

***** MASS INTENTIONS *****

Sunday, March 31, 2019 – **Fourth Sunday of Lent**
9:00 a.m. – RAY FRATINI – Albert & Margie Turikily (Fr Jim)

Friday, April 5, 2019 – Lenten Weekday
8:00 a.m. – JOHN NAVOSKI – Pat Fratini (Fr Harry)

Sunday, April 7, 2019 – **Fifth Sunday of Lent**
9:00 a.m. – ROSE STIEGEL – JoAnne Bokulich (Fr Harry)

ALTAR SERVERS SCHEDULE: 4/7:
9:00 a.m. – Landyn & Owen

***** PARISH OFFERINGS *****

March 24, 2019

Regular Offertory_____	\$ 850.00
Parish Share_____	\$ 405.00
Easter Flower Offering_____	\$ 129.00
Votives_____	\$ 9.00
	Total Collection \$ 1393.00
	Total Expenses \$ 2609.71

(Payroll \$1757.44; Phone/Internet \$458.69; HVAC maintenance \$195; Sewerage \$91.60; Locksmith \$80; Answering Service \$23.92; Office supplies \$3.06)



We Are Ambassadors for Christ – When reflecting on faith, we often consider the importance of trust. This reflection is typically focused on our need to trust in God and not to worry or be anxious about anything. However, we cannot forget all that God has entrusted to us as His beloved children. He has given us life and gifts and talents, and trusts that we will use them for the good of others in fulfillment of his will. In light of this, we should take to heart Saint Paul’s words in today’s

second reading: “so we are ambassadors for Christ, as if God were appealing through us.” Aware of all that God has entrusted to us, we become his representatives in the world, reflecting His light and love through our words and deeds. On Mission for The Church Alive! becomes our opportunities to be Christ’s representatives in our parishes, our communities and beyond as He entrusts all of us with the task of building up the Church. As we work to have our hearts transformed and strengthened this Lent, may the result be our ever-faithful witness to God’s life at work in us. Visit onmissionchurchalive.org to learn more and to stay informed.

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2019

MASS SCHEDULE

Fridays – 8:00 a.m.
Sundays – 9:00 a.m.
Holy Days – as scheduled

CONFESSIONS

Fridays – 7:30 – 7:45 a.m.

BAPTISMS

Sunday by appointment after attending a Pre-Baptism Seminar. Contact Carmela Galloway at 724-695-7325 or stcolumbkilleparish@comcast.net to register.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP

Every person wishing to be a member of the parish must register by going to the website (above) or calling the parish office. A letter to serve as a Sponsor for Baptism or Confirmation can be issued only to registered and participating parishioners who meet sponsorship eligibility.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES

Classes are held during the school year for grades PreK-8 in the church hall every Sunday morning from 10 to 11:15 a.m. For more information, see the website (above) or call the DRE Colleen Jastrzebski at 724-796-1884.

PA CLERGY SEX ABUSE HOTLINE: 1-888-538-8541

DIOCESAN ABUSE HOTLINE: 1-888-808-1235

PARISH SHARE 2019 UPDATE:

Our PSP Goal: \$11,529 --- PSP contributions collected to date: \$2146 = 18.6% of goal

CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT:

Please be generous in this week’s special collection, which supports the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. In the United States, one in six people live in poverty. Through this collection, you support programs that address the causes of poverty and provide a sustainable future for people across the country who struggle. In addition, 25% of the funds we collect will remain in our diocese to fund local antipoverty projects. Please prayerfully consider how you can support this collection and work on the margins. More information about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development can be found at www.usccb.org/cchd/collection.

13th GATHERING OF CATHOLIC MEN CONFERENCE:

The 13th Gathering of Catholic Men Conference is a powerful encountering of the Mercy of Christ, with dynamic Catholic presenters. This is a great opportunity to renew our spiritual journey during the Lenten season. Mark your calendars for the afternoon of April 6th at Soldiers and Sailors Memorial Hall in Oakland. Doors open at 12 noon. Plan to attend and visit www.cmfitt.org for more information on conference speakers and registration.

ATTENTION GRADES 8 – 12:

Our next youth group event will be Sunday, April 7th at St. Alphonsus’s parish hall from 6-8 p.m. Please make every effort to attend!

