



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  
 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.

### TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR C

#### ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

Turn your ear, O Lord, and answer me;  
 save the servant who trusts in you, my God.  
 Have mercy on me, O Lord, for I cry to you all the day long.

#### COMMUNION ANTIPHON

The earth is replete with the fruits of your work, O Lord;  
 you bring forth bread from the earth  
 and wine to cheer the heart.

#### PRAYER REQUESTS

**Recently Deceased:** Michele Falcette, Joan Patricia Isaksen, Patrick Shea, Sem Anthony Cabardo, Saverio Garreffa, Geeta Mahalingam

**Death Anniversaries:** Barbara Thompson, Karolina Modric, Thelma Bush, Michael Jarvis, Felizardo Calma, Pat Sargeant

**Sick:** Laurie Cannon, Patricia Simpson, Luke, Oliver, Jo Van der Geest, Pauline Greig, Fr Chris Murphy, Elena Bautista, Terry Nolan, Baby Maisie, Katia Banac, Rosa Bui Thi Ngoc Bich, Bernard Storrier, Vicki Heffernan, Des Kearns, Katherine Allen, Kerry Glover, Norma Pridgen, Xavier D'Ambrosio, Jun Reyes.

### TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YR C ENTERING GOD'S KINGDOM

*It is frustrating to arrive at a shop a few minutes after it has closed, or at an event only to discover that all tickets have been sold. There is nothing we can do about it. We have no automatic right of entry. The same applies to god's kingdom. To join the many people from east and west at the heavenly banquet we must strive to follow Jesus along the narrow and sometimes difficult path of love.*

#### Baptisms

This weekend we welcome Luca Brabec and Gemma Davidson into our faith community through the waters of Baptism. May God's love and blessings be upon them on their Baptism day and always.

#### 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.

#### School of Religion (for students who do not attend St Michael's or St Monica's schools)

School of Religion classes commenced on Tuesday 2 August from 6-7pm in the meeting room at St Monica's Church. The classes will run for the month of August.

Please keep these candidates preparing to celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation in your prayers.

**The Sacrament of Reconciliation** (for eligible Year 3 students) 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](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)

#### Knowing Jesus Daily Devotional Videos

You cannot become what you do not know. Join us as we seek to dive deep into the life of Jesus to expand our understanding of who He is and help us live and become more like Him. This FREE Daily Devotional series is presented by Bruce Downes, known as The Catholic Guy, and started on Monday 15 August.

#### Can you undertake an overseas mission?

Our sister churches in Africa, Asia and the Pacific are requesting Australian Catholics to join them to build the skills of those in their community who have had less opportunity than ourselves. Please consider these [Mission opportunities abroad](#). The Australian Catholic Bishops Conference provide support. [Palms Australia](#), who have prepared Australian Catholics for global mission since 1961, will ensure accommodation and a living allowance is provided to you during your time away. [Enquire online](#) or **Ph: 0422 742 567** to find out about a placement to engage your skills.

#### 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.*

#### Natural Fertility Awareness Week

A free seminar, with supper, is being held in St Monica's Meeting Room, Evatt on Wednesday, 24 August 2022 at 7.30pm during **Natural Fertility Awareness Week**. Entitled **Fertility Literacy: get the Know-How**, this session will show how to track a cycle, read a chart, understand the process of ovulation and interpret the symbols and science behind a Billings Ovulation Method® chart. Further information and registration on Eventbrite: <https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/natural-fertility-awareness-week-seminar-fertility-literacy-tickets-394933836737>

#### Youth Mass, St Michael's Church, 28 August

Are you aged 12 and under? Come along for our Parish's Youth Mass on Sunday, 28th August, 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.

#### Assertiveness - Trusting your own inner voice (via zoom), 30 August, 7:00 pm

This reflection event will explore: assertiveness-what it is and what it is not; finding within ourselves that voice of God that echoes who I am as good in the eyes of God; what is it that distorts this perception and how that influences my judgement and behaviour. Led by Chris Chaplin msc. Cost \$35. Book and pay by 26/08/22 via [www.heartoflife.melbourne](http://www.heartoflife.melbourne)

#### 'Holiday Happenings' Kippax, 29 September and 6 October

This is a school holiday program for primary aged children, at Kippax Uniting Community Centre. There will be different craft, games, stories and activities each day. Bookings are essential. Ph: 6254 1733

#### Saturday Mass St Monica's

With daylight savings starting at the end of September the Saturday Mass at St Monica's will return to 6pm from 24 September.

### ROSTERS—St Monica's

27-28 August 2022	5.00pm	10.00am
<b>Acolyte</b>	Gavan Smith	Frank Brassil
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Katie Brasnett & Aria Wallace	Volunteer
<b>Readers</b>	Fiona Pettit Dolores Schneider	Alex Montaos Magna Tsui
<b>Music</b>	St Michael's Choir	Mixed Ensemble
<b>Warden</b>	Noel Simento	Kelly Grzywacz

<b>Church Cleaning 27 August</b>	Paul & Marie Newman, Noel & Kristain Simento
<b>Altar Society</b>	Kay Grzadka & Linda Pike
<b>Counters 28 August</b>	Matt Houghton, Paul Sykes & Khalil Taouk

### ROSTERS—St Michael's

28 August 2022	8.00am	5.30pm
<b>Mass Coordinator</b>	Sue Collins	Cynthia Parayiwa
<b>Acolyte</b>	Tony McArthur	TC Nguyen
<b>Readers</b>	Annett Jose Marie Seabrook	Youth Mass
<b>Eucharistic Minister</b>	Anne Staines	Margaret Dudfield
<b>Projectionist</b>	Ausilia	Choir
<b>Church Cleaning 27 August</b>	Canberra El Shaddai Prayer Group	
<b>Sanctuary Linen</b>	Livia Brown	
<b>Banking 30 August</b>	Gil Watters & Diane Watters	

#### Next Week's Readings

**Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year C**  
 Sirach 3:17-20, 28-29 Heb 12:18-19, 22-24  
 Lk 14:1, 7-14