



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

Acknowledgement of Country
We acknowledge the Ngunawal people, as Traditional Owners of the land where we gather today and pay our respects to Elders past, present and emerging.

MASS TIMES

St Monica's Church, Evatt

Wednesday: 9.30 am Friday: 7.00am
Saturday Vigil: 5.00 pm Sunday: 10.00am

St Michael's Church, Kaleen

Tuesday: 9.30 am Thursday 9.30am
Saturday: 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

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Wednesdays: 6.00 - 7.00 pm, St Monica'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 6:00 pm, St Monica's

Novena Devotion to O.L. of Perpetual Succour

Thursday 8.00 pm, St Michael's

EI 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

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY, YEAR B

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

Blest be God the Father, and the Only Begotten Son of God, and also the Holy Spirit, for he has shown us his merciful love.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Since you are children of God, God has sent into your hearts the spirit of his Son, the Spirit who cries out: Abba, Father

PRAYER REQUESTS

In Thanksgiving and Special Intentions: Oanh Le, Louise Zinkel, Sophy Jacob, Jacqui Poliquit, Draga Manenica, John Gore
Anniversaries and Remembrances: Maria Condemi, Ruth Glover, Rachel Jones, Mark Antony McInnes, Bob Edwards, Mary Laraghy, Jordan Taylor, Almerinda Ciaccia, Nick Spinocchia, Anne Nguyen Thi Uyen, Paul Nguyen Luong, Paul Nguyen Vinh Tuong, Paul Nguyen Van Buong, Anne Nguyen Thi Phuong, Margot Prout, Maria & Dominic Pham, John & Maria Nguyen, Mirko Kocic, Anna Le Thi Bich Dung, Gisela Joris Yenny, Florentius Sunardi
Recently Deceased: Veronica Hourigan, Marie Wickremeratne, Corinna Pereira, Maryanne Gonsalves, Joan Beecher
Sick: Mary Braddock, Maree Mitchell, Sophy Jacob, Carmel Ford, Helen, Joseph Cretni, Shelley Knoke, Colin Kish, Brenden Mooney, Nina Wood, Steven Whiting, Renato Penalzoza, Baby Maisie, Marazelle, Michael Hanley, Elaine Drayson, Mary Murugesan, Vimala Mahalingam, Bong, Rose Rajer, Clare Menezes, Tricia Mitchell, Tony Marker, Sarah Driscoll, Caitlin, Royce Miosge, Hilaria Bathan, Francis Politano, Tony Murdoch

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY, YEAR B CHOSEN TO BE GOD'S OWN.



On this feast of the Holy Trinity we pause to reflect on the great mystery of God, 'by whose word the heavens were made, by the breath of whose mouth all the stars' (Ps 32). What is perhaps most marvellous is the way this God of majesty and power has drawn so close to us. In Jesus, God assumed our human condition. In the Spirit, we have become God's children able to address God by the intimate title, 'Abba, Father!'

Baptisms

This weekend we welcome León Hiraldo & Jesulana Dada into our faith community through the waters of Baptism. May God's love and blessings be upon them on their Baptism day and always.

Lectors - Readers

Ministers of the Word of God bring Sacred Scripture to life in the liturgical assembly. Proclaiming God's Word well requires specialized training, careful preparation and practice. To assist Lectors in their ministry to God's people, there will be two training days held - Saturday 15th June and Saturday 22nd June 9:30am - 4:00pm. These training days will be facilitated by the Australian Catholic University liturgical training team. Lunch and refreshments will be provided. All Lectors (Readers) are invited to attend any or all of the sessions. Place your name and contact details on the sheets at the church entrance. New volunteers will be especially welcomed. There is no cost for this.

WhatsApp for parishioners

Would you like to receive a video Gospel reflection mid-week and any parish notifications? The Parish will soon start a WhatsApp group. All you need to do is give us your mobile phone number. A list for you to place your mobile number is at the church doors.

Zoom Prayer Meeting, 27 May, 7:30pm - 8:00pm

Call to Connect women's Ministry is offering a Zoom prayer meeting for all parishioners. Register for link and prayer session to Bronnie - calltoconnect.ministry@gmail.com
Guest invitation to attend a Face to Face meeting on Monday, June 3rd with Louise and her group. RSVP to Louise 0414 808 345. Both opportunities help to build the parish community through prayer. For more info: www.calltoconnect.org

For those who wish to contribute to Parish Finances;

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

Pope Francis speaks on humility

Dear brothers and sisters, good morning!

