

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

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 month 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

7TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR C ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

O Lord, I trust in your merciful love. My heart will rejoice in your salvation.

I will sing to the Lord who has been bountiful with me.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

I will recount all your wonders,
I will rejoice in you and be glad.

and sing psalms to your name, O Most High.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Recently Deceased: Kevin O'Gorman, Sr Patricia Osborne RSM, Teresa Palomi, Capitolina Goncalves, Kristina Flynn, Marie Storrier

Anniversaries: Nevell & Margaret Phelps, R.A.F. Bainbridge, Domenico Vociano, Benito Magbutay, Colin Dahl, Valerio Lovrinovic, John Gleeson

Sick: Colleen Spellman, Fay Veness, Greg Worthington, Clemens Van der Geest, David Byrnes, Swarna Kish, Emeritus Archbishop Francis Carroll, Gary Williams, Mary Gogusz, Mirko Kokic, Andre Swanepoel, Allan Davies Symons, Violet Anne Taylor, Anthony Batten, John Hines, Kerry Glover, Jacob Burridge, Magnus Fromber, Conchita Cariage, Carmille Christenson

SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

'LOVE YOUR ENEMIES'

The words of Jesus we hear in today's Gospel are very challenging: 'love your enemies, do good to those who persecute you, freely part with your possessions and money, do not judge, forgive.' In brief, we are asked to imitate the unconditional compassion and love of God. The challenge is great but so is the reward. The more we give to others, the more richly we are blessed. .

YOUR HELP IS REQUIRED

This will be the last weekend for the **St Vincent de Paul Annual Doorknock Appeal.** It's not too late to volunteer as a doorknock collector for the Kaleen and Lawson areas. Please contact Tim on 0437 103 328.

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT & MMP CENACLE ST MCHAEL'S CHURCH, 2 MARCH

Exposition 11.30am-1.00pm Cenacle 11.45am-12.30pm Silent Prayer 12.30pm-1.00pm

This devotion will take place every first Saturday of the month. Enquiries to Joe & Judy Mewburn on 6254 6202.

ST MONICA'S MUSIC MINISTRY

Do you enjoy singing at Mass? St Monica's Singers are currently seeking new members. Commitment to this ministry would be one Sunday a month. If you are interested in joining us and enriching our liturgies, please contact Anne Kennedy on 0414 778 599 or email to: annek2@pcug.org.au

VOLUNTEER CLEANERS NEEDED FOR ST MICHAEL'S CHURCH

Dear parishioners, we need new and energetic people to be on the church cleaning roster. Many of the current volunteers have given their valuable time and energy for many years but unfortunately are not able to continue due to moving away or health issues. The roster has teams of volunteers, each with a team leader. The work isn't hard or time consuming, just regular cleaning tasks such as vacuuming, dusting, sweeping, mopping and other general cleaning. This would take an hour to an hour and a half of your time, four times a year. If you can help with this please email or text me at:

margaretkenna@bigpond. com or 0408 864 285. I hope to hear from you soon.

SR KATE AWAY

Sr Kate is away on a 'part holiday-part ministry' break in Sydney. She will be back on 26th February.

BAPTISMS

This weekend we welcome Sophia Balolong and Elliot Jeffery into our faith community through the waters of Baptism; May their lives be filled with God's peace and their hearts with God's love on their Baptism day and always.

PARISH SCHOOL FETES IN MARCH

St Michael's School, 16th March, 10am-2pm St Monica's School, 23rd March, 10am-2pm Please come and support your local Catholic primary schools. There will be fun for everyone; Devonshire tea, plant store, cake store, children's

rides and entertainment.
We would love to see you there!

LENTEN PROGRAM

Ash Wednesday, 6th March, is less than a month away. It's time to begin planning for our parish prayer and Gospel reflection groups. This year our program is based on the theme TRUST. Sheets will be available in the church foyers for you to add your name and details and your willingness to host a group. New members are always welcome.

SCREENING OF FILM ON EUTHANASIA CURTIN, SUNDAY, 3 MARCH

Are laws allowing euthanasia and assisted suicide leading society down a dangerous path? Filmmaker Kevin Dunn travels to the Netherlands, Belgium, the USA and Canada to ask some of the most fundamental philosophical questions of our time. Come to the screening of this compelling film at Holy Trinity Church Parish Centre, Curtin, on Sunday, 3rd March at 1.30pm, sponsored by the ACT Right to Life Association. Entry is free. Light refreshments will be served, with a question and discussion period at the end. RSVP to Denis on 6251 2989.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR COMPEER

The St Vincent de Paul Society is seeking enthusiastic and passionate volunteers to take part in the Compeer program. Compeer matches people with a mental health diagnosis with a 'friend' who is a caring and compassionate volunteer, to circumvent social isolation for people with mental health issues. It aims to improve the quality of life and self-esteem of the mentally ill. Volunteers will receive specialised training and support; no previous experience is required. Please contact: compeer@svdp-cg.org.au for more information.

ROSTERS—St Monica's

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2-3 March 2019	6.00pm		10.00am		
Acolyte	Garry Compton		Chris Dudfield		
Altar Servers	Katie Brasnett		Leo De Costa		
Special Ministers	Elizabeth Wong Dolores Schneider		Ray Storrier Eileen Simon F. Carneiro Alphonso Roger Tregear		
Readers	Paul Sykes Maryanne Gore		Alexis Montaos Gabrielle Sullivan		
Music	St Monica's Youth		The Wingettes		
Wardens	Noel Simento		Robert Brunato		
Church Cleaning: 2 March 2019		Maryanne Gore, Jenny Moylan, Daniela Zolli, Jane Sbirakos, Samantha Portelli			
Altar Society:		Suzy Grgic, Kelly Grzywacz			
Counters: 3 March		John Jeffery, Maureen Delaney, Whitney de Souza, Daniel Moses			
Children's Liturgy: 3 March		Volunteer			
DOSTEDS St Michaelle					

ROSTERS—St Michael's

3 March 2019	8:00 am		5:30 pm	
Mass Coordinator	Tina	Fisk	Ivan Cretni	
Acolytes	_	n Connor e Evans	Ted Smith	
Altar Servers	Joshua & Edu		Joel & Maria	
Readers	Annette Jose Mary Garcia		Seven Tieupakt Jennifer Ovcar	
Special Ministers	Simeon Benedictos Sr Kate		Margaret Dudfield Cynthia Parayiwa Volunteer	
Projectionist	Blooma John		Choir	
Church Cleaning: 2 March 2019		Sue Collins, Pam Edwards, Diane & Gil Watters, Tracy Sinclair, Maree Corkran		
Sanctuary Linen		Elaine Farrelly		
Banking		Gerry Mayne, Linda Townrow		

Next Week's Readings:

8th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year C Sirach 27:4-7; 1 Cor 15:54-58; Lk 6:39-45