

# SAINT COLMAN CHURCH

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April 24, 2016

THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

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Gerry J. Meyer .....*Business Manager*

Sr. Judith Stojhovic, RSM, ...*Principal, East Catholic School*

## **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

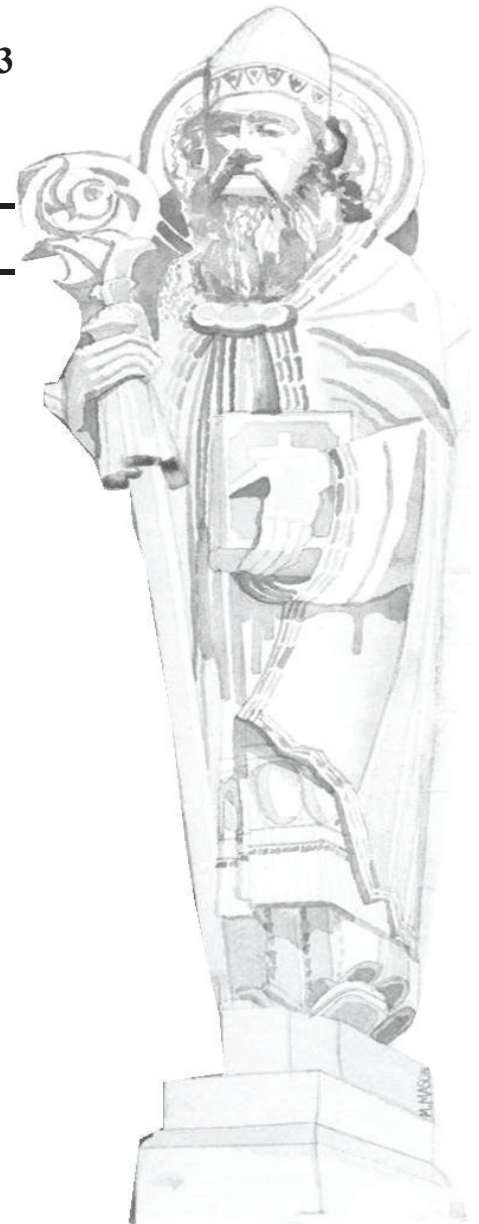
**Weddings** Call Rectory for arrangements.

**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.*

**FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

*Liturgical Capsules that are Not Hard to Swallow  
Reverence in Our Celebration of the Eucharist*

**Participation:** Our reverence to God is also expressed in the way we participate in the ritual acts of the Mass. We want to give God our total selves during the Mass. To participate with all our senses and to give our full attention reveals our respect and devotion. When we respond enthusiastically to the prayers, when we listen attentively to the readings and when we sing with all our hearts, we tell God how much we really love Him. We must ask ourselves, "Do we fully participate during the Mass, or do we simply sit there uninvolved and maybe even bored because of routine?"

**Thoughts to Reflect on and Share:** "We are lost on our journey when we hate and when we hurt one another. In so many ways we hate and hurt without even realizing. But we always have a path to follow to put us back on track, for Jesus tells us, 'as I have loved you, so you also should love one another. This is how all will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.'" Deacon Herb **Follow Deacon Herb on Facebook.**

**THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD**

**THURSDAY, May 5th** is the Feast of the Ascension of the Lord, a **Holyday of Obligation** for all Catholics. Masses will be offered on **Wednesday, May 4th at 6:00 pm, and Thursday, May 5th at 8:30 am and 7:00 pm.** Join the faithful in honoring Our Lord on this feast.

**HOLYDAYS OF OBLIGATION**

**Remember to keep holy the Lord's Day. (third commandment)** Catholics observe Sundays and Holydays of Obligation by participating in the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass.

**You shall observe the Holydays of Obligation. (fourth precept of the Church)** This precept reminds all Catholics to participate in the Eucharist on the principal feasts which honor the mysteries of the Lord, the Virgin Mary and the saints. In the United States, the Holydays of Obligation are:

- Solemnity of Mary, January 1st
- Ascension Thursday (forty days after Easter)
- Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, August 15th
- Solemnity of All Saints, November 1st
- Immaculate Conception, December 8th
- Christmas, December 25th

**On Sundays and other Holydays of Obligation the faithful are bound to participate in Mass. (Code of Canon Law, c. 1247)**

This obligation should not be taken lightly. Extra opportunities to fulfill this obligation are offered to accommodate all schedules.

