12:00 pm ~ Lucy Brinza ~ Lois Deer & Dorothy Nuckels
5:30 pm ~ All Living & Deceased of our Parish



Saturday ~ April 12th

6:00 pm ~ Joe Saxman, Charmain Warble, Jim Bour, Barbara McCabe

Sunday ~ April 13th

8:00 am ~ Paul Messineo, Mary Jo Meyer, Helen Wilson, Sharon Parker

10:00 am ~ Kraig Riley, Alicia Cole, Julie McDermott, Linda Lorenz

12:00 pm ~ Alyssa Sargo, Volunteer, Karen Haas, Joe Kopper

5:30 pm ~ Theresa Wos, Elaine Potochnik



Saturday ~ April 12th

6:00 pm ~ Deacon Riley/Tina Kuniak

Sunday ~ April 13th

8:00 am ~ Deacon Riley/Jim Sciulli

10:00 am ~ Deacon Riley/Marc Tinsley

12:00 pm ~ Pauline Schoffstall/Maureen Leonardo

5:30 pm ~ Charles Riley/Joanne Saint Pierre



Saturday ~ April 12th

6:00 pm ~ Scott & Samantha Doherty

Sunday ~ April 13th

8:00 am ~ Christian Parker, Sal Aiello

10:00 am ~ Carly Buchholz, Monica & Kevin Tinsley

12:00 pm ~ Carly Haas, Lucca Paoletti

5:30 pm ~ Mia Carter, Landon Dunnick