



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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### 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 Monica's)

#### 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 mon  
 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  
 Every 2nd Saturday of the month at St Michael's

### FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER YEAR 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:** Lesley Thompson (mother of Fr Richard Thompson),  
 Tuputasi Lualua, Cathy Phillips, Sr Marietta Drew RSJ

**Anniversaries:** Andrew Mitchell, Sr Philippa Finnimore, Dawn Bainbridge, Bob  
 Edwards, Concetta de Marco, Natele Dalbo, Amelia Balbo, Gary O'Rourke,  
 (brother of Dianne Clifford), Mary Laraghy, Francesco & Rosalia Grippi

**Sick:** Louis Maroya, Peter Groves, Peter Gosch, Ruth Glover, Swarna Kish,  
 Rebecca Johnson, Peter Norton, Scott Corkran, Sandra Caldicott, Ian Pinto,  
 Fay Veness, Greg Worthington, Clemens Van der Geest, David Byrnes, Gary  
 Williams, Mary Gogusz, Mirko Kokic, Andre Swanepoel, Allan Davies Symons,  
 Violet Anne Taylor, Anthony Batten, John Hines, Kerry Glover, Jacob Burrige,  
 Magnus Fromber

### FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER YEAR 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 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.

#### FR JOHNY ON LEAVE

Fr Johny is on leave from 13th May until 7th June 2019.  
 Let us keep him in our prayers while he has a break.

#### ARCHDIOCESAN CLERGY ASSEMBLY 20-24 MAY

As the priests of the archdiocese will be away for the  
 Annual Clergy Assembly from 20-24 May, there will be no  
 midweek Masses in the parish. Liturgy of the Word  
 services with Communion will replace the Masses in both  
 St Monica's and St Michael's churches, at the usual times.

#### MARIAN HOLY CROSS PROCESSION, 25 MAY

##### 'Flores de Mayo & Santacruzán' at St Monica's

Join us for the inaugural Flowers of May and Holy Cross  
 Procession at St Monica's Church, Saturday, 25th May at  
 10.30am. This is a beloved Filipino Catholic tradition. It's a  
 wonderful way to introduce children to Marian devotion;  
 they can offer flowers to Our Lady, learn to pray the rosary  
 and experience the joyful and festive atmosphere. The  
 celebration of Holy Mass will follow with a potluck lunch  
 afterwards. Please bring a plate of food to share.  
 Contact Jo Ann: 0409 829 237 or Jasmin: 0431 060 556.

#### WOMEN'S TWILIGHT RETREAT, 29 MAY

This retreat, hosted by the Disciples of Jesus Community,  
 will be held in Manuka on Wednesday, 29th May, 6.00pm  
 to 8.30pm. Dinner will be provided at a cost of \$15.00.  
 There will be discussion, reflection and socializing. Women  
 in different stages of life will share about how having an  
 imperfect life is not an obstacle to experiencing the perfect  
 love of God and sharing this with others.

#### MARRIAGE AND FAMILY SUNDAY, 2 JUNE

A Renewal of Marriage Vows ceremony will take place  
 during the 11.00am Mass at St Christopher's Cathedral,  
 Manuka, followed by a lunch and marriage expo in the  
 Pastoral Centre at 12.00pm. A forum on Marriage as  
 Mission will then be held at 1.00pm until 3.00pm in the  
 Pastoral Centre. Enquiries to: [larakirk@cg.org.au](mailto:larakirk@cg.org.au).  
 Register for this event at: [bit.ly/marriage\\_mission2019](http://bit.ly/marriage_mission2019).  
 (Pay a donation of \$10.00 at the door.)

#### PROJECT COMPASSION 2019

Thank you for your generosity in supporting the works of  
 Caritas Australia during Lent. Please return your donations  
 by the end of this month by placing them in the boxes at  
 the back of the church.

### BAPTISMS

This weekend we welcome six new members into our  
 faith community through the waters of Baptism; Saxon  
 Boag, Ava Castro, Elliot Dean, Alexa Marsh, Ayumi  
 Rowell and Joyce Tran. May God's love be a guiding  
 light and a source of wisdom and grace on their Baptism  
 day and always.

