

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

**WE PRAY FOR ALL THOSE WHO HAVE DIED RECENTLY:
AND THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR AT THIS TIME:** Mary Omeche Adikwu, Peter Kerr Jnr, Eliza and Bryn Davies, Mary Lindley, Julie Marlow, Kathleen Steadman, Florence McCafferty, Mary Sennet, Margorie Connelly, Pamela Brannigan, Mary Globe
Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord...

ITEMS FOR THE BULLETIN – please can you ensure any items that you wish to be added to the bulletin are sent to stmmaltby@gmail.com by Thursday evening.

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

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT - on Thursday 12:00pm – 1pm in the Parish Room. Everyone welcome.

KIRKEDGE –This Sunday there will be a retiring collection for ‘Flour’ money for Kirkedge. This is something that we used to do annually before Covid and it was decided at the Parish Meeting to start this again.

CHURCHES TOGETHER – A Witness Service of readings, hymns and prayers will be held on Good Friday in the Garden of Remembrance on the High Street at 10:30am. This is for all ages and there will be Easter Eggs for the children. Please do come and take part and let others know it is happening.

St Mary Magdalene Catholic Church, Maltby

Third Sunday of Lent – Year A 12th March 2023

Sat 11th	Edlington	Rosary/Confession Ann Parker (birthday)	5:30pm 6:00pm
Sun 12th	Balby Maltby	Rosary/Confession Mary Omeche Adikwu (RIP Anniv) Confession Julie Marlow (RIP Anniv)	8:30am 9:00am 10:30am 11:00am
Tues 14th	Balby	Stations of the Cross Mass -	9:00am 9:30am
Wed 15th	Edlington Maltby	Stations of the Cross Reaney Family (death of father) Stations of the Cross Anne Shield (birthday)	8:45am 9:15am 10:00am 10:30am
Fri 17th	Edlington Maltby	Mass - Catherine Heraghty (RIP)	9:15am 6:00pm
Sat 18th	Edlington	Rosary/Confession Hilda Reaney (healing & comfort)	5:30pm 6:00pm
Sun 19th	Balby Maltby	Rosary/Confession Patrick Harrington (RIP Anniv) Patrick Leneghan (RIP Anniv) Confession Mr & Mrs Howcroft (healing & comfort)	8:30am 9:00am 10:30am 11:00am

RESPONSE TO PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

Reader: Lord, hear our prayer;

All: and give us your saving grace.

40TH DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES- Friday 30th June – 6th July 2023

Bishop Ralph invites you to join him on this special pilgrimage – Booking forms available to download at www.hallam-lourdes.com or see Adele for a paper copy of the form. Enquiries 07724 650066 or 01302 247910. £840.00 per person 6 nights Full Board (excl. Insurance) flying from Leeds Bradford Airport direct to Lourdes.

HALLAM YOUTH – Lourdes Young people travel with their school groups but this year places are available for young people aged 16+ in parishes, who do not attend Catholic schools, who wish to join Hallam Youth on the diocesan pilgrimage. Email: smcdonald@hallam-diocese.com for details.

CHAPEL ON THE BRIDGE – As in pre-Covid time, Mass will be celebrated in the Chapel on the Bridge, Rotherham, on Thursdays throughout Lent at 12:00pm, commencing on 9th March.

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES – we will soon be distributing new offertory envelopes for 23/24. We are trying to condense the numbers so that we do not have to purchase as many envelopes for next year. You may be given a different number next year. If you have the following numbers, please write your name on the envelope so that we know who uses the number: 1, 5, 6, 7, 13, 24, 25, 27, 28, 30, 33, 61, 70.

SCHOOL NEWS – This week, we have continued our Lenten fundraising activities for Maltby Foodbank and Cafod. Each class has chosen what they

want to do, with events such as a Teddy Bears Picnic, Crazy Hair Day, Super Hero Costumes, and movies and crafts.

Next Friday (17th March) at 2pm, we are having a coffee afternoon for the charities. Parishioners are very welcome. If you would like to attend, it would be very useful if you could contact school (01709 812611) or general@stmarysmaltby.org so that we have a list of people attending.

DIOCESE OF HALLAM ANNUAL SAFEGUARDING EVENT:

“Hidden Harms... from Social Distancing to Social Solidarity”

Saturday 25th March 2023 – 9:45am-4:00pm at St Joseph’s, 2 Carr Road, Wath-upon-Deane, S63 7AA. There will be a Solemn Mass of the Annunciation at 9:00am with Fr Patrick Harrigan in the Church for those who wish to attend. The event is open to all Clergy, Safeguarding Representatives, Parishioners and Volunteers. Refreshments and a free lunch will be provided. To book a place on the event, please contact Jo Pearson on 0114 256 6453 or by email: jpearson@hallam-diocese.com This conference is to support volunteers such as Eucharistic Ministers and those delivering Children’s Liturgy.