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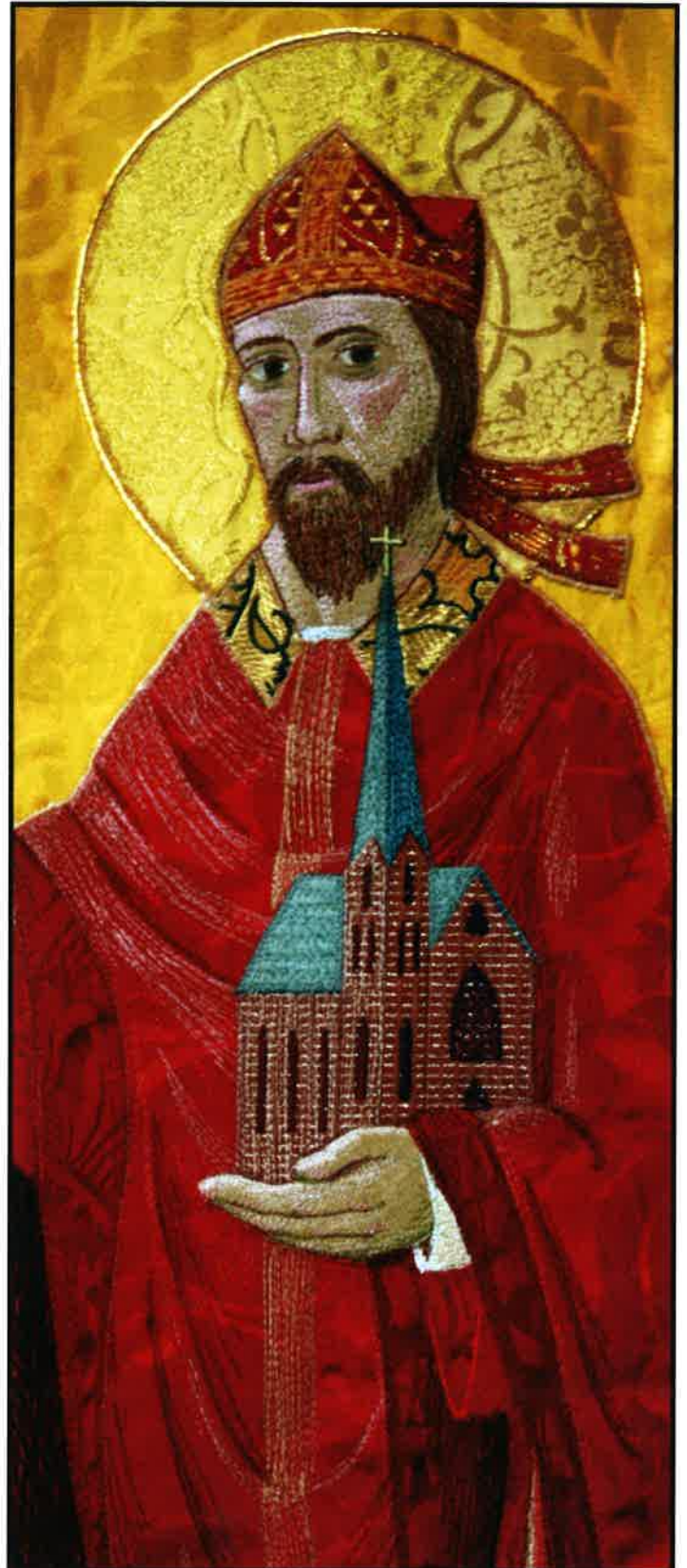


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BAPTISM

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 30
Romans 10:9 - 18
Matthew 4:18-22

Tuesday, December 1
Isaiah 11:1-10
Luke 10:21-24

Wednesday, December 2
Isaiah 25:6-10a
Matthew 15:29-37

Thursday, December 3
Isaiah 26:1-6
Matthew 7:21, 24-27

Friday, December 4
Isaiah 29:17-24
Matthew 9:27-31

Saturday, December 5
Isaiah 30:19-21, 23-26
Matthew 9:35-10:1, 5a, 6-8

Sunday, December 6
Isaiah 40:1-5, 9-11
2 Peter 3:8-14
Mark 1:1-8

Ministers List

Saturday, December 5
Lector: Mary Smith

Ushers: David McCoppin,
Rob Wheaton

Sunday, December 6, 9am
Lector: Theresa Rice

Ushers: Bob Robinson,
Nick Elrich

Sunday, December 6, 11am
Lector: Jim McDonald

Ushers: Bob Engle

RCIA Topic This Week
December 3:
The Four Last Things
Parish Hall
7:00pm

Counter Volunteers
This Week
Patty Griffiths &
Vicki Ream

This Week's Mass Intentions (November 21 - 29, 2020)

Saturday, November 28, 2020 + Vigil of the First Sunday of Advent
9:30am Confessions (Cry Room)
4:00pm Confessions (Cry Room)
4:30pm Rosary [Led by Mary Smith]
5:00pm +Arley & Alice Board by Chris & Mary Ann Van Meter

