# SAINT COLMAN CHURCH

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October 19, 2014 TWENTY-NINTH 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.

	<b>MASSES</b>	
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

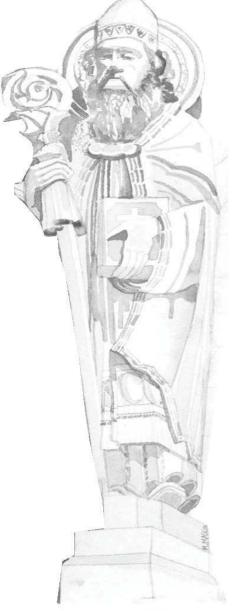
Weddings Call Rectory for arrangements.

**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-NINTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

For centuries, many have interpreted the gospel of this Sunday as the decisive statement of Jesus concerning the relationship of church and state. However, it seems unlikely, in this confrontation by the Pharisees, that Jesus was intending to teach an all-encompassing theory about the roles of politics and religion in life. Jesus recognizes the trap of the Pharisees and redirects our focus. "Give to Caesar what is Caesar's but give to God what is God's." There is a fundamental truth in his answer. The world represents many images after which we can model our lives. However, as Christians we have already been gifted with an image. We have been created in the image and likeness of our God, who is love. It is through living out this identity as a son or a daughter of God, reflecting who we really are called to be and become for others, do we find truth fulfillment and peace.

### TWENTY- NINTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

A Family Perspective

Jesus was exasperated when he scolded: "Why do you put me to the test?" It is natural for children to test parents; this is how they learn and how we teach limits, rules and values. Be like Jesus in today's gospel; he was firm, honest and direct.

#### **NEW ALTAR SERVER TRAINING**

In the next few weeks we will begin training new Altar Servers for our Sunday Masses. Any girl or boy in the 4th grade or older who is interested in this ministry of service to our parish is asked to call the rectory and leave a message @ 412-823-2564x15 for Deacon Herb. Please leave your name, parent(s)/guardian(s) name(s) and phone number.

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

The next Baptism class is scheduled for Saturday, December 6th at 11:00am in the school. Please note this date 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 November 2nd.

#### MASS WITH BISHOP ZUBIK

All women of the Pittsburgh Diocese are invited to celebrate Mass with Most Reverend Bishop David A. Zubik, D.D. at St. Paul Cathedral on Saturday, October 25th at 10am for the Installation of Diocesan Council of Catholic Women officers. Mass will be followed by lunch and guest speakers Father William Kiel and Sister Marian Senish. Luncheon fee is \$20.00 and registration is required by sending a check payable to PDCCW to Bernadette Burke, 405 Pearce Road, Pittsburgh, PA 15234. Inquiries: 412-221-6621 or pghdccw@gmail.com.

**HOME WITH THE LORD:** Your prayers are requested for the repose of the souls of Louise Marone and Michael Brian. May they rest in the peace and the joy of the Lord

Sunday, October 12, 2014	
Weekly Collection	\$6948.00
Monthly Collection	\$225.00
Parish Share	\$.496.50

### DIOCESE VICTIM ASSISTANCE HOTLINE 1~888~808~1235

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.

#### 40 DAYS FOR LIFE-OCTOBER 25TH 11AM-3PM

Volunteers welcome to stand witness for the Unborn at Planned Parenthood in Pittsburgh. Car pooling is available. Any amount of time spent during these 4 hours would be appreciated. Please contact Arlene Gross at 412-823-6447 for more information.

#### 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 25th 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.

#### **ALL SOULS VESPERS**

November is the month in which we remember the deceased of our immediate families and our parish family. We will again this year have an evening of Solemn Vespers to remember all those who have died this past year from November 1, 2013 to November 1, 2014, as well as all the deceased of our families, friends and our parish. We will have Vespers on Monday, November 3rd at 7pm. This is a beautiful evening of prayer and music to remember those who have gone before us, but most importantly to continue the healing process for all of us who have experienced the loss of a loved one in our lives. Please join us in prayer to remember all who have gone before us marked with the sign of faith. All are invited to attend a reception in the school cafeteria immediately following Vespers.

VFW POST 5008, East Pittsburgh extend an invitation to all Veterans who served in a war zone to join their post. Call Bill 412-271-2602. A copy of your DD214 is needed. Please let anyone you know that has served.

#### **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.

Fish Fry: November 7th, December 5th. Anointing Mass: October 25th 11am. 40 Days For Life: October 25th, 11am-3pm

Annual Craft Show and Bake Sale: November 15th

10am to 3pm school cafeteria

EAST CATHOLIC SCHOOL TO HOST A VERY SPECIAL "PERFECT FOR PRE-SCHOOLERS" HALLOWEEN STORY TIME: On Thursday, October 30th from 7-8pm in Keane Hall (School Cafeteria) East Catholic will host the "Perfect for Pre-schoolers" "A Very Special "Halloween Story Time. All children from 2 1/2 years old through kindergarten are invited to dress-up in their Halloween costume and come to Story-time featuring Not-So-Scary-Stories, a silly craft and a spooky snack. We invite all children along with their parent or guardian to come to "A Very Special Halloween Story-time." Registration is required by calling East Catholic Office at 412-351-5403 during school hours (8:30 am until 2:00pm.) Last day for registration is Monday, October 27th.

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:** St Colman Parish Religious Education Program began on September 9th and meets every Tuesday evening from 6-7:30 pm for grades K-8. <u>Please Note:</u> It is 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 & 2) and <u>8 full years</u> before Confirmation. 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 forms and information have been mailed. If you don't receive this information please call the rectory office at 412-823-2564. It is not too late to register.

