



# THE PARISH OF BLESSED CARLO ACUTIS

INCORPORATING THE CHURCHES OF



**ST MICHAEL,  
SS PETER AND PAUL & ST BERNADETTE**

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## Timetable of Online Masses and Services 26<sup>th</sup> June 2022

For Online Masses, go to [www.carloacutis.co.uk](http://www.carloacutis.co.uk)

### SUNDAY 26<sup>th</sup> JUNE THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**Saturday Vigil** 5.30 pm St Michael *Chris Starkey RIP*  
**SUNDAY** 9.00 am St Bernadette *Pro populo*  
 10.15 am SS Peter & Paul & Online *Con McBride RIP*  
 11.30 am St Michael *John Mulvehill RIP*  
 5.00 pm St Michael Syro-Malabar Liturgy

### Monday 27<sup>th</sup> June Feria

1.00pm SS Peter & Paul Funeral Service *Greta Birch RIP*  
 5.00pm St Michael Vigil Reception *Christine McHale RIP*  
 5.45 pm St Michael Adoration in the Lady Chapel  
 6:30 pm St Michael *Mary Rowley RIP*

### Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> June Memorial of St Irenaeus Bishop, Martyr

9.30 am SS Peter & Paul *Betty Green RIP*  
 11.45am St Michael Requiem Mass-*Christine McHale RIP*  
 7.00pm St Michael *Fr Gary's leaving Mass*

### Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> June Solemnity of SS Peter & Paul, Apostles

10.00am St Michael (with school)  
 12.00 noon St Bernadette *Patricia & Henry Whitehead RIP*  
 12:30 SS Peter & Paul *Margaret Barratt RIP*  
 7:00pm St Michael *George Brown RIP*

### Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> June Feria

10.00am St Bernadette Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament  
 12.00 noon St Michael *Kate Warrett*

### Friday 1<sup>st</sup> July Feria

9.30 am St Bernadette *Brian & Christine Drakely*  
 12.00 SS Peter and Paul *Roger Page RIP*  
 12.30pm SS Peter & Paul *Divine Mercy Devotions*

### Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> July Feria

10.30 am St Michael Adoration then 11.00 am Confessions

### SUNDAY 3<sup>rd</sup> July FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**Saturday Vigil** 5.30 pm St Michael *Julie & Len Collins 55<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary*  
**SUNDAY** 9.00 am St Bernadette *Pro populo*  
 10.15 am SS Peter & Paul & Online *Lily McLoughlin RIP*  
 11.30 am St Michael *Peter Mulvehill RIP*  
 5.00 pm St Michael Syro-Malabar Liturgy

## ***Parish News and Activities***

**FR GARY'S LEAVING MASS** is at St Michael's Church this **Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> June at 7.00pm**. Don't forget this is followed by a party in the hall. All welcome!

**ANNUAL NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL SUCCOUR** takes place again this year at Our Lady's on the Cannock Road, WV10 8PG. The theme this year is **"The Mass: Source and Summit of the Christian Life"** It runs from Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> to Monday 27<sup>th</sup> June 2022 Holy Mass: daily at 7 p.m. (Saturday at 5.30 p.m.) ALL WELCOME

**ANNUAL DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO THE DIOCESAN SHRINE OF OUR LADY OF LOURDES AT HEDNESFORD** on Sunday July 3<sup>rd</sup>. 1 pm refreshments available, 2.15 - 3.45 Confessions, 3 pm Rosary, 4 pm Mass with Anointing - Celebrant Bishop David Evans. **Please bring your own chairs.**

Hednesford is near Junction 11 M6 & Junction T7 Toll Rd. Trains from Birmingham New St to Hednesford, Church & Shrine on Uxbridge St WS12 1DB. For more information - Fr Jeremy Howard 07868 542268 -

[fr.jeremy.howard@rcaob.org.uk](mailto:fr.jeremy.howard@rcaob.org.uk)

**LEGION OF MARY** meets in the Guild Room every Sunday after the 10.15am Mass at SS Peter & Paul, All welcome!

**PRAYER GROUP at SS Peter & Paul** The **"Divine Light Prayer Group"** meets every Sunday after 10:15am Mass. Come along and join us in our Praise and Worship. All Welcome.

**Lay Associates of Sisters of St Ann known as the LASA Prayer Group** meets every Tuesday at 5.00pm in the Lady Chapel at St Michael's Church. We are a prayer-based group of Lay people both men and women led by our parish sisters, Sisters of St Ann of Providence. Each week we spend time in adoration, Lectio Divina, Faith sharing and Rosary offering prayers to support our parish, the wider community and the needs of the whole World. It is also a great opportunity to explore and enrich our faith through informal discussions and fellowship. Everyone is welcome to join us in our mission of much needed prayer. If you wish to share the mission of the Sisters of St Ann and be a part of this worldwide LASA Family, please contact either Sr Rita or Sr Lydwin.

