

# SAINT COLMAN CHURCH

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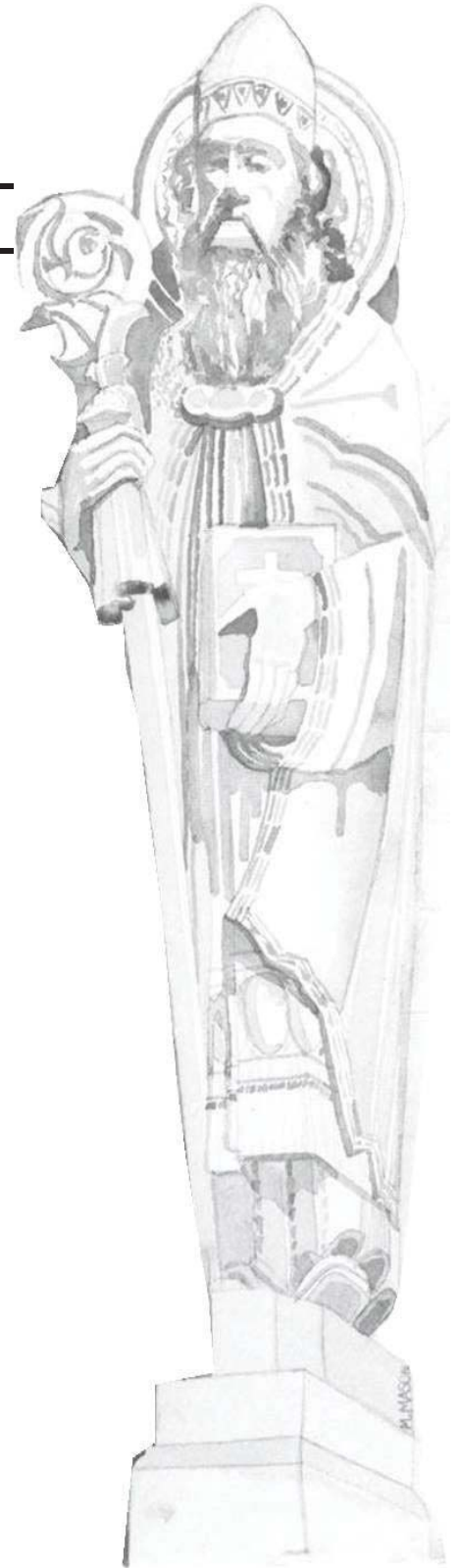
September 25, 2011 TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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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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### THE TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

The younger son in the gospel should not have said "no" to his father. His father's request for a days work in the family vineyard was simple and reasonable. It was rude and selfish for him to refuse. But he reconsidered the hardness of his response. He changed quickly and went into the family vineyard. Jesus praises him as the "faithful son." The lesson of the gospel is not complex. It's never too late to change. It is never too late to repent. It is never too late to reevaluate past mistakes and put our lives together again. There is always time. Our God is an understanding God, a God of mercy and forgiveness. With God, there is not "point of no return." Fortunately God is not made in the image and likeness of human beings. Trust God and turn to him when the road of Christianity becomes a challenge. With human beings things might seem impossible but with God all things are possible.

#### PARISH CALENDAR AUGUST 2011 - JULY 2012

It is time for organizations to schedule their events and meetings for AUGUST 2011-JULY 2012. We need to coordinate times and space to avoid conflicts. The calendar is located in the Parish Office. Please send a representative to assure availability.

#### **CIRCLE OF FRIENDS**

Circle of Friends first meeting will be held on Monday, September 26th from 6:30-8:30 pm. You will meet the new Parish Advocates for Persons with Disabilities for our parish, Bill & Eileen Ketter. Please contact by email Ketter.Eileen@yahoo.com or phone @412-825-6051.

**Blessing of Animals:** *October 4th is the feast of St. Francis of Assisi, a man who left his comfortable home, gave away his wealth and dedicated his life to the church with a special sensitivity to the poor. Tradition speaks of his love for all creatures; along with his love for his fellow human beings he is associated with a special respect for animals. On Saturday, October 1st there will be a blessing for pets at 1pm in the church parking lot.*

#### **BAPTISM CLASS & DATES OF CELEBRATION**

The next Baptism classes are scheduled for Saturday, December 3rd and Saturday March 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 on October 2nd, October 23rd, November 6th and November 20th.

### GOD LOVES THE CHEERFUL GIVER

September 18th

Regular Collection.....\$5325.50

Monthly Collection.....\$321.00

Parish Share.....\$935.00

**DIOCESE VICTIM ASSISTANCE HOTLINE**

1~888~808~1235

#### **CRAFTERS ARE NEEDED FOR ST. COLMAN 23RD ANNUAL CRAFT SHOW AND BAKE:**

Our 23rd annual Craft Show and Bake Sale will be on Saturday, November 5th from 10am-3pm in the school cafeteria. If you or anyone you know would like a table we are now taking reservations. Tables are \$25 each or \$30 for a table with electricity. Please call Mary Lou at the rectory office @412-823-2564 to reserve your table. Lunch will be available. Baked goods are also needed!! Come and enjoy a day of shopping for holiday gifts or just to have some fun. Vendors are welcome!!!