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<b>Weekly offering</b>	
Sunday, April 1, 2016	
Offertory.....	\$6422.00
Monthly.....	\$678.00
Parish Share 2016.....	\$200.00

**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](http://www.diopitt.org).  
**Upcoming Sessions: NAM, Monroeville Thursday, October 13th & Nov 10th at 6:30pm call Donna Lew-Buechel at 412-349-0942. St. Bernadette's, Monroeville Saturday, May 14th, June 11th, August 20th & Sept. 10th 10am Call Marlene Kopper at 412-373-1797**



**BAPTISM CLASS AND**

**DATES OF CELEBRATION**

The next Baptism classes are scheduled for Saturday, June 4th and Saturday, September 3rd 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 the following Sundays: May 8th, May 22nd, and June 5, 2016.

**MAY CROWNING MASS**

The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass with May Crowning will be celebrated on Tuesday, April 26th at 6:45pm. This will be the closing Mass for the Religious Education students. The second grade First Communion students will have a special role in the Mass. All parishioners are invited to attend.



**HOME WITH THE LORD:** Your prayers are requested for the repose of the soul of Harriet Tucker. May she rest in the peace and the joy of the Lord.

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

**St. Colman Grief Sharing Group:** Every third Thursday of each month from 6:30-8:30pm in the school Cafeteria.  
**Catholic Men's Fellowship:** 1st & 3rd Saturday of each month @ 9am in the School Cafeteria meeting room.  
**CDA: Meeting 2nd Friday of each month 6:15-8pm**  
**Holy Hour & Exposition: 3rd Thursday of each month 6:30pm.**  
**Honoring Your Body: Thursday evenings and Saturday mornings in Werthman Hall**  
**Mission CO-OP June 18/19**

**Magnificat Pittsburgh Prayer Breakfast**

Ladies, come to the Magnificat Pittsburgh Prayer breakfast on May 7th from 9am to noon at the Crowne Plaza in Green Tree. Hear Sr. Therese Marie Iglesias tell her story of her renewal of her Catholic faith. She will strengthen you in your faith journey as she expands on, "Religious life is not a fairy tale, being a Christian isn't either..." Cost of the breakfast is \$20. To register, call Pam at 412-461-8906 or Kay at 724-772-6749 or go to [www.magnificatpittsburgh.org](http://www.magnificatpittsburgh.org). Registration deadline is April 29th.

**Diocese of Pittsburgh SAM - Substance Abuse Ministry Welcome Dr. Jim Flannick, Psy. D.,** Owner/Clinical Psychologist, Parakleseos, LLC, Psychological Services from a Catholic Perspective. **Presenting: At the Heart of the Matter: Countering Shame and Discouragement to Help those Afflicted and Affected by the Disease of Addiction,** Tuesday, May 3rd, 7-8:30pm, St. Louise De Marillac Le Gras Parish Hall, 20 McMurray Rd., Pittsburgh, PA 15241.

**THE EAST PITTSBURGH POLICE DEPARTMENT ABUSED & NEGLECTED ANIMAL FUND** is holding their annual flea market on Saturday, May 14th from 9am-1pm. The event is held at the East Pittsburgh Community Center located at 506 Bessemer Ave. (@Main St.) in East Pittsburgh. There will be toys, baby clothes, books, furniture, household items, purses, odds and ends, and more for a great price! Snacks and baked good items will also be offered for sale as well as t-shirts with the animal fund logo. We are currently accepting items. They can be dropped off at the borough office (813 Linden Ave., East Pittsburgh) Monday thru Friday from 9am-2pm or for after hour drop off call 412-824-0447 and leave a message for the Chief. Please come and support this event for a good cause! All proceeds will go to help rescued animals in the local area.

*The Eighth Grade Students from our Religious Education Program received the Sacrament of Confirmation on Thursday, April 4th. Congratulations to all!*

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| <i>Aidan Beck</i>         | <i>Joshua Hillen</i>     |
| <i>Zachary Brinza</i>     | <i>Chloe Marie Noah</i>  |
| <i>Trinity Cioppa</i>     | <i>Justin O'Shell</i>    |
| <i>Kamryn Cunnan</i>      | <i>Lucca Paoletti</i>    |
| <i>Kylie Cunnan</i>       | <i>Jonathan Parker</i>   |
| <i>Samantha Doherty</i>   | <i>Bailey Pieczynski</i> |
| <i>Alexander Freiwald</i> | <i>Eric Ponitz</i>       |
| <i>Anthony Genovese</i>   | <i>Meghan Reichert</i>   |
| <i>Alexander Gozik</i>    | <i>Angela Salvadore</i>  |
| <i>Madison Hackett</i>    | <i>Zachary Wayner</i>    |

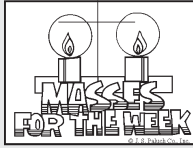


**KENNYWOOD PARK TICKET SALE: EAST CATHOLIC SCHOOL KENNYWOOD PICNIC** is Tuesday, June 7, 2016. School ticket sale date at East Catholic is Tuesday, May 10th at 11:15 am. Tickets are \$26 each (Cash only, no personal checks accepted) If you have any questions please contact Tracey DeFlippo at 412-351-5403.

