



St Monica's Church Deffell St Evatt



OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP PARISH NORTH BELCONNEN

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St Michael's Church Tyrrell Cct Kaleen

MASS TIMES

St Monica's Church, Evatt

Wednesday: 9.30 am
 Friday: 7.00 am
 Saturday Vigil: 6.00 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: 4.30—5.30 pm, St Monica's
 Sunday: 4.30—5.15 pm, St Michael's

Rosary

Tuesday 4.30 pm, St Monica's Chapel
 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

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

Men Alive

Thursday 7.00pm, St Monica's

Baptisms, Marriages & Funerals

Contact Fr. Loi Viovicente on 6258 3212.

TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR C

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

To you I call; for you will surely heed me, O God;
 Turn your ear to me; hear my words.
 Guard me as the apple of your eye;
 in the shadow of your wings protect me.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Behold the eyes of the Lord
 are on those who fear him,
 who hope in his merciful love,
 to rescue their souls from death,
 to keep them alive in famine.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Recently Deceased: Roberta Robertson RSM, Kerry Glover, Bill Fitzpatrick, Anita Andaya, Michele Falcette, Joan Patricia Isaksen

Death Anniversaries: Dominique Djomani Ngaleu, Luke Dorsett, Kate Goodchild, Roozbeh Araghi, Pateman, Cocksedge & Brennan families

Sick: Tony Murdoch, Pam Edwards, Vince Evans, Brid Gerrard, Donal Gerrard, Laurie Cannon, Patricia Simpson, Luke, Oliver, Jo Van der Geest, Pauline Greig, Fr Chris Murphy, Elena Bautista, Terry Nolan, Baby Maisie, Katia Banac, Rosa Bui Thi Ngoc Bich, Bernard Storrier, Vicki Heffernan, Des Kearns, Katherine Allen, Norma Pridgen

TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR C

PRAY CONTINUALLY

The saving power of God flows into our world through human agents. In today's First Reading, the Israelites are saved from destruction by the power of God mediated through Moses, their leader. In the Gospel, Jesus assures us that God will see justice done on earth provided we pray for it night and day and keep knocking on the doors of the unjust. Let us pray and work constantly for justice, never losing heart.

Baptisms

This weekend we welcome Lachlan Beale and Oliver Hinchcliffe 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 Appointments, Effective 7th & 8th January 2023

Archbishop Prowse has appointed Fr Loi as parish priest at Batemans Bay, from January next year. The new priest for our parish will be Fr Mick MacAndrew, currently parish priest at Cooma. Let us keep Fr Loi and Fr Mick in our prayers as they prepare for their new appointments.

Sr Kate Away

Sr Kate will be away on Retreat from October 24th until November 1st. You will all be remembered during her days of prayer and reflection.

Parish Sacramental Program 2022

Sacrament of Reconciliation for eligible Year 3 students (and students in Years 4, 5 & 6 who have not yet celebrated the sacrament) will be celebrated on:

Tuesday, 8 November in St Michael's Church
 Wednesday, 9 November in St Monica's Church
School of Religion will celebrate the sacrament on:
 Tuesday, 22 November in St Monica's Church.

Registration

Registrations are now closed and No Further registrations can be accepted.

Commitment Masses

will be on the weekends of: 15 and 16 October and 22 and 23 October

Candidates and parents must attend one of the weekend Masses at either St Monica's Church (6pm Saturday or 10am Sunday) or St Michael's Church (8am or 5.30pm Sunday) to make their commitment for the Sacrament. There will be no additional Commitment Masses beyond these dates.

School of Religion Classes

Classes will be held over 5 Tuesdays from 6-7pm in the meeting room at St Monica's Church, Evatt, on the following dates during term 4: 18 & 25 October

1, 8, & 15 November 2022

Registration and Commitment Masses for School of Religion are the same as above.

Purchasing a Stole

Purchasing a stole is optional and is not compulsory; you can borrow one on the night. If you do wish to purchase a stole, please make a payment of \$20 through the Qkr! App at the time of registration. The purchased stoles will be delivered to the schools for students to take home.

