St. Teresa's Morden

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33rd SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

Sunday 17th: Holy Hour and Adoration from **Mass Times and Intentions** Sunday 17th 5.00-6.00pm led by the Mother's Group. Vigil 6.30pm Peter & Mary Doherty R.I.P. Refreshments in the parish centre after the 11am 9.00am People of the Parish Mass 11.00am Dylan McCarthy R.I.P. Monday 18th: Parent and Toddlers in the parish Monday 18th centre at 9.00am. 10.00am Members of the Rodrigues RCIA Journey in Faith at 7.30pm in the parish family R.I.P. centre. Tuesday 19th <u>Tuesday 19th:</u> Tuesday Club meet in the parish centre at 10.30am. 10.00am Samuel Ejoh R.I.P. Wednesday 20th Wednesday 20th: 9.30am Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour. 10.00am Intention of the Kane family Thursday 21st The Presentation of the Thursday 21st; Folk Group practice at 7.00pm in **Blessed Virgin Mary** the church. 10.00am Renath Rodtyler R.I.P. Legion of Mary meet in the parish office at 7.30pm. Friday 22nd St Cecilia 10.00am Ralph Allison Welfare. Friday 22nd: The Chaplet of Divine Mercy at 9.30am. Saturday 23rd Saturday 23rd: 9.30am First Holy Communion Confessions 10.30 – 11am & 6.00 - 6.15pm children in the church and parents in the parish Sunday24th Our Lord Jesus Christ, King centre. **Of The Universe** Sunday 24th : 2nd Collection for the Vigil 6.30pm Davie Whelan R.I.P. **Catholic Youth Work.** 9.00am Sheila Hanrahan R.I.P. 11.00am People of the Parish

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Last weekend's Offertory £1262.52– Standing Orders £714.00 - Total £1976.53 Thank you. 2nd Collection – Archbishops Administration Fund - £330.24. Thank you.

Holy Souls – Envelops and paper are available in the narthex for the names of your deceased relatives and friends. Please place your envelope in the Remembrance box on the sanctuary.

Parents Of Current Altar Servers – We are looking to update our current records of servers and also to explain and gain consent regarding the proposed live streaming of Masses and services at St Teresa's. **There are 25 servers who have not yet returned forms.** Please collect a form from the outer sacristy if you do not have one and complete as soon as possible. With thanks for your continued commitment and support.

New Youth Group – Information meeting Friday 28th November at 7pm: A new youth group for young people aged 14+ (having made their Confirmation), will be starting soon at St. Teresa's. Activities will include monthly meetings, events and social time, retreats and weekends away, and projects to help others in our parish community. The young people will be working towards a Bronze, Silver or Gold 'Faith in Action' Award. This is a National Catholic Youth Award Scheme, which challenges young people to put their faith into action. For more information please come along to the meeting on the 29th November.

Save the Date – Our next International Evening will be held on Saturday 7th December. Communities please consider a food stall, this is a celebration of culture and custom. It is also a fundraiser for our Parish. Raffle tickets now available in the narthex £10 a book; with the first prize of £1000, 2^{nd} and 3^{rd} £250 shopping vouchers. Please support this wonderful parish community event.

The God Who Speaks: Year of the Word 2020: These Readers Workshops are being held; one for young readers and one for adult readers, at St. Teresa's 2pm -4pm on Saturday 23rd November (for youth) and Saturday 30th November (for adults). Anyone who wants to develop skills in this valued ministry for the Church is invited to attend; all are welcome.

St. Philomena's Old Girls Association: The Annual Memorial Mass for deceased members of St. Philomena's Old Girls Association will be offered on Sunday 17th November at 11am at Holy Cross Church, North Street, Carshalton, SM6 2JD. Parking is available in the Council car park in Denmark Road. Tea and coffee will be served in the hall following Mass..

Missing - a music hymn book has gone missing from the choir loft. Please return as soon as possible. Many thanks

Children's Newsletter: We are trialling a newsletter, produced by Redemptorist Publications, for children over a few weeks. Please encourage your child to take one home. Any feedback would be appreciated.

Church cleaners – If you have an hour to spare 8 – 9am on a Thursday morning to help our faithful cleaners, please just turn up.

We pray for the Sick and Housebound – Jim Edmunds, Halahakone Ezra, Johnny Greenan, Erika Geddes, Emmah Tigere, Penny Brummel, Barry Falcon, Denise Waaldjk, Lorraine Miller, Dorothy Pearce, Joseph Lunn, Irene Ward, Valerie Somerset, Marie Hamilton, Cynthia Christian, Lena McBride, Ann Van Essen, Teresa Bearne and Sean Charlton.