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The Catholic Community Newsletter
for the parish of
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24th WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME

		Place		Intention
Sat 14 th September	6.30pm	MB	Mass	
Sun 15 th September	9.30am 12 noon	NM MB	Mass Mass	Bernadette Tonge R.I.P
Tues 17 th September	11.30am	NM	Mass	Funeral of Joan Bindley
Weds 18 th September		MB	No Mass	
Thurs 19 th September	10.00am	NM	Mass	School Mass in Church
Fri 20 th September	10.00am	MB	Mass	
Sat 21 st September	6.30pm	MB	Mass	
Sun 22 nd September	9.30am 12 noon	NM MB	Mass Mass	

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

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR CARE OF CREATION: The Season of Creation runs until St Francis of Assisi's feastday on 4 October, and is observed worldwide by Christians of many traditions. Over the coming weeks the diocese invites you to pray for an 'ecological conversion' in our lifestyles, our parishes and our economy. Copies of a prayer card will be available after Mass – please take one with you. Further resources for prayer and action can be found at cafod.org.uk/news/uk-news/celebrate-world-day-of-prayer.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION: Thank you to those of you who continue to support our Eucharistic Adoration and especially Norman, who enriches our souls with good music. Our next Adoration will be on Saturday 5th October at 11.00am at New Mills; all are welcome.

SONGS OF PRAISE: All welcome on Sunday 22nd September at The Annunciation New Mills, 2pm followed by tea and cake. Please sign sheet at the back of church to indicate what you can offer.

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING: To take place on Thursday 26th September. Parishioners are encouraged to contact Denise or the Parish Administrator if they have any suggestions or ideas that need the attention of the Parish Council.

ANNUAL SPONSORED WALK FOR WELLSRING: This year's walk will take place on Saturday 28th September starting from Holy Spirit Church Marple at 10am. Sponsor sheets are available at the back of church or on the Marple Churches Together website. www.churchestogethermarplearea.org.uk. Jim Howell will be representing St. Mary's Marple Bridge and will be collecting sponsorship after 6.30pm mass on Saturday. If anyone else would like to walk, please pick up a sponsor sheet at the back of church.

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS FAIR: Please join us on Saturday 9th November in the Parish Hall at New Mills. Planning for this event will be starting soon, if you have helped in any way in past years and are able to continue this year please let us know. We also welcome new volunteers to help and spread the word. If you require any more information, contact Pauline Gavin 07857644346 or 01663611890 or email paulinemgavin@hotmail.com.

CARETAKER VACANCY: We now have a Caretaker opportunity at New Mills. If you are interested please contact the Parish Administrator or Father Emmanuel.

FOOD BANK: Available at the back of Marple Bridge Church. Donations welcome. Many thanks goes to Margaret who looks after this charity.