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27TH APRIL SECOND SUNDAY AFTER EASTER. DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY
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<p>Saturday Vigil 5:30pm St Michael <i>Bob Henson RIP</i> 9.00 am St Bernadette <i>Pro populo</i></p>	<p>10.15 am SS Peter & Paul <i>Mr & Mrs Lawrence Agbsoga RIP</i> 11.30 am St Michael <i>Vlade Vlade Luzajic RIP</i> 4.00pm St Michael <i>Syro Malabar Liturgy</i></p>
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28th April Monday, Solemnity of St George, Martyr, Patron of England

5.30 pm St Michael *Adoration* 6.00pm *Rosary for Pope Francis* 6.30pm St Michael *Margaret June Chitty*

29th April Feast of St Catherine of Siena, Virgin Doctor of the Church, Patron of Europe
 6.30pm SS Peter & Paul *Stephen Dean RIP*

30th April Wednesday, Easter Feria

9.30am St Bernadette *Glancey RIP*

1st May Thursday Easter Feria

12.00pm St Michael *Ian Duff-Cole*

2nd May Friday Memorial of St Athanasius, Bishop, Doctor of the Church

12.00pm SS Peter & Paul *Adoration* 12.30pm SS Peter & Paul *Tony Burdon RIP*

3rd May Saturday, Feast of SS Philip and James, Apostles

10.30am St Michael *Adoration* 11.00am St Michael *Confessions*

4TH MAY THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

<p>Saturday Vigil 5:30pm St Michael <i>Nora Kennedy RIP</i> 9.00 am St Bernadette <i>Pro populo</i></p>	<p>10.15 am SS Peter & Paul <i>Sean Moroney RIP</i> 11.30 am St Michael <i>Henry Calyton RIP</i> 4.00pm St Michael <i>Syro Malabar Liturgy</i></p>
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Parish Priest: Mgr. Canon Mark Crisp, **Assistant:** Rev Fr. Alex Taylor,

Deacons: Rev. Mr. Michael McKearney, Rev. Mr Gerry Bowen.

Pastoral Assistants: Sr. Lydwin and Sr. Ancita. Sisters of St Ann of Providence.

Parish Office: 173 Coalway Road WV3 7ND, 01902 341343 **Parish House,** 51 North Street, 01902 423005

St Michael's Hall Bookings: 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

Catholic Education from 3-19: sfscmac.co.uk

For Online Masses, go to www.carloacutis.co.uk **Parish Facebook page:** @carloacutisparish

Mass at Carmelite Monastery 9.00am every morning.

The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdioceses policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representatives are Steve & Chris Callow and Marie Yeo. They can be contacted at: sg.blessed.carloacutis.wolves@rcaob.org.uk or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240 safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk if you have any concerns.

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. Also, please do not let children of this age go near the votive candle stands unaccompanied, and do not let them run round the car park. It is important that we do everything to ensure that accidents do not happen. Thank you for your help in keeping our children safe.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO RECEIVE THE BULLETIN BY WHATSAPP please scan this QR code.



News and Activities

MAY ROSARIES The Knights of St Columba will be praying the Holy Rosary every Saturday in May starting at 5.00pm at St Michael's. Please join us.

ROSARY FOR POPE FRANCIS RIP The CWL will lead the Joyful decades of the Rosary for the Repose of the soul of Pope Francis this Monday evening at 6.00pm before Mass. Adoration will therefore begin at 5.30pm. All Welcome!

DAY PILGRIMAGE to FIRST MARIAN SHRINE in ENGLAND (Evesham). Tuesday 6th May. Coach departs at 9.30am from St Michael's. Free time in town. Rosary and Mass 2.00pm followed by Bring & Share Afternoon Tea. Coach departs 5.15pm. Just £25. All welcome. Annual event run by Catholic Women's League. Enquiries and bookings via Sarah 07948 963325 Email: sarahandrews1970@yahoo.co.uk.

THANKSGIVING MASS FOR MARRIAGE 2025 An invitation is extended to married couples, those celebrating a milestone anniversary and those preparing to marry this year, to our annual Mass for Marriage at St Chad's Cathedral on Saturday 3rd May at 12 Noon, followed by light refreshments. Please visit www.vocations.org.uk/marriage-mass or scan the QR code to confirm your attendance by 13th April.



CHILDREN'S CARLO COMPETITION Invitation to children who participate in children's liturgy. Please draw a picture of Saint Carlo or write something about the life of our new saint or about the Canonisation. Children who enter will get a prize as well as the best entry will win a main prize. Deadline 4th May. Please **WRITE A NAME AND CONTACT NUMBER** on the entry and hand it to the priests or the sisters.

CANONISATION OF BLESSED CARLO ACUTIS We have no idea when the new date will be arranged but, in the meantime, we are still working on developing the Shrine of St Carlo in the Lady Chapel in St Michael's. We also have nearly completed a video to show to pilgrims when they visit. To cover these costs there is now a Shrine Fund with special page on our website where people can donate directly <https://www.carloacutis.co.uk/canonisation-fund.html>

LITTLE ANGELS STAY & PLAY GROUP (ages 0-5 years). We get together every Friday 9am-11am during term-time in St Michael's Church Hall. Bring your little ones along. Unlimited tea, coffee and squash plus fruit and toast. Further details from Sarah: 07948 963325

SONGS FROM THE SHOWS - Saturday 17th May at 7.30pm in St Michael's Church for Friends of the Holy Land. Don't miss this splendid night out for only £10 a ticket. Tea, coffee, biscuits and Raffle. On sale from Sat 3rd May or contact Sarah 07948 963325 for online payments and enquiries. (A Catholic Women's League event.)

