
St. Teresa's Morden

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Mass Times and Intentions

Sunday 4th Third Sunday of Lent

Vigil 6.30pm Sarah Beazley R.I.P.
after

9.00am Aneil O'Connor .

11.00am People of the Parish

Monday 5th

10.00am Anna & Francis Mendes
Intention

Followed by the Stations of the Cross

Tuesday 6th

10.00am Teresa Dillin R.I.P.

Followed by the Stations of the Cross

at

Wednesday 7th

10.00am Mrs Vic Eucharia Nwokedi

Followed by the Stations of the Cross

Thursday 8th

10.00am Mary Cadd's Intention
office.

Followed by the Stations of the Cross

**Friday 9th Benediction & Adoration
of the Blessed Sacrament at 9.15am**
office.

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

Followed by the Stations of the Cross

Saturday 3rd Confessions 10.30-11am & 6 -15pm

Communion

Sunday 11th 4th Sunday of Lent .

Vigil 6.30pm Luiza Gomes R.I.P.

PARISH ACTIVITIES

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

Refreshments in the parish centre

11.00am Mass.

Monday 5th: Parents and Toddlers at
9.00am in the parish centre.

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

Tuesday 6th: Tuesday Club in the
parish centre at 10.30am.

Prayer and Adoration in the church
7.30pm.

Wednesday 7th: Novena to Our Lady
of Perpetual Succour at 9.30am.

Prayer Group at 7.30pm in the

Thursday 8th: Folk Group practice
7pm.

Legion of Mary 7.30pm in the

Friday 9th: The Chaplet of Divine
at 9.30am in the church..

Saturday 10th: First Holy

children & parents at 9.30am.

6.30pm Mass Parents and children

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

9.00am People of the Parish
11.00am Jamie & Danny Hallissey
& Families Intention

invited to this Mass.

Last weekends offertory £1113.70. **Standing Orders** £755.00. **Total** £1868.70.
CAFOD £483.46. Thank you.

Winter time – the snow and ice are still here – so please be careful coming and going to school or church. We are not used to this kind of weather – and of course we complain. Spare a thought for the homeless people who have no place to go. Spare another thought for people in war torn countries whose homes and lives are destroyed. Some people have a very hard life. As we journey through the season of Lent we remember all who are suffering and we entrust them to the compassion of the Lord. We also look out for opportunities to bring the Gospel message to life in our own family and among our neighbours and friends.

The Season of Lent – please do remember the 3 foundation stones of this great season; Prayer, Fasting and Works of Mercy. Sometimes it's the little things we do for other people that have the greatest impact.

Looking ahead: there will be a Penitential Service on Monday 26th March, 7.30pm as we prepare for Holy Week and Easter. Please put the date in your diaries.

Prayer Time for the Lord – at St Teresa's we have Exposition on Friday 9th March from 9am until 9pm (10am Mass as usual) so that we can unite with prayer movements across the world and pray for the Holy Father's intentions.

St John Fisher, Merton have Exposition and Adoration all day Friday 9th from 7am and all Friday night until Saturday 10th at 8.30am. Confessions will be available for some of those hours. Please check with the church 8542 6355.

Baptisms: we joyfully welcome Ariella Namubiru, Audette Rajachuelo, Chira Briones and Lawrencia Ageyi. Congratulations to their parents and families.

St Teresa's Hall Hire – The majority of people who use the Parish Centre for various celebrations leave the place clean and tidy, remove their party rubbish off site and return the keys as requested. However, we have had a couple of instances recently where people who hire the Centre for parties abuse their allocated time and leave the place in a mess. This is unfortunate and just demonstrates irresponsibility and opportunism.

Deceased – Please remember in your prayers **Jamie Abberley** – Requiem on Tuesday 13th March at 2.30pm. **Mary Small** – Requiem on Thursday 22 March 1.00pm. May they rest in peace.

A Weekend Of Discovery For Married Couples – On April 28/29 in Purley, Croydon. Details from Philip and Mary Pond on 020 8651 2477 or email marriage2014 @virginmedia.com.

A Gospel Concert – Friday 23rd March at St George's Cathedral, Southwark 7.00 9.00pm. This is part of our *Adoremus* preparation for the Eucharistic Congress in Liverpool. Organised and conducted by Natalie Christian John. Tickets: £8 on the evening.

Wimbledon and District Life meet on Wednesday 14th March at 8pm. Contact Christine Davis on 020 3602 9213.

Wanted: Clerk to Governors post – at St Mary's School, Wimbledon. Closing date: 14th March. Interviews 19th March. Email: Mrs Rhule admin@st-marys.merton.sch.uk.

Please Pray for the Sick – Teresa Bearne, David O'Connor, Marc Tannion, Jim Cunningham, Ann Van Essen, Valerie Keogh and Jim Creighan.