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13 <sup>th</sup> June 2021 11 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Year (year B) Timetable of Online Masses and Services. For Online Masses, go to www.carloacutis.co.uk				
Saturday Vigil Mass ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 13th June Booked seats only!  Monday 14th June	5.30 pm St Michael Jenner Martin RIP 9.00 am St Bernadette Fr John Lungley (10th Anniversary in the Ordinariate) 10.15 am SS Peter & Paul & Online Peter Stout RIP 11.30 am St Michael Kathleen McCormack RIP 5.00 pm St Michael Syro-Malabar Liturgy 6.00 pm SS Peter & Paul pro populo 4.30 pm SS Peter & Paul Alice Stevens Reception of Body (See Below)			
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Tuesday 15 <sup>th</sup> June feria	<ul><li>9.15 am SS Peter &amp; Paul School Mass</li><li>1.30 pm SS Peter &amp; Paul &amp; Online Alice Stevens Requiem Mass (See Below)</li></ul>			
Wednesday 16 <sup>th</sup> June feria	12.00 noon St Bernadette Liturgy of the Word			
Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup> June feria	12.00 noon St Michael Bryan Templar RIP			
Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> June Feast - Dedication of the Cathedral	10.00 am St Bernadette First Holy Communion Thanksgiving Following Mass at St Bernadette Confessions 12.00 noon SS Peter and Paul & Online Salvatore Longo RIP 12.30 pm SS Peter and Paul & Online Divine Mercy Holy Hour & Confessions			
Saturday 19th June	11.00 am St Michael Confessions & Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament			
Saturday Vigil Mass TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 20 <sup>th</sup> June Booked seats only!	5.30 pm St Michael BB & Chai Sheen 9.00 am St Bernadette Nancy Kuss RIP 10.15 am SS Peter & Paul & Online Ernest, Ann & Anthony Small 11.30 am St Michael Ian Duff-Cole RIP 5.00 pm St Michael Syro-Malabar Liturgy			
For the moment. Mass is calabrated in n	6.00 pm SS Peter & Paul Pro Populo rivate at the Carmelite Convent 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

YOUTH ALPHA Are you busy on Friday nights from 6.30pm -8.00pm? Youth Alpha is for teenagers who want to spend time with other teenagers looking into life's big questions. We meet in the Sacristy Meeting Room at St Michael's. It starts with pizza and a drink, then there's a video followed by discussion. Are you interested in coming? If so, ask one of your parents to contact the parish on <a href="mailto:bca.wolves@rcaob.org.uk">bca.wolves@rcaob.org.uk</a> or speak to Fr Sean or Fr Mark. The plan is that it will run fortnightly, so that it meets on the alternate nights to the Edge Group. We also need volunteers to help run the evenings. If you are interested in helping, also speak to Fr Sean or Fr Mark.

Novena of Masses to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour Our Lady's Church, Cannock Road, WV10 8PG, will hold their annual Novena of Masses between Friday 18th – Saturday 26th June, 2021. Holy Mass is daily at 7 p.m. except on Saturdays when it is at 5.30 pm Each day there will be a different homilist from amongst the deanery clergy. Poster at the back of church.

# This weekend we will hear Archbishop Bernard's Pastoral Letter

introducing the Archdiocese's Vision: Unfolding God's Plan. The text will be available on the website and copies are also available at the entrance of each Church. Please feel free to share copies with those who are unable to come to Mass.

#### **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.

<u>Extra Sunday Mass</u> on Sundays at 6.00pm there will be Holy Mass for the foreseeable future for anyone who cannot find space at the St Bernadette, St Michael or the SS Peter & Paul. This Mass does not need to be booked

<u>Lateral Flow Test Kits</u> Using one of these kits is a 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.

<u>Notifications of those who are sick or of those who have died.</u> 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.

<u>Praying the Rosary</u> 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 <a href="mailto:cpm59@hotmail.co.uk">cpm59@hotmail.co.uk</a> 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.

<u>Funeral arrangements for Alice Stevens RIP</u> Booking is necessary due to Covid. If anyone would like to enquire if they might be able to attend, then please contact Alice's nephew, Neil at either <a href="mailto:neil.loydon@gmail.com">neil.loydon@gmail.com</a> or 07985 735639, who would be very pleased to hear from you. Additionally, please note, family flowers only, but donations can be made for the Brothers of the Good Shepherd, Wolverhampton.

