



THE PARISH OF BLESSED CARLO ACUTIS

INCORPORATING THE CHURCHES OF



ST MICHAEL, SS PETER AND PAUL & ST BERNADETTE

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Timetable of Masses and Services

2nd July 2023 Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday Vigil 5.30pm St Michael <i>George Brown RIP</i>	10.15 am SS Peter & Paul & Online <i>Colette Wenko & Family</i>
9.00 am St Bernadette <i>Pro populo</i>	11.30 am St Michael <i>Peter Jarai RIP</i>
	5.00 pm St Michael <i>Syro-Malabar Liturgy</i>

Monday 3rd July 2023 Feast of St Thomas, Apostle

5.45pm St Michael <i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i>	6.30pm St Michael <i>Eileen Murtagh RIP</i>
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Tuesday 4th July 2023 Feria

12.00pm SS Peter & Paul *Tom O'Rourke*

Wednesday 5th July 2023 Feria

9.30am St Bernadette *Service of Word and Communion*

Thursday 6th July 2023 Feria

10.00am St Bernadette <i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i>	12.00pm St Michael <i>Patricia Edwards</i>
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Friday 7th July 2023 Feria

12.00pm SS Peter & Paul <i>Margaret Rose Bennett – 80th Birthday</i>	12.30pm SS Peter & Paul <i>Divine Mercy Devotion</i>
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Saturday 8th July 2023 Feria

10.30 -11.30am St Michael <i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i>	11.00am St Michael <i>Confessions</i>
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9th July 2023 Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday Vigil 5.30pm St Michael <i>Private Intention</i>	10.15 am SS Peter & Paul & Online <i>Kerry Robinson RIP</i>
9.00 am St Bernadette <i>Pat Cracknell RIP</i>	11.30 am St Michael <i>Ann Bayley – 92nd Birthday</i>
	5.00 pm St Michael <i>Syro-Malabar Liturgy</i>

CARMELITE MONASTERY: Mass at 9.00am every day.

SAFEGUARDING NOTICE *In line with Diocesan safeguarding regulations, 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. Thank you for your help in keeping our children safe.*

PRAYERS FOR ORDINATIONS Please pray for Jason Nioka who was ordained Deacon in Paris last Sunday June 25th, David Bench who will be ordained Deacon in Rome this Wednesday, July 5th, and Sean Henry who will be ordained Priest in Shrewsbury Cathedral this Friday, July 7th. Both Jason and David spent a year of discernment living with Fr Mark in Giffard House: Jason in 2015-16, and David in 2016-2017. Some of you will also remember David when he returned to Giffard house during the lock-down, and along with Aaron provided the liturgical support for all the online Masses in the empty church. Sean Henry is also from Wolverhampton and used to serve at Sunday Vespers at SS Peter & Paul before the amalgamation of the parishes.

MANY THANKS TO EVERYONE WHO CONTRIBUTED TO OUR PARISH PARTY LAST SUNDAY!!!

It was a real joy to celebrate together as one family across our three churches. The food was excellent and the company even better! Thank you to everyone who made such a lot of effort to make it such a wonderful occasion. A lot of organisation went on behind the scenes but it was very well worth it. God bless everyone in Blessed Carlo's Parish!

The following prizes from the BBQ raffle were unclaimed on the day. They are on display in the porch at St Michael's Church. Please collect or let us know if you cannot pick it up yourself as soon as possible. Many thanks!

Peach 183	Joe Jacobs creek Shiraz	Peach 186	Lisa Recolte white wine
Green 592	Michael and Grace Pimms	Green 576	Christine hot chocolate
Green 578	Christine Picture	Green 577	Christine Merlot
Peach 158	Liz Salad bowl set	Pink 871	Pugh Shiraz
Peach 186	Lisa shortbread	Blue 138	Rose Curtis perfume
Peach 192	Alex Christian Patat wine	Peach 163	Sarah kitchen peeler
Peach 161	Sarah Red wine	Peach 170	Fr Brendan Jacobs creek wine
Peach 145	Hamlin Shiraz		

ALPHA 2023 Alpha is an opportunity to explore the basics of Christianity in a welcoming atmosphere. A typical Alpha evening involves a free meal, a video on one of life's big questions and an open discussion. Over the last two years our parish has held two successful Alpha courses, with some participants choosing to be baptised or received into the Church. This year we will hold Alpha at SS Peter and Pauls Church on Monday evenings in July and August (full details on flyers). Alpha is perfect for those with doubts or questions, those who've drifted from the Church, non-Christians, or Christians who want to go back to the basics. Get involved:

- **Come to Alpha** – Why not do Alpha yourself?
- **Spread the Word** – Inviting people to Alpha is an easy and effective way to share your faith. Flyers are available at the back of Church. Please take as many as you want, offering a personal invite to your family, friends, work colleges or neighbours.
- **Help with Catering** – Perhaps you can help with catering for one Alpha session? If so, please let Fr Sean know.

