



THE PARISH OF BLESSED CARLO ACUTIS

INCORPORATING THE CHURCHES OF



**ST MICHAEL,
SS PETER AND PAUL & ST BERNADETTE**

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4th July 2021 14th Sunday of the Year (year B)

Timetable of Online Masses and Services. For Online Masses, go to www.carloacutis.co.uk

Saturday Vigil Mass FORTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 4th July Booked seats only!	5.30 pm St Michael BB & Chai Sheen 9.00 am St Bernadette Maura Corbett RIP 10.15 am SS Peter & Paul & Online Tom O'Rourke RIP 11.30 am St Michael pro populo 5.00 pm St Michael Syro-Malabar Liturgy 6.00 pm SS Peter & Paul Holy Souls
Monday 5 th July	6.30 pm St Michael Joseph Purcell RIP
Tuesday 6 th July	6.30 pm SS Peter & Paul Nora McDonagh 80 th Birthday
Wednesday 7 th July	12.00 noon St Bernadette Margaret Eades RIP
Thursday 8 th July	10.00 am St Bernadette Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 12.00 noon St Michaels Hilary Clitheroe RIP
Friday 9 th July feria	9.30 am St Bernadette Susan Barrat RIP 10.00 am St Michael Funeral Service Hilary Clitheroe 6.30 pm SS Peter and Paul & Online Hugh Devlin RIP 7.30 pm SS Peter and Paul & Online Divine Mercy Holy Hour
Saturday 10 th July	8.30am SS Peter and Paul & Online Terry Stokes 10.30am St Michael Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 11.00am St Michael Confession
Saturday Vigil Mass FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 11th July Booked seats only!	5.30 pm St Michael Tony McGinn RIP 9.00 am St Bernadette Joan Ann Wedding Anniversary 10.15 am SS Peter & Paul & Online Thanksgiving for God's Mercy 11.30 am St Michael Bob Douglas Birthday 5.00 pm St Michael Syro-Malabar Liturgy 6.00 pm SS Peter & Paul Pro Populo
For the moment, Mass is celebrated in private at the Carmelite Monastery but the sisters continue to pray for us, day and night.	

PLEASE Remember to book for Saturday Evening and Sunday Masses.

FOR ST MICHAEL, please email or ring Sr Lydwin on 01902 341343 on Thursday and Friday.

FOR SS PETER & PAUL, please ring or text Val on 07934905283. **WhatsApp not available!**

FOR ST BERNADETTE, please ring Judith on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays between 6.30-7.30pm on 01902 620 764 or email judithpitt64@gmail.com up to the deadline of 7.30pm on Thursday.

If you find you cannot come, please cancel your booking at least 3 hours before the service.

Parish News and Activities

Diaconate Ordination 4th July We send our congratulations and prayers to Toby Duckworth, the seminarian who used to live with Fr Mark at Giffard House. He is being ordained as a deacon this weekend, Sunday July 4th at 11.30 am.

We look forward to welcoming him for a visit to the parish on the weekend of July 25th. He hopes to come to all our Masses, but he may not be able to join us at the vigil Mass if his flight from Rome is delayed!

Youth 2000: Are you aged 18-35? Youth 2000 are organising a summer festival of faith at Ampleforth College, "REJOICE," from Friday Aug 27th until Monday Aug 30th. If you are interested in going as part of a parish group, contact Fr Sean, who will be going too (fr.sean.gough@rcaob.org.uk).

March for Life: 'March for life,' The annual fun-filled march to witness to the sanctity of human life, will be held on Saturday 4th September in London. Further details can be found @ marchforlife.co.uk. We are hoping to organise a coach from Wolverhampton. Please register your interest in this incredibly important act of Christian witness by emailing Fr Sean (fr.sean.gough@rcaob.org.uk).

Diocesan Vision Leaflets Are available this weekend. We will have an open parish meeting to discuss how we can move this vision forward in our own parish on Saturday July 24th at 3.00pm. This might be by zoom or as a public meeting depending on the covid guidelines by then!

