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#### BAPTISM

Baptisms are celebrated for active members of Saint Colman of Cloyne Parish. The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated on the second Sunday of each month; excluding Lent. Preparation for parents and godparents is scheduled on the first Sunday of each month at Noon. Please call the Parish Office to register for the preparation class.

#### MATRIMONY

Matrimony is celebrated for active members of Saint Colman of Cloyne Parish. Preparation includes FOCCUS, meetings with the priest and participation in the Diocesan Pre-Cana Program. Please contact the Pastor at least six months in advance to secure a date.

#### SICK CALLS

Any time day or night in an emergency. Please notify the Parish Office if someone is hospitalized, or confined to home or a nursing facility because of illness, age or infirmity.

#### RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

Interested in the Catholic faith? The RCIA is held from Fall to Pentecost. Contact the Parish Office for more information.

#### PARISH MEMBERSHIP

Welcome new members! Please register through the Parish Office.

#### **MASS SCHEDULE**

Saturday Vigil 5:00 p.m. Sunday Morning

8:30 a.m.

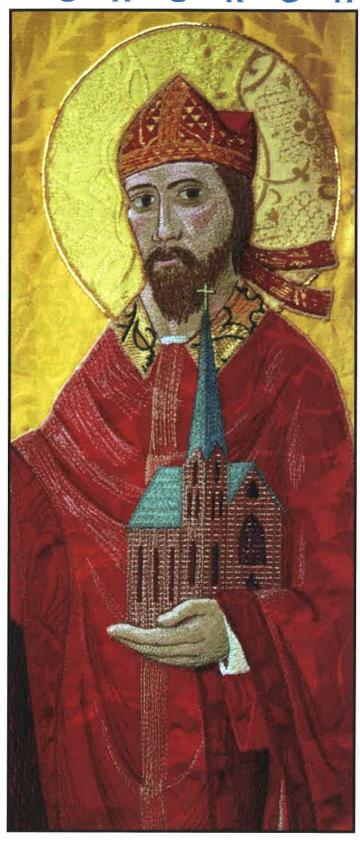
Daily Mass 8:30 a.m. Monday & Thursday 5:30 p.m. Tuesday

#### **CONFESSION**

Tuesday 5:00 p.m. - 5:15 p.m. Saturday 4:00 - 4:30 p.m.

#### PARISH OFFICE HOURS

9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Monday - Friday



### **Daily Scripture Readings**

Monday, December 19

Judges 13:2-7, 24-25a

Luke 1:5-25

Tuesday, December 20

Isaiah 7:10-14 Luke 1:26-38

Wednesday, December 21 Zephaniah 3:14-18a

Luke 1:39-45

Thursday, December 22

1 Samuel 1:24-28 Luke 1:46-56

Friday, December 23

Malachi 3:1-4, 23-24 Luke 1:57-66

Saturday, December 24

2 Samuel 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16

Luke 1:67-79

Sunday, December 25

Isaiah 52:7-10 Hebrews 1:1-6

John 1:1-18 or 1:1-5, 9-14

# appy Birthday This Week To:

December 19: Nicholas Elrich December 20: Michael Koski

December 21: Tom Esper,

Kylie Pettit,

**Shirley Pettit** 

December 22: Carmen Little December 23: Theresa Elrich.

Josh Sestina

December 24: Judy Wright

# **Counter Volunteers** This Week

Ludene Flerchinger & Sue Mowrey

# hristmas Flower → Donations

This is the last week to turn in your flower memorials to have the names printed in the bulletin at Christmas. Donations are due by Tuesday please.

his Week's Mass Schedule (Dec. 17-Dec 25, 2016) Saturday, December 17, 2016 + Vigil of the Fourth Sunday of Advent [Hartge]

> 4:00pm Confession

5:00pm +Bill Boylan by The St. Colman Parish Family

Sunday, December 18, 2016 + Fourth Sunday of Advent [Hartge]

8:00am Rosary [Led by Greg Flerchinger] 8:30am +William & Helen Ward by Jim & Nancy Ward

Monday, December 19, 2016 + Advent Weekday [Hartge] 8:30am +William & Helen Ward by Jim & Nancy Ward

Tuesday, December 20, 2016 + Advent Weekday [Dooley]

5:00pm Confession

5:30pm Special Intention by The Torgerson Family

Wednesday, December 21, 2016

NO MASS

Thursday, December 22, 2016 + Advent Weekday [Hahn]

