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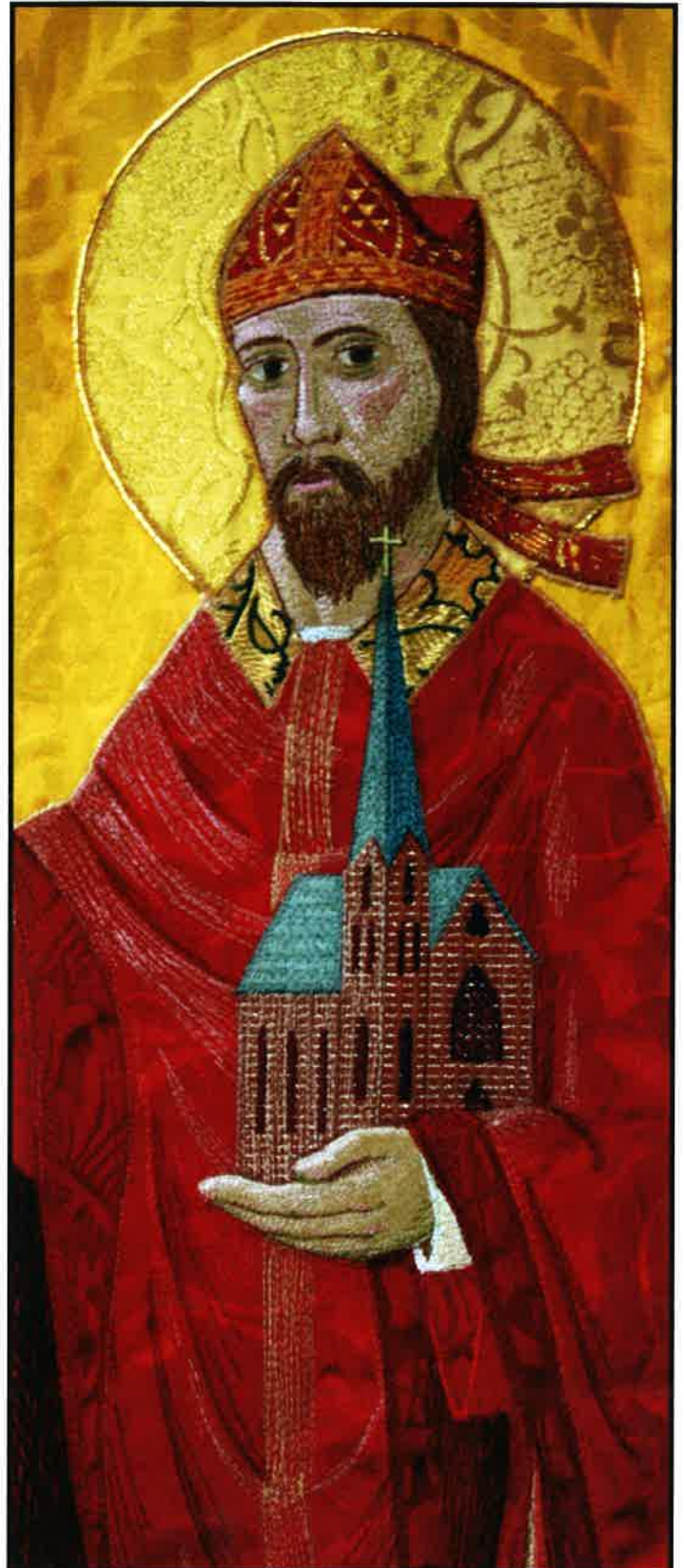


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**BAPTISM**

Baptism are celebrated for active members of St. Colman of Cloyne parish. Parents must first register for a Baptism preparation class. Please call the parish office one month in advance to register for a class, and schedule a Baptism.