#### GOOD SHEPHERD SUNDAY APPEAL 18 & 19 MAY 2019

##### Collection for the Formation of our Seminarians

This weekend we especially give thanks for the vocations  
 that have sprung from our own communities—those  
 young men whose families and lives are planted in our  
 local parishes and who, God willing, will return as  
 ordained priests to serve here. Please give a generous  
 donation today or begin a monthly donation to support  
 the education of our seminarians. Special envelopes are  
 provided in the church or donations can be made online  
 through the website: [www.cgatholic.org.au](http://www.cgatholic.org.au).

#### NATIONAL PILGRIMAGE IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF MARY MACKILLOP, 22 OCTOBER 2019

The Sisters of St Joseph invite you to join the 25th  
 anniversary National Pilgrimage, giving you the  
 opportunity to journey to places in Australia made holy by  
 St Mary MacKillop. This 12 day pilgrimage will visit  
 Melbourne, Penola, Adelaide, Sydney and other  
 significant places. The cost is \$3,575-\$4,390 depending  
 on the capital city of departure, with a single supplement  
 of \$685. For more information contact Sr Therese  
 Leydon RSJ on 0417 683 123 or email:  
[national.pilgrimage@mmp.org.au](mailto:national.pilgrimage@mmp.org.au).

#### YOUTH MINISTRY POSITION

Are you a young adult? Would you like to be employed  
 on a year of formation and mission? We invite you to  
 become a Youth Minister in 2019, to work across the  
 Archdiocese. For more information visit  
[cgyouthministry.org.au/youthministers](http://cgyouthministry.org.au/youthministers) or contact  
[youth@cg.org.au](mailto:youth@cg.org.au).

#### SEMINAR, YARRALUMLA, MAY-JUNE 'New Life in God's Spirit'

This is a free seminar for all who would like to experience  
 a deeper encounter with Jesus. Speakers include Fr  
 Emil Milat, Fr David Lemewu and Fr Sebastiano Sanna.  
 It will be held in the Parish Room of St Peter Chanel's  
 church, Yarralumla, each Wednesday night, 7pm-9pm,  
 from 1/5/19 to 26/6/19. Contact Neda on 0415 266 019.

#### ST MICHAEL'S SCHOOL TRIVIA NIGHT, 28 JUNE

Please come along with your family and friends to enjoy a  
 night of fun and friendship. This year's theme is TV so  
 come along dressed as a TV character. The cost is  
 \$15.00 per person. Registration can be made through  
 the St Michael's school office. This event will be held in  
 the St Michael's school hall on Friday, 28th June, from  
 7.30pm to 10.00pm. We hope to see you there.

### ROSTERS—St Monica's

25-26 May 2019	6.00pm	10.00am
<b>Acolytes</b>	Garry Compton	Krys Sadkowsky
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Connor Devoy Clare Devoy	Leo De Costa
<b>Special Ministers</b>	John Smith Elaine Smith	Roger Tregear F. Carneiro-Alphonso Neill Cox Jenny Cox
<b>Readers</b>	Vince O'Donnell Kathy Compton	Ray Storrier Mylene Naboya
<b>Music</b>	McKerrows	Eclectics
<b>Wardens</b>	John Smith	Robert Brunato
<b>Church Cleaning: 25 May 2019</b>	John & Pat Quinn, Kim & Stephanie Hancock, Alfredo & Anne Pataja	
<b>Altar Society:</b>	Helene Tewari, Louise Zinkel	
<b>Counters: 26 May</b>	John Jeffery, Maureen Delaney, Whitney De Souza, Daniel Moses	
<b>Children's Liturgy: 26 May</b>	Gabrielle Sullivan	

### ROSTERS—St Michael's

26 May 2019	8.00am	5.30pm
<b>Mass Coordinator</b>	Tina Fisk	Ivan Cretni
<b>Acolytes</b>	Ted Smith Vince Evans	Colin Kish
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Joshua	Maria, Phillip
<b>Readers</b>	Linda Townrow Anne Staines	Luciana Ciaccia Harry Lourdes
<b>Special Ministers</b>	Livia Brown Sr Kate	TC Nguyen Hazel Bailey Doug Widdup
<b>Projectionist</b>	Arleen	Choir
<b>Church Cleaning: 25 May 2019</b>	Canberra El Shaddai Prayer Group	
<b>Sanctuary Linen</b>	Livia Brown	
<b>Banking</b>	Terry Brown, Dianne Watters	

#### Next Week's Readings:

##### Sixth Sunday of Easter

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