

SAINT COLMAN CHURCH

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April 7, 2013

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

REV. JAMES E. KUNKEL.....*PASTOR*
DEACON HERB RILEY
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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

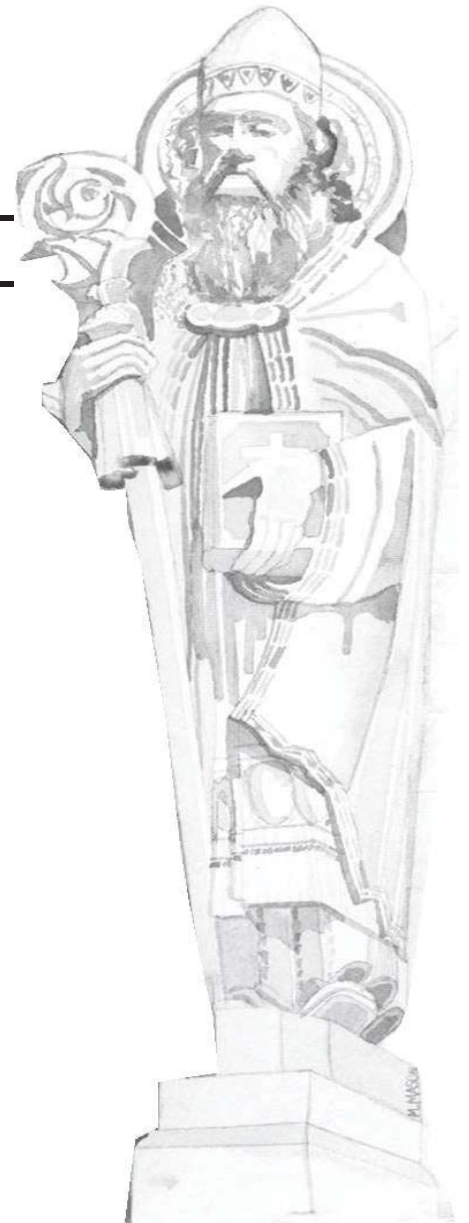
Baptisms Call Rectory for registration and parent program.

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.

SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

Divine Mercy Sunday

The first several years in Jerusalem were exciting times. Even with Jesus' death in that city, the apostles soon saw the energizing efforts of the Spirit at work. As prayerful and dedicated people, striving to live and grow in the teaching of their Master, the first believers were an example to all. Their numbers were constantly increasing. Fervor and enthusiasm ran high. Within the church, there have always been new beginnings, something we have experienced in our lifetime. If our faith is built like the house on solid ground, we can persevere and succeed. Our faith allows us to see and believe as the Gospel story relates today. This is a great gift as we meet the challenges of each day. The Easter mystery reminds us that Jesus is alive and walks with us on our journey of faith. Our fervor and enthusiasm should reflect that belief.

Second Sunday of Easter: A Family Perspective

Divine Mercy Sunday

Jesus connects PEACE and FORGIVENESS in today's gospel. In our families we will only experience peace to the extent we forgive one another. Peace is purchased with the currency of forgiveness. When we allow our anger and pride to lock out others, we also lock out peace and harmony.

EASTER THANKS

Thank you to those who contributed their time, talent and energy to provide a fitting celebration to our Easter: Our music ministers, choir, those who served at the altar, those who offered their time and talents decorating the church and all who donated generously to the support of the parish.

PARISH SHARE UPDATE

Our Parish Share 2013 Program is well underway and there has been an enthusiastic response among the faithful of St. Colman Parish. A note of gratitude to all those who have participated most generously. We need the full cooperation of the parish to meet our goal for the year. If you have not responded, we ask that you consider doing so in the near future. We must meet our assessment or the shortfall will be taken from our general funds. Even if you pledge card has been lost or misplaced, you may still contribute. Just return your contributions in an envelope marked Parish Share. While we did ask for a \$300 pledge, payable over the course of the next ten months, we realize there are a variety of financial situations in the parish and any contribution is helpful. This program is our contribution to the offices, services, religious programs that the diocese offers. Every parish depends on these to function. Thank you once again.