**MATRIMONY**

Matrimony is celebrated for active members of Saint Colman of Cloyne Parish. Preparation includes a pre-marital inventory, meetings with the priest, participation in the Diocesan Pre-Cana Program, and Natural Family Planning classes. Please contact Parish Office 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 faith? Classes to learn more about the faith are 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  
9:00 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  
9:30 a.m. until all are heard  
4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

**PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

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

## Daily Scripture Readings

### Monday, November 16

Revelation 1:1-4; 2:1-5  
Luke 18:35-43

### Tuesday, November 17

Revelation 3:1-6, 14-22  
Luke 19:1-10

### Wednesday, November 18

Revelation 4:1-11  
Luke 19:11-28

### Thursday, November 19

Revelation 5:1-10  
Luke 19:41-44

### Friday, November 20

Revelation 10:8-11  
Luke 19:45-48

### Saturday, November 21

Revelation 11:4-12  
Luke 20:27-40

### Sunday, November 22

Ezekiel 34:11-12, 15-17  
1 Corinthians 15:20-26, 28  
Matthew 25:31-46

## Ministers List

### Saturday, November 21

**Lector:** Bonnie Hall

**Ushers:** Ron Weade, Bob Bohn

### Sunday, November 22, 9am

**Lector:** John Elrich

**Ushers:** Greg Flerchinger, Alex Engle

### Sunday, November 22, 11am

**Lector:** Tom Esper

**Ushers:** Bob Engle

## RCIA Topic This Week

**November 19:**

*Prayer*

**Parish Hall**

**7:00pm**

## Counter Volunteers

**This Week**

Ludene Flerchinger &  
Sue Mowrey

## This Week's Mass Intentions (November 14-22, 2020)

**Saturday, November 14, 2020 + Vigil of Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time**

9:30am Confessions (Cry Room)

4:00pm Confessions (Cry Room)

4:30pm Rosary [Led by Mary Smith]

5:00pm +Mary McCoppin by Dennis & JoAnn McCoppin

**Sunday, November 15, 2020 + Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:30am Rosary [Led by Father Haddad]

9:00am Pro Populo [For the People]

11:00am +Charles Griffiths by Allen & Patty Griffiths

**5:00-6:00pm Adoration**

**Monday, November 16, 2020 + Weekday**

No Mass

**Tuesday, November 17, 2020 + Weekday**

No Confessions

No Mass

**Wednesday, November 18, 2020 + Weekday**

**Thursday, November 19, 2020 + Weekday**

No Mass

**Friday, November 20, 2020 + Weekday**

**Saturday, November 21, 2020 + Vigil of Christ the King**

9:30am No Confessions

4:00pm Confessions (Cry Room)

4:30pm Rosary [Led by Mary Smith]

5:00pm +Sonny Knecht by Carroll Knecht

**Sunday, November 22, 2020 + Christ the King**

8:30am Rosary [Led by Father Haddad]

9:00am Pro Populo [For the People]

11:00am +Ela Straathof by Cathy Meredith

**5:00-6:00pm Adoration**

*The Catholic Bishops have granted the dispensation of the weekly obligation to attend weekend Mass indefinitely. Those who are feeling well and who are not in the high risk categories are encouraged to come to Mass. Those in the high risk categories, or who are not feeling well, are encouraged to remain home.*

If you choose to attend Mass, face masks are required as well as a ticket for the weekend Mass that you want to attend (including the new Sunday Mass at 11am.). Tickets may be obtained via the link on the St. Colman website or by calling the Parish Office before Thursday. Daily Masses do not require a ticket to attend.

**Watch the St. Colman Mass on our YouTube channel: "St. Colman of Cloyne Streaming".** You can also access it from the website. Just click the link where it says to view Mass "click here".

**Thanksgiving Day Mass, November 26**

**8:30am**



## From the Pastor's Desk...

"He who does not carry his cross and follow me, cannot be my disciple. For which of you, wishing to build a tower, does not sit down first and calculate the outlays that are necessary, whether he has the means to complete it?"<sup>1</sup>

"Do I truly want to be a disciple of Jesus Christ?" is a legitimate and significant question we ought to ask ourselves. We might think off the cuff, "Of course." Of course, "Of course." is the right answer. We are told that this is the way to go to heaven. This may be the answer our family, our social group, or society at large expects. This is the answer we were told as children we ought have. But, is it truly our answer? Do we really want this? And are we willing to pay the price?

Our Lord Himself states that if we are to truly follow Him it will be to carry a cross. He even says, "He who loses his life for my sake will find it."<sup>2</sup> This is to say that our devotion to following Our Lord will be costly to the point of giving up our lives. This does not just mean giving up our lives when someone puts a gun on us and asks us to deny Christ. Rather, it means that every aspect of our lives is devoted to Him. This is how someone "loses his life". It is to make every choice a choice for Christ. The saying attributed to St. Augustine, "Love God, and do as you will." is a magnificent way to put this in a nutshell. At first, it seems like license to do whatever we please. If, however, we ask ourselves the simple question, "Am I loving God by the choice I am making right now?", we will find that it really will make us rethink the things we do and don't do.