MANY THANKS to all who helped in the opening of the church for the Holy Shroud Exhibition. We had people from all over the place attending, from places like London, Hampshire, Manchester and even Bavaria in Germany! Please keep Pam and Phil the curators of the exhibition in your prayers for this wonderful ministry they have in sharing the Holy Shroud with as many people as possible.

YOUTH PRAISE AND WORSHIP BAND We will have our first provisional meeting on Friday 14th July at 6.30pm in St Michael's. If you are over 13 and you already play an instrument, please come along. If you want to sing, please come along. If you would like to learn to play the guitar or improve your keyboard skills, please come along. See you there!

CAMELITE MONASTERY CELEBRATION On Friday, 7th July, there will be no 9.00am Mass at Carmel. His Grace, the Archbishop, will be concelebrating Mass at 3.00pm for the Golden Jubilee of Sr. Bernadette of Jesus. All are welcome. Parking in St. Michael's car park, please; there will be lifts to and from Carmel. Light refreshments will be provided. We ask that instead of gifts, prayers /small donations will be most gratefully received. Thank you!

LITTLE ANGELS STAY & PLAY GROUP every Friday 9.15-11.00am. (Ages 0-5) Only £1.50. A warm welcome awaits. Contact Sarah: 07948 963325 for information.

SUNDAY TEA & COFFEE AFTER 11.30am MASS EVERY SUNDAY FOR CHARITY at St Michael's. Do join us for a drink, a biscuit and the chance to make new friends knowing that your donation will be used to help the needy. If you are able to help a couple of times a year to set up, serve and clear then please see or call Sarah – 07948 963325

WOLVERHAMPTON CHAMBER CHOIR presents, a concert performance of Offenbach's operetta 'Orpheus in the Underworld' featuring the famous 'Can-Can' Directed by Geoffrey Weaver Saturday 1 July 7.30 p.m. Cramner Methodist Church, 289 New Hampton Road, Wolverhampton WV6 0RS. Tickets £12.

SVP COFFEE AND TEA SOCIAL Wednesday 12th July at 2.00pm at St Michael's Hall All Welcome!

The SVP have the following items available: Double wardrobe; single bed and mattress. Contact the Parish Office if you know of anyone who needs them.

SVP thanks – a big thank you to all the Parishioners who have been donating their used ink cartridges to help our recycling efforts. We have recently received another £62 from the recycling company for the SVP charity funds. Please continue to help us, get your friends and family to put their used cartridges in our boxes which are in the entrances to our three churches. Thanks again.

THE FOOD COLLECTION As the summer holidays approach we hope to give as much food/essential household items/toiletries and as many supermarket vouchers as possible to our 'Free School Meals' families. Food and cash donations will be particularly welcome before the schools break up later this month. This week's donations have been distributed to families via a 'pop up shop' at SS Mary & John Catholic Primary Academy. Without your support none of this would be possible. Thank you so much.

SUDAN BREAKFAST CLUB UPDATE. The latest news from Sr Angelina in El Obeid, Sudan is:

people are very afraid of being caught up in random gun fire; there was no electricity for 14 days many babies on breathing equipment and people on kidney machines sadly died; doctors are afraid of being attacked; food and medicine supplies are very low; food prices have rocketed with many people being unable to buy enough food for their families. Your generosity has helped raise £2,250 through the Marsden Singers concert at SS Peter & Paul, sunflower sales, 2 CWL events, donations and the Maundy Thursday collection. We receive £350 through standing orders on a monthly basis. If you would like to set up a standing order the details your bank requires are Account Name: Sister Jean's Breakfast Club; Sort Code 560069; Account Number 42421977

Sr Angelina sends her thanks for all your support (finally we have been able to send £3,000) and asks for your continued prayers. She has been able to get food and medicine to her school children and others who are in need.

