## St. Teresa's Morden

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Parish Secretary: Mrs. Margaret O'Donovan

10th July 2016

**Mass Times and Intentions** 

Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> 15<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Year Vigil 6.30pm John McGowan R.I.P. 9.00am People of the Parish 11.00am Prof Dr Polycarp Ikeah R.I.P.

Monday 11<sup>th</sup> St Benedict
Please note NO 10.00am Mass
11.00am School Childrens Deanery Mass

Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> 10.00am Finola Kirrane R.I.P.

Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup>
10.00am Lino & Visitacao Rodriges
R I P

**Thursday 14<sup>th</sup>** 10.00am Mrs Felicia Cabral R.I.P.

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> St Bonaventure Benediction and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at 9.15am 10.00am Nellie & David Howard R.I.P.

**Saturday 16<sup>th</sup>** Confessions 10.30 – 11am & 6.00 – 6.15pm

Sunday 17th 16th Sunday of the Year Vigil 6.30pm People of the Parish 9.00am Brian & Sally Churcher R.I.P. 11.00am Finola Kirrane R.I.P. **Parish Activities** 

Sunday 10<sup>th</sup>: **Sea Sunday**Refreshments in the parish centre after the 11.00am Mass.

Monday 11<sup>th</sup>: Mother and Toddlers at 9.00am in the parish centre.

<u>Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup>:</u> Tuesday Club in the parish centre at 10.30am.

Prayer and Adoration at 7.30pm in the church.

Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup>: Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour 9.30am

Prayer Group 7.30pm in the office.

Thursday 14th: Junior Youth Club

Folk Group practice at 7.00pm.

Legion of Mary at 7.30pm in the parish office.

<u>Friday 15<sup>th</sup>:</u> The Chaplet of Divine Mercy at 9.30am.

Saturday 16<sup>th</sup>: Prayer Day - Confessions 12 – 12.30pm followed by Mass in the centre. Break for lunch. Exposition & Adoration 1.30 – 3pm.

Thank you for the weekend collection £1200.96. Standing Orders £689.00. Total £1889.96.

St. Teresa's School, Montacute Road, Morden. Tel. 020 8648 1846
Headteacher: Mr. Justin Dachtler
Merton Catholic Deanery
www.mertoncatholics.org.uk
Community Development Manager – Rob Mobile 07429 454480

**Apostleship of the Sea** – It cares for all those who work at sea, their families, chaplains and provides practical and spiritual support. The black box in the narthex is for your donation during the month of July.

Clergy Support Fund Campaign – Archbishop Peter Smith would like every Catholic in the Diocese to have an opportunity to hear about the needs of sick and retired priests and how you can lend your support to this fundraising campaign to raise £4.5m over the next four years. Cards are being distributed at all Masses this weekend so that everyone who would like to know more about the needs of our sick and retired priests will have an opportunity to do so. If you would like to hear more, please fill in a card and post it in the collection box in the contact corner at the back of the church today. You will receive a personal invitation to a presentation, including times and dates, which will take place in late September in our parish hall. Only one card need be completed per family, as provision will be made for other family members to attend. Thank you.

A Gift to St Teresa's – Sincere thanks and appreciation to the family of Bridie and John Forry who have presented two beautiful chalices to St Teresa's in memory of their parents Bridie and John Forry who died in 2013 and 2016. The chalices are engraved and are a welcome addition to our sacred vessels at St Teresa's.

**Looking Ahead** – Would readers and lay ministers please ensure that their Sunday slots are covered during the summer. Many people go off on holiday but the liturgy at St Teresa's still continues each week. We are still searching for a few more readers especially at the 11am Mass – so if you can help, please see Fr John or inform Margaret O'Donovan at the parish office.

**Thank You** – We plan to have a special parish thank you supper for all our volunteers on Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> October in St Teresa's School Hall. We will need some indication of numbers attending so please sign the list in the Narthex. This applies to all readers, church cleaners, musicians, catechists, special ministers, counters, collectors, flower arrangers, choir, singers, welcomers, repository people, PPC, finance, CHEQ etc. It's a big network so it would be good to get the whole group together for a party. This is being organised by the PPC and if anyone else wants to help please see Fr John or a member of the PPC.

**Bernadette Mulhern - A Big Thank You** to all who sponsored me in my recent 'Marathan Moonwalk' you helped me to raise £650.00 for 'Walk the Week' Breast Cancer Charity.

**St Teresa's Community Project** – Family BBQ on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> July 1.00 – 4.00pm. All are welcome bring your picnic and trainers and enjoy the fun. Offers for help contact Rob on 07429 454480.

**Help Needed** – To be able to continue refreshments on Sunday mornings after the 11.00am Mass in the parish centre we are looking for anyone who on a rota basis would like to help. Please contact the parish office to volunteer. Many thanks.

**Medjugorje Pilgrimage** –September 20 – 29<sup>th</sup> 2016. For information see poster in the porch or phone Con Diver 07956 134633, Freda McKeon 07960 800461 or Mary Carroll 07854 539691.

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