



Marple Bridge
(Hollins Lane)

The Catholic Community Newsletter
for the parish of

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and

The Annunciation
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14th WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME

		Place		Intention
Sat 6 th July	6.30pm	MB	Mass	
Sun 7 th July	9.30am	NM	Mass	Natalie, Jerome & Thomas Bell R.I.P.
	12 noon	MB	Mass	Cleopatra Santiago R.I.P.
Weds 10 th July	10.00am	MB	Mass	
Thurs 11 th July	10.00am	NM	Mass	
Friday 12 th July	10.00am	MB	Mass	
Sat 13 th July	6.30pm	MB	Mass	Seamus McMahon (b'day)
Sun 14 th July	9.30am	NM	Mass	
	12 noon	MB	Mass	
Note that it is SEA SUNDAY this weekend and there is a second collection				

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

MARPLE CHURCHES TOGETHER: Sunday July 7th Christian Aid Thanksgiving service for Christian Aid Week on zoom - details for signing up

[-www.churchestogethermarplearea.org.uk](http://www.churchestogethermarplearea.org.uk)

SECOND COLLECTION: On Sunday 14th July the Church celebrates **Sea Sunday**, a day for people to come together to pray for seafarers and fishers, and thank them for the vital role they play in all of our lives, praying also for the work of Stella Maris, which supports the port chaplaincies (in our diocese, at Grimsby, Immingham and Trent ports; Boston port; and Sutton Bridge port); there will be a second collection next weekend for Stella Maris.

WEDNESDAY BINGO: Great afternoon of bingo this week as usual the lucky Irish Lady took the prizes. Next date for your diary Wednesday 24th July 2pm

Msgr. JONATHAN MOORE: Invites all who are able, to join him as he celebrates his 49th anniversary of priestly ordination. He celebrates it with Fr. Michael Kirkham who also celebrates 26 years as a priest. We are privileged to have them choose to celebrate this anniversary Mass in our church in New Mills on 23rd July 2024 at midday; This Mass will be followed by tea and coffee in the Parish hall. May God continue to bless them and sustain them.

MEDAILLE TRUST: Thanks to your great generosity the Medaille Coffee Morning, held a couple of Saturdays ago, raised £380 which has gone to the support the male residents of the two Manchester Medaille houses. They were also very grateful for your many contributions of blankets, towels, holdalls, suitcases, etc; if you come across any further similar items, please contact Maureen (07791 619201) who will take them off your hands and deliver to the Houses.

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING: There are some notes from the last Parish council meeting on the notice boards at the back of both churches. We welcome Jessica Brennan as our new Parish administrator and Catherine Andersen as the new safeguarding lead for Marple Bridge.

THE GARDENING GROUP would like to say a big THANK YOU to the group of St Mary's, New Mills school children (and adult) who joined them for their monthly session working around the church grounds... weeding, digging, pruning, sweeping and lots more! Well done and see you next time.