We will conclude this cycle of catechesis by looking at a virtue which is not part of the seven cardinal and theological virtues, but which is at the base of Christian life: this virtue is humility. It is the great antagonist of the most mortal of sins, namely arrogance. Whereas pride and arrogance swell the human heart, making us appear to be more than we are, humility restores everything to its correct dimension: we are wonderful creatures, but we are limited, with qualities and flaws. From the beginning, the Bible reminds us that we are dust, and to dust we shall return (cf. Gen 3:19); indeed, "humble" derives from humus, that is, earth. And yet the delirium of omnipotence, which is so dangerous, often arises in the human heart, and this does us a great deal of harm.

It takes very little to free ourselves from arrogance; it suffices to contemplate a starry sky to restore the correct measure, as the Psalm says: "When I look at thy heavens, the work of thy fingers, the moon and the stars which thou hast established; what is man that thou art mindful of him, and the son of man that thou dost care for him?" (8:3-4). Modern science enables us to extend the horizon much, much farther, and to feel the mystery that surrounds us and which we inhabit even more. Blessed are the people who hold in their heart this perception of their own smallness! These people they are preserved from an ugly vice: arrogance. In His Beatitudes, Jesus starts precisely from them: "Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of Heaven" (Mt 5:3). It is the first Beatitude, because it is at the base of those that follow: indeed, meekness, mercy, and purity of heart stem from that inner sense of smallness. Humility is the gateway to all the virtues.

RCIA - Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Do you have a desire to share your faith with others? Do you feel that you could help others come to faith? Then, you might consider becoming part of a small team of parishioners that leads enquirers about the Catholic faith to enter the Church. An information session will be held on Wednesday 29th May 6pm-7pm at the Parish Office in Kaleen. For more information, please speak with Fr Mick.

Life in the Spirit Seminar, 28 May

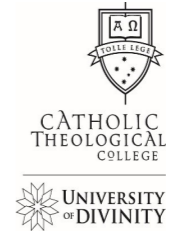
In this Year of the Holy Spirit come and join the MGL Sisters and others over four evenings of fellowship, praise and worship, input, sharing and prayer. Journey together to deepen in faith and be activated in the gifts of the Holy Spirit. 7th, 14th, 21st and 28th May each starting at 6.00pm. RSVP to MGL Sisters - 0403 568 355.

Vocations Discernment Dinners- alternating between a presbytery and the Archbishop's House

Second Thursday of the month. For men interested in discerning a call to the Priesthood. A hearty meal provided with insightful discussions & prayer. To rsvp please contact vocations director Fr Emil emil.milat@cg.org.au.

Natural Fertility Management

Local health professionals and qualified instructors are available help you understand and manage your fertility in an effective and non-invasive manner. Achieve or avoid pregnancy naturally. Address reproductive health issues holistically. For more info: www.marriagefamily.org.au

	Catholic Theological College Online Information Session Monday 17 June at 7.30pm (AEST) Register via our website: ctc.edu.au/information-session For more information contact: Dr Maureen Saclot ctc@ctc.edu.au
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Parish Sacramental Program 2024

2024 Sacramental Program - for students who are baptised and will be in years 4-6 in 2024.

School of Religion (SOR)

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.

Preparation classes for SOR for the Sacrament of First Communion have commenced and will run for 6 weeks.

Sacrament of First Communion - for School of Religion, St Michael's students and St Monica's School students will be celebrated across the four Sunday Parish Masses on the weekend of 15 and 16 June 2024.

Sacrament of Confirmation - will be celebrated during term 3 on 17, 18, & 19 September and registrations will open on 24 June 2024 via the parish Qkr! App.

For further information regarding the Sacramental Program - please contact the Sacramental Program Coordinator at sc.belconnennorth@cg.org.au or check the parish website for updates at www.cg.org.au/belconnennorth

ROSTERS 1-2 June 2024

St Monica's	5.00pm	10.00am
Acolyte	Katie Brasnett	Chris Dudfield
Altar Servers	Harry Collett	Lisia Frahm-Jensen
Readers	Jenny Jeffery	Robert Sharf
	Vince O'Donnell	Neill Cox
Music	Karen	Wingettes
Warden	Gavan Smith	Kelly Grzywacz
Church Cleaning	Luke & Marie, Daniel, John	
Altar Society	Kay Grzadka & Linda Pike	
Counters	Robert J, Robert B, Kelly	
St Michael's	8.00am	5.30pm
Mass Coordinator	Neil Seabrook	Ivan Cretni
Acolyte	Josh Lobo	TC Nguyen
Readers	Sr Kate	Maria Jayan
	Linda Townrow	Joel Kurian
	Marie Seabrook	Margaret Dudfield
Eucharistic Minister		
Church Cleaning	Tina, Livia, Annette, Su	
Sanctuary Linen	Annette Cox	
Banking	Luciana Ciaccia & Clyde Robins	

Next Week's Readings

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ, Year B
Ex 24:3-8; Heb 9:11-15; Mk 14:12-16, 22-26