WE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH, especially Bryan and Maura Gaze, Janet Ashburn, Susan Jepson, Christine Phinn, Ruth Campbell, Gerard Kelly, Jane Sexton, Laura Latham, Jack Gowans (Scotland), Mary Cannon, Lynne Duncan (Scotland), Eileen Price, Maureen Namdi, Fr Michael O'Connor, John Webster, Larry Peterson, Matty Singeisen, Shaun Webster, Steve Beadle,), Michael Mellor and those who have no one to pray for them.

Lord, have mercy ...

WE PRAY FOR ALL THOSE WHO HAVE DIED RECENTLY: Gwynneth Doran, Jack Dean, Billy Walsh (Ireland), Nora Londesbrough AND THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR AT THIS TIME: Patrick Hughes, Catherine Lunn, Michael Miskell, Eileen Smithyman, John Jevons Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord...

DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES – Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June – 4<sup>th</sup> July 2024
Bishop Ralph invites you to join him on the 2024 Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes. Booking forms are available to download at <a href="www.hallam-lourdes.com">www.hallam-lourdes.com</a> or please see Adele for a copy of the form. Leaflets are available at the back of Church. Enquiries 01302 247910 or 07724 650066. Fare £879 – 6 nights Full Board (excl. Ins) flying from Leeds Bradford Airport direct to Lourdes. Applications particularly welcome from pilgrims who need help due to medical issues/mobility. Volunteer doctors, nurses and helpers are also required.

## St Mary Magdalene Catholic Church, Maltby

## 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time – Year B 21st January 2024

Sat 20 <sup>th</sup>	Edlington	Rosary/Confession	5:30pm
		Cyril Keeton (RIP Anniv)	6:00pm
Sun 21 <sup>st</sup>	Balby	Rosary/Confession	8:30am
		John & Frances Kirby (RIP Anniv)	9:00am
	Maltby	Confession	10:30am
		Michael Miskell (RIP Anniv)	11:00am
Tues 23rd	Balby	Frank Bowker (RIP Anniv)	9:30am
	Maltby	Funeral Service for Gwynneth Doran	11:45am
Wed 24 <sup>th</sup>	Edlington	Brian Law (RIP)	9:15am
		Gerald Abbotts (RIP)	
	Maltby	Mass -	10:30am
Sat 27 <sup>th</sup>	Maltby	Mass – Marian Morning	10:00am
	Edlington	Rosary/Confession	5:30pm
		People of the Parish	6:00pm
Sun 28 <sup>th</sup>	Balby	Rosary/Confession	8:30am
		Michael Mirikwe (RIP)	9:00am
	Maltby	Confession	10:30am
		Steve Brockbank (RIP Anniv)	11:00am
		Anne Regan (RIP birthday)	
		Bridie Durkan (RIP)	

## **RESPONSE TO PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL**

Reader: Lord, have mercy; All: and hear our prayer.

**CONTACT NUMBER FOR OUR PARISHES** – please note that the mobile number on the front of this bulletin is the number to call for parish enquiries. Fr Basil will continue to use it from 1st January 2024.

MASS INTENTIONS – please can all Mass Intentions be clearly marked in the envelopes provided for this purpose at the back of Church. Allocating Mass intentions for three parishes is a huge task and this will help us to ensure that Masses are allocated to the intended parish at the correct time.

**SCRIPTURE STUDY** – on Thursday at 10:30am in the Parish Room. Everyone welcome.

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT –** on Thursday in the Parish Room 12-1pm. Everyone welcome.

A new year begins; a new day dawns; step into a new world and join us on this journey of deepening our faith and getting closer to Jesus through pondering His Word and/or spending some quiet time with Him during Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.

**ITEMS FOR THE BULLETIN** – please can you ensure any items that you wish to be added to the bulletin are sent to <a href="mailto:stmmmaltby@gmail.com">stmmmaltby@gmail.com</a> by Thursday evening. It is imperative to make sure that notices are sent to this email address only and not by text message.

A MESSAGE FROM THE ST FRANCIS CATHOLIC MAT – A Consultation regarding admission arrangements for academic year 25-26 at St Mary's Catholic Primary, Maltby will be open from 13<sup>th</sup> December 2023 – 31<sup>st</sup> January 2024. For full information please visit <a href="https://www.stmarysmaltby.co.uk/admissions/">https://www.stmarysmaltby.co.uk/admissions/</a>

A MESSAGE FROM THE SVP - The SVP has had a busy year. We have made over 150 visits, both to people in Maltby and in Wickersley. Over £8,000 has been provided to families in need. This has been possible through bidding for funds for each family from National office hardship fund. We have undertaken safeguarding training and attended Centenary celebrations for both our own SVP and others in the diocese. We all wish to thank the parish for your encouragement and prayers. If anyone would like to join us in spreading Jesus' love in a practical way we are always keen to welcome new members (speak to Fiona after mass or call 07551958300).

**MARIAN MORNING** OF PRAYER FOR PEACE - on Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> January beginning with Mass at 10:00am followed by the Rosary; Petitions; Paraliturgy; Talk by Fr. May; Adoration; Special prayer for healing. At 1:00pm we then have our packed lunch in the Parish Room. Everyone is invited to join us either for part or all of the morning.

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PREPARATION** – will commence on Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> February, meeting at 3:45pm for a 4:00pm start. This will be for 10 weeks. There will be an introductory meeting for parents and children on 9<sup>th</sup> February at 5pm in St Mary Edlington parish room. First Holy Communion Day will take place on the Solemnity of Corpus Christi – Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> June.