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Second Sunday of Advent

6/7th December 2025



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PUBLIC MASSES

DAY	DATE	TIME	ST. COLUMBA'S	TIME	ST. MALACHY'S
Saturday	6 th Dec			5.00 pm	Mick Murphy
Sunday	7 th Dec			9.00 am	People of the Parishes
		11.00 am	Antonio De Masi		
Tuesday	9 th Dec			10.00 am	Helen Guest
Wednesday	10 th Dec	10.30 am	Requiem Mass for Christine Gillet		
Thursday	11 th Dec			10.00 am	NO MASS TODAY
Friday	12 th Dec	12 noon	Didgiunaitis Family		
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and the Name Name of the	Saturday	13 th Dec			5.00 pm	Bob O'Donnell
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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.

Tomorrow in St Columba's Church Hall

Brew & a Chat Christmas Party

Festive lunch and entertainment included.

All welcome!

Sponsored by:



TODAY straight after 11.00 am
Mass

St Columba's Christmas Coffee Morning

and Grand Christmas Raffle Draw
& Chocolate/Sweet Tombola
Everyone Welcome!

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Stephen Thornber **Brian English** Trish O'Rourke Christina Mychalyshyn Melanie Crossland Elisha Clarke Letitia Dolan

Margaret Parkinson Damien Roe Andrew Farmer Derek O'Hora Michael McDonnell Liz Drake Mick & Joan Parker

RECENT DEATHS:

ANNIVERSARIES:

Mick Murphy Michael Szulim

Christine Gillett

Fawzia Mohammed

John Thorpe

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

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

Mark Broaden

Antonio De Masi

Bob O'Donnell

ST **MALACHY'S CHRISTMAS AFTERNOON** TEA

Sunday 14th December 2-5 pm In the Parish Hall

Tickets: £5 on sale NOW. (Entry by ticket only)

Divine Mercy Apostolate.

Advent Reflection at St Walburga's Catholic Church. Shipley on Saturday 13th December from 1.00 pm -4.30 pm. Please call Millie on 07957 594646 for further information.

Advent Carol Service.

St Columba's will host a Service of Carols & Readings to prepare for Christmas on Sunday afternoon, 21st December at 2.30pm. We will be joined once again by the High Fiver Singers and seasonal refreshments will follow in the hall. All welcome

Advent Day of Confessions: As is

customary in Advent & Lent, a priest will be available for Confession throughout the day on Saturday 20th December 9.00 am – 4.00 pm at St Mary's Church.

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

There are selection of Christmas Cards etc. on sale. Your support is much appreciated.

Churches Together Supermarket Carol Singing.

The two Churches Together Circles will be holding Carol Singing outside local supermarkets as follows: Outside Asda: Friday 19th December, 2.30 pm - 3.15 pm Outside Morrisons: Saturday 20th December. 12 noon -1.00 pm

Please come and swell the ranks of the singers!

St Hilda's Orthodox Church

(the community who now use St Malachy's Church on Sunday mornings) will be holding a Service to prepare for Christmas this Saturday evening 13th December at 6.30pm and they extend an open invitation to all.

St Malachy's Church Cleaning - Saturday 13 th December at 10.30 am. In preparation for Christmas we will be cleaning Church on Saturday 13 December from 10.30 am. If you have a couple of hours to spare to come along and help it would be 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.