

St Monica's Church Deffell St Evatt

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NORTH BELCONNEN

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MASS TIMES

St Monica's Church, Evatt

Wednesday: 9.30 am Friday: 7.00 am Saturday Vigil: 6.00 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: 4.30—5.30 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

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. Loi Viovicente on 6258 3212.

THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR C

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

Let the hearts that seek the Lord rejoice; turn to the Lord and his strength; constantly seek his face.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

We will ring out our joy at your saving help and exult in the name of our God.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Recently Deceased: Mary Gogusz, Roberta Robertson RSM, Kerry Glover, Bill Fitzpatrick, Anita Andaya, Michele Falcette

Death Anniversaries: Dominique Djomani Ngaleu, Luke Dorsett, Kate Goodchild, Roozbeh Araghi, Pateman, Reg Smith, Greg Worthington

Sick: Joan Porta, Tony Murdoch, Pam Edwards, Vince Evans, Brid Gerrard, Donal Gerrard, 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, Norma Pridgen

THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR C

THE PRAYER OF THE SINNER

Last Sunday's Gospel told of the determined struggle of a good person, a widow, for justice. Through this story Jesus teaches that God hears the persistent cries of the just. In today's Gospel it is a sinner who prays to God for mercy and, wonderfully, God hears the sinner's humble prayer also. The only prayer to which God cannot respond is that of the self-righteous who effectively says to God: 'I do not need you.'

Baptisms

This weekend we welcome three new members into our faith community through the waters of Baptism; Allegra Kerr, and Jack & Benjamin Rodgers. May God's love and blessings be upon them on their Baptism day and always.

Clergy Appointments, Effective 10th January 2023

Archbishop Prowse has appointed Fr Loi as parish priest at Batemans Bay, from January next year. The new priest for our parish will be Fr Mick MacAndrew, currently parish priest at Cooma. Let us keep Fr Loi and Fr Mick in our prayers as they prepare for their new appointments.

Sr Kate Away

Sr Kate will be away on Retreat from October 24th until November 1st. You will all be remembered during her days of prayer and reflection.

The Blessing of Marian Grotto, St Monica's

The blessing of Marian Grotto at St Monica's Church, Evatt, will take place after the 10:00 am Mass on 30 October. Everyone is welcome to join this memorable moment and spend some time with our Blessed Mother.

Parish Sacramental Program 2022

<u>Sacrament of Reconciliation</u> for eligible Year 3 students (and students in Years 4, 5 & 6 who have not yet celebrated the sacrament) will be celebrated on:

Tuesday, 8 November in St Michael's Church Wednesday, 9 November in St Monica's Church School of Religion will celebrate the sacrament on: Tuesday, 22 November in St Monica's Church.

Registration

Registrations are now closed and <u>No Further registrations</u> can be accepted.

<u>Commitment Masses</u> this weekend, 22 & 23 October is your **LAST** opportunity to attend a Commitment Mass.

Candidates and parents <u>must</u> attend one of the weekend Masses at either St Monica's Church (6pm Saturday or 10am Sunday) or St Michael's Church (8am or 5.30pm Sunday) to make their commitment for the Sacrament. There will be <u>no additional Commitment Masses</u> beyond these dates.

School of Religion Classes

Classes have commenced and are held over 5 Tuesdays from 6-7pm in the meeting room at St Monica's Church, Evatt, on: 18 & 25 Octoberc

1, 8, & 15 November 2022

Registration and Commitment Masses for School of Religion are the same as above

For further Information regarding the Sacramental Program, please contact the Sacramental Program Coordinator at

sc.belconnennorth@cq.orq.au or check the parish website for updates at www.cq.orq.au/belconnennorth

PRAYER FOR WORLD PEACE

O Lord God.

We pray for peace and justice in our world and for an end to the war in Ukraine. We pray for those defending their land and for the victims of the conflict; for those killed and wounded, the refugees, the homeless and the children. Our Lady of Perpetual Help, we implore your help in this time of need. Please intercede on our behalf, that resolutions will be found, that hostilities will cease and that peace will reign throughout our world, Amen.

