



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

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## 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: 4.00—4.45 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

Wednesday 10:00 am, 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. Mick Mac Andrew on 0419 010 870.

## TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR A ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

All that you have done to us, O Lord, you have done with true judgement, for we have sinned against you and not obeyed your commandments. But give glory to your name and deal with us according to the bounty of your mercy.

### COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Remember your word to your servant, O Lord, by which you have given me hope. This is my comfort when I am brought low.

### PRAYER REQUESTS

**In Thanksgiving and Special Intentions:**  
Anna Nguyen, Thi Kim Loan, Jacqui Poliquit

**Anniversaries and Remembrances:** Nancy Gomes, Joe Gomes, Paul Nguyen Luong, Nguyen Nyen, Nguyen Tuong, Nguyen Buong, Giuse Le Dinh Tiem, Anna Nguyen Thi Ngoc Chung, Giuse Le Ngoc Due, Lawrence Holden, Kim Hancock, Luigi Dariol, Elisabetta Dariol, Matthew Goodwin, Beni Santosuosso, Antonia Mrsnik, Anton Mrsnik

**Recently Deceased:** Louis Maroya (funeral 6/10 @ Norwood Park Crematorium, 1.30pm), Nguyen Thi Huong, Mark McInnes, Rosa Pham Thi Tinh, Florentina Mendez

**Sick:** Baby Maisie, Des Kearns, Monica Jones, Emeritus Archbishop Francis Carroll, Marazelle, Maria Teixeira, Michael Hanley, Elaine Drayson, Mary Murugesan, Bernard Storrier, Vimala Mahalingam, Bong, Rose Rajer, Clare Menezes, Tricia Mitchell, Tony Marker, Sarah Driscoll, Caitlin, Royce Miosge, Hilaria Bathan, Francis Politano, Tony Murdoch

## TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR A PERSONAL RESPONSIBILITY

*We cannot spend all of our lives blaming others for what has happened to us. At a certain stage we must accept responsibility for our own lives and deeds. Sometimes we need to admit, "I have done wrong. I am sorry. God, help me to do right in future." Change is always possible. If we have the desire, God will guide us in the right path.*

### Baptism

This weekend we welcome Maeve Richards into our faith community through the waters of Baptism. May God's love and blessings be upon her on this Baptism day and always.

### Daylight Saving –Change of Saturday Mass Time, Evatt

From this Saturday, 7th October, the evening Mass at St Monica's will commence at 6pm, instead of 5pm. Reconciliation will be available from 4.30pm-5.30pm.

### Church Musicians Afternoon Tea Get-Together, 6 October

All those involved with the church music ministry are welcome to a 4-6pm afternoon tea catch-up this Friday at 9 Hakea St, O'Connor. RSVP to Joanne: 0414 165 848

### Scripture Study with Fr Mick

The classes will resume as per usual this week, at the same time and place as previously.

### Do You Want To Be Catholic?

#### 1st Session, Wednesday, 11th October

This session is for anyone who would like to inquire about becoming Catholic. The session will be held at St Michael's Parish Centre next to the church at 7:00pm for one hour. If you know of anyone who is interested in learning more about the Catholic Church or who has expressed a desire to become Catholic why not offer to accompany them to this information session? Please contact Fr Mick for more details.

### Advance Notice-Saturday, 4th November, 12.30pm

Seder Meal-To help us understand the Jewish roots of the Eucharist and the Last Supper of Jesus, Mark and Rahel Landrom, from the International Mission to Jewish People, will conduct a Seder Meal for us. As we get closer to the date we will organise food and drinks etc. Keep the date free for a fascinating look at the meal Jesus celebrated the night before he died.

### Father's Day Appeal for Sick & Retired Clergy

The Archdiocesan Clergy Retirement Foundation thanks everyone who contributed so generously. For those still wishing to make a donation, envelopes are available in the church or a donation can be made online at: www.cgatholic.org.au/donate. Thank you for your support.

### Parish Bank Details for your support

BSB: 062 786 Account No: 00029453  
Account Name: Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish  
Reference: [ your name]

### From Pope Francis

Dear Brothers and Sisters,  
My recent visit to Marseille coincided with the conclusion of a significant meeting of civil and religious leaders and many young people from the Mediterranean countries. The meeting's theme, 'Mosaic of Hope', alluded to the hope of freedom that inspires migrants to undertake dangerous journeys, but also Europe's own need for renewed hope in its future. The Mediterranean region, which embraces three continents and a great variety of cultures, is called, especially at this time of forced migrations, to be a 'workshop of civilization and peace' in the service of a more humane and fraternal world.

