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| 30th MAY 2021 SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY (year B)  |   |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Timetable of Online Masses and Services. For Online Masses, go to <u>www.carloacutis.co.uk</u>                                 |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Saturday Vigil Mass  |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| TRINITY SUNDAY   | 9.00 am St Bernadette Holy Souls                                      |  |  |  |  |  |
| 30th May   | 10.15 am SS Peter & Paul & Online Connie McGee RIP                    |  |  |  |  |  |
| Booked seats only!   | 11.30 am St Michael Josephine Savage RIP                              |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 5.00 pm St Michael Syro-Malabar Liturgy                               |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 6.00 pm SS Peter & Paul pro populo                                    |  |  |  |  |  |
| Monday 31st May  | 6.30 pm St Michael Mick O'Connell                                     |  |  |  |  |  |
| Feast of the Visitation of   |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| the Blessed Virgin Mary  |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Tuesday 1st June   | 9.30am SS Peter & Paul Terry O'Connor RIP                             |  |  |  |  |  |
| St Justin, Martyr  |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Wednesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> June   | 12.00 Midday SS Peter & Paul Thomas Edgar RIP                         |  |  |  |  |  |
| ·  | 12.00 Midday St Bernadette Nancy Cuss RIP                             |  |  |  |  |  |
| Thursday 3 <sup>rd</sup> June  | 10.00 am -11.00am St Bernadette. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Ss Charles Lwanga &  | 12.00 Midday St Michael Maura Corbett RIP                             |  |  |  |  |  |
| companions, Martyrs  |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Friday 4th June  | 9.30 am St Bernadette Judith and Alan Willets (40th Wedding Ann.)     |  |  |  |  |  |
| •  | Followed by Confessions   |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 12.15 St Michael Funeral Service Tony McGinn RIP (by invitation only) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Saturday 5 <sup>th</sup> June  | 9.00 am Online Susan Barrat RIP                                       |  |  |  |  |  |
| St Boniface, Bishop,   | 11.00 am St Michael Confessions                                       |  |  |  |  |  |
| Martyr   | 3.00pm St Michael Wedding Service Rhandawa/Raj                        |  |  |  |  |  |
| Saturday Vigil Mass  | 5.30 pm St Michael Kitty Hever RIP                                    |  |  |  |  |  |
| CORPUS CHRISTI   | 9.00 am St Bernadette Eileen Sherry                                   |  |  |  |  |  |
| 6 <sup>th</sup> June   | 10.15 am SS Peter & Paul & Online Peter John Passmore RIP             |  |  |  |  |  |
| Booked seats only!   | 11.30 am St Michael Dolores Macari RIP                                |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 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 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 <a href="mailto:judithpitt64@gmail.com">judithpitt64@gmail.com</a> 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.* 

<u>Sunday Masses at St Bernadette's</u> Now that more parishioners are coming back to church (which is lovely to see), Sunday Masses at St Bernadette's are likely to be at/over the maximum capacity. This is particularly going to be the case for the Sundays when the children are receiving their First Holy Communion: 23rd May; 6th June and 13th June. After giving thought to the fairest way to manage this, we would like to request those parishioners who are willing and able to go to St Michael's to kindly offer to do so in rotation.

We thought it would be easier to do this on an "opt out" basis so if you CANNOT or DO NOT wish to go to St Michael's could you please let Judith Pitt know as soon as possible, by speaking to her at church, ringing (01902 620764) or emailing her (judithpitt64@gmail.com). She will draw up a list and if necessary (because SB is overbooked) contact the required number of parishioners off that list in rotation, so that they know to make alternative arrangements.

**EXTRA SUNDAY MASS** Now that more of you are able to return to Mass, we have reached full capacity at SS Peter & Paul's on Sunday Mornings. So, from this week we are providing a **Sunday 6.00pm Mass** for the foreseeable future. Anyone who cannot find space at the St Bernadette, St Michael or the SS Peter & Paul morning Masses, can come along to this new Evening Mass. This will continue whilst we are limited by the Covid Regulations.

# Parish News and Activities

<u>THE SOWER</u> The latest edition of our Diocesan Magazine is available on our website and if you cannot access the internet there are copies available in each of our churches this weekend.

# Wishing everyone in our schools a very Happy Half Term!

Particularly to the teachers who have had to provide so much more than education during this pandemic. Our schools have become a place of safe refuge and a hub of social outreach to the local community. Let us pray that this next week is will be a time of refreshment and relaxation for all.

Lateral Flow Test Kit 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.

#### 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

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

<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>Confessions at St Bernadette's</u> are now available each week after the Friday Morning Mass. (unless there is a funeral)

<u>Confessions at SS Peter & Paul Church</u> are now available after the Friday Midday Mass. (unless there is a funeral, which unfortunately, is the case this week)

<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. This Thursday is the first week of June and once again it will be led by the Knights of St Columba to start off the rota.

Non-Catholic School Children Sacramental Preparation Sacramental preparation for children who go to non-Catholic schools will begin on Saturday June 12<sup>th</sup>. Following this course, the children will be able to make their first reconciliation before the end of the school year and their first Holy Communion in the Autumn. For further details contact Fr Sean using the parish email Address.

<u>St Michael's Hall and St Bernadette's Hall.</u> 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

# Mission and Outreach

<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.* 

The Food Collection: 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 SS Peter & Paul Catholic Primary Academy. Thank you so much. SSPP school is having 2 weeks of donations as they are holding a pop-up shop! These are proving very popular.

<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 https://righttolife.org.uk/news

#### **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 April 2021: St Michael's £1466.75 St. Bernadette's £700.18 and SS Peter & Paul £ 266.00

### Next SECOND COLLECTION -20th June-Day for Life

Offertory Collection for Sunday 23rd May 2021

|              | SS Peter & Paul | St Michael | St Bernadette | Second Collection: |
|--------------|-----------------|------------|---------------|--------------------|
| Non-Gift Aid | 91.26           | 251.54     | 30.00         |                    |
| Gift Aid     | 326.00          | 129.85     | 80.00         |                    |

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, Sheila O'Toole, Brendan Bleakley.

**FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED RECENTLY:** 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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