

<u>Saturday 14th Feast of the Exultation of the Holy Cross</u> Sunday Vigil 5.30pm St Michael <i>Mgr P. Watson RIP</i>	
SUNDAY 15th September 9.00am St Bernadette <i>Pro populo</i> 10.15am SS Peter & Paul <i>Florence and Jean Kelly RIP</i> 11.30am St Michael <i>Thomas Mullen RIP</i> 5.00pm SS Peter and Paul Adoration and Vespers	
<u>Monday 16th September Memoria of SS Cornelius and Cyprian, Martyrs</u> <i>Vespers at 6.10pm St Michael</i> 6.30 pm St Michael <i>Andrew Jameson</i>	
<u>Tuesday 17th Feria</u> 9.30am SS Peter & Paul <i>Rev. M Jordan RIP</i> 9.30am St Bernadette <i>Service of Word and Communion</i>	
<u>Wednesday 18th Feria</u> 8.00am St Edmund's School <i>Holy Souls</i> <i>Mass at the Carmelite convent at 9.00am</i>	
<u>Thursday 19th Feria</u> <i>Mass at the Carmelite convent at 9.00am</i>	
<u>Friday 20th Memoria of St. Andrew Kim Tae-gon and Companions, Martyrs</u> 12.00pm SS Peter and Paul <i>Chizitere Intention</i> (followed by Rosary in the Lady Chapel) 1.00pm St Michael Funeral Service <i>Kirstie Smith RIP</i>	
<u>Saturday 21st Feast of St Matthew</u> <i>Adoration and Confessions 11.00-11.30am St Michael</i> Sunday Vigil 5.30pm St Michael <i>Kathleen McCormack RIP</i>	
SUNDAY 22nd September 9.00am St Bernadette <i>Joe and Phyllis Corey RIP</i> 10.15am SS Peter & Paul <i>Agbasoga Family Thanksgiving</i> 11.30am St Michael <i>Jim and Sarah Andrews (25th Wedding ann.)</i> 5.00pm SS Peter and Paul Adoration and Vespers	
Carmel Chapel <i>Mass daily at 9.00am apart from Tuesday at 4.30pm</i> <i>Vespers and Benediction Sunday 4.30pm</i>	
Confessions: Saturday 11.00am -11.30am St Michael's	
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Monday 7pm - 8pm St Michael's Chapel Wed: 7.30pm- 8.30pm St Michael's Chapel Tuesday 2.pm - 3pm St Bernadette's Friday: 3pm - 4pm St Michael's Chapel Saturday 10.30am -11.30am St Michael's church	

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Twenty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C

In the Parishes...

Please pray for our young people who begin their preparation for Confirmation this week. Next week they will be making their commitment at the 11.30am Mass at St Michael's.

Novena to pray for preparation of Parish Amalgamation Remember this runs from **3rd-11th October**. Holy Mass is at 7.00pm each evening. The idea is that we all attend Mass each day during the novena to build up a joint praying community across the three parishes.

Our First Supper: The three congregations of the parish are invited to a cultural celebration during the Novena on **Saturday 5th October** after Mass at St Michael's. You are asked to bring and share a traditional dish from your region of origin. eg. Guinness stew, Lancashire hotpot, haggis, chinchin, jollof rice, curry, noodles, bakewell tart, bara brith etc.etc, tea/coffee available, BYO. The evening will also include a presentation of memories from all three parishes to celebrate our new union and spiritual journey.

Please contact your parish rep with your stories and photos! For St Michael's please contact Catherine Arthurs or Bernadette Brady, for St Bernadette's, Bryan Dyce and for SS Peter and Paul, Angela Fagan. Many thanks.

Youth Groups at SSPP are starting up again after the summer break. **EDGE** (10 to 14 years old) Meet in the Guild Room and **EDGE PLUS** (15 to 17 years old) Meet in the Milner Room both on **Friday 20th September 6.30pm to 8.00pm**

Lectio Divina SS Peter & Paul at 11:15 on Friday mornings. An opportunity to share the scriptures begins again on 6th September.

St Bernadette's Autumn Fayre will take place on Saturday 9th November, 1pm -3pm in Wombourne Community Centre. If you would like to help please contact Charlie Beare 07774 693054

Joint Christmas Fayre 2019 SS Peter & Paul and St Michael planning meeting will be on Monday 16th September 2019 at 7.00pm at St Michael's meeting room. You are welcome with new ideas and initiatives to make it a grand success.

