

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 7.00 am Friday: Saturday Vigil: 6.00 pm

Sunday: 10.00 am, **5.30pm**

St Michael's Church, Kaleen

Tuesday: 9.30 am Thursday: 9.30 am

9.00 am, **6.00pm** Saturday: 8.00 am & 5:30 pm Sunday:

Reconciliation-Sacrament of Penance

Saturday: 4.30—5.30 pm, St Monica's Sunday: 4.30—5.15 pm, St Michael's

Rosary

4.30 pm, St Monica's Chapel Tuesday

8.30 am, St Michael's Saturday Sunday 5.00 pm, St Michael's **Legion of Mary**

6.30 pm, St Monica's Tuesday

Novena Devotion to O.L. of Perpetual Succour

8.00 pm, St Michael's Thursday

El Shaddai Prayer Group 2nd & 4th Saturday of each month

12.30pm to 5.00 pm, St Michael's **Baptisms, Marriages & Funerals**

New protocols are in effect Contact Fr. Loi Viovicente on 6258 3212.

TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR A **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: Sheila Hancock, (Kim's mother), Marie Shaw, Emilyn Dela Cruz, Ronald Nacua, Wilfredo Baylin, Elisabetta Dariol, Ivan Roncevic, Tony Patterson, Kim Hancock, Lady M. Scholtens

Death Anniversaries: Kate Goodchild, Luke Dorsett, Roozi Araghi, Reynaldo V. Alcala, Dominique Djomani Ngaleu, Joseph Smith, Elizabeth Ittoop, Andrew Lenard, Lawrence Holden, Magdalena Alcala

Sick: Greg Worthington, Bob Berry, Evalyn Smith, Hilaria Bathan, Nolan Bathan, Melissa Bathan Nacua, Rimon Dawalibi, Jan Stewart, Anna Linnard, Mary Gogusz, Andre Swanepoel, Helen, Joan Lowe, Joanne, Betty Besterwich, Felicia Bergona, Jamie Dellet, Raia, Maria Evans. Paul Murdoch, Tony Murdoch, Blooma Kurian, Joshua Montaos, Hasina Alter Shahin, Kevin O'Sullivan, Colin Kish, Flo Jeremiah, Janice Hamilton, Grace Falzon, Heno Laane, Judy Jones, Neville Borgona

TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YR A SERVING GOD THROUGH CIVIL SOCIETY

The kingdom of God is already present in our world. It is here that we practise the kingdom values of justice, honesty, love and compassion. It is here that we show our faith in action, work for love and persevere in hope. When we contribute to the well-being of civil society we are promoting the kingdom of God.

Baptism

Baptism day and always.

PROCLAIM

WORSHIP HONOUR

> This weekend we welcome Sabrina Maricic into our faith community through the waters of Baptism. May God's love be a source of wisdom and grace on her

Booking System for Saturday Vigil and Sunday Masses

To book a place for Mass, go to the parish website and click on the link for Holy Mass bookings. Please remember to do this as we have been over the permitted limit on several occasions. An extra Mass has been scheduled at both St Monica's and St Michael's churches to ensure that there is room for all who wish to attend Mass.

Parish Visit from Archbishop Prowse, Evatt, 28 October Archbishop Prowse will celebrate the 9.30am Mass, St Monica's, on Wednesday, 28 October, then stay for morning

tea afterwards to meet with parishioners. Due to Covid-19 restrictions this visit will be short and simple.

Sacrament of Confirmation 2020

The Sacrament of Confirmation will be celebrated on: Tuesday, 10 November, St Michael's Church, 6pm Wednesday, 11 November, St Monica's Church, 6pm Thursday, 12 November, St Monica's Church, 5.30 & 7pm.

Families should now be working through the Confirmation home booklets in preparation for the parent/child formation night on 29 October 2020.

The home booklets must be completed, including, signing the last page—'Parents Discernment of Readiness'. The home booklets are then to be handed into the school or parish office by Monday, 2 November, in order for Fr Loi to sign them prior to the sacrament. The booklets will be handed back to the candidates on the night of their sacrament, along with their certificate.

