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# St. Teresa's Morden

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## 18TH SEPTEMBER 2016

### Mass Times and Intentions

#### Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> 25<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Year

6.30pm Sheila Reilly R.I.P.

9.00am People of the Parish

11.00am John Connaire R.I.P.

#### Monday 19<sup>th</sup>

**Please note NO 10.00am Mass today**

**12noon** Funeral – Winnie Mann R.I.P.

#### Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> St Andrew Kim Tae-gon, Paul Chong Ha-sang & companions

10.00am John Drudy R.I.P.

#### Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> St Matthew

10.00am Anthony Kayode-Alli R.I.P.

#### Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup>

10.00am Alice Sellasamy R.I.P.

#### Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> St Pius of Pietrelcina (Padre Pio)

**Benediction & Adoration of the**

**Blessed Sacrament at 9.15am**

10.00am Thanksgiving (Fr Pio)

#### Saturday 24<sup>th</sup>

Confessions 10.30 – 11am – 6.00 – 6.15pm

#### Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> 26<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Year

6.30pm Anna-Maria Purvor, Romeo Cini,

Karyn Stevens Hilda Costa R.I.P.

9.00am People of the Parish

11.00am Fred & Anne-Marie Mendonca

25<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary

### PARISH ACTIVITIES

#### Sunday 18<sup>th</sup>:

Refreshments in the parish centre after the 11am Mass.

Monday 19<sup>th</sup>: Parent and Toddlers meet at 9am in the parish centre.

RCIA Journey in Faith at 7.30pm in the parish centre.

Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup>: Tuesday Club in the parish centre at 10.30am

Prayer and Adoration 7.30pm in the church.

Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup>: Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour 9.30am.

Prayer Group at 7.30pm in the office.

Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup>: Junior Youth Club 5.00pm.

Folk practice 7.00pm in the church.

Legion of Mary 7.30pm in the office.

Friday 23<sup>rd</sup>: Divine Mercy at 9.30am.

Saturday 24<sup>th</sup>: Syro-Malabar Malsysalam Mass 11.15am.

Sunday 25<sup>th</sup>: 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection for Home Mission Day.

**Thank you for the weekend collection £1294.54. Standing Orders £689.00. Total £1983.54.**

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

Headteacher: Mr. Justin Dachtler

Merton Catholic Deanery

[www.mertoncatholics.org.uk](http://www.mertoncatholics.org.uk)

Community Development Manager – Rob Mobile 07429 454480

**Mother's Prayers** – will now be held at the new time of **4pm** in the Parish Centre on Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> September.

**Fatima** – Celebrates its centenary in 2017. The National Pilgrim statue of Our Lady of Fatima accompanied by relics of blessed Jacinta and Francisco are at St Teresa's, over this weekend.

**Friends in St Helier & N.H.S. Merton** – Tea dance for people over 50yrs, Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2 – 5pm. Tooting & Mitcham Community Sports Club, Imperial Fields, Bishopsford Road, SM4 5BF. Health professionals available on the day for advice. Contact: Cllr Mary Curtin [Fish.morden@gmail.com](mailto:Fish.morden@gmail.com) 208 640 0829.

**Parish Pastoral Council** – Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> September at 7.30pm in the parish centre.

**First Communion Catechists** – Meet on Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> September 8pm to plan next year's session. Registration for parents Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> October, 9.30 – 10.30am.

**Confirmation Catechists** – Meet on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> October 7.30pm to plan the next preparation session. Confirmation will be on 24<sup>th</sup> June 2017.

**Deceased** – Please remember in your prayers Paul Kirrane and who died recently. May he rest in peace.

**Fire Marshall Training** – There will be a Fire Marshal Training Evening on **Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> September at 7.30pm** at St Teresa of the Child Jesus, 250, Bishopsford Road, Morden, SM4 6BZ. The Fire Marshal Training evening is aimed at training parishioners or parish support volunteers in Health and Safety and should take about 1.5hrs.

**Eucharistic Ministers** – Could all Eucharistic Ministers who have not yet completed their volunteer application form, please return it to the parish office or through the Presbytery door as soon as possible. Thank you.

**Lay Ministers of Holy Communion** There is a reflection morning at the Kairos Centre, Roehampton on Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> October with SS Peter & Paul's, Mitcham. Time 10am – 2.00pm. Lunch at 12.30pm.

**International Evening** – Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> November. We invite all nationalities in St Teresa's community to gather for this event, both adults and children so we can celebrate the great diversity among us. Food, national dress, music and entertainment in St Teresa's School Hall, 7.30pm. Grand Draw 2016 – we plan to have a mega raffle on the evening. Can anyone contribute to the 1<sup>st</sup> prize of £1000 cash for Christmas? Or if you can help with the food – please talk to someone at the Contact Corner or see Fr John. Thank you.

**Thank You** – We plan to have a special parish thank you supper for all 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 is being organised by the PPC and if anyone else wants to help please see Fr John or a member of the PPC.

**Prayer for the Sick** – Please remember in your prayers all those confined to home or hospital. Michael Mullane, Idan Vijay, Mina Gomes, Baheerathy Reshekaron, Sean Smith, Catherine Williams, John Payne, Ann Van Essen, Valerie Keogh, Mariquinha De Sa, Jim Creighan, Meta O'Donnell, Winifred Rogers and Lira Fernandes.