
St. Teresa's Morden

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21ST FEBRUARY 2016

Mass Times and Intentions

Sunday 21st 2nd Sunday of Lent

Vigil 6.30pm Jim McCoy R.I.P.

9.00am People of the Parish

11.00am Stephen Barrett R.I.P.

Monday 22nd The Chair of St Peter the Apostle

10.00am Marlyn Mullins Intention

Stations of the Cross after every morning Mass

Tuesday 23rd

10.00am Funeral – Maddalena Warwick R.I.P.

Wednesday 24th

10.00am Michael & Joan Gould's Intention

Thursday 25th

10.00am May Cleerys Intention

Friday 26th

Benediction and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at 9.15am

10.00am Thanksgiving – Mother Mary

Saturday 27th

Confessions 10.30 – 11am & 6.00 -6.15pm

Sunday 28th 3rd Sunday of Lent

Vigil 6.30pm John Reilly R.I.P

9.00am John & Maureen Smith's Intention

11.00am People of the Parish

Parish Activities

Sunday 21st: 2nd Collection for CAFOD, please use their own envelopes.

Refreshments after the 11am Mass in the parish centre.

Monday 22nd: Parent and Toddlers meet at 9.00am in the centre.

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

Tuesday 23rd: Tuesday Club in the parish centre at 10.30am.

Prayer and Adoration 7.30pm

Wednesday 24th: Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour 9.30am.

Prayer Group at 7.30pm in the office.

Thursday 25th: Junior Youth at 5pm.
Folk Group practice at 7.00pm.
Legion of Mary meet at 7.30pm.

Friday 26th: The Chaplet of Divine Mercy at 9.30am.

Senior Youth Club at 7.00pm.

Saturday 27th: 11.15am Syro-Malabar Malsysalam Mass.

4.30pm Confirmation Group meet in the parish centre.

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

Headteacher: Mr Justin Dachtler.

Merton Catholic Deanery

www.mertoncatholics.org.uk

Community Development Manager – Rob Mobile 07429 454480

Thank you for the weekend collection £1334.38. **Standing Orders** £689.00. **Total** £2023.38.

Congratulations – To Fr Brian Coyle who has just been appointed Rector of St John's Seminary, Womersley. We wish him every blessing in his new appointment.

First Holy Communion – Children and parents meet next Saturday 27th February at 9.30am, and are invited to attend the 6.30pm Mass.

Everyone – Please think about Lent – Many people have family members and friends to whom the church is no longer relevant. This Lent – in the Year of Mercy – perhaps we could bring all those people who are still searching for something or someone – to the heart of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. We can bring them in person or in prayer each Tuesday evening for adoration 7.30 – 9.00pm. there will be a special **Book of Prayer** where you can write their (first) names and we will pray for them throughout the great season of Lent.

We shall also run **Landings** during Lent. This is a small discussion group set up to welcome returning Catholics who may want to explore the obstacles, the confusions and the boundaries. So if we know someone who is searching and asking – please inform / invite them. Landings Session 1 on Tuesday 23rd February 7.30 – 8.15pm in the parish office.

Help – We need readers for all three weekend Masses. Also is there any one with IT experience who could help prepare the hymns for the projector screens on Sunday. Any musicians in the congregation who could manage piano or organ on Sundays? Please see Fr John.

Lenten Booklets – In the book stand in the Narthex are many booklets including Lenten books and Stations of the Cross etc for sale.

Deceased – We remember Maddalena Warwick who died recently. Her Requiem Mass will be on Tuesday 23rd February, 10am, and Karl Joseph Jansen – his Requiem Mass will be on Wednesday 2nd March 10am May they rest in peace.

Parenting With Faith – A series of talks for parents and sponsors. “Parenting Through The Sacraments” with Jenny Baker. Wednesday 2nd March 2016 (7pm – 9pm) Sacred Heart Church Hall, Edge Hill, Wimbledon, SW19 4LU.

“Welcomed, Loved and Forgiven” with David Wells. Wednesday 4th May 2016 (7pm – 9pm) St Teresa's Church, 250 Bishopsford Road, Morden, SM4 6BZ.

Saturday Sports Sessions – Every Saturday 11.30am to 2.00pm meet by the Church Hall for Saturday sports. 11 to 17 year olds all abilities welcome.

Women's World Day of Prayer - Friday 4th March 2016.

Medjugorje 2016 – Pilgrimage to Medjugorje from Sunday 15th May to Saturday 21st May. Fly from Gatwick to Split, Easyjet. Further information see poster in porch or call Maridavid on 07930 629772 or email maridavidboa @ hotmail.co.uk

Epsom & District Irish Association – Are holding their next dance at the Rhodrons Club, Rhodrons Avenue, Chessington KT5 1BA phone 020 8397 2683. Its on 26th February 2016 dancing from 8.30pm until 11.30pm. Tickets £5 on the door.

Prayer for the Sick – Please remember in your prayers all those confined to home or hospital. Valerie Keogh, John Payne, Winnie Mann, Finola Kirrane, Frank Macklin, Anthony Kayode, Mariquinha De Sa, Jim Creighan, Meta O'Donnell, Winifred Rogers and Lira Fernandes.