



St Monica's Church Deffell St Evatt

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NORTH BELCONNEN

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MASS TIMES

St Monica's Church, Evatt

Wednesday: 9.30 am
 Friday: 7.00 am
 Saturday Vigil: 5.00 pm
 Sunday: 10.00 am

St Michael's Church, Kaleen

Tuesday: 9.30 am
 Thursday: 9.30 am
 Sunday: 8.00 am & 5:30 pm

Reconciliation-Sacrament of Penance

Saturday: 3.30—4.30 pm, St Monica's
 Sunday: 4.30—5.15 pm, St Michael's

Rosary

Tuesday 4.30 pm, St Monica's Chapel
 Saturday 8.30 am, St Michael's
 Sunday 5.00 pm, St Michael's
 (Join Zoom Rosary at 4 pm every Wednesday & Friday
 Meeting No: 697 896 1059, Password: 8Py80J)

Legion of Mary

Tuesday 6.30 pm, St Monica's

Novena Devotion to O.L. of Perpetual Succour

Thursday 8.00 pm, St Michael's

El Shaddai Prayer Group

2nd & 4th Saturday of each month
 12.30pm to 5.00 pm, St Michael's

Baptisms, Marriages & Funerals

Contact Fr. Loi Viovicente on 6258 3212.

5TH SUNDAY OF EASTER YR C

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

O sing a new song to the Lord,
 for he has worked wonders;
 in the sight of the nations
 He has shown his deliverance, alleluia.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

I am the true vine and you are the branches, says the Lord.
 Whoever remains in me, and I in him, bears fruit in plenty,
 alleluia.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Recently Deceased: Jim Russo, Jacqueline Burggraaff, Fay Mary Gunn, Carmel Smith, Peter McMahon, Jo Kearns, Elaine Farrelly

Death Anniversaries: Maria Condemi, Rachel Jones, Ruth Glover, Harold Hewish, Bernadette Nolan, Mirko Kovic, Jose Gelaga

Sick: Elena Bautista, Christine Casey, Terry Nolan, Baby Maisie, Katia Banac, Rosa Bui Thi Ngoc Bich, Frances Jarvis, Bernard Storrier, Vicki Heffernan, Des Kearns, Katherine Allen, Kerry Glover, Norma Pridgen, Xavier D'Ambrosio, Jun Reyes, Lyn Ardaiz, Shanna Aban, Joseph Flor, Bill & Monica Jones, Mary Gogusz, Oliver Short, Luke Inkin

5TH SUNDAY OF EASTER, YR C

'LOVE ONE ANOTHER'

Today's Gospel comes from Jesus' Last Supper discourse. He is about to die. His final words to his beloved disciples are: 'as I have loved you, you also must love one another'. In the end, all that matters is love, a love that is expressed most purely when we sacrifice ourselves for the well-being of others. When we love in this way we show that we are disciples of Jesus who laid down his life for us.

Baptisms

This weekend we welcome Donnacha Darragh, Ruvarashe Chitsungo and Talia Perera into our faith community through the waters of Baptism. May God's love and blessings be upon them on their Baptism day and always.

Clergy Assembly, 16-20 May

Fr Loi will be away from the parish during this time. Liturgy of the Word services with Communion will replace the Masses from Tuesday to Friday.

TAGS, Third Age Group, Gungahlin, 19 May

The next lunch for TAGS will be on Thursday, 12:30 pm, at the Gungahlin Lakes Club. Everyone is welcome. RSVP to Vivien Gleeson on 04 0046 6555 if you'd like to join us.

Parish Sacramental Program 2022

If you have a child in years 3,4, or 6 in 2022, this is a Sacramental year.

Sacrament of First Eucharist

will be celebrated on the weekend of 18 and 19 June 2022 (Corpus Christi Sunday) across the four Parish Sunday Masses.
 5pm - 18 June at St Monica's Church - Evatt;
 8am - 19 June at St Michael's Church - Kaleen;
 10am - 19 June at St Monica's Church - Evatt; and
 5.30pm - 19 June at St Michael's Church - Kaleen.

Trybooking for the Sacrament of First Eucharist

The trybooking for the Sacrament opens on 16 May 2022 and the links will be available on the Parish website at www.cg.org.au/belconnennorth

Registration for the Sacrament of First Eucharist is now closed and no late registrations can be accepted.

Confirmation will be celebrated in term 3, 2022 - Registrations will open 27 June 2022.