On Sunday, April 28th, we’re going to a diocesan youth event, “Called by Name”, at St. Paul Seminary in Carnegie. Join teens from all over the diocese for Mass, dinner, praise and worship music, dynamic talks and Adoration. We will leave from St. Patrick’s at 3:30 p.m. and return at 9:00 p.m. Please RSVP to zgaliyas@diopitt.org or 724-695-7325 by Wednesday, April 24th. Permission forms can be printed from the parish website.

SEVEN CHURCH WALK:

St. Columbkille Holy Name Society will be sponsoring a Seven Church Walk on Holy Thursday, April 18th. The bus will leave from St. Alphonsus after the 7 p.m. Mass and travel to seven different churches for prayers and meditation. Sign up for the bus by calling St. Columbkille at 724-695-7325. There will be a limit of 50 people. Deadline to sign up will be April 12th.

PIEROGI SALE:

Orders are now being taken for cooked pierogis on Good Friday (\$8/dozen). Frozen pierogi (\$7/dozen) are available anytime through Lent. Call Pat Fratini at 724-796-1308 to place your order.

WOUNDED WARRIORS CHICKEN ROAST:

The Knights of Columbus is sponsoring a Chicken Roast to benefit the Wounded Warriors of Western PA on Saturday, April 27th from 12-5 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Pavilion in Burgettstown. Cost is \$13 per dinner (1/2 chicken, baked potato, salad, roll & desert). Tickets must be purchased by April 22nd by calling Mark Galish at 724-947-5181.

Check out our parish grouping’s website at www.grouping329.org. The home page now offers reflections by Bishop Robert Barron that will be updated daily throughout the Lenten season.

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR GROUPING 329!

GROUPING 329 REPORTING SESSION:

Anyone who missed the Grouping 329 Reporting Session but would like to know what was discussed can find the minuted of the meeting on the parish grouping website, under the “News” section.

CHOIR MEMBERS NEEDED!

Group 329 Music Ministry is looking to form a combined choir to sing the Easter Vigil Mass at OLOL on Saturday, April 20th. Rehearsals will be held in the St. Alphonsus choir loft on Thursday evenings at 7:00 p.m. Please consider sharing your talents with others as we “Sing a Joyful Song Unto the Lord”.

COMING TOGETHER AS ONE:GROUPING 329

Do you have gifts for Hospitality? For Evangelization? Your gifts are needed as we move forward in our vineyard. We’re forming teams to serve in these ministries:
“Welcome to Our Church” - host tours of each of our churches, offices & meeting spaces
Evangelization Team - outreach to make disciples for Jesus Christ
Volunteer Recruitment - gathering those with gifts to serve
Pray about how God is calling you to help “build up the body”.
Contact Sharon Serratore at ministry329@gmail.com or 412-983-7710

“LADIES OF THE 6” ROAD TRIP:

Attention ladies, you are invited to a Festival of Praise at Franciscan University on Saturday, April 6th from 7-8:45 p.m. There will be **Contemporary Christian music, Witness talk** and a **Eucharistic Procession**. We’ll meet in the parking lot of OLOL and carpool out at 6:30 p.m. sharp. Contact Sharon Serratore if you’re coming at 412-983-7710 or ministry329@gmail.com.

BAPTISM CLASS:

The next baptism class for our parish grouping will be Saturday, April 13th at 1:00 p.m. at OLOL, in the parish hall. To attend, you must register ahead of time by contacting Carmella Galloway at 724-695-7325 or stcolumbkilleparish@comcast.net. This class is for those who belong to any of our six parishes and are baptizing their first child.

THIS WEEK’S STATIONS OF THE CROSS:

- Wednesday, April 3rd @ 4:00 p.m. @ St. Michael
- Friday, April 5th @ 11:30 a.m. @ St. Patrick
- Friday, April 5th @ 4:00 p.m. @ St. Ann
- Friday, April 5th @ 7:00 p.m. @ St. Alphonsus, St. Columbkille & OLOL



THE LIGHT IS STILL ON FOR YOU: Confession Times

St. Alphonsus	6-8 p.m.	Fr. John Gudewicz
St. Ann	6-9 p.m.	Fr. James McDonough
St. Columbkille	6-8 p.m.	Fr. Richard Wesoloski
St. Michael	6-8 p.m.	Fr. Harry Bielewicz
OLOL	6-9 p.m.	Fr. Zach Galiyas
St. Patrick	6-9 p.m.	Fr. Ben Vaghetto

