
St. Teresa's Morden

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1ST MAY 2016

Mass Times and Intentions

Sunday 1st 6th Sunday of Easter

Vigil 6.30pm Florence Richards R.I.P.
9.00am David Burke R.I.P.
& Intentions of the Burke Family
11.00am People of the Parish

Monday 2nd Athanasius

Bank Holiday

10.00am Phil Constable R.I.P.

Tuesday 3rd St Philip & St James

10.00am Funeral Dorothy Cook R.I.P.

Wednesday 4th The English Martyrs

10.00am Coleta Perlas R.I.P.

Thursday 5th

10.00am Maria Devincenzi R.I.P.

Friday 6th

Benediction and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at 9.15am

10.00am John and Margaret Lyons R.I.P.

Saturday 7th

Confessions 10.30 -11am & 6.00 – 6.15pm

Sunday 8th The Ascension O The Lord

Vigil 6.30pm Antony Sabaratnam R.I.P.
9.00am People of the Parish R.I.P.
11.00am Prof Dr Polcarp Ikeh R.I.P.

Thank you for the weekend collection £1059.84. **Standing Orders** £689.00. **Total** £1748.84

Parish Activities

Sunday 1st: Refreshments after the 11am Mass in the parish centre.

Monday 2nd: RCIA Journey in Faith at 7.30pm in the parish centre.

Tuesday 3rd: Tuesday Club in the parish centre at 10.30am.

SVP meet at 6.30pm in the parish office.

Prayer and Adoration at 7.30pm in the church.

Wednesday 4th: Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour at 9.30am.

Prayer Group 7.30pm in the parish office.

Thursday 5th: **Parish Centre closed - Polling Station**

Folk Group practice 7pm in the church.

Legion of Mary 7.30pm in the office.

Friday 6th: The Chaplet of Divine Mercy 9.30am in the church.
Senior Youth Club at 7.00pm.

Saturday 7th: First Holy Communion children at 9.30am. Also to take part in the 6.30pm Mass.

Sunday 8th: 2nd Collection for World Communications

St. Teresa's School, Montacute Road, Morden. Tel. 020 8648 1846

Headteacher: Mr. Justin Dachtler

Merton Catholic Deanery

<http://www.mertoncatholics.org.uk>

Community Development Manager – Rob Mobile 07429 454480

2nd collection – St George’s Cathedral £518.38. Thank you.

Parish Pastoral Council – Meet on Tuesday 3rd May 7.30 – 9.00pm in the parish centre. Please send any issues for the agenda to the parish office.

First Communion – The children are now looking forward to their First Eucharist celebrations in May. Do please keep them, their families and catechists in your prayers. The 1st Communion Masses this year will be at 12noon on Saturday and 2pm on Sunday on the weekends of 14th/15th and 21st/22nd May.

Baptisms – We welcome Ryleigh Ann-Marie Kathleen Cunningham Brooks, Alicja and Helena Maria Olszanka, their parents, godparents and family into the parish community.

Deceased – Please remember in your prayers Dorothy Cook. Her Requiem Mass will be on Tuesday 3rd May at 10.00am. May she rest in peace.

Amoris Laetitia – The Joy of Love - There are copies of Pope Francis’ Exhortation available in the Narthex. Please get a copy £4.95.

Mass for Migrants – Bank Holiday Monday 2nd May, 10.00am at Westminster Cathedral. In honour of St Joseph the Worker. There is also a meeting on the plights of migrants on Thursday 5th May at Collaboration House, 77-79 Charlotte St, London W1T 4PW. 6 – 8pm.

Stewardship – Merciful Ministry – There is gathering of people to explore the Stewardship concept on Sunday 8th May. 2.30 5.00pm. Venue: The Little Sisters of the Poor, 2a Meadow Road, Vauxhall. Book with fatherjkohn@finance-rcdsouthwark.org.uk Facilitated by Fr Joe Creedon and Tom Kendzia (a liturgical musician) from the US.

Our Rights And Duties In The Church Today – Inviting all RCIA Graduates and Catechists in the Merton Deanery on Monday 23rd May at St Teresa’s, 7.30 – 9.00pm. Facilitator: Dr Helen Costigane, a Moral Theologian, Canon Lawyer and Vice Principal of Heythrop College. Refreshments available.

Marathon Moonwalk – Bernadette Mulhern is doing a 26.2 miles walk on Saturday 14th May to raise money for Breast Cancer. If you would like to sponsor her please add your name to the form available in the narthex.

Edell Quinn Pilgrimage to Aylesford – On Saturday 7th May, leaving St Teresa’s at 9.30am cost of seat £12 to pay in advance to Penny Brummell. Please add your name to the list in the Narthex.

London SW Catholic Young Adults is a social group for young Catholics in the diocese that meets every month. Our next drinks evening is on Saturday, 7th May from 7.30pm at the Alexandra, Wimbledon SW19 7NE. For further details visit our Facebook page or contact Miles on 07790 441242.

Parenting with Faith – A talk for parents and sponsors of Confirmation candidates. “Welcomed, Loved and Forgiven” with David Wells on Wednesday 4th May 2016 (7pm – 9pm) at St Teresa’s. His talk will focus on exploring what parenting teenagers looks like, what role does mercy play and how we can help our children grow up.

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