

# SAINT COLMAN CHURCH

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July 24, 2011

THE SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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## *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

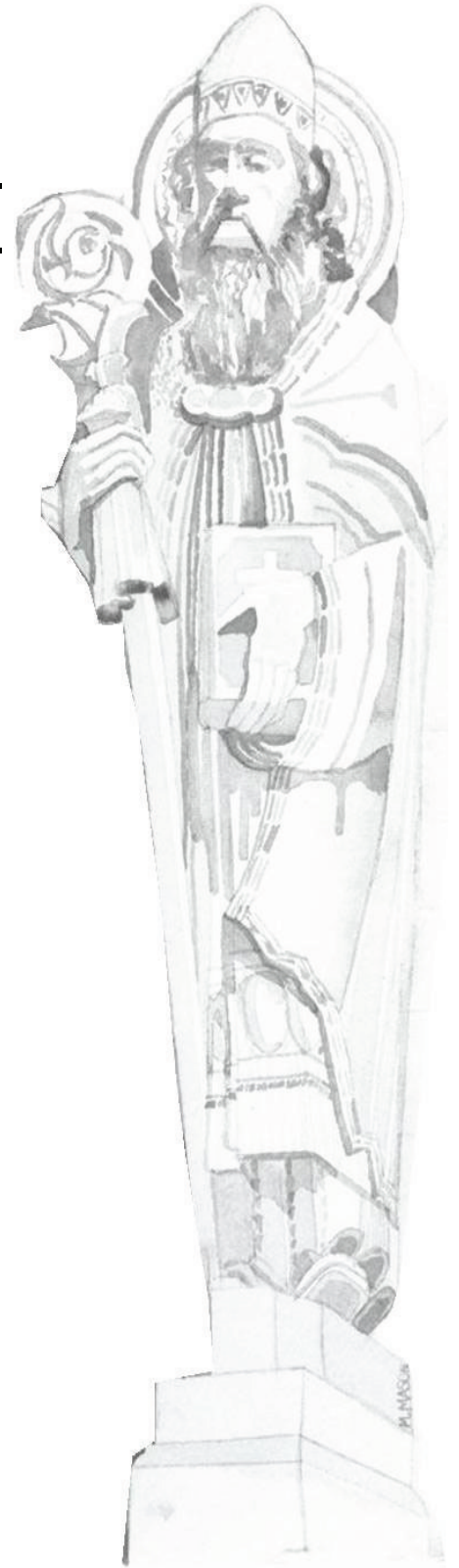
**Confessions** Saturday 12:00 pm - 12:45 pm

**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



## Pastor's Notes

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### SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

In our lives, it is possible that we can grow so used to our faith that we no longer see it for the priceless value that it has. Perhaps we have always believed in Jesus and his teachings, and now they don't seem that special any more. We know that over time we can take precious things for granted - the love of a spouse or friend or family member, the beauty of a sunrise. That same thing can happen with our faith. Hopefully, today's Gospel is a reminder, or, if necessary, the beginning of a new awakening of the treasure of our faith. We need to pick up that treasure, hold it in our hands, look at it again, sit in wonder at it. There are many avenues for this re-discovering. For many, spiritual reading holds the key. Prayer is absolutely essential. Seeing the presence of God in the people we meet each day is important. Placing ourselves in the presence of God over and over, we will gradually recapture the treasure of our faith. May we all be given the grace of finding among the details of our daily life, the life-giving presence of our loving God.



### BAPTISM CLASS & DATES OF CELEBRATION

The next Baptism classes are scheduled for Saturday, September 3rd and Saturday, December 3rd 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 August 7th and August 28th.

**Wanted:** Rosary Makers for the Cause of Our Blessed Mother. Respond to the call of Our Lady. The need for rosaries is great and urgent. Become a missionary by making rosaries for missions in the U.S., the military and around the world. Please call Our Lady Rosary Makers (4611 Poplar Leval Road, P.O. Box 37080, Louisville, Kentucky 40233 502-968-1434 or 502-968-1477 or visit their website at [www.olrm.org](http://www.olrm.org) and send a \$13.50 check or money order for a beginner's kit which allows you to make 50 cord rosaries and comes with instructions. Make a difference in the world. Help bring peace to the world and turn the tide of evil. God will bless you abundantly. Please note that the office closes at 4PM Eastern Standard Time.

**Home with the Lord:** In the Spirit of Christian Charity your prayers are requested for the repose of the souls of Elizabeth Bavero, Dennis Silverio, and Constant Mroz. May they rest in the peace and the joy of the Lord.

### GOD LOVES THE CHEERFUL GIVER

July 17th

Regular Collection.....\$5873.50

Monthly Collection.....\$420.00

Parish Share.....\$800.00

### DIOCESE VICTIM ASSISTANCE HOTLINE

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.