SS Peter & Paul Christmas Raffle. Please sign the list in the porch if you would like to donate a prize. Raffle tickets will be available soon.

Charitable outreach...

On 21st -22nd September the second collection will be for **Father Hudson's Care** to support their mission of supporting vulnerable people across the Archdiocese of Birmingham. Father Hudson's reaches out to people of all ages who need support at times of adversity. Please give generously to this worthy cause.

MacMillan Coffee Morning: You are invited to our Coffee morning at Penn Bowling Club, Manor Rd, Penn WV4 5PY between 11 - 2pm on Friday 27th September.

The CAFOD Quiz This weekend is the last opportunity to pick up the Quiz, but you still have a week to work on it. Please return the sheet to one of the CAFOD group or to the sacristy by next Sunday, 22nd.September.

SVP - September is awareness month for which the theme is " Love your neighbour ". Please see posters in church each Sunday. The second collection on September 28/29th will be for the two local SVP Conferences - Bless you for your generosity in helping us to support those in our area who are in need.

Mary's Meals Campaign: Please can you help to collect backpacks and their contents so that children have the wherewithal to go to school for education - and a meal? Primary age-summer uniform and flip-flops needed; pencil cases and contents (rubber, sharpener, ruler); small hand towels, toothbrush and paste, soap; small child's ball. Any queries to Youth Leaders at St Michael's or mibeyg@hotmail.co.uk.

Other....

Canonisation of Blessed John Henry Neman Fr. Guy Nicholls Cong Orat will be giving a talk on his life followed by Evening Prayer & Benediction on Sunday 6th October at 6.00pm at St. Mary's Church, Willenhall. Refreshments and an opportunity to ask questions and mingle will follow.

BAPTISED AND SENT: OUR CALL TO BE MISSIONARY DISCIPLES Saturday 12th October, 10am to 5pm, at St. Peter's RC School, Solihull B91 3NZ Diocesan Justice & Peace Assembly, which is celebrating the Extraordinary Missionary Month, declared by Pope Francis for this October, by inviting you to reflect on your experiences, celebrating and putting into action the call to mission for justice, peace and care for creation. Join the Columban Missionaries and people from across the Archdiocese to explore our call to be missionary disciples. Bring your own lunch. No charge, donations welcome. Register on-line at http://bit.ly/JandP_Assembly2019. Queries to Stephen Awre. Email: events@columbans.co.uk Tel: 01564 772 096.

Finances

Church	St Michael	SS Peter & Paul	St Bernadette
Gift Aid	£356.45	£186.90	£134.00
Non-Gift-Aid	£407.44	£186.19	£ 84.55
Second Collection Catholic Education:£309.46			

Second collection today for Home Mission Sunday

Upcoming Second Collections: 22nd September Father Hudson's Society 29th September SVP

Rotas...

Counting Teams	SS Peter and Paul St Michael	(A)Jim, Hazel, Carmel (D)L Palmer, D Spinks (E) C Starkey, R Starkey
Cleaners	St Michael St Bernadette	Roy Pope, M Tilley, M Mitchell, Tina (Friday at 10.00am) A Thomas, G Porter

FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK:Billy Whittingham, Ann Lewis, Mary Landers, Mary, Thomas Mackin, Fr David Duggan, Stephen Briggs, Sandra Treanor, Hilary Elsdon, Fr Dawid Piskorz, Katherine Poole,Teresa Mitchell, Mary Lawley, , Ann Bayley, Helen O'Brien-Coleman, Mary Abbiss, Peggy McHale, Patrick Quinn, Andy Callow, Fred & Celia Norton, Jean Hollingshead, Margaret Stokes, Leah Nixon, Pat Pool, John Dolan, Liam Dolan, Marie Looker, Lorna Ciraulo, Pat Eades, Helen Porter, Mary Kirby, Sheila O'Toole, Tony McGinn, Brendan Bleakley.

FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED RECENTLY:Val Phillips, Michael Terry, Thomas Mullen, Brother Rodger Moloney OH, Marie Hamond, Sue Yates **May they rest in peace.**

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