

SAINT COLMAN CHURCH

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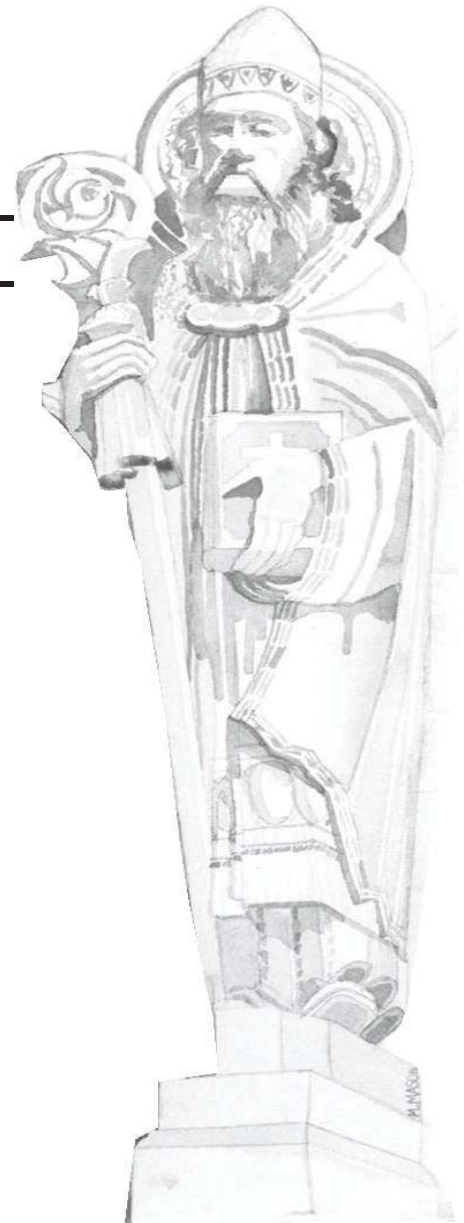
June 17, 2012

ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

REV. JAMES E. KUNKEL.....*PASTOR*
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Betsy Krygowski *CCD Program Manager*
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

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.

ELEVENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

Today's gospel reading uses the metaphor of the seed to help us understand the nature of the Kingdom of God. The first is a parable about seed that is scattered on the land by a man. As he goes about his life, the seed sprouts and grows, but he has no idea how this happens. This is the way it is with the Kingdom of God. God's word is heard throughout the world, it takes root in our hearts, grows and spreads. We do not know how this happens because this is God's grace at work in our lives. The second parable is that of the tiny mustard seed that grows many times its size. It grows so big, in fact, that birds can find shelter and shade in its branches. The Kingdom of God is like this tiny seed. God plants in each of us many tiny seeds of goodness that we are to bring to fruition by our good works and loving care for others. God nurtures us and helps our seeds grow with His word and Sacrament. The fruit that these seeds produce, through our efforts and God's grace, are lives brought to salvation. And this is how God's Kingdom on earth continues to be built up.

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Regular Collection.....\$6174.00

Monthly Collection.....\$900.00

Parish Share.....\$1645.00

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1-888-808-1235

DIOCESAN DATABASE & REGULATIONS FOR ALL

MINISTRIES: All ministers including catechists, staff, choir, ushers, lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, etc. are required by the Diocese of Pittsburgh to be cleared in the following ways: 1) Be registered on the Diocesan Database. 2) Sign the Code of Pastoral Conduct. 3) Be cleared by the Dept. of Public Welfare for Child Abuse. 4) Be cleared by the State Police Criminal Record Check. 5) Attend Protecting God's Children for Adults Workshop. If you have not completed the above or have questions, and are presently involved in any ministry in the parish, please call Mike Krygowski@412-824-7226 or email at St_Colman_Parish_Poc@yahoo.com. Forms are available in the Parish Office. All costs are covered by the parish.

PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN There will be a PGC workshop on Monday, June 25th at 7pm. St. John Fisher in Churchill, 33 Lewin Lane, Pittsburgh, PA 15235. Contact person: Gale Foster can be reached at Gfoster1026@gmail.com. Facilitator: Marlene Kopper.

