

### Mass Times: 31st March 2019

SM = St Michael SSPP= SS Peter and Paul SB= St Bernadette

Vigil Mass	5.30pm SM	Betty Green (St Michael's)
<b>SUNDAY 31st March</b>	<b>9.00am SB</b>	Krystyna Maria Stewart RIP (1st ann.)
	<b>10.15am SSPP</b>	Eugene Finnegan RIP
	<b>11.30am SM</b>	Sr Margaret Mary
		5.00pm Adoration and Vespers
	<b>7.00pm SSPP</b>	pro populo
Monday 1st April	6.10pm SM	Vespers
	6.30 pm SM	John & Peter Mulvehill RIP
Tues 2nd	9.30am SSPP	Special Intention
	9.30am SB	As Announced
Wed 3rd	8.00am SSPP	Gerry Murtagh (ill)
	9.15 SM School	Avril Wilkes (ill)
	11.00am SB	Stations of the Cross
	6.00pm SB	Patricia Anne Van der Valk RIP
Thursday 4th	11.00am SM	Funeral Mass Ita Ryan RIP
Friday 5th	9.30am SB	Holy Souls
	11.30am SSPP	Stations of the Cross
	12.00pm SSPP	Florence and Jean Kelly RIP
	7.00pm SM	Stations of the Cross
<b>Vigil Mass</b>	<b>5.30pm SM</b>	Peggy Lawton RIP
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>9.00am SB</b>	Hubert Kelly RIP
<b>April 7th</b>	<b>10.15am SSPP</b>	Ellen Finnegan RIP
	<b>11.30am SM</b>	Rose Curtis
		5.00pm Adoration and Vespers
	<b>7.00pm SSPP</b>	pro populo
<b>Carmel Chapel</b>	Mass daily at 9.00am apart from Tuesday at 4.30pm Vespers and Benediction Sunday 4.30pm	
<b>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</b>		
St Michael's Chapel	Monday: 7pm-8pm, Tuesday: 2pm-3pm, Wednesday: 7:30 – 8:30pm, Friday 2pm – 4pm.	
St Bernadette	Thursday 9.30am – 10.30am	
St Michael's Church	Saturday 10.30-11.30am	
SS Peter and Paul	Sunday 6.00pm -6.30pm	
<b>Sacrament of Reconciliation:</b> St Michael: Saturday 11.00am – 11.30am		
<b>SS Peter &amp; Paul's Church is open for silent prayer</b> during the following hours: <b>Tuesdays 8.30am - 11.00am. Wednesdays and Fridays 10.30-3.30pm</b>		

## THE PARISHES OF ST MICHAEL, SS PETER AND PAUL & ST BERNADETTE

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### LAETARE SUNDAY (year C)

**Cyclone Idai Emergency Appeal** The bishops have asked us to have a collection this weekend. ***This is only if you were not able to donate something last week.***

**Lent Penance Services this year** will only be in four churches across the deanery but there will be several priests at each one so that you have a choice as to which priest to go to. Codsall on Friday 12th April, OLPS on Monday 15th April, St Michael's on Tuesday 16th April, Holy Trinity Bilston on Wednesday 17th April. **All at 7.00pm.**

**Easter Vigil Choir practices** As some people were finding Friday nights difficult last year, the practices for the Vigil will be on Wednesdays 3rd, 8th and 17th April. If there are any singers in any of our three churches who have not joined the choir before, you would be most welcome to come along to help celebrate the most important Mass in the church's year.

**Joint Parish Children's Stations of the Cross – 12.00 Good Friday.** We are looking for 14 pairs of readers from **all three churches** either a parent and child, two siblings or two young people – to take part in this special Stations of the Cross at St Michael's. If you would like to be involved, please talk to one of the group after 11.30 Mass or contact Teresa at [t.scragg@virgin.net](mailto:t.scragg@virgin.net). The Stations of the Cross will be followed by CWL Lenten Lunch in the Hall, with donations to Cafod.

**Knights of St Columba Rosary Campaign** Please come along to pray for an end to abortion in the UK. This Sunday afternoon in SS Peter and Paul at 5.40pm

**All EU citizens living in the parish** The Bishops of England and Wales encourage you to go onto the the website [eurights.uk](http://eurights.uk) to help give you clarity in this uncertain time.

## *Ecumenical Lent Activities*

**PENN Easter Service Cards:** St Michael's delivers over 1000 cards to very home in our area. If you can help deliver on some of the longer routes (70 houses=half an hour) named on the board in the porch please let a Rep know.

**Wombourne: Every Tuesday Lent Talks and Lunches will start at 12 NOON**

Week 4 St Bernadette's The Mystery of Relationship and Reconciliation

Week 5 St Benedict's The Mystery of Love and Sacrifice

**City Centre Churches Every Monday** Soup and rolls at 12pm 25th March at University

Chaplaincy, 1st & 8th April at Darlington Street Methodist, 15th april at SS Peter and Paul.

**St Michael's Gift Aid Envelopes** for those who gift aid their offerings are available at the porch. Could you please ensure that you pick up your box of envelopes. Thank you.

**Congratulations and well done** to everyone at St Michael's School. Ofsted have judged them to have maintained their standard as a "Good" School. In Ofsted terms, to retain this label is not easy, so a big word of thanks to the Head and all the staff for all the hard work that goes into sustaining this high level of education and care for the young people in our school.

