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4th Sunday of Easter - 22nd April, 2018

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

Saturday	21 st April	10.00 am	Betty Ellam		
•				6.30 pm	People of the Parish
Sunday	22 nd April			9.00 am	Intentions of
	_				Margaret Green
		11.00 am	Pellegrino Cerchione		
Monday	23 rd April			8.30 am	Intentions of
					Joyce O'Hora
Tuesday	24 th April			10.00 am	Eucharistic Service
Wednesday	25 th April			8.30 am	Special Intention
		12.00 noon	NO MASS		
Thursday	26 th April			8:30 am	Eucharistic Service
Friday	27 th April			8.30 am	Eucharistic Service
Saturday	28 th April	10.00 am	Carmine De Vito		
				6:30 pm	People of the Parish
Sunday	29 th April			9:00 am	Colm Armstrong
		11:00 am	Stanley Zalewski		

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

THE SICK:

Mary Dollman

Rosaline Walsh Dolores Crabtree

Rose Rothery

Kieran Kneafsey Bernard Lister

Joan Minford

Gloria Conway Arthur Warden Baby Noah Calcott Marie West Stuart Ridlev Fr. Sean Leonard

Mary Linda Knagg (Funeral 2nd May) LATELY DEAD:

Paul Gregory Wilson (Funeral 11th May)

Colm Armstrong ANNIVERSARIES: Pellegrino Cerchione

Mary Bridget Thornton (Funeral 3rd May)

CHURCH CLEANING THIS WEEK:

Mrs Hesselden & Noah Hesselden

Confessions this week:

Wednesday NO CONFESSIONS 10.30 a.m. - 11.00 a.m. Saturday

 2^{nd} MAY 2018.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION Confirmation

READERS AND EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

READERS:

MINISTERS:

THIS WEEK: 11.00 a.m

22nd April, 2018 A. Woodward

NEXT WEEK: 29th April, 2018

11.00 a.m. M. Coffey

EUCHARISTIC THIS WEEK: 22nd April 2018

11:00 a.m

K. Kidney & P. Luniw

NEXT WEEK: 29th April, 2018

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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.

Special Collection. There will be a special collection at all Masses today for the Priests' Training Fund.

Deanery Pastoral Council. There is a meeting of the Deanery Pastoral Council in St. Columba's Hall on Wednesday 25th April at 7.00pm.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION: HUNGRY BOX:

Last Week:

£705.50

£38.81

Many thanks for your continued generosity

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:

 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 1st May 2018, 4.30pm – 6.30pm at St. Mary's Catholic Primary School, Swires Road, Halifax HX1 2ER.

Permanent Diaconate Information Evening.

Please note there is full disabled access to this venue.

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.

Vacancies for Headships and Deputy Headships in Catholic Schools.

A list of five current vacancies are to be found in the church porch

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."

THE OVER 50's LUNCHEON CLUB

Held by the Halifax & District Irish Society, on Thursday 26th April at the Pellon Social Club from 12 noon. For further information contact Maurice Kidney on HX: 343483

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 x You need to be in it to win it.

NICK SMITH FUNDRAISER

Last weeks fundraiser raised £1140. Huge thanks to all who helped and supported the event.

A word of thanks from Rachel Smith
Thanks to everyone who helped at
the Fundraiser concert last week
especially Eamonn and Agnes Quinn
and thanks to everyone for coming it
was so much appreciated.

St Mary's Sponsored Deanery Walk.

Parishioners are invited to join parishioners from St Mary's in a sponsored Deanery Walk on Saturday June 23rd. 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 until 4.00pm
- 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 SHOW. - Friday 27th April, see the poster in the porch for more details.

Today - SVP Coffee Morning.

SVP are holding a Coffee Morning after the 11.00 am Mass today to raise funds to support its youth activity.

AFTERNOON TEA

Saturday 12th May at 2.00 p.m. at St. Columba's Church Hall, Highroadwell Lane, Halifax. All proceeds to go to St. Mary's Catholic Church Heating Fund. Tickets £5.00. Tickets available today after Mass.

<u>Wednesday</u>

Club

Next meeting 25th April – now meeting fortnightly.

UPCOMING EVENTS - ST COLUMBA'S HALL -

1) 6th May – Family Mass & Coffee Morning;

2) 12th May - Afternoon Tea

3) 14th May - Brew & a Chat & lots more 4) 20th May - Angels Corner Café (Dementia Friendly)