

The Catholic Community Newsletter

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



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FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER SUNDAY 12TH MAY 2019

Saturday	11 th	MB	6.30pm	FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER Easter Feria ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT PAUL BELL REQUIEM MASS AND INTERMENT FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER Baptism Wilson family Easter Feria ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT Easter Feria ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT	Bell family intentions Julie Barrow R.I.P. (CB) Paul Bell R.I.P. Paul Bell R.I.P. (TH) Paul Bell R.I.P.
Sunday	12 th	NM	9.30am		
		MB	11.15am		
Thursday	16 th	NM	10.00am		
Thursday	16 th	NM	10.30am		
Friday	17 th	NM	10.00am		
Saturday	18 th	MB	6.30pm		
Sunday	19 th	NM	9.30am		
		MB	11.15am		
		MB	2.00pm		
Wednesday	22 nd	MB	9.30am		
Wednesday	22 nd	MB	10.00am		
Thursday	23 rd	NM	10.00am		
Thursday	23 rd	NM	10.30am		
Saturday	25 th	MB	6.30pm	SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER	Kathleen Oates Joseph McLean R.I.P.
Sunday	26 th	NM	9.30am		
		MB	11.15am		

ROTAS

		12 TH MAY		19 TH MAY	
Welcomers	6.30pm	MB	Celia Osborn	Gordon Lyon	
Readers			Teresa Clarke	Laurie Feehan	
Gifts			Steve & Eileen Burgess	Rosemary Yuill	
Welcomers	9.30am	NM	Jacqueline Patel & Doreen Kane	Rene & Brian Tierney	
Readers			Jacqueline Patel & Margaret Beddows	Maureen Bell & Marnie Patel	
Welcomers	11.15am	MB	Patrick Roche	Jenny McGuinness	
Readers			Gloria Tomalin	Vincent Coupes	
Gifts			Denise Ead	Joe Harvey	
Child's Lit	9.30am	NM	Liz Greene & Alena Greenwood	Eileen Reynolds & Shiela Harrison	
Counters		MB	Margaret & Vincent Coupes	David Barron & Tony McHale	
		NM	Von Hallworth & Kath Barnie	Brenda & Keith Mastin	
Tea/ Coffee		NM	Pat McGrath	Deborah Laugesen	
Cleaners		NM	No cleaning	Pat Drury & Kath Barnie	
		MB	No cleaning	Myra O'Connor & Veronica Jarman	

POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR MAY: That the Church in Africa, through the commitment of its members, may be the seed of unity among her peoples and a sign of hope for this continent.

Newsletter items: please email the Parish Office by Weds of the previous week: saintmarysmarplebridge@btopenworld.com

TODAY IS WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS: We often hear the word discernment ... discernment is about asking God to reveal his plan for your life. Your call may be to married life or the single life. Your call may be to priesthood or to live religious life in community. There are so many options to choose and so many influences crowding in on us that it can be difficult to know at first what God's plan is for us.

Prayer For Vocations

God Our Father, we thank you for calling men and women to serve in your Son's Kingdom, as Priests, Deacons, and as Religious Men and Women.

Send your Holy Spirit to help others to respond generously and courageously to your call. May we continue to support and encourage vocations in our families and in our Parish community.

We ask this through Our Lord Jesus Christ your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God forever and ever. Amen.

Mary Immaculate: Pray for us.

St Hugh of Lincoln: Pray for us.

All the Saints of our Diocese: Pray for us.

Is Jesus calling me to be a priest?

PAUL BELL R.I.P: On behalf of the Parish, may I extend my condolences to Maureen Bell and all of Paul's family as they mourn his death. Requiem Mass and interment will be this Friday 17th May at 10.00am at New Mills; may he rest in peace.

MISSIO/APF RED BOX HOLDERS at New Mills, please bring them to church and give to Debbie Laugesen so they can be emptied and counted.

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING: A meeting of the Parish Council of New Mills & Marple Bridge with that of Chapel en le Frith will take place on Thurs 30th May at New Mills. This is Ascension Thursday and the meeting will follow the 7.00pm Mass.

PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND

Remember especially:

Rene Tierney, Jani Abbs-Brown, Mike Goodwin, Jan Letowska, Eileen Grace, Aine Shaw, Beverley Burke, Anna Kalnis, Fr. Hugh Doherty, David Poole, Bernadette Tonge, David Hill, Bill Martin, Marie Sidebottom, Suzanne Mautschke, Janet Liddle, Maria Heywood and Dorothy Graham

CONFIRMATIONS: To those being confirmed next Thursday evening, though I can't physically be with you when Bishop Patrick brings the Holy Spirit even more strongly into your life, I will be with you in prayer. This sacrament completes your initiation into the Church.

At Confirmation, you renew your Baptism promises, this time speaking for yourself. The focus is on the Holy Spirit, who confirmed the apostles on Pentecost and gave them courage to practice their faith. The same Holy Spirit confirms you during the Sacrament and gives you the same gifts. It establishes you, as young adults, as full-fledged members of the faith.

MASS FOR NEW CATHOLICS: Bishop Patrick will celebrate Mass on Sunday 19th May at 3 pm in St Barnabas Cathedral for those who have been recently received into the Church along with their friends and family. The invitation is open to all those who would like to welcome them into our communities. Refreshments served in the Cathedral Hall after Mass.

BLESSED SACRAMENT PROCESSION: at 2.00pm Sunday 22nd June, Bishop Patrick will lead the annual Blessed Sacrament procession from St Mary's church in Hyson Green, Nottingham to the cathedral of St Barnabas. The procession will end with Benediction at approximately 4pm in the cathedral. Parishes are encouraged to bring a Parish banner to carry in procession behind the Blessed Sacrament

SHOULD YOU NEED A PRIEST: I am not available this week so the following contact numbers may be of assistance: Frs Don & Daniel – 01457 852113, Fr Martin – 01457 852351 and Fr Gerry – 01298 23777. Fr Kevin

REST IN PEACE ANNIVERSARIES:

May Ellen McNamee, Margaret Mary Neeson, Susan Ann Gradwell, John Hewitt, Freda Butler, Clare Cooke, Sarah Louise Lee, Arthur Mertz, Paul Fox, Bert Reddington, Catherine Fitzpatrick
May their souls, and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.