March 24th	
Regular Collection.....	\$7956.00
Monthly Collection.....	\$529.00
Parish Share.....	\$1610.00
March 31st	
Regular Collection.....	\$7820.00
Easter Collection.....	\$5462.00
Monthly Collection.....	\$110.00
Parish Share.....	\$1465.00

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

EAST CATHOLIC SCHOOL

ARE YOU LOOKING for a faith-filled, value-centered, quality education for your child in a safe and caring environment? Come join us and be a part of "East Catholic School" on 2001 Ardmore Boulevard in Forest Hills, PA. Registration for the 2013-2014 school year is now open. Please call the office at 412-351-5403 from 8:30am-2:00pm to schedule a tour of the school, to request information or to discuss registration requirements. We provide Pre-K (at St. John Fisher) full day Kindergarten through grade 8 programs (at East Catholic). Students must be 5 years old by September 1, 2013 to be eligible for Kindergarten.

THANK YOU

Thank you to Jobe Funeral Home for donating the partition and furnishings for our new Fr. James Kunkel Conference Room located in the school cafeteria.

"Sanctuary Lamps"

The Sanctuary Lamps are lit this week in memory of James Botti, as requested by his wife and children.

Home With the Lord: Your prayers are requested for the repose of the souls of Alfred Angelone, Angeline Cvetan, and Kathryn Licina. May they rest in the peace and the joy of the Lord.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Well established and quality hospice is seeking volunteers. Please contact: Ray Lovasik @ 412-576-1561.

**A DONATION HAS BEEN MADE TO THE
ST. COLMAN UPDATE & RENOVATE FUND
IN MEMORY OF:
Francis Quinn
By:
Stuart Valin**

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 11:00am at Fraser Hall, 500 Hunter St, Turtle Creek.

Rediscover Catholicism: Meets every Tuesday at 7:00 pm in the cafeteria. Contact Sue Buchholz at (412) 824-5163.

Catholic Men's Fellowship: 1st & 3rd Saturday of each month @ 9am in the Church Hall.

First Eucharist: Sunday, April 28th Noon Mass

Parish Mission: May 19th-22nd

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

Baccalaureate Mass: May 26th, 10am Mass.

BAPTISM CLASS & DATES OF CELEBRATION

The next Baptism classes are scheduled for Saturday, June 1st and Saturday September 7th 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 on April 14th, April 21st, May 12th, May 26th, June 9th and June 30th.

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.

First Annual Parish Mission - May 19-22, 2013: Fr Scott Seethaler will lead this exciting event which has the title **Life is Difficult but God is Good**. Fr. Scott will be celebrating Mass with us, and he will present evening services at 7pm on the following topics: A Christian Response to Stress, Celebrating our Families, The Art of Forgiveness, and Finding True Happiness. All are welcome!

DUQUESNE UNIVERSITY OPEN HOUSE, APRIL 9TH 4-6 PM FISHER HALL. For more info and to RSVP contact Dr. Maureen O'Brien at Obrien@duq.edu or 412-396-6528.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES' ST. JOSEPH HOUSE of HOSPITALITY invites you to the **15th annual Bluegrass Benefit Concert, 7:30pm on April 26th** at Synod Hall, 125 N. Craig Street, Oakland. Performers include Allegheny Drifters, Mac Martin and the Dixie Travelers, Mon River Ramblers, Fern Hollow Boys and Mountain Therapy. Donation is \$20 per person. Call (412) 471-0666 for tickets.

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.

St. Bernadette School Presents... "An Evening Under the Big Top" Saturday, April 13th at the Double Tree Hotel, Monroeville. Tickets for our **SECOND ANNUAL GALA FUNDRAISER ARE NOW ON SALE!** *Live Entertainment *Dinner and Dancing *Games *Live and Silent Auction and Much More!! Tickets are \$75 per person. For tickets or more information contact schoolgala@gmail.com.

