
St. Teresa's Morden

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2nd June 2019

Mass Times and Intentions

Sunday 2nd June 7th Sunday of Easter

Vigil 6.30pm Jim Creighan R.I.P.

9.00am David O'Connor R.I.P.

11.00am People of the Parish

Monday 3rd: St Charles Lwanga & Companions

10.00am Philip Leahy R.I.P.

Tuesday 4th

10.00am Margaret Fowley's Intention

Wednesday 5th St Boniface

10.00am Teresa & Brendon Dillon R.I.P.

Thursday 6th

10.00am Soo Hu-Fouye's Birthday

Friday 7th First Friday

Adoration from 6.30am

Confessions from 10.30am

Mass 12noon – Anointing of the Sick

Sunday 9th Pentecost Sunday

Vigil 6.30pm Jim Creighan R.I.P.

9.00am Delia Brennon R.I.P. R.I.P.

11.00am People of the Parish

Parish Activities

**Sunday 2nd: 2nd Collection for
World Communications Day**

**Monday 3rd: R.C.I.A. Journey in
Faith at 7.30pm.**

**Tuesday 4th: St Teresa's School
opens today.**

Tuesday Club meet at 10.30am
in the parish centre.

**Wednesday 5th: Novena to Our
Lady of Perpetual Succour at
9.30am.**

**Thursday 6th: Folk Group
practice at 7.00pm.**

Legion of Mary at 7.30pm in
the parish centre.

**Saturday 8th: Confirmation
parents meet at 4.15pm**

**Sunday 9th: Collection for
Catholic Trust for England and
Wales.**

Weekend's Offertory £1487.22. Standing Orders £721.00. Total £2208.22. Thank you.

St Teresa's School, Montacute Road, Morden.

Tel No 020 8648 1846

Headteacher; Mr Justin Dachtler.

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Holy Hour - There will be a one hour Adoration in the parish this Sunday 2nd June from 5pm – 6pm led by the African Community. Everyone is welcome. Please come along.

ADORAMUS – Eucharistic Congress: Successes of the past are just the beginning – this is a time to look forward.

As we start our journey into Pentecost Sunday let us ask the Holy Spirit to lead us all to where we find Jesus in every part of our lives.

Three Essential Elements – Pope Francis described “three essential elements for the Church ‘on its way’: the humility of listening, the charism of togetherness, the courage of renunciation.”

He began with the “courage renunciation,” letting go of our own “human convictions and traditions” in order to find the best way of proclaiming the Gospel. He emphasized the importance of reforming ourselves, first of all – and not a cosmetic reform, but a “conversion of the heart which happens through renunciation.”

We can do this, he said, beginning with the “humility of listening”, allowing the voices of all, and especially the least among us, to be heard. The Pope said that in order to really hear others, we must be disinterested in ourselves, willing to listen to and accept other people’s ideas. Further, we must also “listen to life,” that is, look at reality as it is, rather than focusing solely on ideas.

“From the humility of listening to the courage of renunciation, it all passes through the charism of togetherness,” Pope Francis said. At the meeting in Jerusalem, the Church was gathered around St Peter, through charity “which does not create uniformity, but communion.” Although there were strong personalities present, each with their own ideas, they worked together on account of “the strength of loving each other in the Lord.”

Reminder to all Eucharistic Ministers: Would those who have not yet done so, please collect your volunteer application and consent forms from the contact corner this weekend and return them to the parish office at your earliest convenience. Many thanks.

Legion of Mary – The Legion is extending an open invitation to all parishioners of St Teresa’s who would like the honour of welcoming Our Lady’s Pilgrim Statue into their homes. We will come and pray with you in your house and leave the statue for a week. If you are interested please contact Anastasia on 0208 640 8916/ Pene 07956 578109/ Ellie 07983 642087

St Teresa’s School – There are still some places in our Nursery for this September 2019. Places are for children who will be 3 years old by the 31st August 2019. If you are interested contact Mrs Lorraine Isaac @lorraine.isaac st-teresas.merton.sch.uk or visit the school office on Wednesday mornings. See the poster in the porch.

Celebrating A Special Wedding Anniversary – 1st, 10th, 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th + 60 you are invited to St George’s Cathedral at 3pm on Saturday 13th July. For your personal invitation from Archbishop Peter Smith email mflsw@rcaos.org.uk

We remember Mary Cordelia De Silva in our prayers, who died recently. May she rest in peace.

Missio Red Boxes – If you have a box could you please empty it into an envelope or bag with your name. Monies can be left at the parish office. Thank you.

Please Pray for the Sick - Joseph Lunn, Bediako Poku, Valerie Somerset, Eileen Stephens, Jim Edmonds, Stephen Gaynor, Josephine Fairhall, Anne Howard, Marie Hamilton, Cynthia Christian, Stephen Quilty, Lena McBride, Sheila Dunn, Ann Van Essen, Teresa Bearne and Sean Charlton.