St. Teresa's Morden

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Mass Times and Intentions

Sunday 28th 4th Sunday of the Year Vigil 6.30pm People of the Parish 9.00am John Francis Pillai R.I.P. 11.00am Barbara Wilkinson R.I.P.

Monday 29th

10.00am Well-being of Margaret Quinn

Tuesday 30th

10.00am Sister Madeleine's Intention

Wednesday 31st St John Bosco

Lady

10.00am Carmelo D'Emanuele R.I.P.

Thursday 1st February

10.00am Joseph McBride R.I.P.

Friday 2nd The Presentation Of The Lord office.

10.00am Intention of Freda and John

Saturday 3rd

Communion

Confessions 10.30 - 11am & 6.00 - 6.15pm

Sunday 4th 5th Sunday of the Year

Vigil 6.30pm Michael Leigh R.I.P. 9.00am Joanne O'Connor R.I.P. 11.00am People of the Parish **PARISH ACTIVITIES**

Sunday 28th: 2nd Collection for Racial Justice Day.

Refreshments after the 11.00am Mass.

Monday 29th: Parents and Toddlers at 9.00am in the parish centre.

RCIA Journey in Faith 7.30pm in the Parish centre.

<u>Tuesday 30th:</u> Tuesday Club in the parish centre at 10.30am.

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

Wednesday 31st: Novena to Our

of Perpetual Succour at 9.30am.

Prayer Group 7.30pm in the office.

Thursday 1st: Folk Group practice at 7.00pm

Legion of Mary 7.30pm in the

<u>Friday 2nd:</u> The Chaplet of Divine Mercy at 9.30am in the church.

Saturday 3rd: First Holy

children and parents meet at 9.30am.

Sunday 4th: Mother's Prayer Group meet in the choir loft after the 11.00am Mass.

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

Thank you for the weekend collection £1157.85. Standing Orders £755.00. Total £1912.85.

Parish Questionnaire – Many thanks to everyone who completed the parish questionnaire last weekend. You will find a synopsis of the results on the parish website.

St Teresa's Youth Groups – After 10 years and with great regret the clubs on Thursday and Friday evenings are now facing closure as it is not possible to secure the necessary funding.

The Hall (A) – Will be available on Thursday and Friday evenings for other events. Does anyone want to begin a cubs, scouts, brownies or guide group?

The Hall (B) – With the world meeting of families coming up in Dublin in August – does anyone want to organise something around the theme of family, exploring the joys as well as the contemporary pressures?

Tips for Family Finances – We all have financial commitments, and most of us hope to be financially secure when we retire – unfortunately only a small proportion of people actually achieve this. Join us for a presentation lasting about 45 minutes on Wednesday 31st January at 7.30pm in the parish centre for insights into how to improve your current situation.

Liverpool Eucharistic Congress – General preparation - On Saturday 3rd February – there will be a presentation on the theme of Adoration at the Centre for Catholic Formation, Tooting Bec. 11am. This will be facilitated by Brendan Cleary.

Deceased – Please remember Thomas Carroll who died recently. May he rest in peace.

Creative Artists Wanted – Is there anyone who would like to take part in a diocesan River of Life workshop as we need to find a way to represent the diocese at the Liverpool Congress? The River Thames is an iconic and global symbol so we need to find a way to depict the river as an illustration of the cultural diversity of South London. See Fr John.

Parking – Unfortunately there are still some people who do not know how or where to park their cars on Sunday mornings. Upsetting the neighbours – by parking in front of their driveways – just generates anger, complaints and opposition to the whole place. Could everyone please be considerate and responsible in where you leave your car when you come to church. It does matter.

Missio Red Box – Please hand monies in as soon as possible. Empty contents into a bag and attach your name. Monies can be left at the parish office or sacristy. Thank you.

Medjugorje 2018 – Pilgrimage to Medjugorje from Wednesday 23^{rd} – 30^{th} May. Flying with Norwegian Airways from Gatwick 23rd May at 11.35am to Split, Return Wednesday 30th from Split Airport at 15.45pm to Gatwick. See poster in porch or contact Con 07956 134633, Freda on 07960 800461 or Mary 07854 53969.

Pray for the Sick – Teresa Bearne, Francis Mendonça, David O'Connor, Bethany Mary Potter, Beverley Coughlan, Marc Tannion, Jim Cunningham, Jacinto Victor Mendoza, Ann Van Essen, Valerie Keogh and Jim Creighan.