**HELP URGENTLY NEEDED PLEASE AT ST MICHAEL'S** We need help to set up and serve after-Mass teas & coffees for charity after 11.30am mass on Sundays. Rota system in place covering 2-3 Sundays per month.

Contact Sarah: 07948 963325 [sarahandrews1970@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:sarahandrews1970@yahoo.co.uk)

**SAFEGUARDING NOTICE** In line with Diocesan safeguarding regulations, children of primary school age must be accompanied by an adult if they need to leave the church to use the toilets during Mass or other Church services. Thank you for your help in keeping our children safe.

**MASS FOR THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK** - advance notice that this special Mass is scheduled for September 3<sup>rd</sup> at St Michael's with Fr Mark as the Celebrant. More reminders and details nearer the day.

**COFFEE AFTER THE 9.00AM MASS AT ST BERNADETTE'S THIS SUNDAY.** Please call in as this will be Fr Gary's last Sunday with us.

**KEYS TO ST BERNADETTE'S HALL** Could the person who has borrowed a set of keys to the hall return them to Alison Banyard as soon as possible? Please ring her on 07581 340921. Many thanks.

**TRAINING DAY FOR THE ALTAR SERVERS AT ST MICHAEL'S:** All our young people who wish to render their service as Altar servers at St Michael's church are invited for a training session on Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> July 2022 at 12.00noon at St Michael's Church. Parents are requested to encourage their children to this privileged role in the Eucharistic celebration and enrol the names of their children before the 9<sup>th</sup> July with Sr Rita.

**KNEELERS FOR THE LADY CHAPEL AT ST MICHAEL'S** Now that the pump bag campaign has is drawing to a close, the next project is to make kneelers to save our knees when praying in the Lady Chapel at St Michael's! Look out for more information on this next week.

## ***Mission and Outreach***

**ALPHA COURSE BEGINS MONDAY 4<sup>TH</sup> JULY** If you would like to help in any way, either to accompany new people or to help provide food, or if you would simply like to attend and bring a friend, please let Fr Sean know as soon as possible. ***Please invite anyone you know who may want to discuss matters of faith in a friendly and relaxed environment.***

**MONTHLY MASS FOR PRISONERS** Inspired by the Synodal meetings, we will be starting a monthly Mass in the parish to specifically remember and pray for those affected by imprisonment. This Mass is open to all, but we especially invite all those who have relatives in, or who themselves have been in prison. The Mass shall take place at SS Peter and Paul Church, every third Saturday of the month, starting on July 16<sup>th</sup> at 12.00 noon. For those unable to attend, we ask for your prayers for prisoners, families of prisoners, victims of those in prison, and for our many Catholic Prison Chaplains.

**FAIRTRADE IN WOLVERHAMPTON** Wolverhampton Fair Trade has been very encouraged by sales at our pop-up shop in the Mander Centre, both before Christmas and over the Easter period. We hope to open again during the summer and are looking to recruit more volunteers to sustain the work. Initially we need people to staff the shop, but we would also be interested in speaking to people with other skills. If you have a morning or afternoon to spare and would like to help out, please contact Simon on 07775 446697 [simonjswanwick@gmail.com](mailto:simonjswanwick@gmail.com)

**KENELM YOUTH TRUST ARE RECRUITING** A year with the Kenelm Youth Ministry team provides an opportunity for those aged 18-25 to minister to young people whilst living and working with other young Catholics. Our Mission Volunteers work at our retreat centres (Alton Castle and Soli), providing retreat experiences for young people and young adults (ages 9 and up).

If you know of any young parishioners who may be interested in joining our youth ministry team, please can you direct them to our website to find out more about the role and to apply at:

<https://www.kenelmyouthtrust.org.uk/youthministryteam.html>

**DONATIONS FOR UKRAINIAN FAMILIES:** The Ukrainian Community Centre is very grateful for your donations of shoes and trainers. Until they reassess the needs of the families coming to live in Wolverhampton and surrounding areas, they have asked for NO MORE DONATIONS AT THIS TIME PLEASE. If, and when they need more help, there will be a notice in the bulletin. Thank you!!

**THE FOOD COLLECTION** continues at all three churches and outside St Michael's on Tuesdays 1-2 and Saturdays 10-11. We welcome donations of FOOD, TOILETRIES and ESSENTIAL HOUSEHOLD ITEMS. As the summer holidays are fast approaching it would be wonderful to get as many supplies as we can to our Free School Meals families before the schools break up. Any cash donations are used to buy supermarket vouchers that give families choice and independence during these very difficult times. This week's donations have been distributed by SS Mary and John Catholic Primary Academy. Their staff sent an email thanking you for supporting their families.

