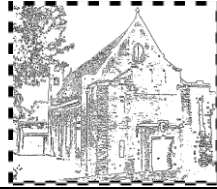


# ST. COLUMBA'S CATHOLIC CHURCH, PELLON, HALIFAX. HX2 0QF

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## FEAST OF THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD - 2<sup>nd</sup> Feb, 2020

	DATE	TIME	ST COLUMBA'S	TIME	ST MALACHY'S
Saturday	1 <sup>st</sup>	10.00 am	Anthony Mosley	6.30 pm	People of the Parishes
Sunday	2 <sup>nd</sup>			9.00 am	Tony Gregson
		11.00 am	Maria D'Abruzzo, Francesco Di Caprio & Antoinetta De Masi		
Monday	3 <sup>rd</sup>			8.30 am	Catherine Helliwell
Tuesday	4 <sup>th</sup>			10.00 am	Fr. Angelo Phillips
Wednesday	5 <sup>th</sup>	2.00 pm	Requiem Mass for Linda Krenc	8.30 am	November Dead List
<b>ST. MARY'S</b>		<b>7.00 pm</b>	<b>Confirmation Mass Celebrated by the Bishop</b>		
Thursday	6 <sup>th</sup>			8.30 am	Mgr Anthony Bickerstaff
Friday	7 <sup>th</sup>			8.30 am	Fr. Frank McGrath
Saturday	8 <sup>th</sup>	10.00 am	Ann Kenny		
				6.30 pm	Tony Casey
Sunday	9 <sup>th</sup>			9.00 am	Billy Wilson
		11.00 am	People of the Parishes		

## PLEASE PRAY FOR:

### THE SICK:

Fr. Joe Finan	Kieran Kneafsey	Marie West	Rosaline Walsh
Bernard Lister	Arthur Warden	Stuart Ridley	Joan Minford
Baby Noah Calcott	Rose Rothery	Ken Pickard	Stuart Harris
Margaret Burke	Mick Murphy	Frank Fawcett	Geraldine Murphy
Adrian Steele	Fawzia Mohammed	Baby Belle Brearley	

### LATELY DEAD:

Linda Krenc

### ANNIVERSARIES:

Maria D'Abruzzo  
Antoinetta De Masi  
Francesco Di Caprio

### LAST SUNDAYS OFFERTORY:

£400.30

### HUNGRY BOX:

£33.95

*Many thanks for your continued generosity*

CHURCH  
CLEANING  
THIS WEEK:  
The Birnie  
Family

### READERS

This Week - 2<sup>nd</sup> February  
A. Woodward

Next Week - 9<sup>th</sup> February  
J. Coffey

### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

This Week - 2<sup>nd</sup> February  
M. Riordan & D. Gott

Next Week - 9<sup>th</sup> February  
N. Robinson & K. Kidney

## CONFESSIONS

**Wednesday**

11.30 am – 11.55 am

**Saturday**

10.30 am – 11.00 am

## "SMARTIE CHALLENGE"

Following the huge success last year we are launching our "Smartie Challenge" again during Lent 2020.

Tubes of **smarties** will be available after Sunday Mass to those wishing to participate. You may enjoy the **smarties** before filling up the tubes during Lent with the coins of your choice (5p, 10p, 20p or £1 coins). The tubes of coins should be returned to Church as soon as possible after Easter Saturday.

All monies raised will go towards our Church Restoration Programme.  
Thank you in advance for your kind support.

## Confirmation.

Bishop Marcus will celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation at St Mary's, Gibbet Street, this Wednesday at 7.00pm.  
All are welcome to this Mass.

## Preparation For First Confession.

The next preparation meeting for parents and their children is taking place at St Malachy's School on **Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> February at 3.30pm.**

**TODAY, straight after Mass,  
Coffee morning**

**Coffee, tea, time for a catch up ☕  
Drinks and sweets!**

**200 Club February Draw**

**Everyone welcome!**

## Year Of The Word.

As part of the special lectures for the Year of the Word Rev Dr Richard Ounsworth, a Dominican Priest of Oxford University will speak at Hinsley Hall, Leeds on Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> February at 7.00pm. The title of his lecture will be "The God who leads by example – How Christ in the New Testament teaches us to be human."

## 'Walk Away the Pounds'

Every Thursday 10.30 - 1130 am.  
£3 per session.

## BREW & A CHAT

**Monday, 10<sup>th</sup> February** - 10.30 am - 12.30 pm. Join in the variety of activities or simply come along for a cuppa and a chat. Just £2  
All Welcome!

## Open Parish Meeting.

**The next open parish meeting will take place on Tuesday 25<sup>h</sup> February at 7pm in the Parish Room. All are welcome.**

## NEXT OVER 50's LUNCHEON CLUB

Held by the Halifax & District Irish Society, this Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> February at the Pellon Social Club from 12 noon. For further information contact Maurice Kidney on HX: 343483

## Medjugorje Irish Centre Pilgrimages.

April – October 2020. & night stay and airport shuttle service from Dubrovnik or Split for 266 Euros per person sharing. Book any flight, any time. Tel - 0203 239 8662 or email [reservations@med-irishcentre.com](mailto:reservations@med-irishcentre.com)

## CATHOLIC CARE VACANCIES - LEEDS:

**Residential Manager** - Children's Home. Full Time hours. Salary: £38,813 - £42,683 . Closing Date: 10<sup>th</sup> February 2020. For further details please visit our website: [www.catholic-care.org.uk](http://www.catholic-care.org.uk).

**Head Office Leeds. Head of Adult Care** - Full Time: £50k - £55k; **Head of Children and Family Care** - Full Time £50k - £55k. Full details and how to apply are available on our website [www.catholic-care.org.uk](http://www.catholic-care.org.uk)