

\*\*\*\*\* **MASS INTENTIONS** \*\*\*\*\*

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

Friday, April 12, 2019 – Lenten Weekday  
**8:00 a.m.** – ADA LONICK – Dolores McDoogle (Fr Zach)

Sunday, April 14, 2019 – **Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord**  
**9:00 a.m.** – JOHN NAVOSKI – MaryJoan & George Yecko (Fr Zach)

**ALTAR SERVERS SCHEDULE: 4/14:**

**9:00 a.m.** – Joe & Caroline

\*\*\*\*\* **PARISH OFFERINGS** \*\*\*\*\*

March 31, 2019

Regular Offertory_____	\$ 644.00
Parish Share_____	\$ 665.00
Catholic Campaign for Human Development_____	\$ 116.00
Easter Flower Offering_____	\$ 30.00
Votives_____	\$ 13.00
Hall Rental_____	\$ 50.00
Reimbursement for Confirmation Retreat Speaker_____	\$ 30.00
	Total Collection \$ 1548.00
	Total Expenses \$ 3195.69

(PSP Remitted \$2811; Church electric \$159.86; Water \$87.64; Rectory upkeep \$70.53;  
 Pittsburgh Catholic newspapers \$33.01; Payroll \$20.33; Cable \$13.32)

March Monthly Recap: Total Income \$9977.08/Total Expenses \$11,658.91

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**Go, and From Now On Do Not Sin Any More** – Jesus’ encounter with the woman in today’s Gospel may be one of the most beautiful presented in the Scriptures. Jesus saves the woman from near certain death as the scribes and Pharisees are ready to stone her on account of her sins. Jesus stops them in their tracks as he says, “Let the one among you who is without sin be the first to throw a stone at her.” More importantly, he works to transform her heart and her life through his words and actions of forgiveness, not condemnation. How encouraging it is to hear Jesus say, “Neither do I condemn you. Go, and from now on do not sin anymore.” Those words are not meant only for that woman, but also for us. We hear Jesus speak those words in prayer as we turn to him for strength when we know we’ve done wrong. We also hear those words from the priest in Confession as our sins are forgiven and we are sent forth, “The Lord has freed you from your sins. Go in peace!” As we are restored to union with God in Reconciliation and strengthened in the unity as we deepen our relationship with him, our unity with our sisters and brothers in the Body of Christ is also renewed. This unity can only serve us well as we journey together On Mission for The Church Alive! May we be inspired to build each other up as we build up our Church. Visit [onmissionchurchalive.org](http://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](mailto: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**

### CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT:

Thank you for your generous support last week for the collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development! As a parish, we raised \$116 to support those who live on the margins and in poverty in the United States. If you missed the collection, it's not too late to give! Visit [www.usccb.org/nationalcollections](http://www.usccb.org/nationalcollections) and click on "How to Give" on the left.

### ATTENTION GRADES 8 – 12:

Our next youth group event will be tonight, April 7<sup>th</sup> at St. Alphonsus's parish hall from 6-8 p.m. Please make every effort to attend!

On Sunday, April 28<sup>th</sup>, 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](mailto:zgaliyas@diopitt.org) or 724-695-7325 by Wednesday, April 24<sup>th</sup>. Permission forms can be printed from the parish website.

Check out our new youth group webpage! Go to [www.grouping329.org](http://www.grouping329.org) and look under the ministries tab.

If any adults with clearances are interested in helping with youth ministry, please contact Fr. Zach at 724-947-3363 or [zgaliyas@diopitt.org](mailto:zgaliyas@diopitt.org).

### TRIDUUM & MASS SCHEDULES:

The April 12<sup>th</sup> issue of the *Pittsburgh Catholic Newspaper* will include a schedule of Parish Triduum and Easter Mass schedules. Be sure to pick up your copy next week!

### SEVEN CHURCH WALK:

St. Columbkille Holy Name Society will be sponsoring a Seven Church Walk on Holy Thursday, April 18<sup>th</sup>. 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 12<sup>th</sup>.

### 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 27<sup>th</sup> 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 22<sup>nd</sup> by calling Mark Galish at 724-947-5181.

Check out our parish grouping's website at [www.grouping329.org](http://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!

#### WELCOME SHARON!

We welcome Sharon Serratore as Pastoral Associate for our grouping of parishes. Some of you have met Sharon at parish gatherings already such as the Reporting Sessions and fish fries. Sharon can be reached at [ministry329@gmail.com](mailto:ministry329@gmail.com) or at the St. Alphonsus parish office at 724-926-2984

#### THE LIGHT IS STILL ON FOR YOU: Confession Times – Wednesday, April 10<sup>th</sup>

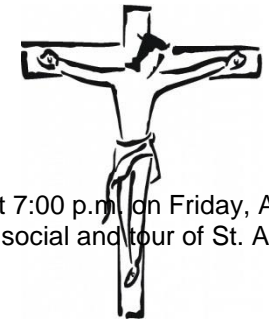
St. Alphonsus	6-8 p.m.	Fr. John Gudewicz
St. Ann	6-9 p.m.	Fr. James McDonough
St. Columbkille	6-8 p.m.	Fr. Richard Wesoloski
St. Michael	6-8 p.m.	Fr. Harry Bielewicz
OLOL	6-9 p.m.	Fr. Zach Galiyas
St. Patrick	6-9 p.m.	Fr. Ben Vaghetto

#### 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 20<sup>th</sup>. 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".

#### THIS WEEK'S STATIONS OF THE CROSS:

Wednesday, April 10<sup>th</sup> @ 4:00 p.m. @ St. Michael  
Friday, April 12<sup>th</sup> @ 7:00 p.m. @ St. Alphonsus



#### STATIONS & SOCIAL:

Parishioners from all six parishes are invited to St. Alphonsus at 7:00 p.m. on Friday, April 12<sup>th</sup> to pray the Stations of the Cross together. A "Welcome to Our Church" social and tour of St. Alphonsus' facilities will follow.

See the bulletin insert for details.

#### BAPTISM CLASS:

The next baptism class for our parish grouping will be Saturday, April 13<sup>th</sup> 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](mailto:stcolumbkilleparish@comcast.net). This class is for those who belong to any of our six parishes and are baptizing their first child.

#### 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](mailto:ministry329@gmail.com) or 412-983-7710