### *Diocese of Pittsburgh Family Day at Highland Country Club:*

Monday, July 25, 2011, Family Golf Scramble - 1pm start. Cost is \$60 per person - includes, golf, cart and dinner. Teams must consist of at least one parent and one child. There will be prizes for the different categories. Dinner only option: Non golfing family members and non-golfing families are invited to join us at 6pm for a dinner cost of \$15 per person. We hope you'll join us for this great, affordable day of family fun! For information or questions contact Gary @ groney@diopitt.org or 412-456-3140. To register pick up a form in the church vestibule.

**Infant Jesus Respect Life Group** meets Tuesday, July 26th at 7pm at St. John the Baptist Parish in Plum. Following a brief business meeting, members will provide an overview on ways they promote life issues in their parishes to broaden members' awareness and involvement and to plan upcoming events and speakers. All parishioners are invited. Refreshments will be served, a 50/50 raffle will be held. Religious articles available for purchase. For more information or to become a member, call 412-373-2076.

### CHRISTMAS IN JULY

Holy Cross Parish will be hosting a fundraiser for Fr. Miro's 50th Anniversary (June 3, 2012) on Saturday, July 30th from 8am-5:30pm in St. William Social Hall, corner of Main/Howard East Pittsburgh, Pa 15112. There will be a flea market, Christmas Chinese Auction, picnic foods, bake sale, children's Christmas Craft corner, decorated trees available for purchase and surprise gifts from Santa Claus. Come and shop for Christmas and enjoy Christian fellowship for a great cause.

**FUTURE IMPORTANT DATES:**

**Holy Hour:** Future Holy Hours are: Wednesday, August 24th and Wednesday, September 28th, 6:30-7:30pm.

**CATHOLIC MEN'S FELLOWSHIP:** Summer schedule: August 6th & 20th.

**OPEN HOUSE**

**HIGH SCHOOL** juniors and seniors and their families are invited to a Get Acquainted Day Open House at Saint Vincent College, Latrobe, on Sunday, August 21st. Find out more about this top-ranked Catholic, Benedictine, liberal arts college. For information or reservations, call 1-800-782-5549, email [admission@stvincent.edu](mailto:admission@stvincent.edu), or register online at [www.stvincent.edu/admission/visit](http://www.stvincent.edu/admission/visit).

**The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)** program will begin sessions in September. Any individual interested in becoming Roman Catholic, anyone who has not completed the sacraments of initiation (Eucharist and Confirmation) or anyone interested in learning more about our faith are invited to participate in the sessions. We meet on Monday evenings from 7-8:30pm. Interested parties, please call the parish office at 412-823-2564.

**YOUNG ADULT SUNDAY** Once again the Diocese of Pittsburgh has designated the first Sunday in August as "Young Adult Sunday". "Young Adults" are all those, single and married, who fall between the ages of 18-39. On August 7th we will call to mind the presence, gifts and talents of this important part of the parish community. Please consider offering up a prayer for them! For more information on young adult activities in the diocese check out our page at [www.diopitt.org](http://www.diopitt.org) or call 412-456-3140.

**POLISH DAY AT KENNYWOOD:** Tuesday, August 2nd, Mass at 3pm, entertainment by LASKONSKI dancers from McKeesport at 6:30pm dancing to Andy Fenus & Trel Tones. \$24.00 ages 3-54 (can also be used any day of the park season) \$14 ages 55-69 and \$8.50 over 70 (with coupon) Children 2 and under free. For tickets call Betty Kolano @412-371-1827.

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

Saint Colman Parish Religious Education Program begins in September on Tuesday evenings from 6pm-7:30pm for grades K-8. Please Note: It is a Diocesan Policy for all students to receive a **minimum of 2 full years** of education before the reception of the Sacraments of Reconciliation and Eucharist (grades 1 and 2) and **3 full years** before Confirmation (grades 6-8). If your child does not attend a Catholic School, make sure they are registered. If you are a member of another parish, permission of your pastor is required to attend St. Colman. Registration will begin in August.

**CHANGES IN THE ROMAN MISSAL** All Elementary Catechists and Catholic School Teachers are invited to attend an in-service to prepare them for teaching changes in the Roman Missal on Wednesday, August 17th. Hear national speaker, Ken Doran, and attend methods workshops for K-Grade 3, Grades 4-6, Grades 7-8 or Special Catholic Education. Cost is \$5/person in advance. Locations of in-service: St. Elizabeth of Hungary, 1 Grove Place, Pittsburgh, PA 15236 from 9am-12:30pm or St. Richard Church, 3841 Dickey Rd, Gibsonia, PA 15044 from 6-9pm. Sponsored by the Diocesan Department for Religious Education and Sadlier Publishing. Contact Clare Giuffre at 412-456-3111 by August 10th to register. Space is limited.