8:05am Rosary [Led by Dan Stahl]

8:30am +Chester Dean by Jim & Nancy Ward

Friday, December 23, 2016

**NO MASS** 

Saturday, December 24, 2016 + Vigil of The Nativity of the Lord [Hartge]

4:00pm Confession

5:00pm +Theresa Ging by Bruce & Vicki Ream

10:00pm +Betty Lemaster by The St. Colman Parish Family Sunday, December 25, 2016 + Nativity of the Lord [Hartge]

10:00am +Carlene Justice by Marge McLaughlin

#### **Ministers List**

Saturday, December 24 Celebrant: Fr. Hartge

MC:

10:00am

EMs:

5:00pm

Lector: Kathy Henry EMs: Mary Smith

Sunday, December 25

Lector: Melissa Garland

Servers: Kaitlin Arnold

Jim Garland

Mary Smith

Jill Adams

Jack Luebbe+

Nicholas Elrich

Courtney Arnold

Celebrant: Fr. Hartge

Sue Burnside

Sue Smith **Brett Garland** 

Gabe Tayese

**Servers:** Blaise Tayese 10:00pm

Lector: Dan Stahl

EMs: Tina Garland

Amanda Zurface

Nick Garland **Brett Garland** 

MC:

Servers: Clare Sollars+

Justin Robinson Mcale Callahan

Holy Day Mass Schedule

Christmas Eve Saturday, December 24 @ 5:00pm

Midnight Mass

Saturday, December 24 @ 10:00pm [I] Christmas Day

Sunday, December 25 @ 10:00am [I] New Year's Day

Saturday, December 31 @ 5:00pm Sunday, January 1 @ 8:30am [I]

[1] Indicates incense will be burned during the Mass.

# rom the Parochial Vicar's Desk...

With one week until the great feast of Christmas, we are more eager than ever to welcome the Christ Child into our lives. Let us also warmly welcome those many visitors we are sure to have at our Masses next weekend.

'Jesus was born in a humble stable, into a poor family. Simple shepherds were the first witnesses to this event. IN this poverty heaven's glory was made manifest. The Church never tires of singing the glory of this night: 'The Virgin brings into the world the Eternal and the earth offers a cave to the Inaccessible. The Angels and shepherds praise him and the magi advance with the star, for you are born for us, Little Child, God eternal!" (CCC 525)

In Christ Jesus.

Fr. Hartge

# ncreased Security Measures for Christmas Masses

Please be aware that Officer Mike Warnecke will be patrolling our parking lots during the 5pm and 10pm Christmas Eve Masses next weekend. Officers on patrol Sunday morning will drive through our lots during the 10am Christmas Day Mass. This is to take extra precautions during these times when the parking lots will be full and more people will be at the Masses.

Please do not leave anything in your vehicles. Lieutenant Jon Long asked that we include in this message a request to take everything out of your vehicles. Covering up items left inside is also an invitation for thieves to break in. When they see a blanket or covering, they assume you are hiding valuables and will break windows to see what it underneath.

In addition, the church door at the back steps (leading to the Sacristies) will be locked from now on. Servers should enter the Sacristy through the ramp door While we have not received any threats of security, we have been advised by the Diocese to secure our church and parking lots during Mass. Having the back door locked will prevent anyone from coming into the church without being noticed during Mass. Our Ushers will continue to be in the back of church to watch from behind. If you see any suspicious activity outside the building or inside the church, please alert the nearest Usher. Again, these actions are not reactions to any threats we have received, but precautionary measures to keep us safe and secure while we are here at church.

The Rosary will now be said at 8:05 (yes, 8:05), before daily Mass on Thursdays. Thank you, Dan Stahl. /

# Sacrificial Giving 12/11/16

Weekly Offertory	YTD Offertory
\$ 5,684.16	\$ 136,419.84
\$ 6,055.50	\$ 119,567.79
\$ 371.34	\$ (16,852.05)
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## **Inclement Weather** Cancellations will be

announced by 7:00am for morning Mass and 3:00pm for Mass and/or Parish activities and/or Masses. The announcement will be placed on the website, the St. Colman Facebook page, WCHO (105.5) and WVNU (97.5) radio stations.