East Catholic School is selling "Entertainment (\$30), Enjoy (\$30) and Kid Stuff (\$25) books. The books are now available by contacting Kate Halahurich at khalahurich@msn.com or by calling 412-519-8283 for more information or to place an order. All proceeds benefit East Catholic School. Thank You.

HELP WANTED: FRANCISCAN CHILD DAY CARE CENTER: The Franciscan Child Day Care Center in Whitehall is seeking caregivers to care for Infants, Toddlers and Preschool. Full-time, Part-time and Substitute positions available and include benefits. Associate degree in Early Childhood Education preferred. Professional experience, flexibility and nurturing disposition required. No phone calls please. Email resume to *smerlo@osfprov.org*.

Crafters are needed for St. Colman's Annual Craft Show and Bake Sale. The annual Craft Show and Bake Sale at St. Colman Parish will be held on Saturday, November 15th 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 Brenda Bianchi @412-829-8197 to reserve your table. Lunch will be available. Come and enjoy a day of shopping for gifts. Vendors are welcome! Donations of baked goods are needed.

#### LITTLE ROCK SCRIPTURE STUDY

Weekly Bible Study resumed Tuesday, September 9th and will run until Tuesday, December 9th, in the cafeteria small meeting room from 6:45pm to 8:15pm. We will be reflecting on the Letters of St. Paul in the New Testament. This study has 10 sessions, incorporating an introductory session and 9 lessons. A fee of \$16 can be paid at the first class. These classes are informal and include a 20 minute video and reflection on weekly assignments to be done on your own. All are welcome and light refreshments will be provided.

Please consider supporting Catholic Hospice as you explore volunteer possibilities. Catholic Hospice is reaching out & inviting you to consider volunteering with us in support of our pro-life mission towards end of life care. We would love to have volunteers who share in our mission and are open to encountering one of life's most rewarding experiences, join our volunteer team. If Patient Care is not your interest we are welcoming people who enjoy fundraising, community events or clerical work to join our team as well. Volunteer training for Patient Care will be held on Wednesday, October 29th 9am-4pm at our office in Wexford. Please contact Robyn Aguzzi at 724-933-6222 or email raguzzi@catholichospicepgh.org. For additional information go to www.catholichospicepgh.org. For groups of five or more we will bring training to your location.

St. Colman's Parish would like to implement a Hospitality Greeter Committee, one of the building blocks of the Parish Evangelization of the Pittsburgh Diocese. By becoming a Greeter at the church doors before each Mass, we will share a warm welcome, and our partnership within our Parish. We are in need of volunteers for this program. We will need 4 people at each Mass to arrive at Church 20 minutes prior to Mass to be at each door to welcome and greet parishioners with a few words of kindness. Our anticipated dates to start is the weekend of November 1/2. Our goal is the first and third weekend Masses of each month until we build a larger group of volunteers. If interested please call Patti at 412-829-0494. I am encouraged that this program will be the Evangelization our Parish is looking for to support our growth.



### TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME ~ October 19th

8:00 am ~ Joe Martinelli ~ Family 10:00 am ~ Anna & John Kurtanic ~ Son-in-Law & Family

12:00 pm ~ Agnes Gaydos ~ Jack & Deb Belko 5:30 pm ~ All Living & Deceased of our Parish

**Monday** ~ **Weekday** ~ **October 20th** 8:30 am ~ Larry Canobbio ~ Calvin Rossetti

**Tuesday** ~ **Weekday** ~ **October 21st** 8:30 am ~ Roberta Ann Sekely ~ Sister, Theresa Curler

**Wednesday** ~ **Weekday** ~ **October 22nd** 8:30 am ~ Mort Wilson ~ Wife & Daughters

**Thursday** ~ **Weekday** ~ **October 23rd** 8:30 am ~ Mary Moskal ~ Lori & Gene Piplica

Friday ~ Weekday ~ October 24th 8:30am ~ Alfred & Rose Marie Pugliano ~ Bob, Barb, Jesse & Jason Leax

Saturday ~ Weekday ~ October 25th 11:00 am ~ Anointing Mass 3:00 pm ~ Wedding: Duane Stepanik & Kari Bachorski 6:00 pm ~ William J. Driscoll ~ Family

# THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME ~ October 26th

8:00 am ~ Mary Sabolcik ~ Agnes 10:00 am ~ Santa Fragomeni ~ Daughters 12:00 pm ~ Paul Manion, Sr. ~ Family 5:30 pm ~ All Living & Deceased of our Parish



#### Saturday ~ October 25th

 $6{:}00~\text{pm} \sim \text{Arlene Gross}, \, \text{Verna Bango}, \, \text{Charmain Warble}, \, \text{Jim Bour}$ 

### Sunday ~ October 26th

8:00 am ~ John Parker, Helen Wilson, Paul Messineo, Lorraine Meglio

10:00 am ~ Sue Buchholz, Marci Mason, Renae Brinza, Kraig Riley

12:00 pm ~ Joe Kopper, Karen Haas, Marguerite Crokus, Pauline Schoffstall

5:30 pm ~ Elaine Clugston, Pamela Ross



#### Saturday ~ October 25th

6:00 pm ~ Tina Kuniak

#### Sunday ~ October 26th

8:00 am ~ Wanda Melocchi

10:00 am ~ Monica Tinsley

12:00 pm ~ Emily Yanovich

5:30 pm ~ Joanne Saint Pierre



#### Saturday ~ October 25th

6:00 pm ~ Andy Speranza, Nathan Holmes

#### **Sunday ~ October 26th**

8:00 am ~ Sal Aiello, Christian & Jonathan Parker

10:00 am ~ Chloe Noah, Tara Ponitz

12:00 pm ~ Carly Haas, Lucca Paoletti

5:30 pm ~ Mia Carter, Landon Dunnick