

SAINT COLMAN CHURCH

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October 11, 2015 TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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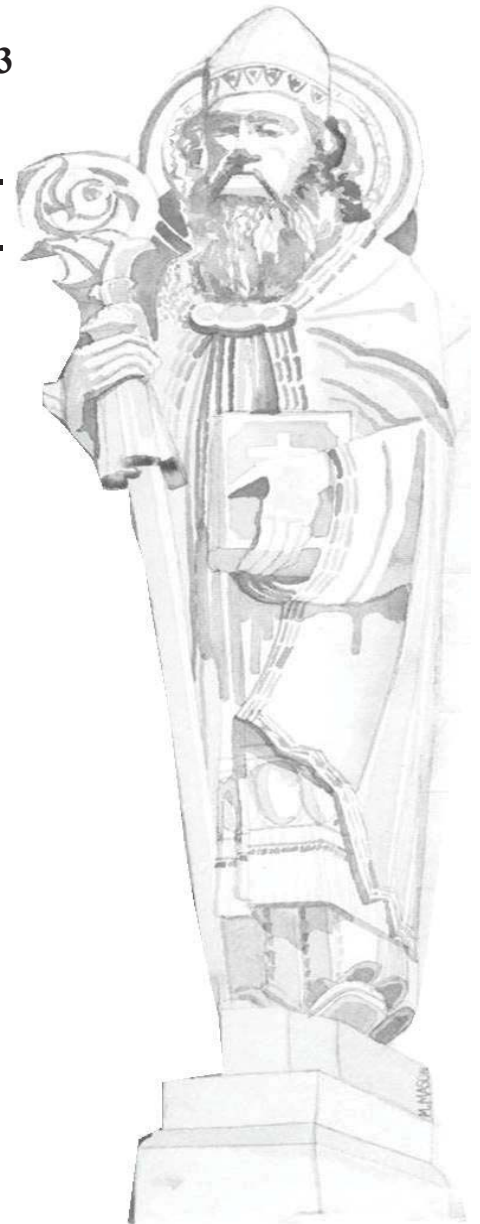
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ST. COLMAN MISSION STATEMENT

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

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.

TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

The disciples were more than a little nervous at what Jesus told the rich man. They had already given up everything to follow Jesus, but they still were uncertain about their own eternity. Jesus assured them that they would get back all they had given up and much more. While still living an earthly life, it would be as hard for the disciples to understand this as it is for us; but like the disciples, we must believe and trust completely in God's plan. It is hard for us to humble ourselves and give up all that we think brings us power, pleasure and control. For when we give up these tangibles, we relinquish them for something we can't see and won't see for a long time to come. What we are offered exists in a world we don't yet understand. But we can take heart in the fact that Jesus, too, humbled himself to come to be among us and show us what the message is all about. What if he had been as reluctant as the rich man or us? It will be hard for us to give ourselves completely to God - - - with no holding back. But for our trust and surrender, we will purchase the reward of eternal life.

Thoughts to Reflect on and Share: From Deacon Herb "God knows all of our thoughts and sees all of our actions. On the day when we make an account of our lives to Him, will we be proud or ashamed? If ashamed, now is the time to make the changes needed so He will be proud of us."

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY: To all who have recently increased their donations to the food bank collection, thank you very much. Our vestibule was loaded this past Sunday! Please don't forget that we collect food for our local neighbors in need every week. Deacon Herb.

MASS OF ANOINTING

Suffering and illness have always been among the greatest problems that trouble the human spirit. From ancient times, there is evidence of this anointing of the sick in the Church's tradition. This rite has been designated as one of the seven Sacraments, signs of God's presence in our lives. On Saturday, October 17th a Mass of Anointing will be celebrated at 11 am. Those individuals troubled by sickness, chronic illness, facing surgery, old age, physical handicaps or mental struggles are invited to receive the Sacrament. Family members are encouraged to attend the Liturgy. A light lunch will be offered in the cafeteria to participants after the ceremony. Please call the rectory office @ 412-823-2564 if you plan to attend.

FALL NEW ALTAR SERVER TRAINING: We will begin training for new altar servers in a few weeks. Any girl or boy in the 4th grade or older who would like to become a Server should call Deacon Herb at the church at 412-823-2564 ext 15 and leave your name, grade, phone number and your parent or guardian's name.

