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The Catholic Community Newsletter
for the parish of
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31st SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

		Place		Intention
Sat 4 th November	6.30pm	MB	Mass	Anniversary John Davison
Sun 5 th November	9.30am	NM	Mass	Departed Souls of Granapragasam Clarammal, Domonic, Janko, Prasanth Deceased members of O'Connor and Healy families
	12 noon	MB	Mass	
Weds 8 th November	10.00am	MB	Mass	O'Doherty
Thurs 9 th November	10.00am	NM	Mass	Bernadette Tonge (RIP).
Friday 10 th November	10.00am	MB	Mass	
Sat 11 th November	10.00am	NM	Mass	Christmas Fair
	6.30pm	MB		
Sun 12 th November	9.30am	NM	Mass	Philip Hodnett (RIP)
	12 noon	MB	Mass	Deceased members of the O'C Roach and Hunt families

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PLEASE PRAY for the sick: David Cochrane, Dorothy Graham, Mary Bradbury, Joan Bindley. To be added to this list, please contact the parish office or collect a form from the back of church.

NOVEMBER DEAD LIST: November is the month of the Holy Souls during which we pray for the peaceful repose of the souls of those who have died. You are invited to take one of the envelopes at the back of both churches and write the names of your deceased parents, relatives, friends and those for whom you wish to pray, together with your offering. These should be returned to the baskets on the altar of both churches. Holy Mass will be offered for them during the month of November.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL: The following people were elected to serve on the Parish Pastoral Council for the next three years: Fionuala Boucher, Denise Ead, Matt Gordin, Jim Howells, David Mellor, Nick Reynolds, Anne Winders, Sophie Wright-Pearce and Patricia Atkinson (Parish Administrator). We thank these people for their generosity in serving our Parish and we pray for God's guidance and support.

PARISH WEBSITE is currently undergoing a revamp, lead by Matt Gourdin, Jim Howell and Sophie Pearce. The aim is for a user friendly, modern website to keep website visitors up to date with the latest Parish information and news. For the website imagery, we would love for Parishioners to send in their photos of the Church buildings, grounds, objects etc any photos of people, please gain their consent. Send pictures to stmarysevents.marplebridge@gmail.com

PARISH CHRISTMAS FAIR SATURDAY 11TH NOVEMBER 10.00AM – 1PM, NEW MILLS PARISH HALL: Thank you to everyone so far for coming forward and helping make the Christmas Fair happen for 2023. It's not too late to volunteer your time to a vacant volunteer role or donate items for various stalls and kitchen refreshments. The full list is at the back of both churches. If you could pop your name down next to a needed item that would be really helpful. Or contact Pauline Gavin 07857 644346 or Sophie Pearce 078914 77750 stmarysevents.marplebridge@gmail.com

CONFIRMATION: Please can the parents and guardians of any child wishing to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation next year, please give their names to Patricia, our Parish administrator. As usual, these children will join the deanery Confirmation programme based in Glossop.

OUR PARISH CHRISTMAS LUNCH: This year's Christmas Lunch, will be on FRIDAY 8th DECEMBER 2023 at New Mills Golf Club, a most enjoyable social occasion. Menu and full details will be handed out at ALL Masses next weekend 4th/5th November.

VACANCY FOR PARISH SECRETARY/ADMIN SUPPORT based at Sacred Heart, Whaley Bridge SK23 7AG. Initially this post is for five hours per week at £13 an hour. Closing date 3rd November 2023. CVs should be sent to Canon Michael Gannon: Michael.gannon7@ntlworld.com Further details can be found at: <https://www.dioceseofshrewsbury.org/latest-vacancies>

REVOLUTION OF TENDERNESS: THE 2023 ANNUAL CARITAS ASSEMBLY WITH SVP SATURDAY 4 NOVEMBER 2023 AT ST MARY'S, DERBY: Parishioners and SVP members are warmly invited to a day to help you put faith into action and reach out to the community. The gathering starts at 10.00 a.m. with Mass with Bishop Patrick, and keynote speaker is Alessandra Sciarra, parliamentary adviser at the Society of St Vincent de Paul. Afternoon workshops focus on mental health, supporting refugees, offering hospitality and greening the parish. Find out more and book your place at bit.ly/revolutionoftenderness or call Caritas on 0115 648 1509.