Do we want to ask ourselves that question? Do we dare? It is a cross. It is losing our lives to live totally concerned with another. Have we ever sat down to consider the cost of living our Christian faith in an authentic way? How heavy is that cross on us? In one way, it is impossible to lift, let alone carry. In another way, it is lighter than a feather. If we love God above all things, if following Jesus as His disciple is more important to us than everything else in our life, then the cross we carry will not be any burden at all. Even the suffering we experience will be a joy to us as we suffer for Him, Whom we love above all. "So they departed from the presence of the Sanhedrin, rejoicing that they had been counted worthy to suffer disgrace for the name of Jesus."<sup>3</sup>

I remember some years ago there were all kinds of jewelry made with the inscription "WWJD", an abbreviation for "What would Jesus do?" I never really liked that, since Jesus has His own mission, sent by the Father. To what Our Lord is called and to what I am called in many situations would differ. The idea behind the jewelry was a good one, however. It helped put our choices in perspective. Perhaps a better question would be, "If I really did love Jesus more than my life, what would I do, right now?" Maybe, it's not as pithy as WWJD, but perhaps more powerful. Just try asking that question next time you have a choice to make. Or maybe don't even wait for a choice and ask it right now.

In Christ,

Fr. C. M. Haddad

<sup>1</sup>Luke 14:27-28

<sup>2</sup>Matthew 17:25

<sup>3</sup>Acts 5:41

## Celebrate the Feast of St. Colman

### Special Mass Feast of St. Colman

Tuesday, November 24 at 7:00pm

Solemn High Mass in the  
Extraordinary Form.

Fr. Brett Garland, Celebrant

Fr. C. M. Haddad, Deacon

Fr. Michael Hinterschied, Sub-deacon

*Tickets will be required for all who wish to attend and will be available on Monday, November 16 at midnight through Monday, November 23 at midnight or until all 40 tickets are reserved.*



## The Feast of St. Colman, November 24th

The patronal feast of a parish is a time of celebration and joy. This year, we have a special opportunity to make the most of it. We will have a special Solemn High Mass celebrated by St. Colman's own son, Fr. Brett Garland. It will be Father's first Solemn High which is a notable moment in his priesthood. Additionally, this is a meaningful moment for the parish as it is likely that it has been some time since a Solemn High Mass was celebrated here.

Unfortunately, even before the changes to the liturgy, Solemn High Masses were somewhat rare in the United States. We had fallen into the idea that Mass was a mere obligation and something to "get it over with" as soon as possible. Sadly, this caused many priests and parishes to shy away from more solemn celebrations and many who grew up in that time, did not have the opportunity to see the fullness of the Mass, the fullness of the worship of the Church.

A Solemn High Mass is the most beautiful expression of worship. It has wonderful music as well as significant silences to enter deeply into prayer. While it is in Latin, and that can be a hurdle for many, it need not remain an obstacle to prayer and a profound experience of the graces of the Holy Sacrifice. It takes a little more effort, but all things worthwhile do. And when that effort is made, our hearts are able to soar and we know that we have glimpsed past the veil into our heavenly home.

This is our heritage as Christians. This is the way Christians have prayed and offered their oblation to God down through the centuries. We can look back and imagine all of the saints attending these Masses, having their hearts lifted up to the Lord. And, we know in the silence, the Sacrifice of Christ on His Cross takes place. Offered at the hands of the priest, the Mystery of the Cross is there before our eyes. Those same saints and all the angels are now with us, too, in that quiet moment when the priest pronounces the words of institution, kneels in adoration, elevates the Blessed Sacrament so that we might adore as well, then kneels once more.

For our patronal feast, we will have a special Mass setting sung by the St. Philip Neri Singers. They will be singing the Mass for Four Voices by William Byrd. This is a polyphonic Mass setting which was written with the intention of celebrating Mass in secret as it was composed during the persecution of the Church in England. This is a breathtaking piece of music and well merits listening all on its own, but when united to that sacred liturgy for which it was originally intended, it is sublime beyond measure.

