

Mass Times: Sunday 23rd September 2018		
SM = St Michael    SSPP= SS Peter and Paul    SB= St Bernadette		
Vigil Mass	5.30pm SM	Ken Duckett RIP
SUNDAY 23rd	9.00am SB	Pro populo
September	10.15am SSPP	Percy Nduka
	11 .30am SM	Sean Phillips RIP
	6.00pm SSPP	Adoration of Blessed Sacrament and Vespers
Monday 24th	6.10 pm SM	Vespers
	6.30pm SM	Susan Mary Gay RIP
Tues 25th	9.30am SB	As Announced
	9.30am SSPP	Jean Kelly RIP
Wed 26th	8.00am SSPP	Bridget Murphy (ann.)
	4.30pm SM	Vigil Reception for Michael Sayce
	6.00pm SB	Holy Souls
Thursday 27th	10.30am SM	Funeral Mass Michael Sayce
Friday 28th	9.00am SM School	Terrence Stokes
	2.30pm SSPP	Funeral Mass Pat O'Shea
Vigil Mass	5.30pm SM	Michael Tucker (ann.)
SUNDAY 30th	9.00am SB	Pro populo
September	10.15am SSPP	Bill & Sheila Botwood in thanksgiving.
	11 .30am SM	Roy and Lynn Bayley (Golden Wedding)
	6.00pm SSPP	Adoration of Blessed Sacrament and Vespers
Student Mass	7.00pm SSPP	Holy Souls
Carmel Chapel	Mass daily at 9.00am apart from Tuesday at 4.30pm Vespers and Benediction Sunday 4.30pm	
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament		
St Michael's Chapel	Monday: 7pm-8pm, Tuesday: 2pm-3pm, Wednesday: 7:30 – 8:30pm, Friday 1pm – 4pm.	
St Bernadette	Thursday 9.30am – 10.30am	
St Michael's Church	Saturday 10.30-11.30	
Sacrament of Reconciliation: St Michael: Saturday 11.00am – 11.30am		
SS Peter & Paul's Church is open for silent prayer during the following hours: Tuesdays 8.30am - 11.00am. Wednesdays and Fridays 10.30-3.30pm		

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

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**Weddings and Baptisms by appointment.**

### Twenty Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time (year B)

**The Representatives on the Joint Parish Pastoral Council are as follows:**

**St Bernadettes:** Clare Clewes, Alan Swinnerton, Julie Collins, Denise Creswell;

**St Michael's:** Steve Callow, Diane Welch, David Spinks, Catherine Arthurs;

**SS Peter & Paul:** Gerard McCrae, Cecilia McCamphill, Rumen Ogbomo, Percy Nduka.

Many thanks for the generosity of everyone who stood. The votes were very close, showing the high esteem each of the candidates have in the parish. I will be contacting all the new representatives next week to arrange when to meet. Please keep them all in your prayers. There will be a special Mass to inaugurate the council. Once we have organised a date it will be published.

**The Second Collection Today** will be for Father Hudson's Care. Father Hudson's mission is to provide Catholic social care in the Archdiocese of Birmingham, reaching out to support vulnerable people young and old. At this time of funding cuts the needs are greater than ever. Please give generously to this worthy cause.

**Police Hate Crime Surgery** This will take place after the 11.30am Mass every couple of months beginning **This SUNDAY where there will be a special launch with extra food and activities. Come along this week and don't bother about cooking Sunday lunch!**

**Journey in Faith** are you interested in becoming a Catholic? Are you a Catholic who would like to know more about your faith. Have you recently become a Catholic and want to support others who are interested in becoming Catholics? Come and join us on Monday Evenings at 7.00pm at St Michael's in the sacristy meeting room. Starting on **Monday October 1st.**

**The Funeral Mass for Michael Sayce** will be at St Michael's at 10.30 am on Thursday. This means there will be **No Midday Mass on Thursday.**

**The Funeral Mass for Pat O'Shea** will be at SS Peter & Paul on Friday 28th September at 2.30pm. This means there will also be **No Midday Mass on Friday.**

**The Funeral Mass for Kitty Molohan** will be on Wednesday October 3rd at St Michael's at 10.30am.

**Lectio Divina:** A prayer group using the Lectio Divina method will take place at Ss Peter and Paul at 11am on Fridays, Lectio Divina is an ancient practice, developed by the Benedictine Order. It is a slow, contemplative praying of the Scriptures. The purpose is to listen to what God wishes to say to each one of us through his Holy Word in the Scriptures. All are welcome.