BACCALAUREATE SERVICE FOR OUR GRADUATING SENIORS

This year's Baccalaureate Service for our parish's graduating High School Seniors is scheduled for Sunday, May 26th at the 10 am Mass. This is an annual tradition at our parish to honor our graduates in a special way. Invitation letters have been sent to all of the Seniors with specific details. If you are a parishioner and graduating Senior and did not receive a letter, please contact Cheryl Riley at criley71728@hotmail.com or 412-373-1453.

AOH DIVISION 17

The Ancient Order of Hibernians in America, Division 17 invites practicing Roman Catholics of Irish birth or descent to join the oldest Irish Catholic organization in the United States. The AOH is a place to meet like minded Irish Americans who share the same values and beliefs. More information can be found at WWW.AOH.com, or call 724-493-9582.

THEOLOGY OF THE BODY is Pope John Paul II's integrated vision of the human person - body, soul and spirit. As he explains, the physical body has a specific meaning and is capable of revealing answers about us and our lives. On Wednesday, April 10th at 7pm at the St. Maurice parish center, two sessions on this topic will be held. Jamie Dillon, local, national, and international speaker, will use video, music, and discussion to present this topic to teens. Chris Chapman, popular diocesan speaker and teacher, will discuss Theology of the Body with parents and interested adults. To register, please call the youth ministry office at St. Maurice parish at 412-271-6606.



SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER, DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY ~ April 7th

8:00 am ~ James Botti ~ Wife, Louise & Children

10:00 am ~ Carman Cortazzo ~ Sister, Louise

12:00 pm ~ Francis & Mary Buchholz ~ Buchholz Family

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

Monday ~ The Annunciation of the Lord ~ April 8th

8:30 am ~ Alverna J. Valent ~ Son, Joseph & Daughter, Donna Jean

Tuesday ~ Easter Weekday ~ April 9th

8:30 am ~ Agnes Hovanec ~ Daughter, Joan & Family

Wednesday ~ Easter Weekday ~ April 10th

8:30 am ~ Deceased Members of the Shaffo & Cuffaro Families ~ Family

Thursday ~ St. Stanislaus ~ April 11th

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

Friday ~ Easter Weekday ~ April 12th

8:30 am ~ Lois Clawson ~ Family

Saturday ~ Easter Weekday ~ April 13th

3:30 pm ~ Wedding: Nicole Cwynar/Philip Lynn

6:00 pm ~ Constance Silverio ~ Marleen Grill

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER ~ April 14th

8:00 am ~ Margaret Greylock ~ daughters Nancy Zbozny & Peggy McMunn

10:00 am ~ Burt Dahmen ~ Wife, Mary Lou & Family

12:00 pm ~ Mike Maciupa ~ Margaret Blotzer

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





Saturday ~ April 13th

6:00 pm ~ Tina Kuniak, Ed Hlatkey, Debbie Sargo,
Elaine Potochnik

Sunday ~ April 14th

8:00 am ~ Mary Jo Meyer, Gloria Common, Betty Lou
Parello, Lorraine Meglio

10:00 am ~ Karen Murray, Wanda Melocchi, Renae
Brinza, Marsha Friez

12:00 pm ~ Elaine Clugston, Joyce Blotzer, Lynn
Bahleda, Martha Mallik

5:30 pm ~ Theresa Vos, Joanne Saint Pierre



Saturday ~ April 13th

6:00 pm ~ Anina Parker

Sunday ~ April 14th

8:00 am ~ Jim Sciulli

10:00 am ~ Alicia Cole

12:00 pm ~ Pauline Schoffstall

5:30 pm ~ Charles Riley



Saturday ~ April 13th

6:00 pm ~ Scott & Samantha Doherty, Sal Aiello

Sunday ~ April 14th

8:00 am ~ Paul, Brandon & Jordan Messineo

10:00 am ~ Jimmy & Josh Murray, Steven Churilla

12:00 pm ~ Lucca Paoletti, Stacie Knee, Carly Haas

5:30 pm ~ Noah Martino, Mia Carter