Lateral Flow Test Kits Using one of these kits is very easy and it is a reasonably reliable way of knowing whether you have contracted Covid 19. So, regular use of such kits gives the person using them reasonable confidence to know whether it is safe to mix socially. Fr Mark has a supply of these kits. If you would like to register to have some, please email the parish to register and then you can collect your kit.

Notifications of those who are sick or of those who have died. Please contact Sr Lydwin either by phone or email if you wish for names to be added to the lists on our bulletin. Please remember, however, if you wish to add a name to the list of those who are sick, you must obtain permission from them to do this before you contact Sr Lydwin.

Praying the Rosary Following on from the success of the online Rosary led by the Knights of St Columba during May, the Rosary will now be led by different groups of the parish on the First Thursday of Every Month at 8.00pm. At first this will still be online, but once restrictions are relaxed, it will also be public.

St Michael's Hall and St Bernadette's Hall. Both halls are now reopening with limited capacity because of Covid Regulations. In the next weeks we hope that as regulations are relaxed, we will be able to have greater numbers for events. If you have any enquiries about possible bookings, please contact Colin McLoughlin at CPM Services cpm59@hotmail.co.uk or ring 07388 994783

Message from Fr Sean. When I arrived in the parish in September, we quickly went back into lockdown soon afterward. I have got to know a few parishioners since then but I would certainly like to get to know you better over the coming months by gradually visiting your homes or gardens or even a local café. Please feel free to email me on my email address (fr.sean.gough@rcaob.org.uk) or speak to me after Mass if you don't use email and we can arrange a time. God bless.

Play leader required: St Michael's Catholic Primary Academy are recruiting for a play leader for their popular Breakfast and After School Club, starting September 2021. Hours are 7.30-8.45am and 3.15-5.15pm. We will consider splitting the

Online Services and Activities

The following services and parish activities can be found by going to our 'Online Services' page of our website www.carloacutis.co.uk

ROSARY on the First Thursday of every month at 8.00pm

Children's Liturgy Online

Praying the psalms together Online

Little Fishes Online A parents, baby and toddler group

Carlo's Coffee Club A new opportunity for anyone over 60 to be part of an online group.

The Catholic Women's League would like to invite you all to CAFOD virtual meetings. CAFOD is celebrating its 60th Anniversary this year and in conjunction with the NBCW (National Board of Catholic Women) are holding talks each month. The talks are free to attend. Go to <https://www.nbcw.co.uk/events> to register for the CAFOD virtual meetings.

WEBINAR 29 JUNE 7-8.30 CAFOD CLIMATE JUSTICE & COP26 Join us for an evening with CAFOD's campaigns team to discuss the important global role of the UK this year as the country gets ready to host the international climate talks, COP26, in November

breakfast play leader and an after-school play leader for the right applicants. Please visit our academy website www.stmichaels-academy.co.uk or telephone 01902 556368 for more information."

SS Peter & Paul 200 Club This month's winner is Michael Curtis. NO. 59 Congratulations!

Mission and Outreach

Missio Secretary for St Bernadette's Would anyone at St Bernadette's be prepared to coordinate and organise the Red Collection boxes for the Missions? Now that Gloria has retired, we need someone to take over in this valuable work. It does not require much time as it mainly involves knowing who has the boxes and ensuring they are emptied and collected each year. If you think you might be able to help, please contact one of the priests or sisters. Many thanks.

Good Shepherd Ministry Next year, 2022, is the 50th year since the Good Shepherd Brothers started their work in Wolverhampton. During the coming year they hope to mark the anniversary by various special events and will keep you informed. ***Their first 'event' is a fundraising campaign taking place this June and July.*** Members of their staff, volunteers and friends are undertaking various 'sponsored' activities. One of these activities is a 50-mile bike ride which Br Charles hopes to complete with some members of their staff. Sponsorship forms are available on the parish website and in the porch of each Church.

Life Charity Shop and Caring Outreach more donations of goods are still welcome at our shop at 12 Lichfield Street. We need a whole range of clothes, books and bric-a-brac, so please give us any items that you no longer need. Small amounts can be handed in at the shop during normal opening hours. If you have a lot of goods to donate, please ring the shop on 01902 420656 to book a delivery slot. If you can't take items to the shop yourself, then ring Rosalie on 01902 330553 and arrange to drop items at her house or have them collected from you.