**LIFE CHARITY SHOP 12 LICHFIELD STREET WV11DG** (Tel 01902 420656) Many thanks for all the recent donations of goods. If you're giving bulky items and can't get them to the box at St Michael's or to the shop, please ring Rosalie (01902 330553) to arrange collection.

**LIFE BARBECUE SUNDAY 3RD JULY 5PM-9PM:** Tickets £7.50, available after weekend Masses at St Michael's or phone Rosalie 01902 330553. As usual children under 10 years can come free of charge.

**PUMP BAG MAKERS:** A massive thank you for all your sewing over the last few months. You deserve a rest during the summer holidays. We may well start up again if there is a demand from our local schools. The basket in the porch at St Michael's will be well stocked with kits until the end of June. We have received orders from a further three primary schools this week, Corpus Christi RC, St Andrew's C of E and Bilston C of E. They will be delivered when their Periods Matter orders are completed. Warstones and West Park Primary Schools send their thanks to you!

**Life Caring Outreach** We frequently hear of needy local mums, babies and toddlers. Your gifts of baby clothes and equipment help us meet their needs. Anyone needing such help can contact us via the Life National Helpline 0808 802 5433. This free Helpline also offers a listening ear to anyone worried about any pregnancy related issue, or troubled after experiencing loss of a pregnancy.

**SUDAN BREAKFAST CLUB** For those of you who have been supporting this charity of the past years, there is a report from Sr Angelina on the parish news page of the bulletin. Many thanks for your continuing support.

## *Finance*

Standing Order Blessed Carlo Acutis parish for the month of May 2022: £ 4099.25

**This weekend 25<sup>th</sup> /26<sup>th</sup> June** there will be a Second Collection for **Peter's Pence**

**What is Peter's Pence?** Peter's Pence is the name for the financial help offered by the faithful to the Holy Father in support of his apostolic and charitable mission in favour of the universal Church and the entire world. Each donation, small or large, also has a powerful symbolic value – it is a concrete sign of communion with the Holy Father.

Peter's Pence helps the Holy Father exercise his universal mission in two ways:

- makes possible many works of service throughout the universal Church, carried out by the Departments that assist the Pope in evangelization, the promotion of integral human development, education, communication, etc.;
- contributes to numerous charitable works directly assisting the most in need (people and families in distress, populations hit by natural disasters or war, or who are in need of humanitarian assistance or development support)

### **OFFERTORY COLLECTION FOR SUNDAY 19<sup>th</sup> June 2022**

	<b>SS Peter &amp; Paul</b>	<b>St Michael</b>	<b>St Bernadette</b>	<b>Card Readers</b>	<b>Website</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>Non-Gift Aid</b>	183.44	360.72	72.00	93.00		709.16
<b>Gift Aid</b>	20.00	150.00	65.00	28.00		263.00
<b>Second Collection</b>	Day For Life £237.00					

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**St Michael's Hall Bookings:** [bca.wolves@rcaob.org.uk](mailto:bca.wolves@rcaob.org.uk) **St. Bernadette's Hall:** Alison Banyard, 07581 340921

**Hospital Chaplaincy** New Cross 01902 695098, Russell's Hall 01384 456111 ext. 2352

**Safeguarding Representatives:** Steve & Chris Callow 01902 340775 [sq.blessed.carloacutis.wolves@rcaob.org.uk](mailto:sq.blessed.carloacutis.wolves@rcaob.org.uk)

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK:** Tony Wyer, Anna McGrath, Sr Liamie (Mercy Sisters) Terry Carey, Joseph McCamphill, Richard Rogers, Shirley Deffis Whitaker, Andy Hyatt, Mary Hill, , Johny Burke, Charles Halldron, Marjorie Halldron, Ben McKearney, Philomena Labdy, Steve Kavanagh, Fr John Lungley, Maura Andrews, Teresa Rickards, Antony Cosgrove, Sheila Botwood, Pritpal Dhanjal, Paul Green, R. J, Ben Sherry, Holly Burke, Peter and Margaret Holmes, M Mary, Stephen Briggs, Hilary Elsdon, Katherine Poole, Ann Bayley, Peggy McHale, Patrick Quinn, Jean Hollingshead, Margaret Stokes, Leah Nixon, Pat Pool, John Dolan, Liam Dolan, Marie Looker, Lorna Ciraulo, Helen Porter, Brendan Bleakley

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED RECENTLY:** Ann Birch, Margaret Barratt, Betty Green, Christine McHale, Chris Starkey, Teresa Mitchell, Brian & Christine Drakeley, Barbara Miller. **May they rest in peace.**

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