



St. Teresa's Morden

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Mass Times and Intentions-Year B:

CONFESSIO after all Masses ✕

ADORATION Monday to Friday 8am ✕ DIVINE MERCY Monday to Friday 9.30am ✕

ROSARY after Mass Monday to Friday ✕ NOVENA to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour Wednesday 9am ✕

Saturday 7 th September First Saturday	4.30pm 5.30pm	Devotions In Reparation to the Blessed Virgin Mary Ryan Glossop's Intentions Maria Munnelly's Intentions
Sunday 8th September 23rd in Ordinary Time	9am 11am	People of the Parish Despina & Carmelo Emanuele RIP Savita Fernandes RIP
Monday 9 th September	10am	Perpetue Kamenyezid & Antoinette Ndeze RIP
Tuesday 10 th September	10.00am	Christopher & June O'Byrne & Deborah Thorpe RIP Year 1 at Mass
Wednesday 11 th September	10am	Anthony Johnson Family Intentions
Thursday 12 th September	10am	David Umuze RIP Requiem Mass
Friday 13 th September St John Chrysostom, Bishop & Doctor	10am	Olivia Coelho RIP
Saturday 14 th September	5.30pm	Patrick Diver RIP Richie Desparo RIP
Sunday 15th September 24th in Ordinary Time	9am 11am	People of the Parish <i>Evangelii Gaudium (Home Mission Sun)</i> Pamela Venkat RIP

ADORATION – Monday to Friday 8am

TUESDAY EVENING WEEKLY ADORATION The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed for Adoration from 7pm – 9pm every Tuesday.

LEGION OF MARY - The Legion of Mary meet Thursday evening 7pm in the Parish Centre.

TEA & COFFEE IN HALL –TEA & COFFEE after the 11am Mass in the Parish Hall

CHOIR PRACTICE – TBA

DECEASED & SICK Please pray for those who have passed away recently, especially Julia Gomes RIP and remembering her family at this time, Bart, Bambina, Agnelo, Claude and Daniel, all her friends and those who knew her. We also remember those with anniversaries at this time, those on our Parish Sick List, those in care homes, or housebound. (See online for full list of names).

STAYING IN ST HELIER HOSPITAL Please remember if you or a member of your family is taken to hospital to ask the ward staff to inform the Roman Catholic Chaplain, Fr. Philip Pak or call him on 07477 545080. If Fr Philip knows you are in the hospital, he will ensure you receive a visit and Holy Communion if required.

WELCOME BACK ST TERESA'S SCHOOL!

Welcome back to everyone and we hope you had a great rest over the summer. Beginning of term Mass will be on Wednesday 11th September at 1.45pm for parents and pupils, we look forward to seeing you then.

On Tuesday 10th September Year 1 will be joining us at the 10am Mass.

THIS WEEK SECOND COLLECTION

Sunday, 8 September 2024 Education Sunday falls just as the new academic year starts and is one of the oldest Days of Special Prayer in England and Wales, established 175 years ago in 1848. It provides an opportunity to celebrate and give thanks to all involved in making Catholic schools places of enlightenment, as well as to look forward in anticipation of the year ahead.

WEDDING DRESS DONATED

If you are looking for a wedding dress, or know of anyone looking for one please speak to Con or someone in the parish office. It is size 12 in a Sand/Nude colour with lace effect.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS PROGRAMME (RCIA) 2024 -2025

THINKING ABOUT BECOMING A CATHOLIC? Or wanting to explore your Catholic faith further?

The St Teresa's Morden RCIA course will start during the second week in September 2024. The programme will consist of weekly sessions (Thursdays @7.30pm) running through the Easter season, including vital dates during Lent. The programme is for adults who have not been Baptised and for Christians of other denominations who want to be Received into the Catholic Church.

It can also be a good experience for full members of the Catholic Church who may not have practised their faith for a number of years, or for those who wish to more fully understand and deepen their faith. Everyone is welcome along!

Please email the Parish Office for a registration form, go online to <https://www.stcm.org.uk/> or pick one up from the information desk at the back of the church to register for the upcoming programme. The clergy, parish leads, RCIA co-ordinator and RCIA catechists are available to address any questions at the back of the church.

RCIA is much more than a programme. It is a learning and loving process in which conversion of the heart, brings one to Jesus Christ. The RCIA team - Marion Akuamoah, Co-ordinator and Freda McKeon, Lead Catechist - invites you to come and see!

The RCIA team will be hosting a Spiritual Half-day for RCIA Godparents/Sponsors on 7th September in the parish hall 9.30am-12.30pm.

Last weekend's Offertory: £950.33 THANK YOU!

Next week Second Collection: Evangelii Gaudium (Home Mission Sunday) *"We cannot forget that evangelisation is first and foremost about preaching the Gospel to those who do not know Jesus Christ or who have always rejected him. Many of these are quietly seeking God, led by a yearning to see his face... Christians have the duty to proclaim the Gospel without excluding anyone".*

Evangelii Gaudium, §14