St. Teresa's Morden

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27TH MARCH 2016

Mass Times and Intentions
Saturday 26th The Easter Vigil
8.00pm People of the Parish

Sunday 27th Easter Sunday Of The Resurrection Of The Lord

9.00am Gloria Francia R.I.P. 11.00am Mollie McKeon & Winifred Madigan R.I.P.

Monday 28th

10.00am Bridget Ann Thornton R.I.P.

Tuesday 29th

10.00am Bill Hanrahan R.I.P.

Wednesday 30th

10.00am Irasalamma Peter R.I.P.

Thursday 31st

10.00am Funeral – Ellen Mary McDermott R.I.P.

Friday 1st April Benediction and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at 9.00am

10.00am Funeral- Francis Macklin R.I.P.

Saturday 2nd

Confessions at 10.30 – 11am & 6.00-6.15pm

Sunday 3rd 2nd Sunday of Easter

Vigil 6.30pm John Carlos R.I.P. 9.00am People of the Parish 11.00am Roland Rosa R.I.P. Sunday 27th: NO refreshments today.

Tuesday 29th: NO Tuesday Club this week.

Prayer and Adoration at 7.30pm in the church.

Wednesday 30th: Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour at 9.30am

Prayer Group meet at 7.30pm in the parish office.

<u>Thursday 31st:</u> Legion of Mary meet at 7.30pm in the parish office.

<u>Friday 1st.</u> The Chaplet of Divine Mercy at 9.15am in the church.

We wish all schools and colleges a Happy Easter break.
And a safe journey to those who are going away.

Fr John wishes you and your families a Blessed and Happy Easter.

Thank you for the weekend collection £1393.97. Standing Orders £689.00. Total £2082.97.

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Thank You – To everyone involved in our celebration of Holy Week and Easter this year. To the readers, servers, lay ministers, musicians, cantors, collectors, ushers, repository, car park stewards and also those who cleaned, decorated and prepared the church – many thanks indeed.

Evaluate the moment – If you have any comments or reflection on the Holy Week or Easter services please do convey them to any member of the Parish Pastoral Council. What worked well or what was missing for you?

The Easter Offerings – At the Masses on Easter Sunday (including the Easter Vigil will be your personal gifts to Fr John Mulligan. Thank you for your support.

Welcome and Congratulations - To Denys Hyde, Gina Maher, Francesca Ribaudo, Lucia Ribaudo and Roshan Packer-Saibo who celebrated the sacraments of initiation at the Easter Vigil this year. These are our RCIA catechumens and candidates who received the sacraments of Baptism, Communion, Confirmation or Reception into the Catholic Church. We wish them well and invite them to explore our community further as they continue their journey ahead. Thank you to the RCIA team of catechists who have supported them.

Brussels – Please remember the victims of the Brussels tragedy during these days and please check the parish website for a letter from the police advising all of us to be aware and attentive to the world around us. If we see or notice something suspicious we should not hesitate to report it to the police. The letter is also on the notice board in the Narthex. The anti-terrorist hotline is 0800 789 321.

Deceased – Please remember in your prayers: **Ellen Mary McDermott** – her Requiem Mass will be on Thursday 31st March 10am followed by burial at Merton & Sutton Cemetery. **Francis Macklin** – his Requiem Mass will be on Friday 1st April 10am followed by cremation at 11.20am. **Patricia Gargano** – her cremation will be on Monday 4th April, 4.40pm at the North East Surry Crematorium. May they rest in peace.

Easter Flowers – Donations may be placed in the black box in the narthex.

St Teresa's Finance Group – meet on Thursday 31st March, 7.30pm in the parish office.

Welcome – We welcome any visitors to St Teresa's over Easter. If you have moved in permanently to the parish please complete a census registration form available at the Contact Corner.

Annual Mass in Celebration of the Sacrament of Marriage – If you are celebrating your 1st, 10th, 25th, 40th, 50th or 60th wedding anniversary and would like to attend this special Mass at St George's Cathedral on Saturday 18th June at 3.00pm, please inform the parish office, so that you can receive an invitation from Archbishop Peter Smith.

Parenting with Faith – A talk for parents and sponsors of Confirmation candidates. "Welcomed, Loved and Forgiven" with David Wells. Wednesday 4th May 2016 (7pm – 9pm) at St Teresa's Church.

Prayer for the Sick – Please remember in your prayers all those confined to home or hospital. Ann Van Essen, Valerie Keogh, John Payne, Winnie Mann, Anthony Kayode, Mariquinha De Sa, Jim Creighan, Meta O'Donnell, Winifred Rogers and Lira Fernandes.