**CWL Pilgrimage to Evesham. All welcome (including men)** Tuesday 7th May. Coach from St Michael's at 09.15 to Evesham. Free time and annual mass with the CWL of Birmingham diocese at 2pm, followed by tea and cakes. Estimated return 6.30pm. Coach is £15 per person. Contact Sarah for details and to book 07948963325 email [sarahandrews1970@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:sarahandrews1970@yahoo.co.uk)

**Wulfruna Ladies Choir** 25th anniversary charity concert entitled 'Love Songs for Springtime'. Tuesday 9th April, 7.30pm in St Michael's Church hall. Song Sheets provided, lots of favourites to sing along to. Just £5 including refreshments. Book with Sylvia 07843780704

**Mothering Sunday March 31st:** At St Michaels: Delicious cakes, lovely gifts and colourful plants for sale in the Hall after 11.30am Mass. Treat your Mum! All proceeds to Life Charity.

**A Big thank you** to all who supported the latest coffee morning, run by Margaret and SVP, We raised £250 for Dementia UK.

**Creating an Easter Tree at St Michael's:** Sunday 30th March Youth Club session will include discussing ideas for Palm Sunday "Meditation" project (Easter Tree): open to all. [mibeyg@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:mibeyg@hotmail.co.uk)

**St Michael's Rotas for Eucharistic Ministers, Stewards, Cleaners** are available in the sacristy. Could the volunteers please ensure that you take your copy with you.

**SS Peter and Paul Easter Raffle for CAFOD** Tickets will be on sale at this Sunday.

**SS Peter and Paul Youth groups** need drivers and chaperones to help young people attend on Fridays. For more details or if you think you may be able to help, please contact Fr Mark.

**Young people from SSPP and SSMJ** have joined together to perform a interpretation of the Stations of the Cross with narration, music and song. Come and support our young people as we all journey together towards Easter. **Friday 12th April 7pm at SS Peter & Paul Church**

**St Bernadette's Lenten Lunch** on Tuesday 2nd April 2019. Volunteers required to make soup or assist on the day. Please contact Ann Thomas or Brian Dyce. Thanks.

**Holy Week Night Vigil at St Patrick's** Monday 15th April 9.00pm- 12.00am See poster

**The next meeting of the Benedictine Way!** is Tues 2nd April 2019 at 8 pm at Cheviot House, 20 Stockwell Road, Tettenhall, Wolverhampton WV6 9PQ.

**Weaving Women's Wisdom workshop** Saturday 30th March; Cranmer Methodist Church, 289 Newhampton Road West, Whitmore Reans, WV6 0RS 1.30 - 4pm including afternoon refreshments. No charge.

**Diocesan Pilgrimage to Walsingham 11<sup>th</sup> May** Coach departs from **St Patrick's Church (WV10 0QQ)** at 6.30am returning approximately at 9pm (cars may be left on the car park).

Cost £25pp (this covers coach hire, the Pilgrimage Booklet and the entrance to the Priory Gardens). Please contact Fr Pawel on 01902 421676 or [ssmaryandjohn@btinternet.com](mailto:ssmaryandjohn@btinternet.com) For more details <https://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/faqs/walsingham-pilgrimage>

**York Overnight Pilgrimage to St Margaret Clitherow's Shrine** (Patron saint of CWL) Friday 30th August. Luxury coach from St Michael's Church. 2pm mass then 4pm afternoon tea in 5\* hotel. Dinner and breakfast included. Mass at shrine at 10am Saturday then free time before we head home. Twin occupancy £115 per person. Single occupancy £165. Afternoon tea £10 Non refundable deposit of £45 upon booking. Contact Sarah 07948963325. Email: [sarahandrews1970@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:sarahandrews1970@yahoo.co.uk) EVERYONE WELCOME

Finance			Counting Teams	Church Cleaners
	Gift Aid	Non-Gift-Aid	<b>SS Peter &amp; Paul</b>	<b>St Michael's Church</b>
St Michael	£281.61	£521.71	(C)Theresa, Maureen, Mary	<b>at 10am on Friday</b>
SS Peter & Paul	£284.00	£211.67	<b>St Michael:</b>	<b>St Bernadette's Church</b>
St Bernadette	£102.95	£114.37	(E)C Starkey, R Starkey	A Thomas, G Porter
<b>Second Collection this week Cyclone Idai</b>			(F)M. McClure, S Baretto	
Next Second Collection 19th April Holy Places				

**Annual Finance Return** The Finance Committee of the three parishes has published the accounts for each church. You will find a copy on the noticeboard of your church.

**FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK:** Ann Bayley, Brian Chamberlain, Maureen Tighe, Maureen Corbett, Patrick Quinn, Andy Callow, Fred & Celia Norton, Jean Hollingshead, Margaret Stokes, Leah Nixon, Marie Hammond, Pat Poole, John Dolan, Liam Dolan, Marie Looker, Lorna Ciraulo, Pat Eades, Helen Porter, Mary Kirby, Sheila O'Toole, Teresa Mitchell, Tony McGinn, Brendan Bleakley.

**FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED RECENTLY:** Janina Rudzki, Neil Radburn, Paolina Mazzi, Margaret Mary Murray May they rest in peace.

**Safeguarding Representatives:** Steve & Chris Callow (St Michael) 01902 340775, Maria Iafigliola (SS Peter and Paul) 07931406866 Ann Shorthouse (St Bernadette) 01902 326334

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