

ST. COLUMBA'S, HALIFAX

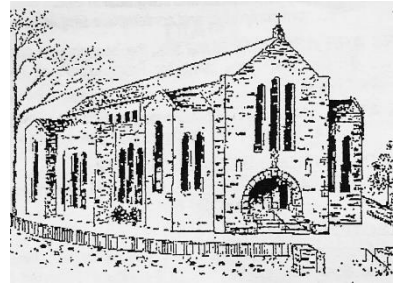


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Second Sunday of the Church's Year - 16/17th January, 2021

PUBLIC MASSES THIS WEEKEND

	DATE	TIME	ST. COLUMBA'S	TIME	ST. MALACHY'S
Saturday	16 th Jan			6.30 pm	People of the Parishes
Sunday	17 th Jan			9.00 am	Joe Hand; Marie & Tommy Brennan
				11.00 am	Intentions of Anthony Mosley
Wednesday	20 th Jan	12 noon	Sean O'Dwyer		
Friday	22 nd Jan	NO PUBLIC MASS – (Requiem Mass at St. Malachy's)			

MASSES NEXT WEEKEND

Saturday	23 rd Jan			6.30 pm	Sheila Perrett
Sunday	24 th Jan			9.00 am	Joyce O'Hora
				11.00 am	People of the Parishes

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Fr. J. Finan
Bernard Lister
Marie West
Sue Thomas

Margaret Burke
Fawzia Mohammed
Rosaline Walsh
Gareth Bird

Rosina Iwasczuk
Juliana Ijezie
Stuart Ridley

LATELY DEAD:

Owen Young

Nancy Sparks

ANNIVERSARIES:

Sheila Perrett

Additional Masses.

Fr Michael will also celebrate Masses for the *Yorkshire Brethren Intention* and *Maura Boyle* on days when there is no public celebration of Mass.

Diocesan Directories. A small number of this year's Diocesan Directories are still available for sale in the porch of St Malachy's Church, priced £4.

Christian Unity Week. The annual week of prayer for Christian Unity will take place from 18th to 25th January. Christian Unity Services will take place virtually as follows:

Churches Together West Halifax present
A SERVICE FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY

On Saturday 23rd January 2021 at 11:15am on Zoom
(Meeting ID: 882 8464 4160 - Passcode: 358022)

And YouTube (St John's, Warley & St Hilda, Halifax channel)

EVERYBODY WELCOME! PLEASE BRING SANDWICHES FOR A SOCIAL TIME AFTER THE SERVICE.

Churches Together in North Halifax present
A SERVICE FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY

On Sunday 24th January 2021 at 4.00pm. on Zoom
(Meeting ID: 940 069 3671 – Passcode 19iqLi)

Government 'National Lockdown: Stay at Home' Guidance

While we are able to continue to hold communal celebrations of Mass during the present pandemic 'lockdown' restrictions, it is important that we continue to look after one another and remain vigilant, especially given the increased transmission rate of the new Coronavirus variant. The use of face-coverings, hand sanitisation and social distancing (face – hands – space) remain the most effective ways to enable everyone to attend Mass safely. It is also important that we pay attention to the way we come to, and leave, the church building and premises. For this heightened period of the pandemic, and to maintain as healthy an environment as possible, all those attending Mass are encouraged not to gather outside but to leave as promptly as possible. Similarly, clergy are being advised to refrain from greeting parishioners when they arrive or leave. In doing so at this very difficult time, we not only treat one another with care and respect but give good witness to others in our community.

DELIVERY OF BULLETINS

We will endeavour to deliver bulletins during the inclement weather, but may not be on the day you usually receive them. Thanks for your kind understanding.

An Introduction to Nonviolence

Tuesday 2nd February @ 7pm via Zoom.

This one hour Zoom meeting has been organised by the Leeds Diocese Justice & Peace Commission and the Leeds Diocese Pax Christi group. Not sure about nonviolence? What is it? What has it to do with Catholic Christianity in the twenty-first century? Didn't we Catholics sort this all out years ago with the Just War theory???? - Well, there is a lot of new Catholic thinking around these topics! The Pax Christi Group in collaboration with the J&P Commission are running a 5 week introductory course during Feb and March. This pre-session, led by former General Secretary of Pax Christi UK - Pat Gaffney - will give you a flavour of what to expect and help you decide if you want to do the course tinyurl.com/leedsjpgaffney