
St. Teresa's Morden

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14TH MAY 2017

Mass Times and Intentions

Sunday 14th 5th Sunday of Easter

Vigil 6.30pm Tony Burke R.I.P.

9.00am People of the Parish

11.00am Keira Tarrant

2.00pm **First Holy Communion Mass**

Monday 15th

10.00am Joseph & Shiny Machedo

Wedding Anniversary

Tuesday 16th

10.00am Antoneta Gouveia R.I.P.

Wednesday 17th

10.00am Charles Doherty R.I.P.

Thursday 18th

10.00am Kenneth Henshaw R.I.P.

Friday 19th

Benediction and Adoration of the

Blessed Sacrament at 9.15am

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

Saturday 20th

Confessions 10.30 -11am & 6.00-6.15pm

12noon First Holy Communion Mass

Sunday 21st 6th Sunday of Easter

Vigil 6.30pm People of the Parish

9.00am Brian & Sally Churcher R.I.P.

11.00am Welfare of Jim McCann

2.00pm First Holy Communion Mass

PARISH ACTIVITIES

Sunday 14th: Refreshments in the parish centre after the 11am Mass.

Monday 15th: Parent and Toddlers at 9.00am in the parish centre.

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

Tuesday 16th: Tuesday Club 10.30am in the parish centre.

Prayer and Adoration 7.30pm in the church.

Wednesday 17th: Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour at 9.30am.

Prayer Group 7.30pm in the office.

Thursday 18th: Junior Youth Club. Folk Group practice at 7.00pm.

Legion of Mary 7.30pm in the parish office.

Friday 19th: The Chaplet of Divine Mercy at 9.30am.

Senior Youth Club at 7.00pm.

First Holy Communion Rehearsal on Friday 19th 7pm for Group 3, and Rehearsal on Saturday 20th at 9.00am for Group 4.

Thank you for the weekend collection £1068.54 Standing Orders £755.00. Total £1823.54.

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

St Teresa's 80th Birthday: this will be celebrated on Sunday 1st October at the 11.00am Mass followed by a shared lunch in St Teresa's School Hall. Put the date in your diary now.

Mission Appeal – We thank you for your kind and generous response to the Xavarian Missionary appeal. They raised £906. 16. Fr Archie Casey wrote on behalf of the Order to thank St Teresa's for our response to their appeal.

First Communion Masses – Please note that we have 82 children for First Communion this year and the First Communion Masses will be celebrated this Saturday 13th May at 12noon, (Group 1) Sunday 14th May at 2pm (Group 2), Saturday 20th May at 12noon (Group 3) and Sunday 21st May at 2.00pm (Group 4). Please keep the children, parents, families and catechists in your prayers.

The following children will be making their First Holy Communion this weekend –
Saturday 12noon - Lena Stepniak, Roanne Taguba, Reese Ventura, Sophie McIver, Elvita Drevinskaite, Danielle Tambogon, Sophia Brique, Zuzanna Slusarska, Haizel-Marie Ngere, Silvia Gadzama, Amelia Tia Mironowicz, Gabriel Holiva, Nathaniel Luistro, Adam Wegiel, Johann Catral, Rejus Drevinskas, Li Junior Minzako, Tiago Elias, Antoni Slusarski, Filip Surowiak, Xavier Myles, Rania Wilson, Denis York.

Sunday 2.00pm - Jillian Caras, Garriana Sarmiento, Caitlin Dunleavy, Lora Karaivanova Lydia Shklyar, Amelia Oberman, Sophie Cook, Maja Szyszka, Chantal Deborah Aduaka, Jane Clement, Jonas Floro, Jan Cichon, Christopher Jabhour, Aswin Jeyagnanaratnam, Harold Rowland, Leland McHale, Carroline Kucharski, Joshua Browne, Eryn Acheampong, Jason Suthajanan, Gerald Clement, Sophia Pant. Thanks to parents, catechists, teachers and friends for their support.

Merton Deanery Formation: we have a number of formation events coming up in May:

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.

St Teresa's Community Project: 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. Please contact Rob Mobile – info@stcp.org.uk or call **07429 454 480**. Thank you for your continued support and remember if you can support us with regular giving, fill in one of our forms at the contact corner and we will be in touch. Thank You.

Bernadette Mulhern is doing her Annual Moonwalk in aid of breast cancer if you would like to sponsor her there is a form at the Contact Corner. Thank you.

Gifts & Talents: is there anyone with IT skills who could help with our projection system on Sundays with readings and hymns? Also is there anyone with piano skills who would like to learn to play the organ? Tuition available. See Fr John – thanks.

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.