
St. Teresa's Morden

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11TH MARCH 2018

Mass Times and Intentions

Sunday 11th Fourth Sunday of Lent

Laetare Sunday

Vigil 6.30pm Luiza Gomes R.I.P.

9.00am People of the Parish

11.00am Intentions of Jamie & Danny
Hallsisey & Family

Monday 12th

10.00am Chukwuemelie Eze's Birthday

Followed by the Stations of the Cross

Tuesday 13th Please note NO 10am Mass

2.30pm Funeral of Jamie Abberley R.I.P.

Wednesday 14th

10.00am 300th Novena to Our Lady

Perpetual Succour said at St Teresa's

Followed by the Stations of the Cross

Thursday 15th

after

10.00am Kevin McKeon's Intention

Followed by the Stations of the Cross

at

Friday 16th Benediction and Adoration of

The Blessed Sacrament at 9.15am

10.00am Intentions of Mary Lee

Patrick & Ann Joyce R.I.P.

Followed by the Stations of the Cross

Saturday 17th St Patrick's Day

of

Sunday 18th 5th Sunday of Lent

6.30pm Lena McBrides Intention

9.00am People of the Parish

PARISH ACTIVITIES

Sunday 11th: Mother's Day – We wish all Mother's a happy and restful day.

Refreshments in the parish centre after 11.00am Mass.

Monday 12th: Parents and Toddlers at 9.00am in the parish centre.

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

Tuesday 13th: Tuesday Club in the parish centre at 10.30am.

Prayer and Adoration in the church at 7.30pm.

Wednesday 14th: Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour at 9.30am.

Refreshments in the parish centre

10.00am Mass.

Thursday 15th: Folk Group practice

7.00pm

Legion of Mary 7.30pm in the office.

Friday 16th: The Chaplet of Divine Mercy at 9.30am.

Saturday 17th: First Holy Communion children celebrating the Sacrament

Reconciliation at 9.00am.

12noon Prayer Day.

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

Headteacher: Mr. Justin Dachtler

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Community Development Manager – Rob Mobile 07429 454480

11.00am Intentions of Noreen Shelly & Family

Last weekends offertory £1278.40. **Standing Orders** £755.00. **Total** £2033.40

Penitential Service - There will be a Penitential Service on Monday 26th March, 7.30pm with a number of visiting priests available to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

Holy Week – There is a list in the Lady Chapel for readers, lay minister, ushers please sign up for one of the celebrations and print your name and phone number.

Altar Servers - Your lists are in the Sacristy.

Holy Thursday – At the Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper at 8.00pm, we shall have the washing of the feet as usual. There is a list in the Lady Chapel if you would like to be part of this team.

RCIA – The catechumens and candidates are now preparing for the Easter celebration of Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist. Please do remember them in your prayers as this is a very special moment on their spiritual journey.

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.

First Confessions – Please remember the First Communion children who will celebrate their First Reconciliation on Saturday 17th March (Groups 1 and 2) and Saturday 24th March (Groups 3 and 4) at 9am. There will be a visiting priest available for any parents who wish to celebrate the sacrament.

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 22nd March 1.00pm. May they rest in peace.

Mass in Celebration of the Sacrament of Marriage – At St George's Cathedral on Saturday 16th June. This Mass will be celebrated by Archbishop Peter Smith. If you are celebrating your 1st, 10th, 25th, 40th, 50th, or 60th Anniversary and would like to attend this Mass please contact the parish office for the application form. You will receive an invitation from Archbishop Peter.

Ursuline High School – Require Exam Invigilators 14th May – 26th June, must be available during this period, £9.75 per hour. For further details or see poster on notice board in the porch or Contact Maggi Chick on maggi@ursulinehigh.merton.sch.uk

St Philomena's School – 125th Year Celebration Ball on Saturday 7th July 2018 from 6.30 11.00pm. See notice board in the porch for all details.

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.

Please Pray for the Sick – Teresa Bearne, Shaun Cassidy, Marc Tannion, Jim Cunningham, Ann Van Essen, Valerie Keogh and Jim Creighan.