



St Monica's Church Deffell St Evatt

OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP PARISH

NORTH BELCONNEN

EVATT, GIRALANG, KALEEN, LAWSON, MCKELLAR, MELBA & SPENCE

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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: 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.

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR C

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

See, I have God for my help.
 The Lord sustains my soul.
 I will sacrifice to you with willing heart,
 and praise your name, O Lord, for it is good.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

The Lord, the gracious, the merciful,
 has made a memorial of his wonders;
 he gives food to those who fear him.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Recently Deceased: Rozalia Spadafora, Fr Bernie Maxwell OP, Patrick Shea, Peter Short, Bruce Lotton, (brother of Fr Andrew Lotton)

Death Anniversaries: Mgr Joseph Rheinberger, Neryl Hogan, Mary Laraghy, Jordan Taylor, Martyn Staines, Mathew Stark, Josip Mihalic

Sick: Luke, Oliver, Jo Van der Geest, Pauline Greig, Fr Chris Murphy, Elena Bautista, Terry Nolan, Baby Maisie, Katia Banac, Rosa Bui Thi Ngoc Bich, Frances Jarvis, Bernard Storrer, Vicki Heffernan, Des Kearns, Katherine Allen, Kerry Glover, Norma Pridgen, Xavier D'Ambrosio, Jun Reyes, Lyn Ardaiz, Shanna Aban, Joseph Flor

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YR C

'THE BETTER PART'

Hospitality entails not only serving others but also listening attentively to them. Often, this is the better part. What people need most of all is to be heard and to hear. To grow in the Christian life, we need to combine the good works of Martha with the contemplative attitude of Mary.

Baptism

This weekend we welcome Ryder Peters into our faith community through the waters of Baptism. May God's love and blessings be upon him on his Baptism day and always.

New Acolytes Needed for St Michael's and St Monica's

This is an open invitation to our Parishioners both male and female to become an Acolyte and serve our Parish. If you are interested, please send an email to Fr Loi.

TAGS LUNCH

The next lunch will be on Thursday 21 July at 12.30pm, at the Gungahlin Lakes Club. Everyone is welcome. (Vivien Gleeson - 04 0046 6555)

Parish Sacramental Program 2022

The Sacrament of Confirmation will be celebrated on Tuesday 13 September in St Michael's Church and Wednesday 14 September in St Monica's Church.

Registration for the Sacrament of Confirmation

Registration must be made via the Our Lady of Perpetual Help Qkr! App (NOT the school app). Registrations **opened on 27 June 2022** and will close by Friday 22 July. No late registrations will be accepted after the closing date.

Commitment Masses

Students and parents must attend one of the weekend Masses at either St Monica's Church (5pm Saturday or 10am Sunday) or St Michael's Church (8am or 5.30pm Sunday) on one of the dates listed below to make their commitment for the sacrament:

Saturday 23 and Sunday 24 July
 Saturday 30 and Sunday 31 July

There will be no additional Commitment Masses beyond these dates.

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). The registration process for the Sacrament of Confirmation is the same as listed above. School of Religion classes will commence on Tuesday 2 August from 6-7 pm in the meeting room at St. Monica's Church.

Purchasing a Stole

Purchasing a stole is optional - it is not compulsory (you can borrow one on the day). If you wish to purchase a stole, please make a payment of \$20 through the Qkr! App when you are registering your child for the Sacrament. The stoles will be delivered to the Schools and the School of Religion in the first two weeks of August.

The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be celebrated on 8, 9 & 10 November, 2022 - Registrations will open on 19 September 2022.

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.

Youth Mass, St Michael's Church, 24 July

Are you aged 12 and under? Come along for our Parish's Youth Mass on Sunday, 24th July, 5:30 pm. This will be followed by a 15 minute Children's Belong Circle at the parish office next door where we will have food, fun and worship. Invite your mates too! Contact Youth Minister Monica Culas on 04 3587 6303

Outcome of Vinnies Winter Appeal at St Monica's

We conducted our annual Winter Appeal on the weekend of 18 and 19 June with a focus this year on helping women and children who are escaping domestic violence. Thanks to the extraordinary generosity of parishioners over that weekend and subsequently, we raised \$9024. This is an amazing amount and will go a long way to help vulnerable families in our local community. Thank you again for your support to Vinnies.

PARISH SCHOOLS

We welcome all families to our Parish Catholic Schools
 Contact Details;

- St Michael's Primary School, Kaleen
 Principal: Judy Egan (02) 6241 4044
 Email: office.stmichaelsps.@cg.catholic.edu.au
 Website: www.stmichaelsps.act.edu.au

- St Monica's Primary School, Evatt
 Principal: Lisa Harris (02) 6258 5105
 Email: office.stmonicas@cg.catholic.edu.au
 Website: www.stmonicas.act.edu.au

New Life in God's Spirit Seminar, St Peter's Church, Yarralumla

Come Holy Spirit, enkindle your fire in our hearts! You are invited to the new life in God's spirit seminar from 7-9 pm each Wednesday evening from 20 July to 7 September. Talks, worship, prayer ministry, fellowship! For more information: Susanna (04 1990 2293, Sue 04 0944 3268 or Gabriel 04 2228 5491)

Natural Fertility Awareness Week, August 21-28

Theme: Fertility Literacy - get the Know - How
 A **free webinar** entitled "Fertility Literacy in the Digital World ~ the best use of fertility tracking apps" is being held on Monday 22 August at 7:30 pm. See the Billings LIFE Website for details. Three guests (NZ, Australia and Mexico) will review three fertility tracking apps. This webinar is suitable for all aged women and especially senior school pupils. "This is knowledge of her body that every woman should know"...Dr. Evelyn Billings.

ROSTERS—St Monica's

23-24 July 2022	5.00pm	10.00am
Acolyte	Mark Gore	Chris Dudfield
Altar Servers	Katie Brasnett & Jacob Gallana	Aria Wallace
Readers	Gabrielle Jarvis Vince O'Donnell	Gabriella Sullivan Mylene Naboya
Music	St Michael's Choir	Mixed Ensemble
Warden	Noel Simento	Anna & Robert Brunato

Church Cleaning 23 July	Carlo and Sue Mancuso, Michaela and Marie Bangard, Jackie Hourigan
Altar Society	Maxine Lloyd & Mary Williams
Counters 24 July	Marian Irvine, Ross Catanzariti, Gary Compton

ROSTERS—St Michael's

24 July 2022	8.00am	5.30pm
Mass Coordinator	Tina Fisk	Ivan Cretni
Acolyte	Neil Seabrook	Ted Smith
Readers	Sr Kate Marie Seabrook	Youth Mass
Eucharistic Minister	Anne Staines	Margaret Dudfield
Projectionist	Anita Lobo	Choir
Church Cleaning 23 July	Canberra El Shaddai Prayer Group	
Sanctuary Linen	Maria Evans	
Banking	Gerry Maynes & Peter Corkran	

Next Week's Readings

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year C
 Gen 18:20-32; Col 2:12-14; Lk 11:1-13