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 WORLD PEACE

O Lord God,

We pray for peace and justice in our world and for an end to the war in Ukraine. We pray for those defending their land and for the victims of the conflict; for those killed and wounded, the refugees, the homeless and the children. Our Lady of Perpetual Help, we implore your help in this time of need. Please intercede on our behalf, that resolutions will be found, that hostilities will cease and that peace will reign throughout our world, Amen.

Happy Birthday Fr Loi

We parishioners wish to extend to you our warmest wishes on your birthday, Sunday, 16th October. Enjoy your special day. Our thoughts and prayers will be with you. May God bless and protect you always. Thank you for your service and commitment to us all.

TAGS Third Age Group, Gungahlin, 20th October

The next lunch for TAGS will be on Thursday, 12.30pm, at the Gungahlin Lakes Club. Everyone is welcome. RSVP to Vivien Gleeson on 0400 466 555 if you'd like to join us.

Musicians Needed for St Monica's Church

St Monica's church is in need of musicians to fill the music roster. If you are a keyboard player of the piano or organ, and would like to accompany a small group of singers once a month, or know other musicians with whom to form a group, please contact Fr Loi or Anne Kennedy on 0414 778 599. The commitment would be once a month on a Sunday or Saturday night, whichever you would prefer.

Youth Mass, St Michael's, 23 October, 5.30pm

Are you aged 12 and under? Come along for our parish's Youth Mass next Sunday. This will be followed by a 15 minute children's group at the parish office next door, where we will have food, fun and worship. Invite your mates too! Contact the Youth Minister, Monica on 0435 876 303, for more details.

St Michael's Primary School Celebrates 40 Years

You are invited to come along to celebrate on Saturday, 19 November, in the school grounds between 11am and 2pm. Please RSVP by 7 November.

Marian Procession, Galong, Sunday October 23, 11:00 am,

Join local parishes, ethnic communities, clergy and religious for a unique multicultural family day of prayer and festivities. BYO lunch, enjoy a sausage sizzle or bring a plate to share. There will be faith based activities for children and an opportunity to meet new and old friends within our Archdiocese as we journey through Mary to Jesus. For details, visit: <https://bit.ly/MarianProcession2022>.

Men's Cursillo Retreat Weekend, 24-27 November

A Cursillo retreat weekend offers you the opportunity for formation through talks, meditations, discussion and prayer, led by an experienced local volunteer team. A three day retreat starts on the evening of Thursday, 24 Nov, in a relaxed retreat setting. Contact Alfred on 0412 268 044, readysetgo@live.com.au, or visit <https://bit.ly/cursillo22>.

Aid to the Church in Need- Appeal for Pakistan

In response to the devastating floods in Pakistan, ACN is sending emergency help by providing aid to over 5,000 families. To make an offering to the church in Pakistan, please visit: www.aidtochurch.org/pakistan. Thank you for considering this worthy cause.

ROSTERS—St Monica's

22-23 October 2022	6.00pm	10.00am
Acolyte	John Jeffery	Neill Cox
Altar Servers	Volunteer	Katie Brasnett Jessie Akkidasari
Readers	Kathy Compton Jenny Jeffery	Mylene Naboya Neill Cox
Music	St Michael's Choir	Mixed Ensemble
Warden	Gavan Smith	Kelly Grzywacz

22 October Church Cleaning	Katrina Ciampa, Mick Devoy, Felicity Magnusson, Chamal Perera, Shevini Fernando
Altar Society	Maree Mitchell, Maryanne Gore
23 October Counters	Matt Houghton, Paul Sykes, Khalil Taouk

ROSTERS—St Michael's

23 October 2022	8.00am	5.30pm
Mass Coordinator	Sue Collins	Cynthia Parayiwa
Acolyte	Neil Seabrook	Seven Tieupakt
Readers	Sr Kate Marie Seabrook	Youth Mass
Eucharistic Minister	Anne Staines	Margaret Dudfield
Projectionist	Ausilia Woodhead	Choir

22 October Church Cleaning	Canberra El Shaddai Prayer Group
Sanctuary Linen	Su Nguyen
25 October Banking	Luciana Ciaccia, Clyde Robins

Next Week's Readings

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year C
 Sirach 35:12-14, 16-19; 2 Tim 4:6-8, 16-18;
 Lk 18:9-14