CALVARY UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

A Spaghetti Supper will be held at Calvary United Church of Christ, Shaw Ave, Turtle Cree, on Thursday, June 21st between the hours of 4 and 6:30pm. A meal consisting of spaghetti & meatballs, tossed salad, bread & butter, dessert and beverage will be available for a donation of \$7 per person, \$3.50 for 10 and under. The public is invited to eat-in or take-out. For more information phone the church office at 412-823-4347.

Saint Vincent College: High School juniors and seniors and their families are invited to one of two Get Acquainted Day Open Houses at Saint Vincent College, Latrobe, on Saturday, July 21st or Saturday, August 4th. Find out more about this top-ranked Catholic Benedictine, liberal arts college. For information or reservations, call 1-800-782-5549, email admissions@stvincent.edu, or register online at www.stvincent.edu/admissions/visit.

"Sanctuary Lamps"

The Sanctuary Lamps are lit this week in memory of Frank McIntyre by his wife Ann & Family.

Home with the Lord: In the spirit of Christian Charity your prayers are requested for the repose of the soul of Agnes Curran. May she rest in the peace and 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.

Holy Hour: Wednesday, June 27th.

Legion of Mary Group: Every Monday evening 7pm in the Church meeting room.

Catholic Men's Fellowship: Every other Saturday morning 8am in the Church basement. Next date: June 30th.

ST. COLMAN GRIEF SHARING GROUP

St. Colman Grief Sharing Group will meet every third Thursday of each month from 6:30-8:30pm in the school cafeteria. Anyone grieving from the loss of a loved one is invited to attend. Your loss can be recent or from years past. Please join us for a comforting environment to share your grief or to just be with those who care. Any questions may be addressed by contacting Don Cwynar at bsco105@aol.com or call 412-829-1889.

BAPTISM CLASS AND DATES OF CELEBRATION

The next Baptism class is scheduled for Saturday, September 1st 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 July 1st, July 15th, July 29th, August 12, and August 26th.

FOOD BANK: *There is a container in the vestibule of the church near the rectory office for the collection of Food Bank items. Non-perishable food items can be dropped off at any time. Please consider helping your neighbors in need.*

All the men of the parish are invited to join us in the Catholic Men's Fellowship. We meet every other Saturday at 8am in the Church basement for 90 minutes to pray, socialize, discuss our faith, and seek God's help in dealing with the issues we confront every day as a Catholic man. The next meeting will be Saturday, June 30th. For more information please call Ted Novak at 412-596-2544.

A SUMMER BLESSING

*Walk along beside me, Jesus,
As I begin the months of summer.
As I work, play, enjoy family time
And friendships, may I hear your
Voice within me, guiding me toward
All that is right and good.
Gracious and Loving Jesus,
Thank you for the gift of summer.
May the warmth of its sun and the
Beauty of its light remind me daily
Of your love for me.
Amen.*

Catholic Fortnight for Freedom: *The U.S. Bishops have announced a two-week effort of prayer, study, catechesis and public action to emphasize both our Catholic and American heritage of religious liberty. Bishop Zubik is asking the faithful of our diocese to pray for religious liberty, to learn about this issue, and to display publicly our gratitude for the blessing of religious freedom which, as Pope Benedict XVI has reminded us, is "our first and most cherished liberty." Window signs showing support for Religious Liberty are included in this week's Pittsburgh Catholic. Everyone is encouraged to place the sign in a window at home to keep the flame of religious liberty burning brightly. Bishop Zubik will begin our diocesan "Fortnight for Freedom" with Mass at St. Mary of Mercy downtown on Friday, June 22nd at 12pm. All are welcome. Visit www.diopitt.org for more information.*

Prayer for Religious Freedom

Almighty God, Father of all nations, for freedom You have set us free in Christ Jesus. (Galatians 5:1)

We praise and bless You for the gift of religious liberty, the foundation of human rights, justice, and the common good. Grant to our leaders the wisdom to protect and promote our liberties; by Your grace may we have the courage to defend them, for ourselves and for all those who live in this blessed land. We ask this through the intercession of Mary Immaculate, our patroness, and in the name of Your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, with Whom You live and reign, one God, forever and ever. Amen.

