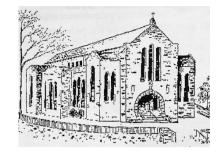


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Third Sunday of Lent - 11/12th March, 2023

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| DAY | DATE | TIME | ST. COLUMBA'S | TIME | ST. MALACHY'S |
| Saturday | 11 th Mar | | | 5.00 pm | Irene Clark |
| Sunday | 12 th Mar | | | 9.00 am | People of the Parishes |
| | | 11.00 am | Brendan Barry | | |
| Tuesday | 14 th Mar | | | 10.00 am | Martin McGinley Followed by Stations of the Cross |
| Wednesday | 15 th Mar | 12 noon | Birthday Intention – Andrea Woodward | | |
| Thursday | 16 th Mar | | | 10.00 am | Kathleen Thompson |
| Friday | 17 th Mar | 12 noon | Antonio De Masi | | |
| | | 7.00 pm | Stations of the Cross | | |
| | • | | MASSES NEXT WEE | K | |
| Saturday | 18 th Mar | | | 5.00 pm | Peter O'Donnell |
| Sunday | 19 th Mar | | | 9.00 am | People of the Parishes |
| | | 11.00 am | Birthday Intention – Tina Armstrong | | |

Sacrament of Reconciliation

St Columba's - First Saturday of the Month - 11.30am – 12noon St Malachy's - Next Saturday 4.00pm – 4.45pm

Lenten Day of Confessions.

Priests will be available from 9am - 5pm on Saturday 1st April, St Mary's Church in preparation for Holy Week and Easter. GAD envelopes are being prepared and will be available from next weekend. Walk off the pounds every Thursday – 10.30 am -11.30 am

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Stephen Thornber, Juliana Ijezie, Gareth Bird, Peter McCarron, Trish O'Rourke, Margaret Parkinson, Tommy O'Hara, Liam McAllister. Rosina Iwasczuk, Marie West, Brian English, Kevin Harlow, Deborah Halstead, David Kaminski, Patricia McManus, Tom McNally, Bernard Lister, Rosaline Walsh, John Thorpe, Ken Lambert, Eileen Coyle, Arthur Bykowicz, Penny Carlisle, Mary Smith,

Fawzia Mohammed, Stuart Ridley, Terry Smith, Sheila Molloy, Tony Walsh, Allen Aitcheson, Damien Roe, Melanie Crossland

ANNIVERSARIES:

Brendan Barry; Martin McGinley Peter O'Donnell

Celebration for Sr. Anne. Sr Anne will

return to Halifax for the **5.00pm Mass** on **Saturday 29**th **April**. The celebration of Mass will be followed by a buffet in the parish room and church porch. All are welcome. Please save the date and let others know who might be interested to attend.

"SMARTIE CHALLENGE - 2023"

This annual fundraising challenge is now underway. Boxes available after Mass or from Trish Coyle.

THE OVER 50's LUNCHEON CLUB Held

by the Halifax & District Irish Society next to be held on **Thursday 16th March** at the Pellon Social Club from 12 noon. For further information contact Maurice Kidney on HX: 343483

THE ANNUAL CATHOLIC CARE COLLECTION:

will be taken **next** weekend. During the course of last year Catholic Care supported over 2,750 people in need. If parishioners wish to make a regular contribution they can set up a standing order. Catholic Care's bank details are: Catholic Care (Diocese of Leeds) 05-00-20; 11472611. If you are a UK tax payer and would like to Gift Aid your donation, please contact us for a Gift Aid form:

finance@catholic-care.org.uk

"I Am With You" - Halifax Deanery Mission 2023

In the week leading up to the Feast of the Ascension (15 - 18 May 2023) the Catholics of the Halifax Deanery will be celebrating a week of Mission, sharing with each other and the wider community the love of Jesus. To access the latest information and follow developments, please use the following social media "handles":

Facebook: @missionhalifax Twitter: @halifaxmission Instagram: @missionhalifax

St Patrick's themed BREW & A CHAT,

tomorrow, Monday 13th
March from 10.30 am –
1.30 pm – join us for a hot
lunch and music by Dermot
Doyle. Don't forget to wear
something green.
All welcome!

DIOCESE OF LEEDS PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES:

6 nights from £745. 7-13
July by air from
Leeds/Bradford Airport.
To book please contact
Tangney Tours, tel
01732 886666 or

www.tangneytours.com.

North Halifax Ecumenical Lenten

Study Group. Third study group on Wednesday 15th March at **7.00pm at New** Providence United Reform Church, Keighley Road.

All are welcome.

West Halifax
Ecumenical Lenten
Study Group. Third
study group on Thursday
16th March at 7.00pm at St
Columba's Church Hall.
All are welcome.

200 club subscriptions now due for 2023/24 - see Fr Michael;

Julie; Kay or Marina.

HOMES FOR UKRAINE MATCHING SERVICE:

Caritas Social Action Network, in partnership with St John of God Hospitaller Services, an international Catholic charity with many services for the vulnerable in the UK and Ireland, are matching Ukrainian people displaced by the brutal war with people in the Catholic community willing to host them in their homes for six months. If you have room in your home and in your heart to consider welcoming a stranger displaced by war, then we'd love to hear from you. Please visit

https://sjog-homesforukraine.uk/ for more information.

200 CLUB MARCH WINNERS:

 1^{ST} £250 No: 107 NOAH HESSELDEN 2^{ND} £150 No: 59 ANNE O'DWYER 3^{RD} £100 No: 21 DEBORAH CONWAY