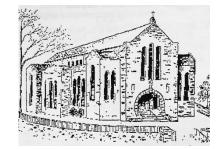


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# Thirty First Sunday of the Church's Year - 4/5th Nov, 2023

			PUBLIC MASSES		
DAY	DATE	TIME	ST. COLUMBA'S	TIME	ST. MALACHY'S
Saturday	4 <sup>th</sup> Nov			5.00 pm	Mary and John Curry
Sunday	5 <sup>th</sup> Nov			9.00 am	David Rose
		11.00 am	Relatives of Elvira Vernile		
Tuesday	7 <sup>th</sup> Nov			10.00 am	People of the Parishes
		2	.30 pm Mass at St. Mala	chy's Scho	ool
Wednesday	8 <sup>th</sup> Nov	12 noon	Bernard Browne		
Thursday	9 <sup>th</sup> Nov			10.00 am	November Dead List
Friday	10 <sup>th</sup> Nov	12 noon	Mary Kennedy		
			MASSES NEXT WEEK	,	
Saturday	11 <sup>th</sup> Nov	12 noon	Wedding Service Elizabeth Jones & Nicholas Whitehill		
				5.00 pm	November Dead List
Sunday	12 <sup>th</sup> Nov			9.00 am	People of the Parishes
		11.00 am	The War Dead		

# Sacrament of Reconciliation.

St Columba's - First Saturday of the Month: 11.30am - 12 noon St Malachy's - First & Third Saturdays of the Month: 4.00-4.45pm

# November Dead List.

Envelopes are still available at the back of the churches.

# St Columba's

Coffee morning today straight after 11.00 am Mass. All welcome!

## Walk off the pounds in St Columba's Hall – every Thursday –

10.30 am -11.30 am

#### PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Stephen Thornber, Rosaline Walsh, John Thorpe, Ken Lambert, Eileen Coyle, Arthur Bykowicz, Penny Carlisle, Melanie Crossland

Bernard Lister, Stuart Ridley, Terry Smith, Sheila Molloy, Emma Firth Tommy O'Hara, Damien Roe, Christine Gillett

Fawzia Mohammed, Gareth Bird, Peter McCarron, Trish O'Rourke, Margaret Parkinson, Christina Mychaijlyshyn Patricia McManus, Liam McAllister.

Juliana ljezie, Brian English, Kevin Harlow, Deborah Halstead. David Kaminski. Tom McNally

**LATELY DEAD:** 

Gerald Eastwood – Funeral Service – Parkwood Crem, Tues 28th Nov at 2.15

Mary Kennedy Rosina Iwasczuk

Cemetery Sunday. Today at 3.00pm. Please gather at the gates of Stoneyroyd Cemetery.

#### THE OVER 50's LUNCHEON CLUB

Held by the Halifax & District Irish Society next to be held this Thursday 9th November at the Pellon Social Club from 12 noon. For further information contact Maurice Kidney on HX: 343483.

BREW & A CHAT, Monday 13th November from 10.30 am - 12.30 pm join in with our Kurling, crafts and quiz in St Columba's Hall. All welcome!

St Malachy's Social Caring Group would welcome and be grateful for any new unwanted items for the **Christmas £ stall**. Please leave donations inside church at the right hand side of the porch. Please, no clothes or books. Thanks in advance.

St Mary's Parish is hosting a Christmas party at Bertie's Crystal Ballroom in Elland on Thursday 7th of December from 7:30pm. Tickets cost £35 and include a three course meal and dancing. All are very welcome. To reserve a place email

office.stmary.halifax@dioceseofleeds.org.uk or call 01422 352141

St Malachy's Parish Open Meeting. The next parish open meeting will take place This Wednesday 8th November at 7.00pm. Please come along and have your say about how we face increasing property repair bills and the proper maintenance of the church building. All are welcome.

#### CHRISTMAS FAYRE

to be held in St Columba's Hall on Sunday 3rd December straight after 11.00 am Mass. We need bottles/chocolates/Christmas **goods** please and raffle donations. Please put all goods in the box in the Church Porch. To our bakers, cakes will also be needed please the day before or on the morning of the fayre. All proceeds go towards our continued Church Refurbishment- thank you in advance for your continued generosity!

> Daisy Chain Café this Tuesday 7th November, 1.30 pm - 3.30 pm in St. Columba's Hall. All welcome!

### ADVENT DAY OF REFLECTION:

'Advent - a Journey with Mary, Mother of God' A day of reflection in preparation for the busy-ness of the Christmas season, led by Fr. Dennis Cassidy Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> December. £40pp to include all refreshments and a home-cooked two-course lunch. To book a place, or

> to find out more: www.briery.org.uk email admin@briery.org.uk or telephone 01943 607287.

Interfaith Week. The importance of people of differing faiths seek to come together to get to know each better has taken on a new significance and urgency following recent events in the Middle East and people of good well of all faiths and none are called upon to build good relationships locally. 12th - 19th November marks Interfaith Week and this year's theme is "Harmony in a World of Crisis." Two important events are taking place.

- i)a celebration of the collective faith communities of Calderdale on Wednesday 15th November at Halifax Minster between 6.00pm and 9.00pm to which all are welcome.
- ii) Events and a faith walk from the Jami'Masjid Noorani mosque on Gibraltar Road to St.Hilda's church commencing at 1.30pm on Saturday 18th November.