The meeting thus reaffirmed the importance of respect for both the right to emigrate and the right not to emigrate, and the urgent need, in light of present migration patterns, for adequate structures of security, welcome and integration. May young people in particular help to compose the 'Mosaic of Hope' which is the present and future of the Mediterranean world, and likewise see that hope reflected in the faces of their brothers and sisters come from afar.

### Marian Procession, Goulburn, Sunday, 22 October

In this Year of the Holy Spirit, we will gather to pray and celebrate the Eucharist at Sts Peter & Paul Old Cathedral, Goulburn. This is a day of prayer and festivities, for the faithful to journey with Mary to Jesus. Please refer to the noticeboard for the program of the day's events.

### Catholic Women's Taskforce Fundraising Dinner, Southern Cross Club, Woden, Friday, 27 October

This annual dinner raises funds for MacKillop House. The guest speaker will be Ms Genevieve Jacobs. Tickets are \$80. Visit: samanthahazlett@icloud.com for more details. Tickets can be purchased at: www.cgwomen.org.au.

### Catholic Ball for Young Adults, Woden, 4 November

Meet other young Catholics (18-40) and support Pregnancy Crisis centres by attending the James Bond Catholic Ball. This will be held on Saturday, 4 November, 7pm-11.30pm at the Southern Cross Club, Woden. Tickets are \$85 and can be purchased at: www.eventcreate.com/e/canberracatholicball2023. Follow the Canberra Cathedral Young Adults Facebook group for event details and other young Catholic activities. For more details email: catholicyoungadults.cbr@gmail.com. We hope to see you at the ball!

### Caritas Australia's Emergency Appeals-Morocco/Libya

Caritas Australia needs your support to respond to the devastating earthquake in Morocco and the floods in Libya. Communities need shelter, food, water and medical assistance. Donate at: www.caritas.org.au. Thank you.

### Food Friendship Faith, for those aged 18-35 years St Michael's Parish Centre

This is held each Sunday evening, after the 5:30pm Mass at St Michael's Church, Kaleen. We meet in the Parish Centre, next door to the church.

### Parish Sacramental Program 2024

For students who are baptised and in Years 4-6 in 2024: Sacrament of Reconciliation to be celebrated in term 1, 2024  
Sacrament of First Communion to be celebrated in term 2, 2024  
Sacrament of Confirmation to be celebrated in term 3, 2024

### School of Religion

Preparation classes for the Sacraments are held on Tuesdays from 6-7pm in the meeting room in St Monica's Church, Evatt. For information regarding the 2024 Sacramental Program, please contact the Sacramental Program Coordinator.

**For further information regarding the Sacramental Program** – please contact the Sacramental Program Coordinator at [sc.belconnennorth@cg.org.au](mailto:sc.belconnennorth@cg.org.au) or check the parish website for updates at [www.cg.org.au/belconnennorth](http://www.cg.org.au/belconnennorth)

## ROSTERS 7-8 October 2023

<u>St Monica's</u>	<u>6.00pm</u>	<u>10.00am</u>
<b>Acolyte</b>	Gavan Smith	Franklin Soriano
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Adel Sibayan	J&L Frahm-Jensen
<b>Readers</b>	Jenny Jeffery	Magna Tsui
	Fiona Pettit	Gabrielle Sullivan
<b>Music</b>	Anne	Karen
<b>Warden</b>	Noel Simento	Bob Jepsen
<b>Church Cleaning</b>	Katrina, Mick, Felicity, Choral	
<b>Altar Society</b>	Marg Smith, Louise Zinkel	
<b>Counters</b>	John, Maureen, Daniel	
<u>St Michael's</u>	<u>8.00am</u>	<u>5.30pm</u>
<b>Mass Centre</b>	Sue Collins	Ivan Cretni
<b>Coordinator</b>		
<b>Acolyte</b>	Felix Stravens	Ted Smith
<b>Readers</b>	Annette Jose	Luciana Ciaccia
	Marie Seabrook	Rachel Blackwell
	Sr Kate	Margaret Dudfield
<b>Eucharistic Minister</b>		
<b>Projectionist</b>	Arleen	Choir
<b>Church Cleaning</b>	Tina, Gerry, Annette, Su, Ilona	
<b>Sanctuary Linen</b>	Maria Evans	
<b>Banking</b>	Peter Corkran, Ted Smith	

### Next Week's Readings

**27th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A**  
Is 5:1-7; Phil 4:6-9; Mt 21:33-43