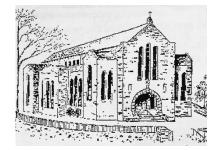


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Fifth Sunday of Lent - 16/17th March, 2024

PUBLIC MASSES DAY ST. COLUMBA'S DATE TIME TIME ST. MALACHY'S 16th March Saturday 5.00 pm Mary Toothill 17th March Sunday 9.00 am People of the Parishes 11.00 am James Grant 18th March Requiem Mass for Monday 11.00 am Henry Dubaj 19th March Tuesday 10.00 am Special Intention (MMH) Followed by Stations of the Cross 20th March Wednesday 12 noon Mavis Jackson 21st March Thursday 10.00 am November Dead List 22nd March Friday November Dead List 12 noon Stations of the Cross 7.00 pm MASSES NEXT WEEK 23rd March Saturday 5.00 pm November Dead List 24th March Sunday 9.00 am Timothy Larkin People of the Parishes 11.00 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation.

St Columba's - First Saturday of the month - 11.30 am - 12 noon St Malachy's - First and third Saturdays of the month - 4.00 pm - 4.45 pm Walk off the pounds, every Thursday 10.30 am -11.30 am

Deanery Lenten Day of Confessions.

A priest will be available at St. Mary's Church next Saturday 23rd March from 9.00am - 4.00pm. Please note that this day will finish at 4.00pm rather than 5.00pm.

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Stephen Thornber, Rosaline Walsh, John Thorpe, Ken Lambert, Emma Firth, Arthur Bykowicz, Damien Roe, Christine Gillett, Robert Vaughan, Bernard Lister,
Stuart Ridley,
Terry Smith,
Sheila Molloy,
Margaret McElroy,
Tommy O'Hara,
Liam McAllister,
Fr. Peter Nealon,
Billy Anderson

Fawzia Mohammed, Gareth Bird, Peter McCarron, Trish O'Rourke, Margaret Parkinson, Christina Mychalyshyn, Tom McNally, Andrew Farmer.

Juliana Ijezie, Brian English, Kevin Harlow, Deborah Halstead, David Kaminski, Penny Carlisle, Melanie Crossland, Jon Pateman,

LATELY DEAD:

Henry Dubaj Sheila Durkin Ken Lambert (Requiem Mass, SC, 3rd April, 1.30 pm)

Holy Week Services. The special Holy Week services will be held as follows:

Maundy Thursday 28th March.

Mass of the Lord's Supper. St Malachy's Church, 7.00pm. Following Mass, the Blessed Sacrament will be carried in procession to the Altar of Repose where the watch will continue until 10.00pm.

After 9.00pm access to the church will be by the side door.

Good Friday 29th March.

Commemoration of the Lord's Passion. St Malachy's 3.00pm. St. Columba's 5.00pm. Holy Saturday 30th March.

Easter Vigil of the Lord's Resurrection. St. Malachy's Church 8.00pm.

N.B. There is no 5.00pm evening Mass this evening.

Easter Sunday 31st March.

Sunday Morning Masses. 9.00am St Malachy's; 11.00am St Columba's;

Volunteers to have their feet washed or to read at the special services are needed.

Please sign up at the back of both churches.

The Chrism Mass with the Blessing of the

Holy Oils will be concelebrated by the Bishop and priests of the Diocese at Leeds Cathedral on Wednesday 27th March at 11.00am. All are welcome.

Cathedral Day of Confessions. Leeds
Cathedral, this Tuesday 19th March, 7.00 am- 7.00

The recent CAFOD collection raised £374.77 at St. Malachy's and £267.16 at St

Columba's.

Many thanks for supporting this special collection so generously.

Catenian Association: A

new website has been created for potential new members to learn about the Catenians:

https://thecatenians.uk or you may wish to speak to local Membership Officer Dennis Donnelly on 01484 606042.

Holy Places Special Collection.

As always, we will take up this special collection at the Services on Good Friday.

200 CLUB SUBSCRIPTIONS FOR 2024/25 ARE NOW DUE.

Please hand your **CASH ONLY please** to either Father, Julie, Kay or Marina as soon as possible.

Churches Together Lenten Study Groups.

The final Lenten study group takes place this week with the final focus on "Caring for God's Creation".

In north Halifax (St Malachy's) it will be held on Wednesday evening starting at 7.00pm at Holy Nativity Church, Mixenden. In west Halifax (St Columba's) it will be held on Tuesday evening starting at 7.00pm in St John & St Hilda's Church, Windle Royd Lane, Warley. All are welcome.

Next Tuesday, 19th March, in St Columba's Church Hall – Daisy Chain Café – 1.30pm – 3.30pm

Church Cleaning St. Malachy's To prepare for Easter will take place next Saturday morning 23rd March starting at 10.00am. Please come along if you can spare a couple of hours to help with this – many hands make light work!

EASTER COFFEE MORNINGS

St Malachy's - straight after 9.00am Mass St Columba's - straight after 11.00 am Mass

St Malachy's Parish Walk,

Sunday 7th April, meeting 12.30 pm at Clay House car park West Vale HX4 8AN for a 3 mile walk along North Dean Woods and Black Brook. Dining afterwards at the Watermill, Salterhebble. HX3 OQT. If you are dining please let Noreen know for table numbers on 01422-259139.

Food pre-order not required.