



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

Wednesday 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 Church Evatt at 9.30 am.

21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR B

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:

Please pray for rain during this time of drought.

Recently Deceased: Dona (Lisa) Bush, Domitilla Mallia, Shirley Meyer,
 Neil Naughton, Michael Jarvis, Selemon Salloum, Alessandro Corazzon,
 Sr Gabriel Anne Cuzner ocdm, Kerry O'Brien, Antonino Lazaro

Anniversaries: Luigi Dariol, Albert Alcalá, Antonino & Giuseppina
 Chiofalo, Bev Korda, Josephine Maybir, Maggie Townrow, Thelma Bush,
 Joseph Thomas Linehan, Dawn Bainbridge, Emma Bainbridge

Sick: Andre Swanepoel, Greg Worthington, Fr Warrick Tonkin,
 Allan Davies Symons, Anna Zaja, Violet Anne Taylor, Anthony Batten,
 John Hines, Marie Storrier, Kerry Glover, Jacob Burrige, Magnus
 Fromber, Conchita Cariage, Carmille Christenson, Joyce Kitche
 Sarah Hanily, Michael Hanley, Peter Naughton

21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR B

THE HOLY ONE OF GOD

It was very difficult for the Jewish people to accept Jesus' teaching that they must eat his flesh and drink his blood if they are to have life. The Twelve accepted his teaching, not because they understood it but because they believed in him. Having seen his signs they believed that he was the Holy One of God. May Christ heal our unbelief that we too may accept his saving words even when we do not understand them fully.

FATHER'S DAY MASS, 30 AUGUST

The 9.30am Mass on Thursday, 30th August, at St Michael's church, will be attended by the children from the school as a special Father's Day Mass. All fathers and grandfathers are welcome.

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT & MMP CENACLE ST MICHAEL'S, 1 SEPTEMBER

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

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

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION 2018

This sacrament will be conferred by Archbishop Christopher Prowse on:

- 11th September, Tues, 6.00pm, at Kaleen
- 12th September, Weds, 6.00pm, at Evatt

All parishioners are invited to attend these celebrations. Let us pray for these young people who are to be confirmed.

PRAYER FOR RAIN

Loving Father, you are the giver of all gifts. You care for us in our needs. You listen to us in all that concerns us. We pray for rain to come down abundantly on our drought affected land, particularly in this region of Australia. We take the many gifts of creation that you have given us so much for granted. We have taken for granted plentiful rain and the importance of abundant harvests. Return now rain to our parched land. Bless and protect families immediately impacted by this severe drought, especially on our farms. We pray through the intercession of St Mary of the Cross MacKillop in our special need. We make this prayer and all our prayers through Christ our Lord, the source of all our hope and in the power of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

ORDINATION TO PRIESTHOOD

ST CHRISTOPHER'S CATHEDRAL, 7 SEPTEMBER

Namora Anderson and Adrian Chan will be ordained to the priesthood on Friday, 7 September, at St Christopher's Cathedral, Manuka, at 7.00pm, by Archbishop Christopher Prowse. All parishioners are invited.

YOUTH MINISTRY IN BELCONNEN

Junior Youth Group at St Vincent's & St Matthew's

Primary school aged members are currently being sought for a new group in Sth Belconnen parish. Would your children, grandchildren, nieces or nephews be interested in participating? Contact: sarahlarkin980@gmail.com

Agape Youth Group at Kippax

This group is for high school students in years 7-12. It meets after the 6.00pm Mass at St John's, Kippax, on the first and third Sundays of the month. This is a way for young people to learn about the church and deepen their faith together. Contact: Jake.Wenger@sfx.act.edu.au or 0431797644

Journey in Faith Young Adults Group at Evatt

This group is for those aged 18-30 years who are interested in deepening their faith and forming friendships with other like-minded people. The group meets after the 6.00pm Mass at St Monica's, Evatt, on the first Saturday of the month. Contact: Katie at Kaitlyn.Golding@sfx.act.edu.au

THE MISSION OF OUR PARISH

Guided by the Holy Spirit, we, the faithful of Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish, are a multicultural Catholic family whose mission is to build a stronger worshipping community where:

The word of the Lord is proclaimed and lived. We worship through sacrament and actions of care. We honour the presence of God in our midst. All are empowered to encounter, accept and build a personal relationship with Jesus Christ. Every member of our community feels welcomed regardless of age, cultural background or personal gifts

THE VISION OF OUR PARISH

Through the intercession and maternal protection of Our Lady of Perpetual Help, our goal is to build a family of faith of all ages where we are connected to Jesus Christ and one another through God's Word, liturgical worship and acts of service.

Parishioners are invited to send comments or suggestions regarding the above Mission and Vision to our parish email address.

ROSTERS—St Monica's

1-2 September 2018	6.00pm	10.00am
Acolytes	Gavan Smith	Frank Brassil
Altar Servers	Volunteers	Volunteers
Special Ministers	Merran Martin Elizabeth Wong	Eileen Simon Roger Tregear Colleen Di Crescenzo Margaret Murphy
Readers	Franklin Soriano Vince O'Donnell	Gabrielle Sullivan Leon Sadkowsky
Music	St Monica's Youth Group	The Wingettes
Wardens	Whalan family	Houghton family
Church Cleaning 1 September	Paul & Maree Newman, Nat Zarb, Sandra Werapermall	
Altar Society	Maree Mitchell, Maryanne Gore	
Counters 2 September	John Jeffery, Maureen Delaney, Whitney de Souza, Daniel Moses	
Children's Liturgy 2 September	Clare McPhillips	

ROSTERS—St Michael's

2 September 2018	8.00am	5.30pm
Mass Coordinators	Bobby Goodwin	AJ Emalay
Acolytes	Kevin Connor Vince Evans	Colin Kish
Altar Servers	Joshua Edu	Maria Joel
Readers	Joshua Dias Maria Dias	Seven Tieupakt Jennifer Ovcар
Special Ministers	Livia Brown Anne Staines	Doug Widdup Cynthia Parayiwa Luciana Ciaccia
Projectionist	Cheekay Loke	Choir

1 September 2018 Church Cleaning	Sue Collins, Pam Edwards, Diane & Gil Watters, Tracy Sinclair, Maree Corkran
Sanctuary	Sr Kate
Banking	Doug Widdup, Rod Dudfield

Next Week's Readings:

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Deut 4:1-2,6-8; Jms 1:17-18, 21-22; Mk 7:1-8, 14-15