Reconciliation will be celebrated in term 4, 2022 - Registrations will open on 19 September 2022.

School of Religion

If you have a child eligible to celebrate a Sacrament this year - please contact the Sacramental Program Coordinator (see contact details below).

For further information regarding the Sacramental Program - please contact the Sacramental Program Coordinator at sc.belconnennorth@cg.org.au or check the parish website for updates at www.cg.org.au/belconnennorth

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

Loving and generous God, it is You who call us by name and ask us to follow You. Help us to grow in the love and service of our Church as we experience it today. Give us the energy and courage of Your Spirit to shape its future. Grant us faith filled leaders who will embrace Christ's mission of love and justice. Bless our parish of Our Lady of Perpetual Help by raising up dedicated and generous leaders from our families and friends who will serve You as Sisters, Priests, Deacons and Lay Ministers. Inspire us to know You better and open our hearts to hear Your call. We ask this through Christ Our Lord, Amen.

Legion of Mary, Information Session, 21 May

The Blessed Virgin Mary is mobilising her forces for the spiritual battle gaining momentum in the world today. Volunteers are needed to join this fight and the Legion of Mary is now recruiting. To find out more take one of our flyers and come to the Information Session on Saturday 21st at 2:00 pm in St Monica's parish hall. For more information, contact Robert Sharf on 04 3843 6524

Youth Mass, St Michael's Church, 22 May

Are you aged 12 and under? Come along for our Parish's Youth Mass on Sunday, 22nd May, 5:30 pm. This will be followed by a 15 minute Children's Belong Circle at the parish office next door where we have food, fun and worship. Invite your mates too! Contact Youth Minister Monica Culas on 04 3587 6303

'Laudato Si Week', Holy Mass, St Christopher's Cathedral

The Archdiocese is to mark Laudato Si' week in mid to late May, including at Mass in St Christopher's Cathedral at 10:45 am for 11:00 am on Sunday 22 May. All are welcome to help celebrate God's creation. The Archdiocese is starting to develop and to encourage plans of action on Care for our Common Home.

Australia's Biggest Morning Tea, St Monica's, 29 May

This is a 'welcome back' morning tea, to be held after Sunday 10.00 am Mass. We will start back with the 'biggest morning tea' as we have not enjoyed one for quite some time. The aim is to raise much needed funds for cancer; we have all been touched by this in some way. Alternatively, you can make a donation to Kelly's page: Australia's Biggest Morning Tea, <https://www.biggestmorningtea.com.au/fundraisers/kelly> Hope you can join us for a cuppa and a chat!

The Pilgrimage, 'In the Footsteps of Mary Mackillop'

The Sisters of Saint Joseph have arranged an Australian Pilgrimage named, 'In the Footsteps of Mary Mackillop' commencing from Melbourne on 18 October. During the Pilgrimage the many places associated with Mary Mackillop's life and ministry will be visited. For further information or to make an application, please contact the Australian Pilgrimage Coordinator at national.pilgrimage@mmp.org.au or Mob: 02 8912 4818

ROSTERS—St Monica's

21-22 May 2022	5.00pm	10.00am
Acolyte	Mark Gore	Frank Brassil
Altar Servers	Katie Brasnett & Jacob Gallana	Clair & Connor Devoy
Readers	Maryanne Gore Franklin Soriano	Jojo Sibayan Mylene Naboya
Music	FREE	Anne
Warden	Dolores Schneider	C & S Fernando

Church Cleaning 21 May	Maryanne Gore, Jenny Moylan, Daniela Zolli, Catherine Willimot, Judy Sykes
Altar Society	Suzy Grgic & Kelly Grzywacz
Counters 22 May	John Jeffery, Maureen Delaney, Daniel Moses

ROSTERS—St Michael's

22 May 2022	8.00am	5.30pm
Mass Coordinator	Tina Fisk	Cynthia Parayiwa
Acolyte	Vince Evans	Ted Smith
Readers	Sr Kate Linda Townrow	Youth Mass
Eucharistic Minister	Anne Staines	Margaret Dudfield
Projectionist	Ausilia Woodhead	Choir
Church Cleaning 21 May	Neil Seabrook, Marie Seabrook, Kevin Heindl, Glen Matthews, Maree Corkran	
Sanctuary Linen	Livia Brown	
Banking	Doug Widdup & Rod Dudfield	

Next Week's Readings

Sixth Sunday of Easter Yr C

Acts 15:1-2, 22-29; Rev 21:10-14, 22-23; Jn 14:23-29