#### **HOLY HOUR WITH EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**

On Wednesday, September 28th there will be a Holy Hour with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament celebrated in church from 6:30pm and concluding at 7:30pm. This is an opportunity to worship in a prayerful, reflective manner in the special presence of the Eucharist. Consider spending some quality time in prayer, spiritual reading or just meditating on God's love and continuing presence in your life.

**The Confraternity of the Rosary** will celebrate Communion Sunday on October 2nd at the 10:00am Mass. Please sit in the front center pews. They will gather on Wednesday, October 5th at 6:30pm in the school cafeteria for their monthly meeting.

#### **WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE AN ALTAR SERVER?**

One of the most wonderful and earliest ways for our young boys and girls to learn an important lesson of giving of our time, talent and skills, is to volunteer to serve Sunday Mass. We are now in the process of recruiting boys and girls for this service and will soon begin a new training class. If you are in the 4th grade or above, we would love to have you join our current group of outstanding young men and women who serve at St. Colman. If you are interested please call me at 412-823-2564 ext 15 and leave your name and phone number. Thank you and God Bless you. Deacon Herb Riley

**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.*

**FUTURE IMPORTANT DATES:**

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

**Friday Night Fish Dinners:** October 7th and November 11th.

**Blessing of Pets:** Saturday, October 1st at 1pm.

**Anointing of the Sick Mass:** CORRECTION: Saturday, October 15th at 11:00 am.

**FROM THE NPM PITTSBURGH CHAPTER -**  
**Dated July 26, 2011**

At the diocesan new Mass "sing through" last night at St. Margaret's in Greentree, Father Chepponis announced that the musicians of the diocese may begin implementing the newly translated sections of the Mass-- **provided they are sung beginning September.** Those being: Gloria, Sanctus, Memorial Acclamations. If these sections of the Mass are recited, they are to be done so with the present translation until November 27th.

**ST COLMAN AGENDA FOR THE NEW SUNG**  
**MASS TRANSLATIONS**

We plan to begin singing the New Mass Settings beginning the first weekend in October for both the Weekend and Weekday Masses. Five new Masses have been ordered and we will begin using only three to start.

**The Mass for Christian Unity** - will be used during October and November. **Pew cards** with the music will be provided. (New Mass - Weekend and Weekdays)

**The Danish Amen Mass** - will be used October and November weekdays only. During Advent we will sing for Weekend Masses. **Pew cards** with the music will be provided. (Revised Mass)

**The Mass of Wisdom** - will be used during Feast Times, i.e., Christmas and Easter and during the week as well. **Pew cards**

With music will be provided. (New Mass)

**PLEASE NOTE...** *The biggest change has been the wording in the Gloria, but also, we are now using the entire piece together. There will no longer be antiphonal settings where the congregation only sings the refrain. We will now sing it from beginning to end as a worshipping community.*

**DUQUESNE UNIVERSITY'S 45th ANNUAL COLLEGE FAIR** will be held on Sunday, October 9th from 1-3pm in the A.J. Palumbo Center. High School juniors and seniors can meet with representatives from over 150 of the best colleges and universities in the country. Questions? Call Duquesne's Office of Admissions at 412-396-6222.

**"Sanctuary Lamps"**

*The Sanctuary Lamps are lit this week in memory of Carmine DeMeo, Jr. as requested by his family and The Defelice Family as requested by Concetta Palarino & Family.*

**CHIMBOTE DINNER**

For the past 46 years, the Diocese of Pittsburgh has hosted a dinner to raise funds for the Church's work in Chimbote, Peru. Over the years, our diocese has supported the mission by sending priests and others to spread the Gospel by serving the poorest of the poor in the maternity hospital, clinic and orphanage there. In a recent letter of gratitude to Bishop Zubik from his brother Bishop Piorno of Chimbote, Bishop Piorno reported that more than 90,000 babies have been born through this beautiful mission outreach from the people of Pittsburgh to our sisters and brothers in Chimbote. The proceeds from recent dinners, for example, have helped the mission hospital and clinic to purchase life saving fetal heart monitors and cancer screening equipment. This year's dinner will be held on Thursday, October 13th at the Sheraton Station Square. Fr. Jim, Cheryl and I will be attending and we would like to invite all of you to join us at our table. The cost of each ticket is \$130. Please seriously consider joining us in support of this most worthy effort. If you would like to join us, please call me at 412-823-2564 to reserve a seat. God Bless all of you and your families. Deacon Herb

