
St. Teresa's Morden

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30TH APRIL 2017

Mass Times and Intentions

Sunday 30th 3rd Sunday of Easter

Vigil 6.30pm Bernard & Rose McDonagh R.I.P.

9.00am People of the Parish

11.00am Eddie & Carmen Benson R.I.P.

Monday 1st May St Joseph the Worker

May Bank Holiday

10.00am Michael Croghan R.I.P.

Tuesday 2nd St Athanasius

10.00am Mary O'Leary

Wednesday 3rd SS Philip & James

10.00am Santu & Mariquinha De Sa
R.I.P.

Thursday 4th The English Martyrs

10.00am G.M. Lopez R.I.P.

Friday 5th

Benediction and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at 9.15am.

10.00am Thanksgiving to
SS Philip and James

Saturday 6th

Confessions 10.30 – 11am & 6.00 – 6.15pm

Sunday 7th 4th Sunday of Easter

6.30pm People of the Parish

9.00am Antony Sebaratnam R.I.P.

11.00am Lawrence Fallon R.I.P.

PARISH ACTIVITIES

Sunday 30th: 2nd Collection for the maintenance of St Georges Cathedral.

Refreshments after the 11.00am Mass in the parish centre.

Monday 1st: - Bank Holiday

RCIA Journey in Faith at 7.30pm.

Tuesday 2nd: Tuesday Club at 10.30am.

SVP meet at 6.30pm in the office.

Prayer and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at 7.30pm in the church.

Wednesday 3rd: Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour at 9.30am.

Prayer Group at 7.30pm in the office.

Thursday 4th: Junior Youth Club 5pm.

Folk Group practice at 7.00pm.

Legion of Mary 7.30pm in the office.

Friday 5th: The Chaplet of Divine Mercy at 9.30am.

Senior Youth Club at 7.00pm.

Saturday 6th: First Holy Communion children and parents at 9.30am.

Sunday 7th: 2nd Collection for Ecclesiastical Education.

Thank you for the weekend collection £1183.43. Standing Orders £755.00. Total £1938.43.

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

Headteacher: Mr. Justin Dachtler

Merton Catholic Deanery

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Community Development Manager – Rob Mobile 07429 454480

The London Marathon – Congratulations to Susan McCurdie who has ran the London Marathon on Sunday, 23rd April. She had 5 glorious hours of heroic concentration. Susan has kindly offered to donate all St Teresa's sponsorship towards our youth activities on Thursday and Friday evenings. We ask everyone to sponsor her in some way. Thank you for whatever you can give and thank you to Susan for such an outstanding effort. Collectors will be at the Contact Corner for your donation.

The Easter Celebrations – Many thanks to everyone involved in the Holy Week and Easter ceremonies. If anyone has any comments, observations or suggestions as to how we might improve our celebrations in future, please let us know. Send a note to the Parish Pastoral Council as they meet on Thursday 4th May.

Deceased – Please remember in your prayers: **Mrs Teresa Butler**. Her Requiem Mass on Friday 12th May at 12noon. We also remember **Mrs Felicia Njere**. May they rest in peace.

Merton Deanery Formation: Calling all Catechists (and others) we have a number of formation events coming up in May so please take note:

Sr Nuala Gannon will facilitate 2 sessions for us:

Tuesday 2nd May: Faith – Caught or Taught? 7.30 – 9.00pm

Tuesday 9th May: Tools for Effective Catechesis'. 7.30 – 9.00pm

Venue: SS Peter and Paul's Church, Mitcham.

Tuesday 16th May – 7.30 – 9.00pm. Fr Nicholas King SJ will present a session at Sacred Heart, Wimbledon: *the scriptures – treasures we don't know*.

Thursday 18th May – Jenny Baker will be at St John Fisher Church, Merton, 7.30 – 9.00pm. *Affirming our 1st Communion Catechists*.

Aylesford – There will be a Pilgrimage to Aylesford organised by the Legion of Mary on Saturday 6th May 2017. The coach will depart St Teresa's at 9.15a.m promptly. Cost per adult £12, please bring your own packed lunch. Please add your name to the list in the porch if interested, or contact Anastasia on 07466 417339.

St Teresa's Community Project: Are you able to support us in our work with young people in the parish? We are looking for adult volunteers who can spare 2-4 hrs a month to help with our youth clubs (Thursday & Friday evening), schools work (Tuesday & Wednesday daytime) or with our fundraising projects and administration. If so please contact Rob Mobile – info@stcp.org.uk or call **07429 454 480**. Thank you for your continued support and prayers in the last few weeks, remember if you can support us with regular giving just fill in one of our forms at the contact corner and we will be in touch. Thank You.

Wedding Anniversaries – If you are celebrating your 1st, 10th, 25th, 40th, 50, 60th this year, you are invited to a special celebration at St George's Cathedral on Saturday 17th June at 3pm to renew your marriage vows. Families are also welcome. Please check with the parish office to register for the event. Once registered, you will be sent an invitation.

Pray for the Sick – Fathima Mary Clement, Nicole Turner, Caroline Sweeney, Sheila Downey, Marie & John Loughran, Olivia Kenneally, Marc Tannion, Beryl Seaforth, Stephen Quilty, Ann Van Essen, Valerie Keogh, Jim Creighan, and Winifred Rogers.