

ST. COLUMBA'S, HALIFAX



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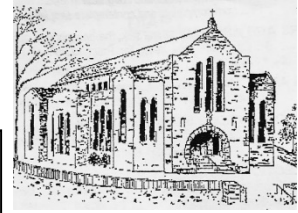
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OUR LADY OF LOURDES  
ST. MALACHY, HALIFAX



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**Our Lord Jesus Christ,  
King of the Universe  
22<sup>nd</sup>/23<sup>rd</sup> November 2025**

### PUBLIC MASSES

DAY	DATE	TIME	ST. COLUMBA'S	TIME	ST. MALACHY'S
Saturday	22 <sup>nd</sup> Nov			5.00 pm	People of the Parishes
Sunday	23 <sup>rd</sup> Nov			9.00 am	Billy Anderson & Mary Hainsworth
		11.00 am	Mary Ryan		
				1.30 pm	Baptism of Freya Evie Foster
Tuesday	25 <sup>th</sup> Nov			10.00 am	Stuart Stott
Wednesday	26 <sup>th</sup> Nov	12 noon	Constance Withey		
Thursday	27 <sup>th</sup> Nov			10.00 am	James Didgiunaitis
Friday	28 <sup>th</sup> Nov	<u>10.00 am</u>	Joseph McQuinn		
				12 noon	Requiem Mass for Helen Guest

### MASSES NEXT WEEKEND

Saturday	29 <sup>th</sup> Nov			5.00 pm	November Dead List
Sunday	30 <sup>th</sup> Nov			9.00 am	Stephen & Sheila Durkin
		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 and Third Saturdays of the month: 4.00 pm - 4.45 pm.

#### Walk off the pounds

every Thursday  
10.30 am - 11.30 am.

All welcome.

#### Congratulations

to **Harley Steele** who is celebrating his First Communion at the 9.00am Mass at St Malachy's and **Lloyd Okenwa** at the 11.00am Mass at St Columba's this morning.

#### St Malachy's & St. Columba's Piety Stall

There are a good selection of Christmas Cards, Calendars etc. on sale. Your support is much appreciated.

We welcome into the family of the Church **Freya Evie Foster** whose baptism is being celebrated at St. Malachy's this Sunday.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR:**

Stephen Thornber  
Brian English  
Trish O'Rourke  
Christina Mychalyszyn  
Melanie Crossland  
Elisha Clarke  
Letitia Dolan  
Liz Drake

Fawzia Mohammed  
John Thorpe  
Margaret Parkinson  
Damien Roe  
Andrew Farmer  
Derek O'Hara  
Michael McDonnell  
Mick & Joan Parker

Juliana Ijezie  
Terry Smith  
David Kaminski  
Liam McAllister  
Jon Pateman  
Anne Egan  
Clare Sowden  
Mark Brogden

Rosaline Walsh  
Peter McCarron  
Tommy O'Hara  
Tom McNally  
Audrey McDonald  
Lisa White  
Margaret McElroy

**RECENT DEATHS:**

Helen Guest      Christine Gillett      Constance Withey  
Brian Johnson (Funeral Serv - Parkwood Crem, Thurs 4<sup>th</sup> Dec, 1.30 pm)

**ANNIVERSARIES:**

Billy Anderson      Mary Hainsworth      Mary Ryan  
Joseph McQuinn

**St Columba's Grand Christmas Raffle –**

Raffle Tickets available at the back of church from this weekend. They will be drawn at the Christmas Coffee Morning. Fabulous Prizes! Also asking please for donations of chocolates and/or sweets for our Chocolate/Sweet Treats Tombola to be left in the box in the Church porch. **Thank you.**

**A Mass in Remembrance of**

the deceased staff and students from schools in the Huddersfield and Halifax Deaneries will be held at All Saints Catholic College on Tuesday 25 November at 4pm. If you wish to attend please email the school office: [office@aschc.com](mailto:office@aschc.com)

**ST MALACHY'S  
CHRISTMAS  
AFTERNOON  
TEA.**

**SUNDAY 14<sup>th</sup>  
DECEMBER -  
2 pm-5 pm IN  
THE PARISH  
HALL.**

**TICKETS £5  
ON SALE now.  
Entry by ticket  
only**

**ST MALACHY'S PARISH WALK -  
SUNDAY 7<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER. MEETING  
12.30 pm at OGDEN WATER CAR  
PARK.**

For a lovely 3 ml walk taking in the Brockholes Hamlet and Boggart Lane. Afterwards dining at the Causeway Foot Pub, then if you're eating, please make your choice from their on line menu and let Evelyn know by Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> November on:-07305302975. Parish Walk advice, due the weather it will possibly be quite muddy so sticks and boots are essential as there is an uphill section.

**November Dead Lists.** New November Dead Lists have now been prepared and are posted in the church porches. During the next year **61 Masses** for the "Faithful Departed on the November Dead List" will be celebrated **at St Malachy's and 33 at St Columba's.**

**WOMEN OF HOPE - AN ADVENT WEEKEND  
RETREAT - 12<sup>th</sup> - 14<sup>th</sup> December at The Briery,**

Ilkley. As the Pilgrims of Hope Jubilee year comes to an end, join us for a weekend unwrapping gifts from scripture, with music and art, and plenty of time for personal reflection. For more information and to book, contact the Administrators on 01943 607287 or [admin@briery.org.uk](mailto:admin@briery.org.uk)

**The SOCIAL  
CARING GROUP**

would like to say a huge thank you to everyone who supported the CHRISTMAS £1 STALL which raised the wonderful sum of £251.60.

**Next Sunday –  
St Malachy's Coffee morning –  
straight after 9.00 am Mass.  
Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> December –  
St Columba's Festive Coffee  
morning – straight after  
11.00 am Mass.**

**THE GIFT OF JESUS – ADVENT UN-WRAPPED:**

Exploration of the Liturgical Season of Advent - a Day of Reflection led by Fr Dennis Cassidy at The Briery on Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> December. £25pp including a soup lunch and dessert and all refreshments. For more information and to book, contact the Administrators on 01943 607287 or [admin@briery.org.uk](mailto:admin@briery.org.uk)

**Dates for your diaries**

**30<sup>th</sup> November – St Malachy's Coffee morning – straight after 9.00 am Mass**  
**2<sup>nd</sup> December - St Columba's – Daisy Chain Café – 1.30 pm – 3.30 pm**  
**4<sup>th</sup> December – Over 50's Luncheon Club – held at Pellon Social Club – from 12.00 noon**  
**7<sup>th</sup> December – St Columba's Christmas Coffee morning – straight after 11.00 am Mass**  
**7<sup>th</sup> December – St Malachy's Parish Walk**  
**14<sup>th</sup> December – St Malachy's Christmas Afternoon Tea tickets on sale from 22<sup>nd</sup> Nov**