<u>Mass Offerings</u> The Catechism of the Catholic Church states: "From the beginning the Church has honoured the memory of the dead and offered prayers in suffrage for them, above all the Eucharistic Sacrifice, so that, thus purified, they may attain the beatific vision of God" (1032). Mass can be offered by the priest for any intention, although the Repose of the Soul (RIP) is the most often requested. If you would like a Mass to be offered for your prayer intention don't be afraid to fill out a Mass Intention Envelope from the back of church, hand it in to one of the sisters or the priest, then keep an eye on the newsletter for when that Mass is being offered.

#### Mission and Outreach

Thanks to your support, CAFOD has been helping communities around the world cope with the pandemic. Just in Zambia, in the past year, our reports show we've been able to reach 1,234,200 people with messages on COVID-19, provide 13,312 people with access to safe water, train 392 frontline health workers from Zambia's 11 dioceses on how to prepare and respond to COVID-19 in their local communities and donate over 1000 handwashing hygiene stations in communities to support handwashing measures. Thank you for standing alongside people in Zambia and for supporting people in more than 30 other countries worldwide.

<u>Life Charity Shop</u> Many thanks to all who have recently given such a good range of goods to the Life shop at 12 Lichfield Street. Further donations of clothes and bric-a-brac continue to be welcome. Small amounts (one or 2 bags) can be handed in at the shop. Because of limited storage space, larger amounts can only be accepted by prior appointment; ring the shop on 01902 420656 to book a delivery slot. If you can't take items to the shop yourself, they can be collected from you or left at Rosalie's house. Ring Rosalie on 01902 330553 to make arrangements. *Please note though that the shop cannot accept any books at the moment as they have plenty at present.* 

<u>The Food Collection</u> 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, Thursday and Saturday 10-11. In addition to UHT milk & cereal; tins of meat/fish/vegetables/fruit/custard/rice pudding/soup; jam; biscuits; toiletries; FRESH FRUIT AND VEGETABLES would be greatly appreciated. This week's donations have been distributed to local families via Warstones Primary School. Thank you!

<u>Addressing Local Need</u> 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.

Right To Life News has been launched so that they can reach a far wider audience of people with the latest pro-life news that will keep people informed and help change even more hearts and minds on life issues. Their website is already the most viewed pro-life website in Europe and the fourth most viewed pro-life website in the world - and this digital news platform has been built to enable us to reach even more people. Please take a look and keep up to date with their news on righttolife.org.uk/news

St Edmund's Catholic Academy are seeking to appoint an enthusiastic and committed Lay Chaplain to support the RE Team and Vice Principal, in order to build and develop the Catholic Life of our school and community. You may not be able to visit the concerned persons in action during these unprecedented times, however, they are happy to arrange a Google Meet or telephone call and to answer any questions you may have. You are welcome to contact Mrs Andre Letheren, Vice Principal at the Academy, on 01902 558888. For more information or to access application forms, please visit website https://www.sfscmac.co.uk/vacancies/ or please telephone the St Francis and St Clare Catholic MAC recruitment line 01902 558709).

#### Message from the Archbishop about the Day for Life- June 20th 2021

"While it was agreed that all second collections this year were to be voluntary, we have been asked to place a special emphasis on the Day for Life since it helps to fund organisations which support the dignity of human life and the Church's teaching. This is especially important this year when a Bill has been introduced into the House of Lords on assisted suicide. Funds made available from the second collection, alongside the support of prayer, will assist the Church's campaign to oppose this Bill." There will be, therefore, a second collection next weekend for the Day for Life.

## **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 6th June 2021

	SS Peter & Paul	St Michael	St Bernadette	Second Collection:
Non-Gift Aid	131.95	279.12	45.20	
Gift Aid	90.00	102.00	20.50	

Next Second Collection - 20th June - Day for Life

FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK: Rita Kendall, Maura Andrews, Teresa Rickards, Antony Cosgrove, Sheila Botwood, Pritpal Dhanjal, Paul Green, R. J., David Souberry, Ben Sherry, Holly Burke, Peter Holmes, George Brown, Chris Starkey, M Mary, Thomas Mackin, Stephen Briggs, Hilary Elsden, 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:** Sheila O'Toole, Michael Churn, Mark Watkins, Margaret Mulligan, Tony McGinn, Alice Stevens, Reg Jones, Maura Corbett, Tony Penman, Trudi Gallagher, Terry O'Connor. May they rest in peace.

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