St. Teresa's Morden

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Parish Secretary: Mrs. Margaret O'Donovan

Mass Times and Intentions
Sunday 1st April Easter Sunday
Of The Resurrection Of The Lord
Vigil 8.00pm People of the Parish
9.00am Mollie McKeon &
Winifred Madigan R.I.P.
11.00am Patricia Fairhall R.I.P.

Monday 2nd

10.00am Bridie Wells R.I.P. Blessed

Tuesday 3rd

10.0am Thanksgiving

Wednesday 4th

7.30pm.

10.00 Thomas Carroll R.I.P.

Thursday 5th

10.00am Edward Lawrence R.I.P.

Friday 6th
Benediction and Adoration of the
Blessed Sacrament at 9.15am

10.00am Thanksgiving

Saturday 7th

Confessions 10.30 - 11am & 6.00 - 6.15pm

Sunday 8th Second Sunday of Easter

Vigil 6.30pm Carmelo D'Emanuele R.I.P. 9.00am People of the Parish

Sunday 1st:

Easter Sunday – No Refreshments.

Monday 2nd: Bank Holiday

Tuesday 3rd:

Tuesday Club meet at 10.30am in the parish centre.

Prayer and Adoration of the

Sacrament at 7.30pm.

Wednesday 4th:

Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour at 9.30am

Prayer Group in the office at

Thursday 5th:

Legion of Mary meet at 7.30pm in the parish office.

Friday 6th:

The Chaplet of Divine Mercy at 9.30am in the church.

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We wish everyone A Happy Easter.

St. Teresa's School, Montacute Road, Morden. Tel. 020 8648 1846
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Merton Catholic Deanery
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Community Development Manager – Rob Mobile 07429 454480

Last weekends offertory £1391.20 Standing Orders £755.00. Total £2146.20.

Welcome – As we gather to celebrate these Holy Week and Easter days we welcome you to St Teresa's church. Perhaps you are here for the first time. If you have moved in permanently to the area, please complete a parish registration form available at the Contact Corner.

Visitors – Welcome to any visitors who are with us just for Easter. We are delighted to see you and thank you for celebrating with us throughout this festive time.

Easter Offerings – The collection at the Easter Vigil and the 2 Masses on Easter Sunday morning are your personal gifts to Fr John Mulligan. Thank you for your generosity. Envelopes available in the narthex.

Thank You – To the many people who have helped to celebrate these sacred days. To all the musicians, singers, readers, lay ministers, servers, ushers, collectors, IT people, flower arrangers, church cleaners and others, we are grateful for such an effective team of people that help to make St Teresa's such a vibrant community.

RCIA – We warmly welcome Maria Miao Li, Maria Tamami Tsujimvra and Andrew Yaw Ahtwi Boasiako who celebrated their Baptism at the Easter Vigil. Welcome also to Mary Ama Baiden received into full communion with the Catholic Church. Congratulations to all the above and Chris Bouchez who received the sacrament of Confirmation. Last but not least, congratulations to Roselda Drummond who received her First Communion. We keep them and all their sponsors in our prayers.

St Teresa's School Congratulations to year 5 who did such a fantastic presentation of the Easter story last Tuesday evening. Gratitude to school staff for all the creative background material and support. The children were amazing and of course they will always remember the story because they dramatized it so well. On Holy Thursday, the whole school prayed the Stations of the Cross with some beautiful reflections on the journey of Jesus to Calvary. Parents have reason to rejoice. This is evangelisation at its best.

Mother's Prayers – There will be a Mother's Prayers Retreat in Yorkshire if anyone is interested. The dates are Friday 11th May – Sunday 13 May at a cost of £160. Further information is available from carolyn@mothersprayers.org or tel: 01626 879061

Deceased – Please remember in your prayers, Jim Cunningham who died recently. **Harry Spaight** Requiem on Monday 23rd April at 10.00am. May he 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.

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