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PLEASE PRAY for the sick: Mary Bradbury, Marie Davies, Maria Dawson, Patricia Atkinson and Shelia Farnsworth To be added to this list, please contact the parish office or collect a form from the back of church.

NEWS FROM THE PARISH

RECENTLY DECEASED: Please remember in your Masses and Prayers Theresa Pearson, Fr Frank McLaughlin and Fr Jim Lynch who died recently. May they rest in peace, Amen.

IN NOVEMBER WE REMEMBER and pray for those who have died. Please take a November Mass Offering envelope, available this weekend, and write on the slip within the names of the deceased who you would like to be remembered at Mass during November. All the names will be put in baskets which will be placed on the altar and will be remembered at all Masses throughout November. Kindly enclose a donation with the slip and return it next weekend.

BIDDING PRAYERS We are grateful to our dedicated team of parishioners from Buxton and Chapel who currently prepare the Prayers of the Faithful (Bidding Prayers) for all our Saturday and Sunday Masses and we thank them for their valued ministry. We are now looking to expand this team to include parishioners from New Mills and Marple Bridge. If you feel called to contribute to this important part of our liturgy by preparing and writing the Prayers of the Faithful on a rota basis, we would love to hear from you. To express your interest or find out more, please contact our Parish Administrator for New Mills & Marple Bridge.

MASS TIME CHANGE MARPLE BRIDGE – Starting the weekend 1st November the Saturday mass at Marple Bridge will be at the new time of 4.00pm due to the clocks change.

ST MARYS MARPLE BRIDGE OPEN FOR PRIVATE PRAYER the church will be open after the 10am mass on Wednesday and the 10am mass on Friday until 4pm.

PARISH CHRISTMAS FAIR PARISH HALL NEW MILLS SATURDAY 8th NOVEMBER 10am-1pm It is just two weeks until we hold our Christmas Fair. We would like to say thank you for the offers of help and donations received so far. There is still time to bring in the goods for the stalls ie preserves, cakes, bottles, pre loved gifts, crafts and children's toys, books, games etc. Details are on the 'PLEASE CAN YOU HELP SHEET' at the back of both churches, also this weekend you will find an additional sheet with a list waiting to be filled in with items you can donate towards refreshments for the kitchen - cakes, scones and mince pies. If you would like any of your items collected, please ring Pauline Gavin on 07857644346 or 01663611890. Pauline Whitelegg on 07763497208. Entertainment - music plays a big part in the success of our fair and we are very happy to welcome back STOCKPORT UKULELE PLAYERS and ST MARY'S SCHOOL CHOIR, NEW MILLS. Enjoy the event! Thank you.

CHRISTMAS PARISH LUNCH - Mellor Golf Club 5th December 2025. Excellent Menu and Prices for 2 and 3 course meals. Order Form, Envelopes and full details have been handed out. As usual any questions to Pauline Gavin at New Mills and Ann & Gordon Lyon at Marple Bridge.

NEWS FROM OUR SISTER PARISHES

RETREAT DAY EVENT happening on 8th November at St Anne's Community Centre in Buxton, for the Peak Deanery. This is a free event and open to young people aged 11-18years old in secondary school. Called The Summit, the theme looks at the lives of Saint Carlo Acutis and Saint Pier Giorgio Frassati, their ordinary lives but their extraordinary faith. Booking is via ndcys.com/deanery-retreat-days/ and will close on Friday 7th November.

BANK DETAILS: A number of parishioners have asked for our bank details so that they can set up standing orders. Thank you for your continued generosity. Sort Code: 30-96-18 Account : 03900906 Name of account: St Mary & Annun Marple Bridge & New Mills Bank: Lloyds plc