

# COLUMBA'S CATHOLIC CHURCH, OFLLON, HALIFAX, HX2 OOF

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SOLEMNITY OF CHRIST THE UNIVERSAL KING - 24<sup>th</sup> Nov

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	DATE	<u>TIME</u>	ST COLUMBA'S	<u>TIME</u>	ST MALACHY'S
Saturday	24 <sup>th</sup>	10.00 am	Michael Joe Geraghty		
				6.30 pm	Geoffrey Teal
Sunday	25 <sup>th</sup>			9.00 am	People of the Parishes
		11.00 am	Deceased of De Masi Family		
		12.30 pm	Baptism of Allinson Children		
Monday	26 <sup>th</sup>			8.30 am	John Quinn
Tuesday	27 <sup>th</sup>			10.00 am	Eucharistic Service
Wednesday	28 <sup>th</sup>	12.00 noon	November Dead List	8.30 am	Noreen Crowther
Thursday	29 <sup>th</sup>			8.30 am	Joseph McQuinn
Friday	30 <sup>th</sup>			8.30 am	Sr. Kathleen Kinane CP
				2.00 pm AT SCHOOL	Blessing of Advent Wreathes Assembly
Saturday	31 <sup>st</sup>	10.00 am	Colin McManus	3.00 pm	Memorial Service for Lynn Armstrong (nee Daveney)
				6.30 pm	Kevin Doherty
Sunday	1 <sup>st</sup>			9.00 am	Maureen Smith
		11.00 am	Rosemary O'Callaghan		

#### PLEASE PRAY FOR:

THE SICK: Fr. Joe Finan Kieran Kneafsey

Rosaline Walsh

Bernard Lister

Arthur Warden Stuart Ridley Joan Minford

Baby Noah Calcott Stuart Harris

Rose Rothery Ken Pickard Paddy Kenny

Frank Fawcett

Fawzia Mohammed Margaret Burke

Mick Murphy

Adrian Steele

Marcella O'Callaghan Geraldine Murphy

Marie West

Mgr Tony Boylan

LATELY DEAD:

HUNGRY BOX:

Tommy Kerins Sr. Kathleen Kinane CP

(Thomas) Stephen Stewart Anne McElroy

ANNIVERSARIES:

John Quinn Maureen Smith

Joseph McQuinn

OFFERTORY COLLECTION:

LAST WEEK

£385.07

£34.30

Many thanks for your continued generosity

**CONFESSIONS** 

Saturday 10.30 am - 11.00 am

Wednesday

11.30 am - 11.55 am

**READERS** This Week - 24<sup>th</sup> November

P. Luniw & Amarachi Igboaungo

This Week - 24th November

M. Kidney & A. Woodward

Next Week - 1st December

A. Woodward

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J. McGoverin & P. McGoverin

#### CHURCH CLEANING THIS WEEK: Mrs. Hesselden & Noah Hesselden

#### WALK AWAY THE POUNDS:

Thursday 10.30 am - 11.30 am

## We welcome into the family of the five children from the

**EUCHARISTIC** 

**MINISTERS** 

### Allinson family who are being baptised today.

Year of the Word The Bishops of England and Wales have announced a special year dedicated to the Sacred Scriptures which is called the Year of the Word . which has for its theme "The God who Speaks." It marks both the 10th anniversary of the publication of Pope Benedict XVI's Apostolic Exhortation on Scripture Verbum Domini and the 1600th anniversary of the death of Saint Jerome, the Church Father most associated with Sacred Scripture. Bishop Marcus will preside at a special celebration of Vespers at Leeds Cathedral next Sunday 1st. December at 4.30pm to formally open this year. A number of special events will be held throughout this special year.

# Confirmation Preparation The Fourth Preparation session takes this place this Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> November from 6.00pm - 7.15pm at St Malachy's.

#### St Malachy's School Annual Christmas Community Dinner

Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> December 4-6pm at the school. Tickets will be priced at £3 and will be available be available from Fr Michael or Marina or directly from the school. Organisers are keen to stress that this event is for parishioners of **ALL** ages.

#### **Preparing for Christmas**

Please support the following events as a preparation for Christmas:

Deanery Reconciliation Day St Mary's Gibbet Street Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> December. Priests available for Confession from 9.00am – 5.00pm.

Carol Service. Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> December 2.30pm followed by Mince Pies and refreshments in the Hall.

Ecumenical Carol Singing at Asda

Supermarket. Monday 16<sup>th</sup>

December, 7pm-8pm.

#### **Special Collection**

There will be a special collection today to support the work of our Catholic Youth Services and there will also be a special collection next Sunday to support the Diocesan Peru Mission.

#### **Light Up A Light**

Overgate Hospice's annual services of remembrance are being held as follows:

Today, Sunday 24<sup>th</sup>

November at 2.30pm.

Halifax Minister

Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> December at 4.00pm.

Hebden Bridge

Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> December at 4.00pm.

Overgate Hospice

### CALDERDALE LIGHTHOUSE CHRISTMAS APPEAL

Appeal for Pyjamas, dressing gowns, slippers or toys for ages birth to 15 years.

We are hoping each child will receive a selection box, pyjamas, dressing gown, a book and at least one toy.

Any donation to be given to Margaret McElroy please or call 01422-241458 to arrange delivery or collection.

MANY THANKS IN ADVANCE.

#### **CHRISTMAS FAYRE**

NEXT SUNDAY 1st December straight after 11.00 am Mass.

Admission £1 per ticket (kids free). Tickets availble at the door.

Last push please for bottles/chocolates/unwanted new gifts.

Please put all goods in the box in the Church Porch. Also need our wonderful bakers to bring on the day (or Saturday morning) cakes, buns, biscuits please for the cake stall.

FATHER CHRISTMAS – BOTTLE TOMBOLA –
CHOCOLATE TOMBOLA – CAKES – RAFFLE
TURKEY SANDWICHES, HOTDOGS, REFRESHMENTS
All welcome! Don't miss it!
All proceeds towards our Church Restoration