LIFE CHARITY SHOP and LIFE CARING OUTREACH. The LIFE BBQ is from 5pm-9pm this Sunday evening. If you still need a ticket ring Rosalie on 01902 330553 or email rosaliewatkins@lifecharity.org.uk. Please also ring Rosalie if you have baby items for us to hand on to the mums who seek our help, or if you have items to donate to our charity shop that are too heavy or bulky to place in the box in church.

HARVINGTON HALL PILGRIMAGE AUGUST 10, 2023, please add your name to the list in the church entrance if you want to join us on this Pilgrimage. The coach will depart from St Michael's at 9.00am and will leave Harvington Hall for the return journey at 4.00pm. The itinerary for the day is: Guided tour around Harvington Hall, Lunch, Mass – celebrated by Fr Sean. Return home. Total cost for the day is dependent on our final numbers as it is £350 for a 50-seater coach. Entrance fee for the Hall is a special rate of £10 per person.

Lunch is at your own cost; you could take your own lunch, eat in a pub in the village or eat in the restaurant at the Hall. We will provide more details later.

WALSINGHAM PILGRIMAGE: Information for those joining our Pilgrimage to Walsingham this year is now available in each Church, please remember to collect your copy, Thank you

LIST OF PARISH EVENTS 2023 can be found on our website on the **Online Mass & Activities** page.

Finance

OFFERTORY COLLECTION FOR SUNDAY 25th June 2023						
	SS Peter & Paul	St Michael	St Bernadette	Card Readers	Website	Total
Non-Gift Aid	231.51	252.85	65.50	63.00		612.86
Gift Aid		65.00	15.00	65.00		145.00
Mass Attendance	240	103, 158	63			564
Standing Order: May 2023: £4294.27						
No Second collection last week						

THE SECOND COLLECTION TODAY is for Peter's Pence. This supports charities that the Holy Father supports around the world. Next weekend 8th/9th July for Apostleship of the sea.

THE OFFERTORY COLLECTION AT ST MICHAEL'S During covid this was collected in baskets in the porch but from this Sunday we are returning to the collection bag system at the Offertory of the Mass. The offertory bags will once again be taken up in the Offertory Procession. This has been happening at SS Peter & Paul's for the last year and it is the most appropriate place for the gifts to be received and blessed.

200 Club Draw Winners: June 2023 **No.4** Rosemary Mordi SS Peter & Paul **No. 26** Maria Laura Caron St Michael

Regular Prayer Opportunities

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 will meet once a month on the fourth Thursday of each month at 3.00pm at St Bernadette's Church, Wombourne. All are welcome.

LEGION OF MARY meets in the Guild Room every Sunday after the 10.15am Mass at SS Peter & Paul, All welcome!

LAY ASSOCIATES OF SISTERS OF ST ANN KNOWN AS THE LASA PRAYER GROUP will gather at 5.00pm every Tuesday at St Michael's Lady chapel. We welcome new members.

SHEKINAH PRAYER GROUP will meet in the Lady Chapel at St Michael's every Friday for the adoration of the Blessed Sacrament from 5.30pm to 7.00pm. All welcome

FOR THOSE WHO HAVE ASKED FOR PRAYERS FOR THEIR HEALTH: Rosa Tse, Antonia Colabella, Valerie Hinton, Rodney McKinney, Elizabeth Firth, Michael Foley, Ray O'Gorman, Pat Noad, Peter James Burke, Sheila Powell, Sheila Percy, Margaret Ambler, Rose Curtis, Margaret Gay, Maurice Gay, Eileen Whittall, Josephine Mann, Anna McGrath, Andy Hyatt, Mary Hill, Johny Burke, Charles Halldron, Marjorie Halldron, Ben McKearney, Philomena Labdy, Steve Kavanagh, Fr John Lungley, Antony Cosgrove, Sheila Botwood, Pritpal Dhanjal, R. J, Holly Burke, Peter and Margaret Holmes, M Mary, Katherine Poole, Ann Bayley, Patrick Quinn, Jean Hollingshead, Margaret Stokes, Pat Pool, John Dolan, Liam Dolan, Marie Looker, Lorna Ciraulo, Helen Porter, Brendan Bleakley

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED RECENTLY: Elizabeth Townsend, Gerard Bourn, Catherine McTeigue, Helen Evans, Michael Hawley. **May they rest in peace.**

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