Saturday 7th September Feria

Sunday Vigil 5.30pm St Michael Finnigan Family

SUNDAY 8th September

9.00am St Bernadette Pro populo

10.15am SS Peter & Paul Middleton, Crane, Grogan and Luetchford families

11.30am St Michael Holy Souls

3.00pm St Michael SVP Mass for the anointing of the Sick

Monday 9th September Feria

Vespers at 6.10pm St Michael

6.30 pm St Michael Thanksgiving to God

Tuesday 10th Feria

9.30am SS Peter & Paul Helen Cummins

9.30am St Bernadette as announced

Wednesday 11th Feria

9.15am St Michael's School Kathleen McCormack RIP

4.00pm St Michael Reception Vigil Thomas Mullen RIP

6.00pm St Bernadette Marie Hammond

Thursday 12th Feria

1.00pm St Michael Requiem Mass Thomas Mullen RIP

Friday 13th Memoria of St John Chrysostom

9.15am St Bernadette's School Holy Souls

12.00pm SS Peter and Paul Maureen Burmiston int. (followed by Rosary in the Lady Chapel)

Saturday 14th Feast of the Exultation of the Holy Cross

Adoration and Confessions 11.00-11.30am St Michael

Sunday Vigil 5.30pm St Michael Mgr P. Watson RIP

SUNDAY 15th September

9.00am St Bernadette Pro populo

10.15am SS Peter & Paul Florence and Jean Kelly RIP

11.30am St Michael Thomas Mullen RIP

5.00pm SS Peter and Paul Adoration and Vespers

Carmel Chapel Mass daily at 9.00am apart from Tuesday at 4.30pm

Vespers and Benediction Sunday 4.30pm

Confessions: Saturday 11.00am -11.30am St Michael's

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Monday 7pm - 8pm St Michael's Chapel Tuesday 2.pm - 3pm St Bernadette's Wed: 7.30pm- 8.30pm St Michael's Chapel Friday: 3pm - 4pm St Michael's Chapel Saturday 10.30am -11.30am St Michael's church

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In the Parishes...

<u>Confirmations for Year 6 Children will be on November 28th this year.</u> Whether your child is in a Catholic school or not you will need to register your child through the parish. Forms are now available at the back of each church. Registration Forms must be completed and returned to either Fr Mark or Fr Gary after Sunday Masses. Applications for this year will close on Sunday, 15th September.

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. Further information next week.

On Saturday 5th October we are sharing our parish stories at a joint social in St Michael's Hall. We still need a volunteer from SS Peter and Paul to co-ordinate memories and photos. For St Michael's please contact Catherine Arthurs or Bernadette Brady and for St Bernadette's, Bryan Dyce.

SS Peter & Paul Heritage Open Day Saturday 14th September 11.00-3.00pm. Please invite your friends and neighbours to visit this historic Church.

SVP Coffee morning will be on Wednesday 11th September at 11.00am at St Michael's church hall. All are welcome.

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

Afternoon T Dance Joint Parish Social Committee invites you to afternoon tea/coffee with biscuits while dancing to the music of Paul and Fran. You and your friends can get in the "Strictly" mood on September 14th, 1.00pm-3.30pm at St Michael's church hall. We need an idea of numbers so please can you register your interest by texting or calling Di on 07763768376.

<u>St Bernadette's Autumn Fayre</u> 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

<u>Joint Christmas Fayre 2019 SS Peter & Paul and St Michael</u> 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.

New parish name I have received the following suggestions so far: Blessed John Sugar, Saint John Henry Newman, The Holy Family, St John Paul II, A female saint, a 20th Century saint, Mary, Mother of God, Seat of Wisdom, Mother of the Church, Our Lady of Good Counsel, Queen of Peace, Help of Christians, or of Perpetual Succour (but there is already a parish with this dedication in Wolverhampton). Fr Mark

Charitable outreach...

<u>On 21-22 September</u> 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.

<u>Free School Meals</u> A massive thank you for the 560kg of food and toiletries you have donated during the summer holidays! The appeal finishes this weekend as the children are now back at school. For more information about the work of The Well (our local Food Bank) please visit <u>www.thewellwolverhampton.co.uk</u>.

<u>MacMillan Coffee Morning:</u> 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 is still on sale. It doesn't need to be returned until 22nd September, so there's still plenty of time. Only £1 (or so) for CAFOD, and you might win a prize!

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.

<u>Mary's Meals Campaign:</u> 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 <u>child's</u> ball. Any queries to Youth Leaders at St Michael's or <u>mibeyg@hotmail.co.uk</u>.

Other

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	£495.30	£321.00	£160.61
Non-Gift-Aid	£393.85	£193.91	£ 64.37
Second Colle	ction N/A		

Upcoming Second Collections: 8th September Catholic Education, 15th September Home Mission 22nd September Father Hudson's Society 29th September SVP

Rotas...

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	0.5	J Taylor, Sally, M Mason, M Mitchell (Friday at 10.00am) G Dyce, B Dyce

FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK: Ann Lewis, Mary Landers, Val Phillips, Mary, Thomas Mackin, Fr David Duggan, Stephen Briggs, Sandra Treanor, Hilary Elsden, Fr Dawid Piskorz, Katherine Poole, Teresa Mitchell, Mary Lawley, Terry O'Connor, 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: Michael Terry, Thomas Mullen, Brother Rodger Moloney OH, Marie Hamond, Sue Yates **May they rest in peace**.

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