Purchasing a Stole for Confirmation

This is optional, not compulsory. If you wish to purchase a stole, please make the payment of \$20 through the Qkr! App and send an email to:

sc.belconnennorth@cg.org.au. Arrangements will then be made for delivery or pickup. Parish stoles are available for loan on the night.

Parent/Child Formation Night, 29 October 2020, 6pm This is compulsory and will be held via Zoom.

Any queries can be made to: sc.belconnenorth@cg.org.au.

PRAYER FOR THE BLESSING OF AUSTRALIA

Office Staff: Mr Ted Smith & Mrs Livia Brown

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Lord God, bless Australia, our Great South Land of the Holy Spirit. Grant, that as the Cross shines in our southern skies, so may Christ bring light and well being to our nation, to its peoples old and new. May we receive protection from all maladies and healing for those who are sick. May those in our country experiencing illness, isolation and suffering be aware of our tangible support through our prayer and actions. We ask this through Christ Our Lord, Amen.

World Mission Sunday Appeal, 18 October 2020

Today we are called to pray and offer material support to the work of mission around the world. The focus for this year is the Arrupe Centre in Cambodia. Your donations are giving new life to people like Chen, whose story is told in a touching video. To view the video go to: https://youtube/RuUxbYSS7xE.

Please support this appeal in one of the following ways: through using the envelopes, donating online at: catholicmission.org.au/Cambodia or through the QKR! app. Thank you for your generosity.

St Monica's TAGS

After shutdown due to the pandemic, there are now two dates for your diary: Wednesday, 11 November, 9.30am:

Fr Loi will say Mass for our departed members. Thursday, 10 December, 12.30pm:

Christmas lunch at Gungahlin Lakes Club. More details will follow. Contact: Vivien Gleeson on 0400 466 555

Rosary Novena, St Monica's, Evatt, 12-22 October

Join Fr Johny for a rosary novena at 7.00am daily, except for Friday, when this will begin at 6.30am.

Online Marian Procession, 18-24 October 2020

Due to the pandemic, the annual procession will take place online. Led by our ethnic communities, this event is an opportunity for all to pray the rosary together. The week will lead up to the celebration of the live-streamed Multicultural Mass on Sunday, 25 October. More information can be found at:

https://hozana.org/en/community/9352-marian-procession

Vinnies St Monica's Appeal for Solomon Islands: Result

Thank you so much for your generosity; a total amount of \$3,307 was raised—a fantastic result! Over the coming weeks we will be discussing with the St Theresa's Vinnies group in the Solomon Islands about their highest priority needs, including education of some children in local villages who have minimal access to schooling. We will report back to you on how the funds are spent and what outcomes are achieved. Thanks again for your ongoing support and generosity to this special Vinnies appeal.

ROSTERS—St Monica's

ENCOUNTER WELCOME

24-25 October 2020	6.00pm	10.00am
Acolytes	Gavan Smith	Ciaran Gerrard
Altar Servers	Katie Brasnett Claudia Grgic	Anton Den Hartog
Readers	Maryanne Gore Sandra Werapermall	Chris Dudfield Bianca Montaos
Music	McKerrows	Anne
Wardens	Peter Donnellan	Michael Holohan

Church Cleaning	David & Sue Sturgiss, Nada Lemazina, Ika
24 October	Lemazina, Judy Sykes, Randy Gomez
Altar Society	Maxine Lloyd, Mary Williams
Counters	Matt Houghton, David Sturgess, Paul
25 October	Sykes

ROSTERS—St Michael's

25 October 2020	8.00am	5.30pm
Mass Coordinator	Sue Collins	Ivan Cretni
Acolytes	Vince Evans	TC Nguyen
Readers	Linda Townrow Annett Jose	Louise Amos Jack Amos

Church Cleaning 24 October	Canberra El Shaddai Prayer Group	
Sanctuary Linen	Su Nguyen	
Banking	Gil Watters, Dianne Watters	

Next Week's Readings

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A Ex 22:20-26: 1 Thess 1:5-10: Mt 22:34-40

Cleaning after Mass

Parishioners, thank you for wiping down your pew before leaving the church. Mass co-ordinators, it would be appreciated if you could wipe down the door handles of the main church door and the pens used for the contact tracing registers. Thank you.