

**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:** Larry Whitehead  
**AND THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR AT THIS TIME:** Joan Spencer, Kevin Entwistle, Mary Harris, Terry Sayers  
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](mailto:stmmaltby@gmail.com) by Thursday evening.

**SCRIPTURE STUDY and ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT** - will both resume on 20<sup>th</sup> April.

**LAST SUNDAY** – there was a retiring collection for Caritas. We raised £120.26. Thank you for your generosity.

**THIS SUNDAY** – there is a retiring collection for Support for Life.

**ON GOOD FRIDAY** there is a collection for the Holy Places of Palestine.

**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

### Palm Sunday– Year A 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2023

Sat 1 <sup>st</sup>	Edlington	Rosary/Confession Fred Eccles (birthday memories)	5:30pm 6:00pm
Sun 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Balby  Maltby	Rosary/Confession Sarah Harrington (RIP Anniv) Confession Brenda Raggett (RIP Anniv) John William Tickle (RIP Anniv)	8:30am 9:00am 10:30am 11:00am
Tues 4 <sup>th</sup>	Balby	Stations of the Cross Mass -	9:00am 9:30am
Wed 5 <sup>th</sup>	Cathedral	Chrism Mass	11:00am
Thurs 6 <sup>th</sup>	Edlington Maltby	Jim & Sheila Hanrahan (RIP) Jim Durkan (healing)	5:00pm 7:00pm
Fri 7 <sup>th</sup>	Maltby Balby	Good Friday Service Good Friday Service	3:00pm 3:00pm
Sat 8 <sup>th</sup>	Edlington  Maltby	Rosary/Confession Sr Carol McClean (Easter Blessings) Mary Kate Allen (RIP Anniv) Trevor Cryan (RIP)	5:30pm 6:00pm  8:00pm
Sun 9 <sup>th</sup>	Balby  Maltby	Rosary/Confession Mass - Confession Ger McCarthy (RIP)	8:30am 9:00am 10:30am 11:00am

## RESPONSE TO PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

**Reader:** Lord, hear our prayer;

**All: and strengthen our belief.**

## 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](http://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](mailto:smcdonald@hallam-diocese.com) for details.

**SCHOOL NEWS** – This week we have had some lovely presentations for Holy Week with a Palm Sunday presentation, Last Supper Liturgy, and the Way of the Cross. The children have played a brilliant part in retelling these important events.

There is an Easter celebration Mass planned for Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> April in the school at 10:30am. Every is welcome.

I would like to say thank you to everyone who has passed on cards and kind messages to me as I leave St Mary's. Thank you to you all for the support you have given myself and the school over the last 5 years. I will continue to hold you and the school in my prayers – Mr Harris.

**OFFERTORY ENVELOPES** – New envelopes for 2023/2024 are in the Church porch. Please take yours if you have not already been given them. Also, if

your name is not there, please take a blank set and write your name and address on each envelope for the first few weeks.

**FR JOHN'S HOUSE PHONE NUMBER** has changed. Please take note of the new number on the bulletin. However, the mobile is still to be preferred.

**ANNUAL RENEWAL OF COMMITMENT FOR EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION** – will take place during the Mass of the Lord's Supper on Holy Thursday. Please, mark this date in your diary to avoid having many reschedules.

**MINISTRY OF READERS** – there will be a meeting for all Readers from the three parishes on Wednesday, 5<sup>th</sup> April, 2023, at 6pm, in St Mary's, Edlington. Please, let me know if there is a reason why you cannot attend. I am also inviting new Readers to this. If you feel you have been called to this Ministry, speak to me before that day and come for the meeting – Fr John.

TRIDUUM/EASTER SCHEDULE			
	MALTBY	EDLINGTON	BALBY
<b>HOLY THURSDAY</b>	7:00pm	5:00pm	
<b>GOOD FRIDAY</b>	3:00pm		3:00pm
<b>HOLY SATURDAY</b>	8:00pm	6:00pm	
<b>EASTER SUNDAY</b>	11:00am		9:00am

## 2023 HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE – HALLAM

Bishop Ralph Heskett, CSsR, Bishop of Hallam, will lead a pilgrimage to the Holy Land from 16<sup>th</sup> to 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2023. For further details of pilgrimage arrangements, costs etc, please contact: Joe McNally at:

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