PICTORIAL DIRECTORY

There is still time! If you have not yet scheduled your appointment to have your photograph taken for our pictorial directory, please call 1-877-764-4535 to schedule your appointment. Tuesday, June 19th through Saturday, June 23rd. Remember there is no cost to the church and no sitting fee for you or your family. For your participation you will receive a free 8 x 10 portrait and a free copy of the directory. We need your participation. The directory will not be complete without you.

Legion of Mary

A Legion of Mary Group has been formed here at St. Colman Parish. Please call the rectory office at 412-823-2564 if you have loved ones or know of anyone in Nursing Homes or shut in so that they could be visited. We meet every Monday evening at 7pm in the small meeting room in the church basement. If you have any questions please call 412-823-0533.

EUCCHARISTIC FESTIVAL OF PRAISE: We are blessed this year to have 3 Priestly Ordinations in our diocese! In preparation and to support the men being ordained, Bishop Zubik welcomes you to join him at the Festival of Praise at St. Paul Seminary on Thursday, June 28th at 7:30pm. Bishop Zubik will be presiding and preaching, seminarians will be providing music and a reception will follow. All are welcome to join us to celebrate the Church Alive! For more info jfreedy@diopitt.org No RSVP needed.



**ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME ~
June 17th**

8:00 am ~ Frank Gross ~ Bill & Arlene Gross
10:00 am ~ Alphonso Botti ~ Mark Botti
12:00 pm ~ Frank McIntyre ~ Wife, Ann & Family
5:30 pm ~ All the Living & Deceased of our Parish

Monday ~ Weekday ~ June 18th

8:30 am ~ Sam DeStefano ~ Wife & Family

Tuesday ~ Weekday ~ June 19th

8:30 am ~ Joseph Valent ~ Son, Joseph & Daughter, Donna

Wednesday ~ Weekday ~ June 20th

8:30 am ~ DeKlever Family ~ Family

Thursday ~ Saint Aloysius Gonzaga ~ June 21st

8:30 am ~ Mary Rofar ~ Agnes

Friday ~ Weekday ~ June 22nd

8:30 am ~ Caesar Carazzo ~ Family

Saturday ~ Weekday ~ June 23rd

6:00pm ~ George Hovanec 95th Birthday ~ Family

THE NATIVITY OF SAINT JOHN THE BAPTIST

Sunday ~ June 24th

8:00 am ~ All the Living & Deceased of our Parish
10:00 am ~ Carleen Sciulli ~ Friends & Family
12:00 pm ~ Ernie & Wanda Vida ~ Family
5:30 pm ~ Frank Nowikowski ~ Family



Saturday ~ June 23rd

6:00 pm ~ Tina Kuniak, Arlene Gross, Ed Hlatkey, Barbara McCabe(1)

Sunday ~ June 24th

8:00 am ~ Wanda Melocchi, Mary Jo Meyer, Larry Canobbio, Paul Messineo

10:00 am ~ Alicia Cole, Marsha Friez, Marci Mason, Julie McDermott

12:00 pm ~ Elaine Clugston, Phil Wills, Martha Mallik, Harry Bernacki

5:30 pm ~ Sue Buchholz, Deborah Logan



Saturday ~ June 23rd

6:00 pm ~ Barbara McCabe(2)

Sunday ~ June 24th

8:00 am ~ John Parker

10:00 am ~ Mike Krygowski

12:00 pm ~ Maureen Leonardo

5:30 pm ~ James Jordan



Saturday ~ June 23rd

6:00 pm ~ Jimmy & Josh Murray

Sunday ~ June 24th

8:00 am ~ Anina, Christian, & Jonathan Parker

10:00 am ~ Tara & Marissa Ponitz

12:00 pm ~ Sal Aiello

5:30 pm ~ Jacob Craig