**TEENS NEEDED FOR SERVICE PROJECT:** Teens in grade 6-12 are needed to help repair the benches on the outside of the church. The activity will take place on Sunday, May 1, 2016 at 5:00pm. We will have a cookout afterward where we will roast hot dogs and make s'mores. Contact the rectory at 412-823-2564 to sign up. [Facebook.com/SaintColmanChurch](https://www.facebook.com/SaintColmanChurch)

**LITTLE ROCK SCRIPTURE STUDY**

*Little Rock Scripture Study - 10 week series on Exodus begins Monday, May 22nd in the small meeting room of the school cafeteria from 6:30-8:00pm with an introduction. Study set fee is \$15. The Exodus is the central event of the Old Testament. Its themes of liberation wilderness Passover covenant and God's dwelling are central for the whole Bible. It tells the story of God calling Moses to be the prophet through whom God will lead the people to freedom from slavery in Egypt and their struggles to learn faithfulness in the wilderness where God makes covenant with them. The 10 Commandments form the ethical core of this covenant while the instructions for building a tent of worship accentuate God's intention to dwell in the midst of the people. For information call Ted at 412-596-2544.*



**The Fifth Sunday Of Easter ~ April 24th**

8:00 am ~ Carmen DeMeo, Jr. ~ DeMeo Family  
10:00 am ~ Dorothy Rapp ~ Evancho Family  
12:00 pm ~ First Eucharist  
5:30 pm ~ All Living & Deceased of our Parish

**Monday ~ St. Mark, Evangelist ~ April 25th**

8:30 am ~ Ann & John Skvarla ~ Thomassey Family

**Tuesday ~ Easter Weekday ~ April 26th**

8:30 am ~ Ann Griffin ~ Tom & Family  
6:45 pm ~ CCD Closing Mass & May Crowning ~ Sr. Arthur Tipping

**Wednesday ~ Easter Weekday ~ April 27th**

8:30 am ~ Rev. Hugh Wilt O.S.B. ~ Estate

**Thursday ~ Easter Weekday ~ April 28th**

8:30 am ~ Richard R. Carothers ~ Family

**Friday ~ Saint Catherine of Siena, Virgin & Doctor of the Church ~ April 29th**

8:30 am ~ Elizabeth Mitchell ~ Family

**Saturday ~ Easter Weekday ~ April 30th**

6:00 pm ~ David Buccella ~ Hunsberger Family

**The Sixth Sunday Of Easter ~ May 1st**

8:00 am ~ John & Mildred Hearn ~ Family  
10:00 am ~ Bill & Kathryn Means ~ Cheryl & Herb Riley  
12:00 pm ~ Patrick Lancy ~ Family  
5:30 pm ~ Joseph Martino ~ Ken Riling & Good Shepherd Singers



**Saturday ~ April 30th**

6:00 pm ~ Debbie Sargo, Arlene Gross, Carol Deiuliis,  
Ed Hlatkey,

**Sunday ~ May 1st**

8:00 am ~ Alison Sciulli, Mary Jo Meyer, Lorraine  
Meglio, Helen Wilson

10:00 am ~ Linda Lorenz, Alicia Cole, Kraig Riley,  
Julie McDermott

12:00 pm ~ Martha Mallik, Marguerite Crokus, Lynn  
Bahleda, Elaine Clugston

5:30 pm ~ Nikki Riley, Christine Stinson



**Saturday ~ April 30th**

6:00 pm ~ Charmain Warble

**Sunday ~ May 1st**

8:00 am ~ Jim Sciulli

10:00 am ~ Marc Tinsley

12:00 pm ~ Joe Kopper

5:30 pm ~ Charles Riley



**Saturday ~ April 30th**

**6:00 pm** ~ Francesca & Michael Aland

**Sunday ~ May 1st**

8:00 am ~ Christian & Jonathan Parker

10:00 am ~ Kevin Tinsley, Tara Ponitz

12:00 pm ~ Tina Vos, Carly Haas

5:30 pm ~ Carmen Chiaverini, Landon Dunnick