Farewell Salvi Machumpurath

Thank you for all your good work in the parish, Salvi. We wish you happiness and God's blessings for your future life in Melbourne. You will be missed!

Musicians Needed for St Monica's Church

St Monica's church is in need of musicians to fill the music roster. If you are a keyboard player of the piano or organ, and would like to accompany a small group of singers once a month, or know other musicians with whom to form a group, please contact Fr Loi or Anne Kennedy on 0414 778 599. The commitment would be once a month on a Sunday or Saturday night, whichever you would prefer.

Youth Mass, St Michael's, 23 October, 5.30pm

Are you aged 12 and under? Come along for our parish's Youth Mass. This will be followed by a 15 minute children's group at the parish office next door, where we will have food, fun and worship. Invite your mates too!

Marian Procession, Sunday, 23 October, MANUKA

Due to predicted rain, the Marian Procession will take place at St Christopher's Cathedral, Manuka. The program is as follows: 11.00am-12noon: Mass at the Cathedral, Manuka (live-streamed) 12noon-12.30pm: Rosary at the Cathedral 12.30pm onwards: lunch at the Haydon Hall with a provided sausage sizzle and children's activities.

Catholic Charismatic Renewal Canberra-Goulburn Archbishop's Day of Teaching, 12 November, Yarralumla

To be held at St Peter Chanel's church, from 8.30am-4.00pm, there will be talks, testimonies, worship and healing prayer ministry. Everyone is welcome and there is no cost. There will be Holy Mass at midday, followed by a sausage sizzle lunch. Visit: www.trybooking.com to register or call Maida on 0423 658 326.

St Michael's Primary School Celebrates 40 Years, 19 November

You are invited to come along to celebrate on Saturday, 19 November, in the school grounds between 11am and 2pm. Please RSVP to the school on 6241 4022 by 7 November.

Men's Cursillo Retreat Weekend, 24-27 November

A Cursillo retreat weekend offers you the opportunity for formation through talks, meditations, discussion and prayer, led by an experienced local volunteer team. A three day retreat starts on the evening of Thursday, 24 Nov, in a relaxed retreat setting. The weekend is led by an experienced local volunteer team of lay men with the support of a spiritual director, Fr Bernie Patterson. Contact Alfred on 0412 268 044, readysetgo@live.com.au or visit https://bit.ly/cursillo22.

ROSTERS—St Monica's

29-30 October 2022	6.00pm	10.00am
Acolyte	Mark Gore	Ciaran Gerrard
Altar Servers	Katie Brasnett Jacob Gallana	Aria Wallace
Readers	Veronica Dahl Vince O'Donnell	Jojo Sibayan Chris Dudfield
Music	Anne	Anne
Warden	Kelly Grzywacz	Michael Holohan

29 October	Kelly Grzywacz, Sue Keeble,
Church Cleaning	Tony & Sue Connell
Altar Society	Marg Smith, Louise Zinkel
30 October	Robert Jepsen, Robert Brunato, Kelly
Counters	Grzywacz

ROSTERS—St Michael's

30 October 2022	8.00am	5.30pm
Mass Coordinator	Neil Seabrook	Ivan Cretni
Acolyte	Sam Bartone	TC Nguyen
Readers	Anne Staines Julianne Garcia	Joel Kurian Maria Jayan
Eucharistic Minister	Marie Seabrook	Margaret Dudfield
Projectionist	Arleen Stark	Choir

29 October Church Cleaning	Kevin Heindl, Glen Matthews, Maree Corkran, M. Kenna, T. Kenna
Sanctuary Linen	Trish Bartone
1 November Banking	Luciana Ciaccia, Clyde Robins

Next Week's Readings

Thirty First Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year C Wis 11:22-12:2; 2 Thess 1:11-2:2; Lk 19:1-10