So, mark your calendars for November 24<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm and come celebrate the feast of St. Colman. St. Colman, pray for us.



## Important Notice Regarding PSR Classes

Due to the rise in Covid-19 numbers, PSR classes will not be held on campus for the next three weeks at least. We feel it is best not to assemble the students in classes at this time.

Parents, please watch your email for further details in the coming week or two. If you have comments or suggestions, please forward them to me at [reled@stcolmanwch.org](mailto:reled@stcolmanwch.org).

Please know of my love and prayers for all of you during these times, and we are always here for you. Thank you.

Peace and blessings...

Rebecca Jo Elrich  
Religious Education Coordinator

**M**agnificats will be available in the back of church next weekend.

We ordered a limited number of books based on the number of people coming to weekend and daily Masses. If you are not coming to Mass, stop by the church any day Monday - Friday from 7:30am-1:00pm when the church is open to get one while the supply lasts. Use the ramp door.



## What's Happening This Week

**Sunday, November 15**  
10:15-11:30am PSR, All Classrooms  
**Monday, November 16**  
Parish Office open 9am-1pm  
**Wednesday, November 18**  
7:00pm Adult Study, CR  
**Thursday, November 19**  
9:15am Adult Study, CR  
7:00pm RCIA, CR

## FORMED®

If you currently have a FORMED account from before, please create a new one under our St. Colman of Cloyne account so that we can see how many of you are connected. This will give us an idea as to whether we need to continue the subscription next year or not. If you continue to use your current one with St. Peter, we cannot see how many accounts we have with our subscription.

Simply go to FORMED.ORG, click SIGN UP, click SIGN IN AS A PARISHIONER, type ST. COLMAN OF CLOYNE in the FIND ORGANIZATION box and you are then signed up under our account!

Contact Tina in the Parish Office if you have questions!

## Happy Birthday This Week To...

**Nov. 15:** Margie Engle, Carolyn McLaughlin, Margaret Osborne  
**Nov. 16:** Catherine & Declan Johnson, Bobbie Kelley, JoAnne McCoppin  
**Nov. 17:** Kate Bailey, Teddy DeBruin, Dawn Deyo, Doug & Sheril Hosch  
**Nov. 18:** Kelly Pettit  
**Nov. 20:** Liam Downing  
**Nov. 22:** Zane Carner, Owen Ivers, Charles Popovich, Debbie Weade

## WOMEN OF ST. COLMAN

Due to our area's COVID-19 health issues, the Women of St. Colman will not be putting up the annual parish "Giving Tree" this year. During these trying times, please join us in praying for those who live and work in our local extended care facilities. We sincerely thank you for your past generosity and look forward to returning to this popular Christmas project in 2021.

## Sacrificial Giving 11/8/20

	Weekly Offertory	YTD Offertory
<b>Budgeted</b>	\$ 6,092.00	\$ 109,656.00
<b>Actual Offertory</b>	\$ 4,027.00	\$ 92,322.25
<b>Difference</b>	\$ (2,065)	\$ (17,333.75)

## Saint Vincent de Paul October Report

<b>Total Amount Paid</b>	<b>\$4,086.00</b>
<b>Food:</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>Rx:</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>Gasoline:</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>Shelter:</b>	<b>23</b>
<b>Utilities:</b>	<b>24</b>
<b>Other:</b>	<b>11</b>
<b>Total # of Calls Received:</b>	<b>66</b>

## Bulletin Ad Space Available

We have empty spots to fill on next year's bulletin cover beginning next month. Please consider advertising your company with us!

Small ads are \$200. Large ads are \$300. Contact Tina in the Parish Office by December 1 if you are interested.

## Mark Your Calendars!

**St. Colman Feast Day Solemn High Mass**  
November 24, 7:00pm

**The Immaculate Conception**  
Tuesday, December 8 @  
Masses at 8:30am & 7:00pm

**Our Lady of Guadalupe Mass in Extraordinary Form**  
Saturday, December 12, 8:30am

**Christmas Eve**  
Thursday, December 24  
4:00pm, 6:30pm, Midnight

**Christmas Day**  
Friday, December 25  
8:30am, 10:30am

**Mary, Mother of God**  
Friday, January 1  
9:00am, 7:00pm

*Lessons and Carols and a Penance Service will not be held this year.*

*Additional confessions times will be added to the schedule.*

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