



St Monica's Church Deffell St Evatt

OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP PARISH

NORTH BELCONNEN

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St Michael's Church Tyrrell Crt Kaleen

PARISH LITURGIES

Masses at St Monica's Church, Evatt

Wednesday: 9:30 am
 Friday: 7:00 am
 Saturday Vigil: 6:00 pm
 Sunday: 8:00 am (Croatian Community)
 10:00 am

Masses at St Michael's Church, Kaleen

Tuesday: 9:30 am
 Thursday: 9:30 am
 Saturday: 9:00 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 5:00 pm (St Monica's Chapel)
 Saturday 8:30 am (St Michael's)
 Sunday 5:00 pm (St Michael's)

Legion of Mary

Tuesday 6:30 pm (St Michael's foyer)

Novena Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour

Thursday 8.00 pm (St Michael's)

El Shaddai Prayer Group

Every 2nd & 4th Saturday of each month
 10am to 1 pm (St Michael's)

Baptisms, Marriages & Funerals

Please contact Fr. Loi Viovicente on 6258 3212.

Mass with the Anointing of the Sick

Every 2nd Wednesday of the month at St Monica's Church Evatt at 9.30 am.

3RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR B

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

O sing a new song to the Lord; sing to the Lord, all the earth. In his presence are majesty and splendour, strength and honour in his holy place.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Look toward the Lord and be radiant; let your faces not be abashed.

PRAYER REQUESTS:

Recently Deceased: Owen Sugay, Euan Wilson, Fr John Baptiste Tran, Eileen Kershaw, Mary Harrigan, Eugenio Visintin, Fr Paul Tarpey, Marqaret Frawley, Robert Caz, William Maher, Sr Elizabeth Couch rsj, Anisa Coric, Fr John Airey CSSR, Reg Smith.

Anniversaries: Giovanni Serpe, Leo Clifford Wellspring, Sr M. Tarcisius, Barbara Jeffery, Jozepha Grzywacz, Ray Bush, Gouind Sharma, Natalie Dalbo, Antonio Demarco, Leonard Holt, Kathleen Holden, Joseph Gerrard, Vernon Norris, Libby Ciuffetelli, Antonio DiIorenzo, Giuseppina Chiofalo.

Sick: Magnus Fromber, Conchita Cariage, Toivo Peiponen, Carmille Christenson, (Margaret Kenna's sister), Joyce Kitchie, Sarah Hanily, Emma Tiebens, Toivo Peiponen, Michael Hanley, Peter Norton, Keith Cunliffe, Bernard Star, Mollie Carton,

WELCOME

This weekend we welcome Fr Stephen Hackett who will celebrate the 10.00 am Mass at St Monica's church.

LENTEN GATHERINGS 2018

The Season of Lent begins on Ash Wednesday 14th February. During the six weeks of Lent we are invited to welcome Jesus more deeply into our lives by focusing on the heart of our faith, the Suffering, Death and Resurrection of our Redeemer. We do this through prayer, reflection and sharing. Sheets are available in the foyer for parishioners to form or join a group that suits them.

MORNING TEA ST MICHAEL'S

There will be no morning teas after the 8.00 am Mass at St. Michael's during January. Morning teas will resume again in February. A big thank you to all who supply such a lovely spread each week. Enjoy a well earned rest!

PROJECTIONISTS REQUIRED FOR ST MONICA'S-Can you assist?

St Monica's urgently needs more projectionists to operate the overhead screen system during Mass. This task is not difficult and full training will be provided. We only have 3 projectionists at the moment, and they are doing the Masses between them. We would like another 4 or 5 volunteers to add to the roster.

OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP COMMITTEES

Parish Pastoral Council members:

Fr Loi, Fr Johny, Sr Kate, Carmel Carton, Neil Seabrook, Jasmine Boncales, TC Nguyen, Neill Cox, Marg Smith, Sean Werapermall, Yvette Poudjom Djomani, Chris Dudfield, Patrick Ellis (Principal St Michael's), Carmel Maquire (Principal St Monica's) and Ted Smith.

Parish Finance Committee members:

Fr Loi, Doug Widdup, Gavan Smith, Peter Donnellan and Linda Townrow.

