

ST. COLUMBA'S, HALIFAX



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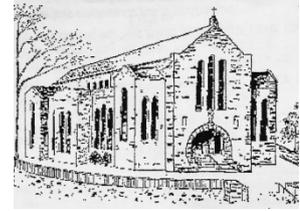
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**Fifth Sunday of
Lent
21st-22nd March 2026**

PUBLIC MASSES

DAY	DATE	TIME	ST. COLUMBA'S	TIME	ST. MALACHY'S
Saturday	21 st Mar			5.00 pm	Brian English
Sunday	22 nd Mar			9.00 am	Claire Tighe
		11.00 am	People of the Parishes		
Tuesday	24 th Mar			12 noon	Alice Reid
				1.00 pm	Funeral Service for Dorothy Hartley
Wednesday	25 th Mar	12 noon	Barry Eurich		
Thursday	26 th Mar			10.00 am	Kate McGlynn Followed by <i>Stations of the Cross</i>
Friday	27 th Mar	12 noon	Brian English		
		7.00 pm	<i>Stations of the Cross</i>		

MASSES NEXT WEEKEND

Saturday	28 th Mar			5.00 pm	Peter O'Donnell
Sunday	29 th Mar			9.00 am	Marie Quinn 80 th Birthday Thanks
		11.00 am	People of the Parishes		

Sacrament of Reconciliation.

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

St Malachy's Tuesday Club
every Tuesday
2.00 pm - 4.00 pm
All welcome!

Volunteers to read and have their feet washed are required for the special Holy Week Services. Please sign up on the special sheets in the porch of both churches.

The **Special Collection for CAFOD** raised £420.91 at St Malachy's and £270.09 at St Columba's. Thank you for your generous support for this collection.

OVER 50's LUNCHEON CLUB Held by the Halifax & District Irish Society next to be held this **Thursday, 26th March**, at the Pellon Social Club from 12 noon. For further information contact Maurice Kidney on HX: 343483

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Stephen Thornber
John Thorpe
David Kaminski
Liam McAllister
Jon Pateman
Anne Egan
Margaret McElroy

Fawzia Mohammed
Terry Smith
Tommy O'Hara
Tom McNally
Audrey McDonald
Letitia Dolan
Mick & Joan Parker

Juliana Ijezie
Trish O'Rourke
Christina Mychalyszyn
Melanie Crossland
Elisha Clarke
Michael McDonnell
Bogdan Jaworski

Rosaline Walsh
Margaret Parkinson
Damien Roe
Andrew Farmer
Derek O'Hora
Clare Sowden
Beverley Costello

RECENT DEATHS:

Dorothy Hartley (Funeral Service, SM, Tues 24th March, 1.00 pm)
Shirley Coburn (Funeral Service, Parkwood Crem, Thurs 2nd April, 3.00 pm)
Anne Elizabeth Wilson

ANNIVERSARIES:

Claire Tighe

Peter O'Donnell

Easter Triduum Services.

The special Holy Week celebrations will take place as follows:

Maundy Thursday. Mass of the Lord's Supper.

St Malachy's, 7.00pm

Good Friday. Solemn Celebration of the Lord's Passion,

St Columba's, 3.00pm

Stations of the Cross, **-St Malachy's, 7.00pm**

Holy Saturday. Easter Vigil of the Lord's Resurrection,

St Malachy's, 8.00pm

St Malachy's Quiz Night -
Saturday 18th April. Tickets £5
including supper available this
weekend.

Walk Away the Pounds every
Thursday -
10.30 am - 11.30 am
All welcome!

**Lenten Day of Reconciliation at the
Cathedral in Leeds.** Tuesday 24th March,
7.00am – 7.00pm. Confessions available all day
with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Chrism Mass. The annual Mass in which the
Bishop blesses the oils for use in the sacraments and
the priests of the diocese renew their priestly
commitment will take place on **Wednesday April 1st**
at 11.00 am at Leeds Cathedral. **All are welcome.**

ST MALACHYS PARISH WALK SUNDAY 5th APRIL
Meeting 12.30 at Long Can Hall , Fountain Head village
HX2 0TQ for a walk of approximately 3 miles in the
Wheatley / Mount Tabor area with good views and one
uphill section. Dining afterwards at Long Can Hall ,
anyone wishing to dine please make your choice from
their on line menu and let Noreen know on 07514024955

The final **Ecumenical Lenten Groups** take place this week.
Entitled "Responses to the Resurrection" each week will look at
the resurrection through the eyes of a different person. This week
will look through the eyes of "Mary of Magdala, the groupie."
In **West Halifax** (St Columba's area) they are being held on
Tuesday evenings from 7.00pm-8.15pm at St John's Warley and
this week will be led by Angela Ashton. In addition, a Lenten
Course will be held at Highgate Methodist Church at 2.30pm on
Tuesday afternoons.
In **North Halifax** (St Malachy's area) they are being held on
Thursday evenings from 7.00pm-8.15pm at Illingworth Moor
Methodist Church and this week will be led by Methodist Minister
Rev. Yvonne Hagan.

St Malachy's Church Cleaning
In preparation for Easter, we will be cleaning
Church on Saturday 28th March from 10.00 am. If
you have a couple of hours to spare to come along
and help, it would be much appreciated.

Piety Stall. We now have a nice selection of Easter Cards for
sale alongside our usual Mass Cards, Sympathy Cards, Get Well
Cards, Birthday Cards, Birth Cards etc.
Your support is much appreciated.

Bishop Marcus has requested that we pray
together this prayer for vocations
between the first Sunday of Advent and Pentecost
Sunday
Our Lady of Unfailing Help! Pray that the Lord of
the Harvest
will send labourers into His harvest and that He will
grant an abundance of vocations
to the priesthood, diaconate and religious life within
the Diocese of Leeds,
and throughout the world. Amen.

Next Sunday – St Malachy's Coffee morning –
straight after 9.00 am Mass.
Sunday 5th April – St Columba's Easter Coffee
morning – straight after 11.00 am Mass.