Life's local outreach to needy mums continues; if you know anyone in need of baby clothes or a cot, pushchair etc advise them to ring the free Life Helpline 0808 802 5433 and we will do our best to support them.

Life's Caring Outreach Thank you also to those who have given clothes and other items for babies; with your help we continue to support needy local mums and their families.

The Food Collection takes place at: St Bernadette at all Masses; SS Peter & Paul at the 10.15 Sunday Mass; St Michael at all Masses AND Tuesday 1-2 and Saturday 10-11. In addition to UHT milk & cereal; tins of meat/fish/vegetables/fruit/custard/rice pudding/soup; jam; biscuits; rice; toiletries; FRESH FRUIT AND VEGETABLES would be greatly appreciated. This week's donations have been distributed to local Penn families. Thank you so much for your continued support. Thank you to the Rotary Club of Wolverhampton for its donation of £100. It will be used to buy supermarket vouchers for our 'Free School Meals' families.

Addressing Local Need Much-welcomed supplies can be dropped off at any time for the Good Shepherd Ministry via 2, Richmond Rd WV3 9HY Thank you for your kindness.

Ask your MP to vote against abortion up to birth: The abortion lobby, led by the UK's largest abortion provider, BPAS, has worked with Diana Johnson MP to bring forward an amendment to hijack the Police, Crime, Sentencing and Courts Bill to **introduce abortion on demand, for any reason, up to birth** to England and Wales.

This would be the single biggest change to abortion legislation since 1967 and would leave England and Wales with one of the most extreme abortion laws in the world. We are expecting that this radical proposal will be voted on by MPs this Monday. Right To Life UK has launched an easy-to-use tool that makes it simple for you to send an email to your MP asking them to vote against the motion. Please click the link below to contact your MP now. It only takes 30 seconds!

www.righttolife.org.uk/StopAbortionUpToBirth

Finances

***We now have one bank account for the whole parish.
It is called "RCAB Wolverhampton Blessed Carlo Acutis"***

From now on, please do not write cheques to St Bernadette, St Michael or SS Peter & Paul as these accounts will be closing soon. If you would like to take out a standing order, please contact Sr Lydwin.

Cheques can be written to "The Parish of Blessed Carlo Acutis". For filling out a Bank Mandate Form you can put 'Blessed Carlo Acutis', or even 'Bl Carlo Acutis'

Many thanks to all who have started using Standing Orders for their offerings to the parish.

The total of Standing orders for May 2021: St Michael's £1456.75 St. Bernadette's £701.11
and SS Peter & Paul £ 266.00

Offertory Collection for Sunday 27th June 2021

	SS Peter & Paul	St Michael	St Bernadette	Second Collection: Peter's Pence
Non-Gift Aid	99.33	167.60	58.00	220.63
Gift Aid	480.00	71.00	28.00	

The next SECOND COLLECTION on 11th July 2021 for Apostleship of the Sea

FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK: Fr John Lungley, Rita Kendall, Maura Andrews, Teresa Rickards, Antony Cosgrove, Sheila Botwood, Pritpal Dhanjal, Paul Green, R. J., David Souberry, Ben Sherry, Holly Burke, Peter Holmes, Chris Starkey, M Mary, Thomas Mackin, Stephen Briggs, Hilary Elsdon, Katherine Poole, Teresa Mitchell, Ann Bayley, Peggy McHale, Patrick Quinn, Celia Norton, Jean Hollingshead, Margaret Stokes, Leah Nixon, Pat Pool, John Dolan, Liam Dolan, Marie Looker, Lorna Ciraulo, Pat Eades, Helen Porter, Mary Kirby, Brendan Bleakley.

FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED RECENTLY: George Brown, Luke Evans, Hilary Clitheroe, Margaret (Peggy) Kenny. May they rest in peace.

Safeguarding Representatives: Steve & Chris Callow 01902 340775, Ann Shorthouse 01902 326334

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