"THE TRUSTEES OF THE BIRMINGHAM DIOCESAN TRUST are looking to recruit a skilled, Catholic volunteer with professional experience of safeguarding to join the Board of Trustees and chair the Safeguarding Sub-Committee. We'd welcome discussion with anyone interested in this important role - Further details available at www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/Pages/FAQs/Category/safeguarding

Man and Woman He Created Them: A Theology of the Body Teaching Day

With talks from Fr David Marsden & Dr Christine Ward, founders of the Theology of the Body Network UK

If you're a healthcare worker or student, join us on:

Saturday 10th May, 2025

Venue: Polish Millennium House, Bordesley Street, Birmingham, B5 5PH

Time: 9:30am-5:30pm

For ages 18+

Tickets and event schedule available on eventbrite:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/man-and-woman-he-created-them-a-theology-of-the-body-teaching-day-tickets-1301908004889?aff=ebdssbcategoriesbrowse>

For more information, please email: youth@catholicmedicalassociation.org.uk

Mission and Outreach

FOOD COLLECTION: Donations of food (tinned/dried/cereal/ biscuits etc), toiletries (shampoo/toothpaste and toothbrushes/sanitary products/soap) AND essential household items (kitchen and toilet roll/washing up liquid/washing powder) are greatly appreciated by our Free School Meal families. This week's donations have been distributed to local Wolverhampton families. Thank you for your continued support.

MEMBERS OF BLESSED CARLO ACUTIS PARISH are proposing to become a parish which welcomes ex-offenders who wish to attend the parish following their release from prison.

There will be three training sessions for anyone who is interested in being part of the Parish Welcoming Group. The first and third sessions will take place from 6.00-6.45pm in the Guild Room at SS Peter & on Thursday May 22nd and Thursday June 12th respectively. The second session will involve a visit to Oakwood prison on Thursday June 5th, from 12.30 to around 4pm.

If you are interested in becoming part of the Parish Welcoming Group and have not already informed Erik Pearse (01902-750440/ erik.pearse@zen.co.uk), please do so by no later than Sunday May 4th. You will need to be DBS registered in order to visit the prison.

YOU COULD BE A SCHOOL GOVERNOR! Please consider contacting St Teresa's Primary on 01902 558862 to discuss a flexible option to join our team of governors. We are a small school in WV4, with wonderful pupils and exceptional staff on a mission of excellence each day, you would be warmly welcomed.


SUNFLOWERS 🌻 **FOR SUDAN:** Sunflowers (hopefully growing to a height of 2.4 metres!) will be on sale after Mass on Sunday 11th May at St Michael's at 50p each. All cash raised will be sent to Sr Angelina in El Obeid where it will be spent on food and water for the school children in her care.

Finance

MANY THANKS for your generous Easter Offerings to the Priests. May God bless you all in this Easter Season!

OFFERTORY COLLECTION FOR SUNDAY 20th April 2025						
	SS PP	St M	SB	Card Readers	Website	Total
Attendance	357	221, 360	136			1074
<i>Standing Order: March £4429.52</i> <i>Second Collection Maundy Thursday for the Poor £704.27</i> <i>Good Friday Holy Places £617.43</i>						

You can donate to the Sunday Offertory Collection through the website by using this QR code



Regular Prayer

CHARISMATIC 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.

PADRE PIO PRAYER GROUP Meetings are every 4th Thursday of the month, 3.00pm at St Bernadette's. All are welcome.

LEGION OF MARY meets in the Guild Room every Sunday after the 10.15am Mass at SS Peter & Paul, and after the 11.30am Mass in the Lady Chapel at St Michael's. All Welcome!

LAY ASSOCIATES OF SISTERS OF ST ANN KNOWN AS THE LASA PRAYER GROUP will break up over Easter and will be back on Tuesday 13th May 2025. in the Lady Chapel for adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. All are welcome to join in for prayer.

FOR THOSE WHO HAVE ASKED FOR PRAYERS FOR THEIR HEALTH: Carol Hyatt, Pat Grady, Graham Cole, Shirley Deffis-Whittaker, Mary Robs, Harry Murphy, Dennis Oparaji, Christine Ball, Janusz Rogowski, Patricia Jones, Patricia Dufficy, Mick Gallagher, John Chell, Jan Taylor, Morris Young, Elaine Howell, Magdalena de Rosario, Mary Ware, Antonia Colabella, Valerie Hinton, Rodney McKinney, Elizabeth Firth, Michael Foley, Ray O'Gorman, Sheila Powell, Sheila Percy, Rose Curtis, Maurice Gay, Josephine Mann, Andy Hyatt, Johny Burke, Charles Halldron, Ben McKearney, Steve Kavanagh, Antony Cosgrove, R. J, Holly Burke, Peter and Margaret Holmes, M Mary, Katherine Poole, Ann Bayley, Patrick Quinn, Margaret Stokes, John Dolan, Liam Dolan, Marie Looker, Lorna Ciraulo, Helen Porter, Brendan Bleakley, Freya Haynes.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED RECENTLY: Zsafia Toth, Rita Tonks, Jo Clarke, Colin McLoughlin, Barbara Kocon, Bernard Hand. **May they rest in peace.**

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