



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

## 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

## 25TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR C

### ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

I am the salvation of the people, says the Lord.  
Should they cry to me in any distress,  
I will hear them, and I will be their Lord forever.

### COMMUNION ANTIPHON

You have laid down your precepts to be carefully kept,  
may my ways be firm in keeping your statutes.

### PRAYER REQUESTS

Please pray for rain for the drought stricken areas of our Archdiocese.

Recently Deceased: Joseph Smith, William 'Bill' Goodman, (Tina Fisk's father), Nell Toscan, Debbie Glover, Lewis Carey, John Arganese

Death Anniversaries: Michael Stinziani, Libby Ciuffetelli, Giuseppina Chiofalo, Magdalena Alcalá, Mrs Abraham, Terry Murphy, Natale Dalbo

Sick: Mary Gogusz, Felix Zamora, Frances Smythe, Andre Swanepoel, Betty Bestwitch, Joan Lowe, Helen, Valerie Hanlon, John Mills, Anthony Pasquariello, Teresita Caringal, Marie Wicks, Heno Laana, Edelweisse Symons, Swarna Kish, Peter Norton, Sandra Caldicott

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### SLAVES OF GOD OR MONEY?

The Christian community must contribute to the welfare of the broader human society. We have a duty to pray for civil leaders and to act justly in our places of work. We must do what we can to ensure that the institutions of our society are devoted to the well-being of all citizens. If we ourselves are devoted to God and not to money, we will bring great riches to our society.

### 9.30AM MASS, ST MICHAEL'S, 26 SEPTEMBER

The Thursday morning Mass will be celebrated with the students and teachers of St Michael's school, for the feast day of St Michael the Archangel.

### SOCIAL JUSTICE SUNDAY, 29 SEPTEMBER

Social Justice Sunday will be celebrated next Sunday. This year the Australian Bishops' Social Justice Statement is titled, 'Making it Real: Genuine Human Encounter in our Digital World'. It shares Pope Francis' challenge to us to 'boldly become citizens of the digital world'. It points out that we are called not just to be inhabitants of this world, but active citizens shaping it. The statements are available in the foyer of the church. Please collect one and take the time to read through it.

### SVDP KALEEN CONFERENCE NEW MEMBERS NEEDED

Over the past few months, the Kaleen conference has lost members due to retirements and moves interstate. The conference is now seeking new members. Are you looking for a meaningful way to help others? The conference visits the poor and those in need in their family home. We are called by faith to serve our community. We believe we have a responsibility to turn our concerns into actions and give back to the community. Please consider joining the Kaleen SVDP conference to help support those in need. Contact Ted on 0411 106 295 if you have any questions or need further information.

### FEAST OF ST THERESE OF LISIEUX, 1 OCTOBER

Mass will be concelebrated by Archbishop Christopher Prowse and His Excellency Archbishop Adolfo Tito Yllana at 10.30am on Tuesday, 1st October, at the Carmelite Monastery, 28 Mugga Way, Red Hill. The traditional Blessing of Roses will take place after the Mass, and the nuns would be grateful for roses prior to the feast or before the Mass.

### ARCHDIOCESAN MARIAN PROCESSION GALONG, 27 OCTOBER

Archbishop Christopher Prowse extends an invitation to all parishioners to participate in the 2019 Marian Procession, on Sunday, 27 October. Our parish is organising a bus for transport. Please add your name to the list in the church foyer if you'd like to book a seat on the bus. Enquiries to 0433 841 886

### 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.

### PRAYER FOR THE BLESSING OF RAIN

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 to our nation, to its peoples old and new.

May we receive the blessing of abundant rain so that the 'desert blooms with the life that lies in wait.' We ask this through Christ Our Lord. Amen.

### BAPTISM

This weekend we welcome Mateo Miletic into our faith community through the waters of Baptism. May God's love be a guiding light and a source of wisdom and grace on his Baptism day and always.

### THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

Congratulations to the 75 young people who were recently confirmed at St Monica's and St Michael's churches. May the gifts and fruits of the Holy Spirit remain with them at this time and throughout their future lives. Thank you for your generosity in the collections taken up during Mass for Bushfire Relief. A total amount of \$1,458 was raised.

### THE JOY OF THE GOSPEL PROGRAM 2019 MANUKA, 19 OCTOBER

Would you like to discover ways to improve and cultivate good community, good teaching and preaching, and good music in your parish? Join us for The Joy of the Gospel program, Saturday, 19th October, from 10am to 1pm in the Haydon Hall, Manuka. The morning will include several short talks and open dialogue discussions. It is free and everyone is welcome. Please register at: www.joyofthegospel.com.au.

### ONE DAY CONTEMPLATIVE RETREAT PEARCE, 19 OCTOBER

'The Inward Journey of the Heart' - this retreat will be held in the Mary Help of Christians Parish Hall, Pearce, 9.30am-3.30pm on Saturday, 19th October. See the notice board for more details.

## ROSTERS—St Monica's

28-29 Sept 2019	6.00pm	10.00am
Acolytes	Mark Gore	Neill Cox
Altar Servers	Thomas Grgic Claudia Grgic	Connor Devoy Clare Devoy
Special Ministers	Kay Grzadka Kerry Morcombe	Daniel Akkidasari F. Carneiro-Alphonso Jenny Cox Mirella Sadkowsky
Readers	Paul Sykes Jenny Jeffery	Leon Sadkowsky Gabrielle Sullivan
Music	Free	Eclectics
Wardens	Whalan family	Robert Jepsen
Church Cleaning 28 September 2019	Katrina Ciampa, Connie Schimizzi, Joe Semier, Mick Devoy, Felicity Magnusson	
Altar Society	Maxine Lloyd, Mary Williams	
Counters 29 September	Matt Houghton, David Sturgess, Paul Sykes	
Children's Liturgy 29 September	Gabrielle Sullivan	

## ROSTERS—St Michael's

29 Sept 2019	8.00am	5.30pm
Mass Coordinator	Sue Collins	Terry Brown
Acolytes	Colin Kish Kevin Connor	Ted Smith
Altar Servers	Joshua	Phillip, Maria
Readers	Gil Watters Simeon Benedictos	Seven Tieupakt Jennifer Ovcar
Special Ministers	Livia Brown Simeon Benedictos	Doug Widdup Jasmin Boncales Luciana Ciaccia
Projectionist	Anita Lobo	Choir
Church Cleaning 28 Sept 2019	Canberra El Shaddai Prayer Group	
Sanctuary Linen	Sr Kate	
Banking	Luciana Ciaccia, Clyde Robins	

### Next Week's Readings

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C

Amos 6: 1, 4-7; 1 Tim 6: 11-16; Lk 16: 19-31