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 $3^{rd}$  Sunday of Easter  $-15^{th}$  April, 2018

**DATE TIME** ST COLUMBA'S **TIME** ST MALACHY'S

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Saturday	14 <sup>th</sup> April	10.00 am	People of the Parish		
				6.30 pm	Private Intention
Sunday	15 <sup>th</sup> April			9.00 am	Special Intention
		11.00 am	Margery Cornwall		
				1.00 pm	Baptism of Gabriel &
					Francis Malkowski
Monday	16 <sup>th</sup> April			8.30 am	November Dead List
Tuesday	17 <sup>th</sup> April			10.00 am	Intentions of
					Sr. Therese Marie
Wednesday	18 <sup>th</sup> April			8.30 am	Intentions of
•	•				Jim McGing
		12.00 noon	Thomas & Annie Burke		
Thursday	19 <sup>th</sup> April			8:30am	Monica Roberts
Friday	20 <sup>th</sup> April			8.30 am	Margaret Hume
Saturday	21st April	10.00 am	Betty Ellam		
				6:30 pm	People of the Parish
Sunday	22 <sup>nd</sup> April			9:00 am	Intentions of
					Margaret Green
		11:00 am	Pellegrino Cerchione		

## PLEASE PRAY FOR:

THE SICK:

Mary Dollman

Rosaline Walsh

Dolores Crabtree

Rose Rothery

Joseph Gallagher

Mona Morrissey

Kieran Kneafsey

Bernard Lister

Joan Minford

Gloria Conway Arthur Warden

Baby Noah Calcott

Marie West Stuart Ridley

Fr. Sean Leonard

LATELY DEAD:

Mary Curry Bernadette Wilcox Eileen Geraghty

Eileen McGoverin

ANNIVERSARIES: Margaret Hume

Monica Roberts

Pellegrino Cerchione

Thomas Burke

# Confessions this week:

Wednesday

11.30 a.m. - 11.55 a.m.

Saturday

10.30 a.m. - 11.00 a.m.

# **CHURCH CLEANING THIS WEEK:**

Mrs. Hetherington, Mrs. Riordan & Mrs. Coffey

In addition Fr. Michael celebrated Masses in Lourdes

for the following intentions:-

Bernadette Wilcox; Patricia Lewis; Eileen McGoverin; Maria Makarczuk and Moya Geraghty.

NEW OFFERTORY ENVELOPES are now at the back of the Church. If you wish to have envelopes but don't already, please write your name on the list at the back of the porch or see Fr Michael or Marina.

## READERS AND EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

THIS WEEK: 15th April, 2018 READERS:

11.00 a.m B. Holt NEXT WEEK: 22nd April 2018

11.00 a.m. A. Woodward

NEXT WEEK: 22<sup>nd</sup> April, 2018 EUCHARISTIC THIS WEEK: 15th April, 2018 MINISTERS: 11:00 a.m

D. Hall & N. Robinson 11:00 a.m. K. Kidney & P. Luniw



**SACRAMENT OF** 

**CONFIRMATION** 

2<sup>nd</sup> MAY 2018.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION: **HUNGRY BOX:** 

Last Week:

£496.53 £29.50 Many thanks for your continued generosity

### AFTERNOON TEA

Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> May at St Columba's Church Hall. All proceeds to go to St Mary's Catholic Church Heating Fund. Tickets £5 Tickets available today after Mass.

### St. Mary's Caritas Community Hub, Halifax.

For many years the Parish Centre (former school) at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Halifax has remained underused. Catholic Care are working with Fr Martin Kelly to find ways of better utilising these buildings. How can this centre be brought back to life for the benefit of the community? What would you like to see that would make a real difference to the lives of Halifax people? Come and have your say at one of our community consultation evenings, we welcome your views:

1. Tuesday 17 April 2018, 7pm - 8.30pm at the Parish Centre. St. Mary's Catholic Church. Clarence Street. Halifax HX1 5DH.

Please note there is no disabled access to this venue. 2. Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> May 2018, 4.30pm – 6.30pm at St. Mary's Catholic Primary School, Swires Road, Halifax HX1 2ER. Please note there is full disabled access to this venue.

#### Permanent Diaconate Information Evening.

Following Bishop Marcus' recent Pastoral Letter on the Permanent Diaconate, there will be a Halifax Deanery information evening for those interested in finding out more about the current formation and ministry of Permanent Deacons in the Diocese of Leeds: Thursday 26th April at the Church of St Alban, Abbey Walk South, Huddersfield Road HX3 0AZ from 7:30 - 8:30 pm. Tea and coffee available and everyone will be very welcome.

**SVP**: We will be holding our Annual SVP Coffee morning in aid of SVP Youth on Sunday 22 April. We will be having a Grand Tombola, Raffle and Cakes etc Any donations from those able to bake or contribute gifts, toiletries etc. towards the event will be greatly appreciated. Items can be placed in the box in the church porch. Many thanks.

CAFOD Appeal. "Thank you for your support to our Lent Fast Day appeal. Donations to CAFOD until 12 May will be doubled by the UK Government. We have planned a £5 million programme to combat malnutrition - and with it we hope to be able to reach 245,000 people. But we need the full amount of match funding to make it happen. You can help us reach the full amount needed for this crucial programme. We still have some way to go yet! To donate please go to

cafod.org.uk/lent."

SUBSCRIPTIONS ARE NOW DUE:

The new season of the 200 Club has begun. Please hand your monies in to either Father, Kath, Marina or Trish as soon as possible if you want to be entered into the monthly draw. £1 per month or £12 for the year. New members most welcome.

Thank You × You need to be in it to win it.

## **The Angel's Corner Cafe** (Dementia Friendly)

will open TODAY, Sunday the 15th April, 2018 at 1.00 - 3.30 pm. Everybody welcome! Just 'pop in' to relax, enjoy, listen to music, have fun with activities or chat in a welcoming and friendly environment! £2.00 for refreshments. Volunteers still required to help with the cafe. For further information please contact Pauline on 07939100495.

## St Mary's Sponsored Deanery Walk.

Parishioners are invited to join parishioners from St Mary's in a sponsored Deanery Walk on Saturday June 23<sup>rd</sup>. Further details to follow but willing volunteers are asked to "save the date".

Daily Organ Recitals and a Flower Festival reflecting on the eight Beatitudes is taking place at the Church of the Good Shepherd, Royal Fold, New Road, Mytholmroyd, West Yorkshire HX7 5EA

- Monday 23rd April to Saturday 28th April 2018 from 10.00am
- Recitals (except Wednesday) will be at 12.30pm until 1.30pm
- Wednesday's recital will be from 2.00pm until 2.45pm
- Refreshments will be available. Entry is free to all.

ST MARY'S & ST ALBANS LADIES GUILD FASHION - Friday 27<sup>th</sup> April, see the poster in the porch SHOW. for more details.

Vacancies for Headships and Deputy Headships in Catholic Schools. A list of five current vacancies are to be found in the church porch

# BREW & A CHAT

4 lots more! This Monday 16th April -10.30am -12.30pm Taster Kurling session, Music, Knitting, lots to do. The Halifax Courier are coming along to see what we do. We hope you can join us. ALL WELCOME!

### **Halifax Choral** Society

are presenting Franz Joseph's Haydn's "The Creation" at the Victoria Theatre TONIGHT Sunday 15th April at 6.30pm. The biblical story is retold in beautiful music and tickets cost £12 to £24.