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PUBLIC MASSES

DAY	DATE	TIME	ST. COLUMBA'S	TIME	ST. MALACHY'S
Saturday	18 th Oct			5.00 pm	People of the Parishes
Sunday	19 th Oct			9.00 am	Fr. Peter Nealon
		11.00 am	Daniel Colleran		
Tuesday	21st Oct			10.00 am	Stuart Stott
Wednesday	22 nd Oct	12 noon	Mary Stott		
Thursday	23 rd Oct			10.00 am	Sick Person (Liz Drake)
Friday	24 th Oct	12 noon	November Dead List		
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MASSES NEXT WEEK

Saturday	25 th Oct			5.00 pm	Fr. Ken Hawley
Sunday	26 th Oct			9.00 am	People of the Parishes
		11.00 am	Stefan & Raffaela		
			Tkaczuk		

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.

St Columba's Piety Stall

there are a good selection of Christmas Cards, Calendars etc. on sale

Your support is much appreciated.

Next Sunday –
St Malachy's
Coffee Morning –
straight after
9.00 am Mass
All welcome!

St Columba's Christmas

Raffle – Please see list at the back of church for donations of prizes for this years' Grand Christmas Raffle – your generosity is appreciated. Also asking please for donations of chocolates and/or sweets for our Chocolate/Sweet Treats

Tombola.

Cemetery Sunday.

The month of the Holy Souls approaches and this year's prayers for the faithful departed at Stoneyroyd Cemetery will take place at 3.00pm on Sunday 2nd November.

CAFOD Family Fast Day Collection. The

recent collections for Family
Fast Day raised the
magnificent sums of £480.45
at St Malachy's and £280.53
at St Columba's. Many
thanks for your generous as
ever response to Family Fast.

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Juliana Ijezie, Stephen Thornber Fawzia Mohammed, Rosaline Walsh, **Brian English** John Thorpe, Terry Smith. Peter McCarron Trish O'Rourke Margaret Parkinson David Kaminski Arthur Bykowicz Tommy O'Hara. Christina Mychalyshyn Damien Roe Liam McAllister Melanie Crossland Tom McNally Christine Gillett Andrew Farmer Jon Pateman Audrey McDonald Elisha Clarke Derek O'Hora Anne Egan Lisa White Letitia Dolan Michael McDonnell Clare Sowden Margaret McElroy Daniel Flesher Liz Drake

Mick & Joan Parker

RECENT DEATHS: Mary Stott (Funeral Service, Parkwood Crem, 11.15 am, Fri 31st Oct)

Daniel Colleran (Funeral St. Mary's, Fri 7th Nov, 11.15 am)

Lorraine Rice Stuart Stott Charles O'Farrell
Bene Nwosu John Freeman David Skidmore

ANNIVERSARIES: Fr. Ken Hawley Liz Gould

World Mission Sunday.

Today is a special international day of prayer and support for Missio, the Pope's charity to promote world mission. This charity was previously known as the Association for the Propagation of the Faith (APF). We will take up a special collection to support this cause at all Masses next weekend.

Parish Open Meetings

The next parish open meetings are taking place this week: Draft agendas are available at the back of both churches:

Wednesday 22nd October - St. Malachy's at 7.00pm
Thursday 23rd October - St. Columba's at 7.00pm
All parishioners are invited to discuss any aspect of parish life.

OVER 50's LUNCHEON CLUB Held by the Halifax & District Irish Society next to be held this Thursday, 23rd October, at the Pellon Social Club from 12 noon. For further information contact Maurice Kidney on HX: 343483

This Tuesday, Daisy Chain Café, 1.30-3.30 pm in St Columba's Hall.

All welcome!

CATHOLIC SAFEGUARDING STANDARDS AGENCY (CSSA) SURVIVORS'

SURVEY: As part of a thematic audit of survivor engagement, the CSSA is actively seeking insight from those who have lived experience of abuse and is carrying out a public call for information. This is an opportunity for anybody with information to share with the CSSA (anonymously if you wish). To find out more about the CSSA's current public call for information, and how you can complete a survey, please visit their dedicated

webpage https://catholicsafeguarding.org.uk/contact-us-and-otherinformation/public-calls-for-information/

ST MALACHY'S PARISH WALK - Sunday 2nd

November. Meeting at 12.30 pm at the STUMP CROSS INN for a walk up BEACON HILL via SHIBDEN PARK then returning to the STUMP CROSS INN for 3.30 pm for a meal. If you're dining please let Derek know by Wednesday 29th October on 07468586339. Thank you.

ST MALACHY'S CHRISTMAS

£1 STALL. Being held on November 8th and 9th will soon be here, so **The Social Caring Group** would welcome donations of unwanted new items, please no books or clothes. Donations can be left in the right hand side of the porch.

Many thanks. The Social Caring Group.

SVP LEEDS

Have recently welcomed two volunteer handymen and a cleaner to their team. One of them, Amir, is a lovely Iranian gentleman who has been supported by the immigration team. He's a qualified

by the immigration team. He's a qualified tradesman, very capable, and eager to give back to the community. However, they're currently short on tools and have limited income. The SVP have a long list of jobs (as you can imagine!), and while they can purchase some basics, they would be very grateful if you could donate any unused items you might have—or perhaps tools you're thinking of upgrading around Christmas. You can find a list of tools they need the porch. Thanks, as always, for your help.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES:

21st October - St Columba's - Daisy Chain Café - 1.30 pm - 3.30 pm
23rd October - Over 50's Luncheon Club - held at Pellon Social Club - from 12.00 noon
26th October - St Malachy's Coffee morning - straight after 9.00 am Mass
2nd November - St Columba's Coffee morning - straight after 11.00 am Mass

2nd November - St Malachy's Parish Walk - details to follow 4th November - St Columba's - Daisy Chain Café - 1.30 pm - 3.30 pm