**SEVENTIETH INTERNATIONAL EUCHARISTIC**  
**ROSARY MARCH**

The Legion of Mary, in collaboration with the Diocese of Pittsburgh, is sponsoring the 70th International EUCHARISTIC ROSARY MARCH on Sunday, October 2, 2011, with Fr. Joseph M. Freedy presiding. The service will begin at Epiphany Church with the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at 1:30pm, Liturgy of the Word, Homily and Quiet Reflection, followed by a Eucharistic Rosary Procession with the Most Blessed Sacrament and the Statue of Our Lady of Fatima from Epiphany Church to St. Mary of Mercy Church (Stanwix St) Prayer of the Rosary en route. Benediction at St. Mary of Mercy Church, Crowning of Our Lady of Fatima, Light Refreshments to follow in Lawless Hall. For those who cannot process, there will be recitation of the Rosary at 2pm at St. Mary of Mercy Church while the marchers are en route. Any questions call 412-884-3213, 412-885-8822 or 724-468-4306.

**ANNUAL OCTOBER COUNT:** Each October our parishes are asked to compile their attendance data for the weekend Masses. The purpose of the "October Count" is to update Sunday Mass attendance trends throughout the diocese. This provides valuable information to assist in long-range planning. **This year the October Count begins with the weekend Masses October 1-2 and will conclude with the weekend Masses of October 29-30.**

**Birthing of Pittsburgh** in Oakland will hold its 5th annual autumn Walk-a-thon on Saturday, October 1st from 11am-2pm at Schenley Park Oval track. Please support our worthy fundraiser to help moms and babies with friendship & a beautiful track. All ages welcome-go at your own pace. Visit the pavilion next to the track. Many lovely, theme baskets for raffle; prize drawings; free refreshments. Join us for fun & friendship! Rain/shine. Call today to register free/sponsor forms: 412-621-1988.



## **TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

### **~ Sunday ~ September 25th**

8:00 am ~ All the Living & Deceased of our Parish  
10:00 am ~ Luigi Giudici & Felicita Miglietta ~ Eleanora  
Giudici (wife & daughter)  
12:00 pm ~ Jennie Balaschak ~ Norma Marcello  
5:30 pm ~ Bernadette Karp ~ Florence Hawk & Rita  
Baltrus

### **Monday ~ Weekday ~ September 26th**

8:30 am ~ Steve Minnaji ~ Lorriane Vinson

### **Tuesday ~ St. Vincent de Paul ~ September 27th**

8:30 am ~ Agnes G. Barczyk ~ Patsy Ryan

### **Wednesday ~ Weekday ~ September 28th**

8:30 am ~ Elizabeth Baverso ~ Lois Wigder

### **Thursday ~ St. Michael, St. Gabriel & St. Raphael, archangels ~ September 29th**

8:30 am ~ Robert Nebel ~ M/M Rollo Vecchio

### **Friday ~ St. Jerome, priest ~ September 30th**

8:30am ~ Norma House ~ Family

### **Saturday ~ Weekday ~ October 1st**

#### **3:00 ~ Wedding: Jason Yost & Amie Martin**

6:00pm ~ Michelle (Yates) Hession Rich ~ Parents, Raymond & Wanda Yates

## **TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

### **Sunday ~ October 2nd**

8:00 am ~ Josephine Alexander ~ Family  
10:00 am ~ Agnes Hovanec ~ Husband George & Family  
12:00 pm ~ Frank & Laverne Evanovich ~ Family  
5:30 pm ~ All the Living & Deceased of our Parish



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**Saturday ~ October 1st**

6:00 pm ~ Ed Hlatkey, Barbara McCabe(2), Sharon Parker, Verna Bango

**Sunday ~ October 2nd**

8:00 am ~ Mary Jo Meyer, Paul Messineo, Betty Lou Parello, Wanda Melocchi

10:00 am ~ Julie McDermott, Kelly McIntyre, Marci Mason, Linda Lorenz

12:00 pm ~ Harry Bernacki, Joyce Blotzer, Janet Currie, Pauline Schoffstall

5:30 pm ~ James Jordan, Deborah Logan



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**Saturday ~ October 1st**

6:00 pm ~ Anina Parker

**Sunday ~ October 2nd**

8:00 am ~ Jim Sciulli

10:00 am ~ Marc Tinsley

12:00 pm ~ Phil Wills

5:30 pm ~ Charles Riley



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**Saturday ~ October 1st**

6:00 pm ~ Scott & Samantha Doherty

**Sunday ~ October 2nd**

8:00 am ~ Paul, Brandon, Jordan Messineo

10:00 am ~ Marissa & Tara Ponitz, Chloe Noah

12:00 pm ~ Jimmy & Josh Murray

5:30 pm ~ Jacob Craig, Noah Martino