Parish Liturgy Committee members:

Neill Cox, Chris Dudfield, Julius Emalay, Mary Corscadden, TC Nguyen and Anne Kennedy.

INAUGURATION OF OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP PARISH 18 FEB 2018

The inauguration of our combined parish, Our Lady of Perpetual Help, will be held on 18 February 2018 at St Francis Xavier College, Florey, at 2.30pm. Please come and join in this significant event. For catering, bring a plate to share with others.

PILGRIM STATUES OF OUR LADY

Two statues are being circulated to encourage rosary prayers within families. To welcome a pilgrim statue in your home for a week, contact Legion of Mary at 0431 060 556 or El Shaddai at 0433 841 886.

SVDP DOORKNOCK FEBRUARY 2018

The doorknock will run throughout the month of February. We are seeking volunteers to assist in this important fundraising venture. **Evatt:** Please contact Kelly 0411132576 or email to evattdoorknock@gmail.com.

Kaleen: Please contact Tim 0437013328 or complete the flyer on the pew and hand it to the Vinnies Store.

SEEKING THE MIND OF CHRIST 9-11 FEBRUARY

Parishioners are invited to a living encounter and a life transforming experience with the Lord Jesus and the Holy Spirit from the 9th to the 11th February 2018. **9 February - St Monica's Church:** Evatt from 7.00pm to 9.00pm.

10 February - St Brigid's Church: Dickson from 10.00am to 5.00pm.

11 February - St Brigid's Church: Dickson from 10.30am to 5.30pm.

Conducted by Brother Lalith Perera, Archbishop Christopher Prowse and Father Ken Barker with support from Fr Bernie Patterson and Fr Loi Viovicente. Lunch will be available at a nominal price or BYO. A creche will also be available for children. Contact: Shan 0412 310364; Karen 0402 160 401; Sean 0448510237.

ST VALENTINE'S MASS 17 FEBRUARY

The Parish of St Thomas the Apostle, Kambah invites parishioners to celebrate the love, romance and joy of Christian Marriage with a celebration Mass at 6pm. Mass will include a Renewal of Marriage Promises for married couples, and a Special Blessing for engaged couples. Mass will be followed by an informal meal at a local club. Please RSVP if you would like to join us for dinner to Elizabeth (6231 9219) or Trish (6231 8468)

APPOINTMENT OF DEPUTY DIRECTOR FOR CATHOLIC EDUCATION

Mr Angus Tulley has been appointed as Deputy Director for Catholic Education in the Archdiocese for 2018. Angus has worked in a number of Catholic colleges in Canberra and currently holds the position of Principal at St Francis Xavier College Florey. He has been President of the Principal Executive in the Archdiocese since 2014.

ROSTERS—St Monica's

27-28 January 2018	6.00pm	10.00am
Acolyte	Mark Gore	Neill Cox
Altar Servers	Volunteer	Leo De Costa Ryan Fernando
Special Ministers	Merran Martin Elizabeth Wong	Ray Storrier Mirella Sadkowsky Eileen Simon Roger Tregear
Readers	Peter Donnellan Vince O'Donnell	Helen McMartin Magna Sadkowsky
Music	Anne	St Monica's Singers
Wardens	Dave Muir	Houghton Family
Church Cleaning: 27 January	Luke & Marie Wensing, Pat Morcombe, Pieter Ridder, Scott Tozer	
Altar Society:	Marg Smith & Donna White	
Counters: 28 January	Robert Jepsen, Greg Worthington & Robert Brunato	
Children's Liturgy:	Clare Battye	

ROSTERS—St Michael's

28 January 2018	8:00 am	5:30 pm
Mass Coordinator	Bobby Goodwin	Terry Brown
Acolyte	Stan Murugesan Neil Seabrook	TC Nguyen
Readers	Rod Nicholas Nelia Peiponen	Jack Amos Louise Amos
Special Ministers	Livia Brown Marie Seabrook	Sue Brown Zdzib Hebda Luciana Ciaccia
Projectionist	Beth	Choir

Church Cleaning: 27 January	Canberra El Shaddai Prayer Group
Sanctuary	Maria Evans
Banking	Peter Corkran

Next Week's Readings: 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B
 Deut 18:15-20; 1 Cor 7:32-35; Mk 1:21-28