CLASS OF 2020 - students and parents - please join us! Serra Catholic High School OPEN HOUSE, Thursday, October 15th at 7pm. Meet faculty, parents and students. Refreshments, prizes and more!! Hope to see you there!!

Sunday, October 4th	
Offertory.....	\$7423.00
Monthly.....	\$2338.00
Parish share.....	\$605.00
WEEKLY OPERATING EXPENSES.....	\$9,705.00

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.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Next weekend **October 17/18th** our parish will celebrate World Mission Sunday. We are invited to act in solidarity with missionaries throughout the world. Every day faithful missionaries are reaching out in the name of Christ, offering practical, emotional and spiritual care to communities, children and families in desperate need, bringing the light of Christ to the darkest of circumstances. Your generosity in the second collection is appreciated.

BAPTISM CLASS & DATES OF CELEBRATION: The next Baptism classes are scheduled for December 5th and Saturday, February 6th at **11:00am** in the school cafeteria meeting room. **Please note this date** if you anticipate a baptism in the next few months. The class may be taken before the birth of your child. The class is required prior to the celebration (**along with membership in the parish and attendance at Mass**). The sacrament of Baptism will be celebrated on , October 25, November 29, December 13 and December 27.

Magnificat Pittsburgh Prayer Breakfast: Ladies, come to the Magnificat Pittsburgh prayer breakfast on November 7th from 9am to Noon at the Crowne Plaza in Greentree. Hear speaker Lorraine Sarver tell how God helped her overcome struggles of health, family and failures. She will tell of learning to lead a life led by the Holy Spirit and obedience to God. Cost of the breakfast is \$20. To register, call Pam at 412-461-8906 or Dotty at 412-462-8545 or go to www.magnificatpittsburgh.org. Registration deadline is October 30th.

St. Bernadette Parish in Monroeville will welcome internationally acclaimed concert organist, Hector Oliveria on Thursday, October 22nd at 7:30pm. Mr. Oliveria's personal interpretation of both classical and popular music has amazed audiences around the world. The concert is free. Please call the parish office at 412-373-0050 or email jbandish@stbrnadet.org to reserve your seat.

FUTURE IMPORTANT DATES:

St. Colman Grief Sharing Group: Every third Thursday of each month from 6:30-8:30pm in the school Cafeteria.

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.

CDA: Meeting 2nd Friday of each month 6:30-8pm

Holy Hour & Exposition: Future dates: Thursday, 10/29, Thursday, November 19th- 6:30-7:30 pm.

Anointing of the Sick Mass: October 17th 11am

Night at the Races: Cancelled

FISH FRY: Future dates: Nov. 6th, Dec. 4th, Jan. 9th

*The Catholic Cemeteries Association would like to extend an invitation to you, your family and friends to attend the Groundbreaking Service for the newest diocesan garden mausoleum St. Luke Garden Mausoleum in Good Shepherd Diocesan Cemetery, Monroeville, PA. Very Reverend Frederick Cain, Reverend James Kunkel, Reverend Joseph Luisi presiding. **Saturday, October 17, 2015 at 1:00 p.m.***

NIGHT AT THE RACES, SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17TH CANCELLED DUE TO LACK OF RESPONSE.

RESPECT

OCTOBER: RESPECT LIFE MONTH



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This week marks the beginning of our annual celebration of Respect Life Month. It is our hope a community of believers to develop within ourselves and our society a heightened appreciation the precious gift of life so that we might better give glory to God who is the source of that life. All who possess the gift of life are entitled to a fundamental respect that guarantees the ability to live with dignity. During this month we should pray, be informed and rekindle our attitudes towards this issue. We are called to serve as the Lord's instrument in defending the life that He has so generously shared with us.



ANNUAL BLESSING OF THE PETS

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 his church with 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 17th at 1pm there will be a blessing of pets in the Church parking lot. This year we are asking all who can to bring a bag of pet food or a pet blanket which will be collected and donated to a local pet shelter. All are welcome!

CALVARY UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

A Spaghetti Supper will be held at Calvary United Church of Christ, Shaw Ave, Turtle Creek on Thursday, October 15th between the hours of 4&6:30pm. A meal consisting of spaghetti and meat balls, tossed salad, bread & butter, dessert and beverage will be available for a donation of \$8 per person, \$4 for age 10 and under. The public is invited to eat-in or take-out. For more information phone the church office at 412-823-4347.