# What's Happening This Week

Saturday, December 17

9:00am-11:00pm Parish Hall Rented **Event** 

7:00pm A.A. Meeting, CH Basement

9:30am Coffee & Donuts, PH

10:00am PSR, All Rooms

Sunday, December 18

Monday, December 19

5:15pm Cemetery Board Mtg, Rectory

6:30pm Young Adult, Rectory

7:00pm Adult Ed, CR

Tuesday, December 20

6:00-8:00pm Adoration, Church 6:15pm RCIA, CR

Wednesday, December 21

6:30pm Choir Rehearsal

7:00pm A.A. Meeting, CH Basement

Friday, December 23

PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

10:00am-1:00pm St. Vincent de Paul Christmas Dinner Distribution, PH

Saturday, December 24

7:00pm A.A. Meeting, CH Basement

### Mass Greeter/Usher List

Saturday, December 24 5:00pm

Greg Flerchinger Dennis McCoppin Mary Smith **Bob Engle** 

Ron Weade

10:00pm

Mike Callahan Alex Engle **Bob Robinson** Craig Dowler

Marie Fetters-Greeter

Sunday, December 25

Jon Arnold Ike Garland Craig Dowler Ron Burkhard

Cathy Meredith-Greeter

**Homebound Ministry** Sunday, December 18

Sunday, December 25

Mary Smith & Helen McHolan

Gordon Riddle & Jim Garland

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December 18, 2016

**RCIA Topic This Week** December 20: History of the Mass and Liturgical Prayer

Tuesdays at 6:15pm Parish Center Conference Room

March for Life - We now need 16 people to fill our bus for the March for Life trip, January 26-28, 2017. Registration forms are on the bulletin board in the Parish Hall or on the web. You can also sponsor a youth for the trip by putting your donation in the collection basket marked "March for Life". Estimated cost per person is \$185. Deadline is for adult registration is December 29. Deadline for youth is January 20.

### Did you Know?...

Our church bell is a 50" bell weighing 2,300 pounds. cast in 1889 by the Buckeye Bell Foundry in Cincinnati, Ohio. The clapper is made of the same metal as the bell? THANK YOU to Dave Hisey of Hisey Bells for inspecting our bell and to Jeff Sollars and Jim Garland for making the repairs needed to keep the bell tolling.

Christmas is the perfect time to invite someone to Mass! Why don't you bring a friend or loved one with you to Mass next weekend? Church is the place where believers can love one another (1 John 4:12), encourage one another (Hebrews 3:13), "spur" one another to love and good works (Hebrews 10:24), serve one another (Galatians 5:13), instruct one another (Romans 15:14), honor one another (Romans 12:10), and be kind and compassionate to one another (Ephesians 4:32)

Trivia Night Fundraiser for the OLON Mission Trip 2017 on Saturday, January 21 at 6:00pm in St. Peter Parish **Hall** (following Mass)

Entry fee is \$20 per person, max number on a team is 6. First, second and third place prizes based on gate receipts. Teams can be formed ahead or on site. Purchase price includes entry fee, food and drink. Yes, alcohol included at no charge (beer and wine) but donations accepted. Menu consists of mac n cheese and Chill (with all the fixins) and dessert (again donations accepted). You can vote with \$\$ on vour favorite dish.

Questions will be basic; difficulty level will be easy to medium; consist of 7 categories with 10 questions each; and a bonus round where you can wager points. There also will be a tie breaker category should it be needed. Consortium churches will (hopefully) participate and form teams. We will once again include Mirvante to benefit from the take. Objective is to eat, drink, be merry and at the end of the night break even or better. Please contact Robin Flannagan (740) 703-1016 or rflannagan45601@gmail.com to reserve your place or team. Get your game on, form a team and participate!

For information on the Mission Trip (July 15-23, 2017), contact Bob Dye at 740-703-0555 or robertdye1@me.com. The trip is proposed in two parts (or one of two if preferred) with the first part a three day, two night trip to Mexico City, Pilgrimage to the Basilica of Our Lady of Guadalupe, recitation of the Rosary at an abortion clinic, and a visit to Mater Filius Main Campus. Part two will be the Mission Project in association with Corazon de Vida Foundation. For part two, we will fly nonstop from Mexico City to Baja, Mexico where we will transfer by bus to Ensenada, Mexico and work with one of the 10 orphanages under the umbrella of CDV for the 5-6 remaining days and depart San Diego for Columbus.

Notice Regarding Wednesday Rosary Groups: The Wednesday afternoon and evening rosary groups will not be meeting next week. They will resume after the first of the year.

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