Sunday, November 29, 2020 + First Sunday of Advent
8:30am Rosary [Led by Father Haddad]
9:00am Pro Populo [For the People]
11:00am Special Intention for Charlie & Pat Woodard

5:00-6:00pm Adoration
Monday, November 30, 2020 + Advent Weekday
8:30am Special Intention for Stephen & Kayln Elrich by Ben & Kiersten Wenzel

Tuesday, December 1, 2020 + Advent Weekday
5:00 - 5:20pm Confessions (Cry Room)
5:30pm +Patricia Elrich by The Elrich Family

6:00pm Adoration
6:05 - 7:00pm Confessions (Cry Room)
7:00pm Benediction

Wednesday, December 2, 2020 + Advent Weekday
8:30am Extraordinary Form Low Mass

Thursday, December 3, 2020 + Advent Weekday
8:30am +Anthony Kehn by Allen & Patty Griffiths

Friday, December 4, 2020 + Advent Weekday
8:30am Extraordinary Form Low Mass - First Friday
6:30 - 7:30pm Confessions (Cry Room)

Saturday, December 5, 2020 + Vigil of the Second Sunday of Advent
8:30am Extraordinary Form Low Mass - First Saturday

9:30 - 10:30am Confessions (Cry Room)
4:00 - 4:50pm Confessions (Cry Room)
4:30pm Rosary [Led by Mary Smith]
5:00pm +Lenny Squeo by Chris & Tina Garland

Sunday, December 6, 2020 + Second Sunday of Advent
8:00 - 8:50am Confessions (Cry Room)
8:30am Rosary [Led by Greg Flerchinger]
9:00am Pro Populo [For the People]
10:30 - 10:50am Confessions (Cry Room)
11:00am +Wayne Hall & William Ondrus by Mike & Bonnie Hall

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.

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.



From the Pastor's Desk...

The season of Advent is upon us. I don't know about you, but it kind of sneaked up on me this year. Advent, we know, is a time for preparing for the coming of Christ. While we do have to get all the things ready for Christmas, this year—the cooking and baking, the shopping and wrapping, decorating and trimming—let us not forget to prepare ourselves interiorly as well. “The true light, which enlighteneth every man that cometh into this world”¹ is coming to us. This ought to build within our hearts a great excitement and joy, tempered by the recognition that we are not yet prepared for Him, Our Lord, Our Savior, Our Brother, Our God, Jesus Christ.



We do so much to prepare for company, are we doing what we need to prepare for Him? Advent is indeed a penitential season. While its character is not as deeply or intensely penitential as the season of Lent, there is a need to recognize that we must shed ourselves of those things which hinder our ability to be close to Jesus, and grow in those things that bring us closer to Him.

This Advent, consider how much effort goes into preparing for the temporal realities of Christmas, then consider what might be done to prepare spiritually for the Nativity of Our Lord. I know, fasting is usually associated with Lent, but there's nothing that says you can't do it during Advent, to help you get spiritually prepared. Wednesdays, Fridays, and Saturdays are traditional days of fasting. Also, you could give something up, like at Lent.

Other than penance and mortification, you could spend some additional time in prayer. One possibility is to make a special effort to visit the Blessed Sacrament during your day or week. Another option might be to place a Nativity scene in your house and pray before it, daily meditating on the coming of the Christ Child. Whatever it is, an intensification of prayer is always good when getting ready for the Holy Days. (Unsurprisingly, it is also good for stress.)

Finally, I would like to encourage everyone to make a special effort to go to confessions. While we ought to go to confession regularly, monthly or at least quarterly, Advent is a great time to get back into the habit. To help facilitate this, additional confession times will be offered during the advent season. See schedule below.

Advent is a time of preparation and penance, and also time of joy and excitement. While there is stress in preparing of Christmas, we should take the time to slow down once in a while and enjoy it. Prepare well, prepare joyfully, and become ready to welcome Our Savior into the world.

Confession times for Advent season:
Sunday 8:00am – 8:50am; 10:30am – 10:50am
Tuesday 5:00pm – 5:20pm; 6:05pm – 7:00pm
Friday 6:30pm – 7:30pm
Saturday 9:30am – 10:30am; 4:00pm – 4:50pm

¹ John 1:9

What's Happening This Week

Sunday, November 29
NO PSR
Monday, November 30
Parish Office open 9am-1pm
Wednesday, December 2
7:00pm Adult Study, CR
Thursday, December 3
9:15am Adult Study, CR
7:00pm RCIA, CR

Christmas flowers and wreaths will be available for pickup beginning Wednesday

If you placed an order, please plan to pick up your items during one of the following times:

Wednesday, 9am-1pm and 3-6pm
Thursday, 9am—1pm and 3-6pm

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Happy Birthday This Week To...

Nov. 30: Mary Smith
Dec. 1: Carrie Barker, Mark Johnson
Dec. 2: Terri Yenger
Dec. 6: Kate Downing, Della Kesterke

Sacrificial Giving 11/22/20

	Weekly Offertory	YTD Offertory
Budgeted	\$ 6,092.00	\$ 121,840.00
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Difference	\$ (1,097)	\$(20,437.75)

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