**50th ANNIVERSARY**

The Diocese of Pittsburgh is again planning its annual Golden Wedding Celebration for the couples who have been married for 50 years. The celebration will begin with a mass at **St. Paul Cathedral on October 9, 2011 at 2:00 pm**. Bishop Zubik will be the celebrant. A reception will follow in the lower hall at the Cathedral. If you are celebrating your 50th anniversary any time during 2011 and would be interested in attending this joyous event, please call the rectory or drop a note in the collection basket no later than August 7, 2011. Invitations will be sent out after responses have been received.

**"PARTY TO PAVE THE PARKING LOT" JOIN US!!**

*Friday, August 5th from 7pm - ?? St. Colman Parking Lot Live Music with the Band "Sugar", "Night at the Races", (Buy a Horse for \$10 - Horse Wins You Win) Monte Carlo Games, Great Food and Adult Beverages. Must be 21 to attend. \$5 Admission, receive \$5 in Race Money. Can't Attend!!! You Can still win \$\$\$\$ with the **UPDATE & RENOVATE RAFFLE \$1000 FIRST PRIZE \$500 SECOND PRIZE**. \$2 Donation per ticket. Drawing: Sunday, August 7th after 5:30pm Mass. **HELP IS NEEDED!!!** For Food Sellers, Card Dealers, Chuck-a-Luck Wheel Workers, Raffle ticket sellers, Bartenders. If you or anyone you know would like to volunteer some time please contact Gerry @412-596-4472. **There will be a meeting for any interested volunteers on Tuesday, July 26th at 7PM in the school cafeteria. Please be sure to return your ticket stubs and money to the rectory office.***

**PARISH FESTIVAL**

Madonna del Castello Parish is holding its Annual Parish Festival on July 28th, 29th and 30th in our church parking lot located at 2021 S. Braddock Ave. in Swissvale. There will be homemade Italian food, games, bingo, moonwalk and live entertainment. Dinners are served daily starting at 4PM. Grounds open Thursday & Friday at 7PM and Saturday at 6PM. Band concert at 6PM and dance performances Friday and Saturday starting at 7PM. For more information call the rectory at 412-271-5666.



## **SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

### **Sunday ~ July 24th**

8:00 am ~ Freda Filia ~ Husband Gene & Family  
10:00 am ~ Ann Griffin ~ Husband, Tom  
12:00 pm ~ Martha Marge Merhaut ~ Son & Daughter  
5:30 pm ~ All the Living & Deceased of our Parish

### **Monday ~ St. James, apostle ~ July 25th**

8:30 am ~ Les Seman ~ Dena Seman

### **Tuesday ~ St. Joachim & St. Anne ~ July 26th**

8:30 am ~ Anne Zupon ~ The Don Zupon Family

### **Wednesday ~ Weekday ~ July 27th**

8:30 am ~ Robert Masterano ~ Rochelle Pristera

### **Thursday ~ Weekday ~ July 28th**

8:30 am ~ Mary Moskal ~ Al & Sue Boboth

### **Friday ~ St. Martha ~ July 29th**

8:30am ~ John J. Fiumara ~ Wife, Louise & Family

### **Saturday ~ Weekday ~ July 30th**

**3:00pm ~ Wedding: Katie Pollitt & Michael Mayger**

6:00pm ~ Snopko, Kondas & Yoha Families ~ Donna Yoha

## **EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

### **Sunday ~ July 31st**

8:00 am ~ Jennie Balaschak ~ Norma Marcello  
10:00 am ~ Barney Cortazzo Family ~ daughter Louise  
12:00 pm ~ Jean Page ~ John Vahosky  
5:30 pm ~ All the Living & Deceased of our Parish



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**Saturday ~ July 30th**

6:00 pm ~ Tina Kuniak, Debbie Sargo, Bill Stanonik,  
Verna Bango

**Sunday ~ July 31st**

8:00 am ~ Betty Lou Parello, Larry Canobbio, Arlene  
Gross, Paul Messineo

10:00 am ~ Karen Murray, Kelly McIntyre, Renae  
Brinza, Marci Mason

12:00 pm ~ Pauline Schoffstall, Joyce Blotzer, Elaine  
Clugston, Martha Mallik

5:30 pm ~ Sue Buchholz, Christine Stinson



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**Saturday ~ July 30th**

6:00 pm ~ Anina Parker

**Sunday ~ July 31st**

8:00 am ~ Mike Krygowski

10:00 am ~ Wanda Melocchi

12:00 pm ~ Harry Bernacki

5:30 pm ~ Alyssa Aiello



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**Saturday ~ July 30th**

6:00 pm ~ Sal Aiello, Volunteer

**Sunday ~ July 31st**

8:00 am ~ Paul, Brandon, Jordan Messineo

10:00 am ~ Nick, Mimi, Lexi Aistle

12:00 pm ~ Stacie Knee, Anina Parker

5:30 pm ~ Collin Shaffer, Noah Martino