**The next Baptism Preparation Class** will be on Saturday 6th October at 12.00pm at St Michael's church.

**SVP awareness month:**Our Society is growing steadily however we are always on the lookout for new members. If you do not have the time to commit to the Society but would like to make a regular contribution you can become a Friend. For more information please contact David Spinks at 07544 960402

**Requiem Mass for Sr Dominic,** sung, in accordance with her wishes, in Gregorian chant at 7 p.m. in Ss Mary's and John's on Sept. 26th followed by light refreshments in the hall. Please sign sheet in porch if you can help serve or provide light refreshments (tea,biscuits) after the Requiem at St Mary's and John's Sept 25th (7pm). Thank you . Catherine Arthurs 336534

**Day of Recollection, Kingswinford:**Correction to previous details. 10am-3pm on Saturday 6th October. Just £3. Car sharing a great idea. Call Sarah 07948963325 to arrange

**Cakes (& lots of other things!) Sale at SS Peter and Paul's** in aid of church roof fund, on Sunday 30th September in Giffard House after 10.15am Mass. Raffle as well!

**FREE Family Skittles Night,** St Michael's church hall, Saturday 13th October, 7pm. Optional Fish & Chip supper £4 or Sausage & Chips £2. Advance booking and payment to Sarah 07948963325 by 7th October latest. Raffle plus tea, coffee, squash for charity. You are welcome to BYO.

**Little Angels Stay & Play** returns Friday 6th September in St Michael's church hall. 9.15am-11 am for babies to 5 years. Spread the word about this friendly group. Still only £1.50. Contact Sarah 07948963325 or [sarahandrews1970@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:sarahandrews1970@yahoo.co.uk)

**Coffee Volunteers urgently needed:** Sundays after Mass at St Michael's. Could you spare a little of your time once a month (or more) to join our amazing team? We raise £100s for PEC charities in offering this lovely service to the congregation. Please see or call Sarah 07948963325

**Dates for your diary!** The Autumn Fayre at St Bernadette's is on November 3rd. The Joint Christmas Fayre for St Michael's and SS Peter and Paul will be on Saturday 17th November from 2.00-5.00pm in St Michael's Hall.

**Christmas Fayre Meeting** on Monday 1st October at 7pm in parish Hall at St Michael's. Fayre is on Saturday 17th November, a collaboration of our parishes.

Stallholders, organisers and helpers kindly asked to come along. Contact Sarah at the moment: 07948963325. See you there!

**Fish, Body Weight and Dementia Study** If you would like to join a focus group on fish, body weight and dementia, for details and participation please contact Isaac by email [I.M.Danat@wlv.ac.uk](mailto:I.M.Danat@wlv.ac.uk) or call +447405354277.

**Confirmation Classes at St Edmunds** If you have a child at St Edmund's who is not yet confirmed, there will be classes after School on Monday evenings starting after Half Term.

**MacMillan Big Coffee Morning:**There will be a MacMillan Coffee Morning Friday 28<sup>th</sup> September 11 – 2pm at Penn Bowling Club, 10 Manor Road Penn WV4 5PY. Please come and join us and support the work of McMillan who care for people with cancer and their families .

**Job References** Recently I have had a number of emails from companies asking for references. If you have given my name as a referee, ***please arrange to come and see me first*** so that we can talk to each other and then I might be able to say something in the reference. Many thanks, Fr Mark.

**An Evening with Shay Given** The former Aston Villa Goalkeeper comes to The Irish Centre in Digbeth on Thursday 8th November. Tickets £20 available in tables of 10 or Individual - Tickets online from [www.shaygiven.co.uk](http://www.shaygiven.co.uk)

**Catholic Trivia** Last week's answer: There are 27 books in the New Testament and Luther did not like the letter of James, from which is our second reading comes today.

This week's Question: What language was the New Testament written in?

Finance			Counting Teams	Church Cleaners
	Gift Aid	Non-Gift-Aid	<b>SS Peter &amp; Paul</b>	<b>St Bernadette's Church</b>
St Michael	£436.34	£397.86	(D) Gillian, Theresa, Trudy	Joan Beare, Cath Fallon
SS Peter & Paul	£150.00	£182.86	(A) Jim, Hazel, Carmel	
St Bernadette	£148.50	£78.93	<b>St Michael:</b>	<b>St Michael's Church</b>
<b>Second Collection:CASE:£167.56</b>			(B) R Watkins, S	<b>at 10am on Friday</b>
23 <sup>rd</sup> September: Father Hudson's Society			Williamson, Maureen Barry	Roy Pope, Carmel
30 <sup>th</sup> September: SVP-Kerala Flood			(C) J Mann, Steve Bradley	Sullivan, Monica Mason

**FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK:** Beth Churn, Leah Nixon, Pat O'Shea, 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, Terry Pope, Brendan Bleakley.

**FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED RECENTLY:** Kitty Molohan, Sr Dominic (Sisters of Mercy) Leslie Evans, May they rest in peace.

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