

The Catholic Community Newsletter

St Mary's, Marple Bridge and The Annunciation, New Mills



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SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME SUNDAY 14th JANUARY 2018

Saturday	13th	Ch.	5.00pm	SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME START OF CHRISTIAN AID WEEK REIRING COLLECTION FOR SICK & RETIRED PRIESTS FUND <i>Monsignor Moore</i>	David Bushell RIP (C&BV) Maureen Burke RIP (EN) Fr John's welfare (MAC) Tony (Danial) O'Connor RIP Maureen Burke RIP (MC)
Sunday	14th	NM	9.30am		
		Ch.	11.00am		
		MB	11.15am		
Monday	15 th	Ch.	9.30am	<i>Feria (Green)</i>	
Tuesday	16 th	NM	10.00am	<i>Feria (Green)</i>	Helen Hopkins RIP (H Fam)
Wednesday	17 th	MB	9.30am	<i>St Anthony, Abbot (Memorial)(White)</i>	Tom Roche's Int. (Maureen's Fam)
Thursday	18 th	Ch.	9.30am	<i>Feria (Green)</i>	
Friday	19 th	Ch.	9.30am	<i>Feria (Green)</i>	
		Ch.	3.00pm	<i>Funeral at Macclesfield Crematorium</i>	Veronica Young RIP
		Ch.	7.00pm	<i>Taize Prayer Service</i>	Peace and Christian Unity
Saturday	20th	Ch.	5.00pm	THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME <i>Monsignor Moore</i>	In Thanksgiving (PF) Margaret Helliwell Martin Beddows Sr Teofila Maureen Burke R.I.P.
Sunday	21st	NM	9.30am		
		Ch.	11.00am		
		MB	11.15am		
ROTAS					
14th January 2018					
Welcomers	6.30pm	MB		Eileen Burgess	21st January 2018 Celia Osborn
Readers				Rosemary Yuill	Steve Burgess
Gifts				Celia Osborn	Norah Hudson
Welcomers	9.30am	NM		Rene + Brian Tierney	Pat Atkinson & Pat McGrath
Readers				Joe Hennigan + Margaret Beddows	Catherine Butler & Sheila Harrison
Welcomers	11.15am	MB		Myra O'Connor	Patrick Roche
Readers				Martin Savage	Tony McHale
Gifts				George Wood	Children's Liturgy
Child's Lit		MB			
	9.30am	NM		Ann Webb + Mary Robinson	Liz Greene & Sheila Harrison
Counters		MB		Mary + Noel Dempsey	Margaret & Vincent Coupes
		NM		Chris + Linda Flowers	Colin & Carol Hodnett
Tea/ Coffee		NM		Theresa Hogg + Ela Keller-Koczaska	Angie & Jim McGlynn
Cleaners		NM		Jacqueline Patel + Lauren Ross	No cleaning
		MB		None	Teresa Clarke & Sheila Harvey

GET READY FOR "ADOREMUS": Preparations are well underway for a major event for Catholics in England and Wales. A National Eucharistic Congress is to be held in Liverpool over the weekend of September 7 to 9 2018. If you've never heard of such an event before then you can be excused - the last one was held in 1908!

Around 10.000 people are expected to attend and over three days there will be keynote speakers, workshops and. of course, time for Adoration, Holy Mass and a Blessed Sacrament Procession through the streets of the city. The congress is a most significant "historic event" and all the bishops have hopes for its impact on our dioceses and parishes ... and on us all as individual creations of a loving God.

TWELVE HOURS OF ADORATION: A day of prayer for the sick and housebound of our parishes at 8.00am on Saturday 27th January there will be an additional mass celebrated at the Church of the Annunciation in New Mills at which we will commence our day of prayer. After Mass, the Blessed Sacrament, the body, blood, soul and divinity of Christ, will remain exposed on the altar for the rest of the day so that everybody has the opportunity to come along at some time to adore him and pray for those members of our community who can no longer get to church.

The church will remain open all day and the parishioners of New Mills have taken it upon themselves to ensure that He is not left unattended at any point of the day. Should you wish join us in prayer, there will be a rota at the back of church from today and you are invited to sign-up for one hour. The day will close with a traditional service of Benediction at 7.45pm at which, hopefully, there will be large numbers from each of our churches.

TRAINING FOR EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Eucharistic Ministers from our churches wishing to refresh their knowledge of leading a Eucharistic Service are invited to attend a one hour session in New Mills Parish Hall at 10.00am, also on Saturday 27th January.

REST IN PEACE ANNIVERSARIES:

Valerie Pike, Baby Zack Spencer, Mary Fontana, James Donald Sidebottom, Lucy Day, Rafa Gos, Leo Chadwick, Kathleen Beighton, Michael Furlong, May Lockett, M. Jones, B. Diamond, Jean Reeves, S. Pickering, Jack Froggat and Margaret Mary (Rita) McCarthy,

May their souls, and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

YOUR PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR Jan Letowska of New Mills who has been taken into Stepping Hill (by the time you read this, she may already have had her surgery) and for the repose of the soul of Tony (Danial) O'Connor of Whaley who died on Wednesday night. Bishop Terry Draineys surgery appears to have gone well and his doctors are very pleased with his progress and Fr John ... well he seems to be doing very well also. The oncologist is pleased with his scan results and has slightly reduced his chemotherapy medication.

SICK AND RETIRED PRIESTS FUND: We have a retiring collection at all masses this weekend. If you can Gift Aid your donation, please use one of the envelopes provided.

BAPTISMS: If anybody wishes to have their child baptised between now and Easter, please, take a form from the back of church; fill it in and come to the meeting at New Mills.at 7.00pm Wed 17th Jan

HAYFIELD CHRISTIANS TOGETHER invite you all to our next Candlelit Supper this Wednesday 17th January in St. Matthew's Church Hall. A Shared Table at 7.30pm will be followed by a Talk at 8pm, by Claire Crook, a retired GP, on her work in Uganda. Live music will conclude the evening. £2 donations welcome. More info: Jackie Cecil.

TAIZÉ: At 7.00pm this Friday evening in Chapel (19th January), we are hosting an inter-denomination Taizé Evening. There are two themes for the service: 'Peace and Christian Unity'. Please, come along for an hour of quiet, reflective and songful prayer and invite some of your Christian neighbours.

NOTTINGHAM DIOCESAN LOURDES PILGRIMAGE 2018 : Why not come this year on the Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes? The dates are 16th - 20th July 2018. The price includes the full pilgrimage package with a Chartered flight from East Midlands airport, transfers in France, full board at hotels adjacent to the domain and Grotto area, together with the necessary badges, scarves and prayer book. Why not fill in a form from the back of the church today? Or phone 0161 820 8790 for further details."

PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND,

Remember especially:

Fr John Cairns, Bernard Taylor, Mary Forbes, George Cairns, Eileen Grace, Beverley Burke, Anna Kalnis, Fr. Hugh Doherty, David Poole, Bernadette Tonge, David Hill, Bill Martin, Marie Sidebottom, Suzanne Mautschke, Janet Liddle, Aine Shaw, Dorothy Graham, Christine Henry and David Turner