A DONATION HAS BEEN MADE TO THE ST. COLMAN UPDATE AND RENOVATE FUND IN MEMORY OF:

MARY MIGNOGNA

BY:

Greg & Kim Bowman

Robert, Barbara, Jesse, Megan & Jason Leax

Mike & Aggie Pasko

Jeffrey & Linda Broker

Many Family members and friends

Father Scott Seethaler will present Joyful Reflections, Spirituality of Aging: Please join us for a special program about "Joyful Reflections, the Spirituality of Aging" with Father Scott Seethaler, OFM, Cap., at St. Colman Church, 100 Tri-Boro Avenue, Turtle Creek, PA 15145-1966 on Friday, October 23 at 11:00 am. It is an opportunity for seniors to reflect on how God works through the different seasons of their lives. Father Scott will make you think, inspire you and make you laugh. The program will be followed by a Reception and Information Station. Persons of all faiths are welcome. Space and parking are limited. Additional parking is also available at Turtle Creek Plaza. Special thanks to the pastor, Rev. James Kunkel and our sponsors, Christian Home Health Care, Gateway Hospice, Ponsi Shoes and Palmieri's Restaurants (Plum) and Banquet Hall (Turtle Creek).



ST. COLMAN ANNUAL HOLIDAY CRAFT SHOW

Crafters and Vendors are needed for St. Colman's Annual Craft Show. This year's annual Craft and Vendor Show will be held on Saturday, November 7th from 10am to 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 Gail Bachy at 412-327-4550 or email thebachyfamily@verizon.net to reserve your table. Lunch will be available. Come join us and enjoy a day of fun and shopping for your holiday gifts!!!

COME ONE, COME ALL and celebrate Mass with us at St. Januarius Parish with Father Bill Kiel. Mass with prayers and Blessings for healing on Monday, October 19th at 6:30pm.



Twenty-Eighth Sunday In Ordinary Time ~ October 11th

8:00 am ~ George & Agnes Hovanec ~ Curt & Martha Sloan

10:00 am ~ Francis & Mary Buchholz ~ Buchholz Family

12:00 pm ~ Jeffrey Shogan ~ Family

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

Monday ~ Weekday ~ October 12th

8:30 am ~ Carmella Gardone ~ Lorraine Demarest

Tuesday ~ Weekday ~ October 13th

8:30 am ~ William Hanson ~ Walt Kopaczynski

Wednesday ~ Weekday ~ October 14th

8:30 am ~ Susan Navish ~ St. Colman Extraordinary Ministers and Lectors

Thursday ~ Stt. Theresa of Jesus ~ October 15th

8:30am ~ Paul & Rosella Manion ~ Family

Friday ~ Weekday ~ October 16th

8:30 am ~ Mary Matarazzo ~ Betty & Joe Dombrosky

Saturday ~ St. Ignatius of Antioch ~ October 17th

11:00 am ~ Anointing Mass

1:00 pm ~ Blessing of the Pets

6:00 pm ~ Tillie Pasierb ~ Pysnik Family

Twenty-Ninth Sunday In Ordinary Time ~ October 18th

8:00 am ~ George Blotzer ~ Family

10:00 am ~ David Christopher ~ St. Colman Choir

12:00 pm ~ Peg Holmes ~ Sanker Family

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



Saturday ~ October 17th

6:00 pm ~ Tina Kuniak, Ed Hlatkey, Barbara McCabe, Carol Deiuliis

Sunday ~ October 18th

8:00 am ~ Mary Jo Meyer, Joyce Blotzer, Helen Wilson, Paul Messineo

10:00 am ~ Julie McDermott, Linda Lorenz, Connie Tinsley, Marsha Friez

12:00 pm ~ Pauline Schoffstall, Marguerite Crokus, Harry Bernacki, Theresa Lugar

5:30 pm ~ Pamela Ross, Nikki Riley



Saturday ~ October 17th

6:00 pm ~ Renee DiCesare

Sunday ~ October 18th

8:00 am ~ Wanda Melocchi

10:00 am ~ Alicia Cole

12:00 pm ~ Joe Kopper

5:30 pm ~ Charles Riley



Saturday ~ October 17th

6:00 pm ~ Arlene Gross

Sunday ~ October 18th

8:00 am ~ Paul, Brandon & Jordan Messineo

10:00 am ~ Josh & Jacob Murray

12:00 noon ~ Tina Wos, Analise Balaschak

5:30 pm ~ Noah Martino, Justin O'Shell