

St Teresa's Parish, Morden. 11am Mass

Evaluation Questionnaire January 2018

1. What do we do well at St Teresa's?

Everything****. Warm & welcoming*****. Teaching the Word of God. Integration of culture. Celebration of Mass *****. Planned, efficient organisation*****. Liturgy*****. Great music***** & singing***. Fantastic, vibrant choir*****. Folk choir*** & Trad choir***. Beautiful music. Inspiring homily*****. Heating. Family, friendly***. Wonderful Community network*****. Lively. Diversity*****. You're good. Participation. Interaction. Inclusive*****. Communication****. Children's liturgy*****. 1st Comm prep*****. Confirmation. Parish priest*****. Priest greeting people before & after Mass. Great school links*****. Altar servers*****. Time management.** Collections. Teaching. Projectors*****. Openness. Catechesis. Supportive. RCIA***. Fr Philip. Clean & tidy church. Ethnic Mass celebrations. Flowers. Co-operation. Strong pastoral leadership. Thank you for Christmas & Easter. I love the parish. Amazing place. .

2. What is missing from the parish Community?

Parking*****. More involvement**. Youth services****. Induction for new arrivals**. Coffee shop. Night time Mass. Secondary school. Adult formation***. Children's Mass. Better communication**. Loosing youth services. Cohesiveness. Lifts to Mass for elderly. Gathering outside of Mass*****. Social club. Strong sense of identity. Home visits*. Age 4-6 activity. Togetherness. More Confession times. More seats. More congregational singing. Christmas fete**. Outreach*****. Intergenerational projects. 9am weekday Mass**. Quiet room for children. Children's choir. Education for children not in St Teresa's School. Daytime adoration. Belonging. Pastoral support from priest. Opportunities for learning. Bigger statue of St Teresa.

3. What could we do better?

Introduce socials*****. Sunday evening Mass*****. Saturday morning Mass. Welcome new families. Young prayer group*****. More info on website**. Celebrations for older people**. Invite others to join choir*****. Better seating for special needs. More readers. Appears to be a hierarchy. Fund raising***. Better communication. Involve school more. Welcoming on arrival for Mass. Involve younger generation of Catholics***. Sign posting. Make Mass longer. Invite Bishops to preach more often**. Pilgrimages to Fatima & Lourdes. More sanctuary decorations. Less singing at 11am. Co-ordination of participation. Include people with disability. Discussions. Arrive on time for Mass. Better albs for servers.

4. What would help St Teresa's move forward ?

Extend Hall*****. Community kitchen*****. Extend gallery. Youth-led Involvement*****. Meet & celebrate. Contact with other faiths. More priests*. Deacons. Sunday baptism. More lay ministers for 11am Mass. More

funds. Bible classes***. Ask everyone to help with funds. Charismatic renewal. Talk to new people. Time. Active participation. Young people on PPC. All Mass on screens. Mother Mary prayer meeting.

Country of origin: Philippines. Sri Lanka .India. Congo. Italy. Eritrea. Trinidad. England. Ireland. Ghana. Canada. Mauritius. Nigeria. Ecuador. Goa. Belize. Zimbabwe. Bangladesh. Poland. Malaysia. Brazil. Romania. Portugal. Greece. Guyana.

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