

Saturday 28th The Holy Innocents
<b>Sunday Vigil 5.30pm St Michael</b> <i>Jean Greenwood</i>
<b>FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY 29th December</b>
9.00am St Bernadette <i>Pro populo</i>
10.15am SS Peter & Paul <i>Peter Tuohy RIP</i>
11.30am St Michael's <i>Celine and Gerard Gartland RIP</i>
<b>Sixth day in the Octave of Christmas Monday 30th December</b>
Vespers at 6.10pm St Michael
6.30 pm St Michael <i>Val Phillips RIP</i>
<b>Sixth day in the Octave of Christmas Tuesday 31st December</b>
9.30am St Bernadette <i>As announced</i>
<b>Vigil of the SOLEMNITY OF THE MOTHER OF GOD</b>
Vespers at 6.10pm St Michael
6.30pm St Michael <i>Terry McHugh</i>
<b>SOLEMNITY OF THE MOTHER OF GOD January 1st 2020 Wednesday</b>
10.00am St Bernadette <i>Thomas Kerney RIP</i>
12.00pm SS Peter & Paul <i>Tom Edgar RIP</i>
<b>Thursday 2 January Memorial of St Basil &amp; St Gregory</b>
12.00pm St Michael <i>Anthony Gallagher RIP</i>
<b>Friday 3 January Christmas Feria</b>
9.30am St Bernadette <i>Service of Word and Communion</i>
12.00pm SS Peter & Paul <i>Paul McGee RIP</i>
<b>Saturday 4 January Christmas Feria</b>
<b>Sunday Vigil 5.30pm St Michael</b> <i>John and Margaret Andrews</i>
<b>SOLEMNITY OF THE EPIPHANY 5 January</b>
9.00am St Bernadette <i>Pro populo</i>
10.15am SS Peter & Paul <i>Bob Jones RIP</i>
11.30am St Michael's <i>Doreen Cartwright RIP</i>

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### FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY Year A



**The Crib Offerings** will again this year go to the charity "Friends of the Holy Land" which funds initiatives giving hope and practical help to the most vulnerable Christians who live today in and around Bethlehem.

**The Solemnity of the Mother of God - New Year's Day** There will be two masses in the parish celebrating this great feast, a vigil Mass at 6.30pm at St Michael's and one at Midday on January 1st at St Peter and Paul's. A great tradition is to attend the Vigil Mass and give thanks for the blessings of 2019 and to pray for peace and new beginnings for 2020.

**Adoration Chapel** at St Michael's will remain closed from Monday 23rd December until 7th January 2020 and will restart on Wednesday 8th January 2020.

**Outreach4Wolverhampton** would like to thank everybody who donated, via the Christmas Greetings Board at St Michael's, the wonderful total of £392! These donations will be used to buy sleep pods and sleeping bags for the homeless in Wolverhampton and Walsall.

**SS Peter and Paul Church** will not be open for private prayer for the next two weeks. We will resume normal opening times the week of 8th January 2020

**SS Peter & Paul 200 Club** now is the time for you to renew your subscriptions.

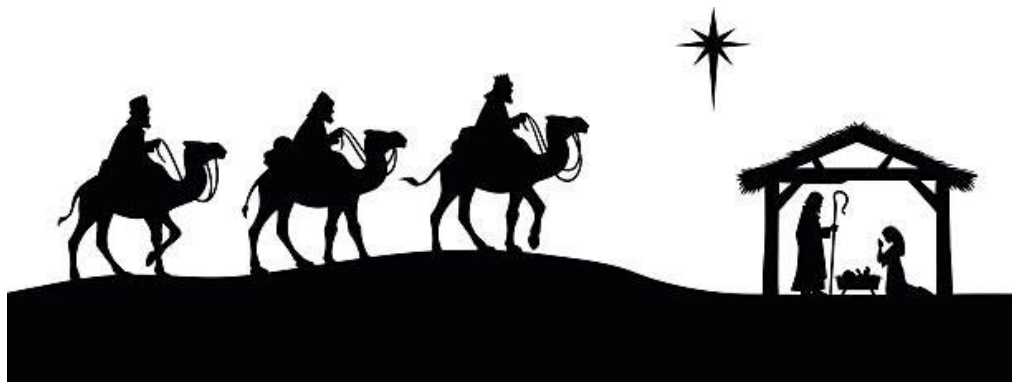
**SS Peter & Paul Gift Aid Envelopes** please pick your envelope up from the porch.

**Lectio** will not be meeting over the Christmas break but will restart on January 10th.

**Support in Loss and Bereavement....** Please see the posters in the back of each Church for further details of professional help that is at hand.

### *Upcoming events....*

**Free Epiphany Concert** by the Wulfruna Ladies Choir in aid of children's charity Power Pleas, who will be joining us, on Saturday the 4th of January at 3pm in St Michael's Church. Refreshments and raffle during the interval. Details from Sarah 07948963325



### *Finances... (4th Sunday of Advent)*

Church	St Michael	SS Peter & Paul	St Bernadette
Gift Aid	£504.75	£146.50	£156.50
Non-Gift-Aid	£345.66	£165.83	£119.29

*Fr Mark and Father Gary thank you for your kind Christmas gifts and presents. We wish you every blessing in the Christmas Octave and for the New Year ahead!*

### *Rotas...*

<b>Counting Teams</b>	SS Peter and Paul St Michael	(C)Theresa, Maureen, Mary (A)Paul R, Margaret R. (B)R. Watkins, S Williams, M Barry
<b>Cleaners</b>	St Michael St Bernadette	M.Collins, W Wozmirska, R Wozmirska Joan Beare & Kath Fallon

**FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK:** Alice Stevens, George Brown, Mary Rowley, Claire Hallett, Chris Starkey, Tom Kirkpatrick, Ann Lewis, M 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, 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:** Seamus O'Dwyer, Thomas Kirkpatrick, Mary Landers, Olive Reilly, Nora McKennagh, Edith Dodd, Carl Winter, Bridget Hannon. **May they rest in peace.**

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