Roman Catholic Church of Saint Teresa of the Child Jesus

NEWSLETTER 15th/16th SEPTEMBER 2018

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TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

MASS DURING THE COMING WEEK

Sat.15TH Sept.	**6.30pm**	**The People of the Parish**	
Sun. 16thSept	**08.00am**	**The Family of Marette Wakeman**	
	10.00am	**Derek Whittle, Int.**	
Mon. 17th Sept.	**10.00am**	**Amina El-Asla, Int.**	**Feria**
Tues.18th Sept.	**10.00am**	**Sally & Ted. Int.**	**Feria**
Wed.19th Sept.	**10.00am**	**Michael Donnelly, Int.**	**Feria**
Thurs 20th Sept.	**10.00am**	**Teresa Whittle, Int.**	**Ss Andrew Kim Tae'Gon, Priest Paul Chong Ha-Sang & Companions**
Fri. 21st Sept.	**5.30pm**	**Celia Sparkes, in thanksgiving**	**St Matthew, Apostle, Evangelist**

HOLY DAY MASSES usually at 10.00 am & 7.30 pm: **Baptisms and Marriages** by Arrangement;
Confessions on Saturday evening at 6pm;
Saturday Morning Mass 10.15am on 1st Saturday of the month:
Coffee & Company on Tuesdays 10.30am

ANNIVERSARIES: **Please pray for those whose anniversaries occur about this time:**
Ann Illman, Sarah Kilroy, Rosalie McCoy, Elizabeth Morrall, Peter Lannon, Margaret Hunt, Michael Murphy, Jessie Mitford and Jozef Wator,

Rotas for Next Weekend 22nd/23rd September

Mass	Welcomers	Eucharistic Ministers	Readers
6.30 pm	Anne Harding & Regina Hall	Wendy Everitt & Thea van Dam	Jeanette Hyde & Ingrid Gardner
08.00 am	Chris Newton & Philip Pope	Brian & Sandi Janes	Claire Collins & Liz Clark
10.00 am	Vivienne Reid & Patrick McAleavey	Sue Bolton & Maggie Wren	Nick Jepson & Theresa Aldis

Offertory: The Doran Family **Cleaning:** Shelagh Williams & Paula McAleavey
Coffee : Liz & Sean Duffy **Children's Liturgy** : Joanna McBride
Flowers : Theresa & Dee

Last Weekend's Offertory : £745.76 **Second Collection** : Home Missions

Next Week : SVP

Thank you for all you do to help and support Our Parish
Father Joseph, MSFS

There is a Second Collection after Masses this weekend to support the work of the Home Mission Office whose vision is to help the local Church make the joy of the Gospel a reality. The money given to this collection does not go abroad but is used to help Catholics throughout England and Wales become more confident in sharing their faith

Our Patronal Feast Day of St Teresa – will be celebrated at the **10am Mass** on **Sunday 30th September followed by a BBQ in the Parish Garden.** Please note that there will be **no 8am Mass** on that day.

The **Reconciliation and Communion classes** for children going into Year 3 or older will begin with an introductory session for the children and their parents on **Saturday 29th September 2018 at 9am** in the narthex. The pink enrolment forms are in the narthex with a list of dates attached. Please return completed forms to the presbytery. For any further information or queries, please contact Katherine Shaw (kathshaw@gmail.com) or Fr Joseph.

This year the Diocese has requested that a headcount is taken at Masses on the weekends of September 22/23 & 29/30 and October 6/7 & 13/14. Mass.

Advance Notice!! – Our **Christmas Fayre** will be held on **Saturday, 24th November** and preparations are now underway. If you have enthusiasm, new ideas and would like to be involved in the advance planning and organisation of this very popular social and fundraising event, we would welcome your support. Please contact Sue Jepson for more information at sue_jepson@hotmail.com or Tel: 01494 891520

Dates for the Diary:

- **Fri. 28th September** – Parish Walk – details to follow
- **Friday 12th October** – CAFOD Harvest Fast Day
- **Sat**.24 November – Christmas Fayre

St Teresa's School will be holding their annual **Community Day** on **Monday 1st October celebrating a Feast Day Mass at 11.00am.** All are welcome to join us for refreshments after Mass. We are taking the theme of 'Family' based on a quote from St. Therese.

"To remain little is to recognise one's nothingness, to expect everything from God, as a little child expects everything from his father."

We will be learning about the life of St. Teresa and praying in a variety of ways, including using interactive prayer spaces, as well as producing a prayer resource**. All the parish children of Primary School age are invited to take part. We would also welcome parishioners over the age of 18 who would like to help with prayer, contemplation and creative activities to join us for an hour or more that day.** Please contact the school office on **01844 345005** or **office@st-teresas.bucks.sch.uk.**

Film Evening - **Tuesday 18th September** 7pm for 7.30pm at Ker Anna - "The Blindside" a film, based on a true story, telling what happened when a family reached out to a less fortunate young person. Tea/coffee/a glass of wine available from 7pm; the film begins at 7.30pm.

RIDE+STRIDE for Churches Thank you to everyone – walkers, cyclists, sponsors, cake-makers, etc. - who took part in any way last weekend. An amount in excess of £500 (+ Gift Aid) was raised, half of which will be returned to St. Teresa's.

There will be a Second Collection after Masses next weekend to support the work of the St. **Vincent de Paul Society (SVP**) in our local community.

If you would like to learn more about the Catholic Faith or know of family members or friends who are thinking of becoming a Catholic, please speak to Father Joseph