



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

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
 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 O.L. of Perpetual Succour

Thursday 8.00 pm, St Michael's

El Shaddai Prayer Group

2nd & 4th Saturday of each month
 12.30pm to 5.00 pm, St Michael's

Baptisms, Marriages & Funerals

Contact Fr. Loi Viovicente on 6258 3212.

EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR C
TAKE THE PLANK FROM YOUR OWN EYE FIRST
Let us not presume to pass judgement on other peoples' shortcomings without first subjecting our own conduct to honest scrutiny. Perhaps we expect higher standards of moral behaviour from others than we require from ourselves. Criticism of the sinner is not infrequently a subtle form of self-condemnation in which pride is joined to lack of charity.

Baptisms

This weekend we welcome Bianca Bush and Polly Maribbay into our faith community through the waters of Baptism. May God's love and blessings be upon them on their Baptism day and always.

Ash Wednesday Masses, 2 March

- 9.30am St Monica's Church
- 6.00pm St Michael's Church

Please come to celebrate the beginning of Lent, a time for penance, prayer and fasting.

No Mass, Thursday, 3 March

A Liturgy of the Word service with Communion will replace the Mass on this day.

Stations of the Cross, St Michael's Church

- every Friday during Lent, 7.00pm

Lenten Reflections

In the past we have had a number of people who have formed groups and joined together in prayer as an opportunity to "do something extra for Lent". We invite you again to take this opportunity. Copies of this year's booklet "Remember" will be available at the churches, for those who wish to form a group, pray with a companion or to reflect personally. Booklets will be priced at \$10.

Parish Sacramental Program 2022

If you have a child in years 3, 4 or 6 in 2022, this will be a Sacramental year.

This applies also if your child is in year 5 and he/she has previously missed the sacraments of Reconciliation and/or First Eucharist.

First Eucharist will be celebrated in term 2, 2022

Confirmation will be celebrated in term 3, 2022

Reconciliation will be celebrated in term 4, 2022

Further Information regarding the Sacramental Program

— please contact the Sacramental Program Coordinator at sc.belconnennorth@cg.org.au or check the parish website at www.cg.org.au/belconnennorth

PRAYER FOR THE BLESSING OF AUSTRALIA

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 and wellbeing to our nation, to its peoples old and new. May we receive protection from all maladies and healing for those who are sick. May those in our country experiencing illness, isolation and suffering be aware of our tangible support through our prayer and actions. We ask this through Christ Our Lord, Amen.

Musicians Needed

St Monica's church is in need of musicians (or groups of musicians) for 6pm Saturday and 10am Sunday Masses. If you are interested in playing keyboard, singing, joining or forming a small group of fellow musicians, please call Anne Kennedy on 0414 778 599 after 4pm weekdays or anytime on the weekends. St Michael's church musicians are also very welcome!

'Call to Connect' Prayer Group

If anyone is interested in forming a women's Call to Connect prayer group, please log on to: <http://www.calltoconnect.org/>. A free Beginner's Choice starter kit will be available to help start a group.

Lent 2022 with the Catholic Guy Bruce Downes

Be inspired, be refreshed, be renewed!
 For 40 days you will receive a short, practical and inspiring video in your inbox every morning to help you make this Lenten journey more powerful and prayerful. This program is free and you can sign up here: <https://BruceDownes.org/Lent22>
 Call 1300 734 880 for more information.

Archdiocesan Protocols as of 23 February 2022

Density limits are terminated. All pews in the church are now available. QR Check-In is terminated.

Masks are no longer mandatory for liturgical and parochial gatherings (beginning Friday 25 February). Choirs and singing recommence.

Reception of Holy Communion:
 Sacred Host only, not the Precious Blood (to be reviewed in the coming months).
 Communion in the hand and on the tongue (reinstated).

Holy Water fonts can be used.

ROSTERS—St Monica's

5-6 March 2022	6.00pm	10.00am
Acolyte	Mark Gore	Chris Dudfield
Altar Servers	Katie Brasnett Jacob Gallana	Anton Den Hartog
Readers	Dolores Schneider Fiona Pettit	Neill Cox Harry Lourdes
Music	Anne	Wingettes
Warden	Gavan Smith	Robert Jepsen
Church Cleaning 5 March	Carlo & Sue Mancuso, Michaela & Marie Bangard, Jackie Hourigan	
Altar Society	Maree Mitchell, Maryanne Gore	
Counters 6 March	Marian Irvine, Ross Catanzariti, Gary Compton	

ROSTERS—St Michael's

6 March 2022	8.00am	5.30pm
Mass Coordinator	Sue Collins	Cynthia Parayiwa
Acolyte	Tony McArthur	TC Nguyen
Readers	Julianne Garcia Marie Seabrook	Louise Amos Jack Amos
Eucharistic Minister	Vince Evans	Margaret Dudfield
Projectionist	Anita Lobo	Choir
Church Cleaning 5 March	Neil & Marie Seabrook, Kevin Heindl, Glen Matthews, Maree Corkran	
Sanctuary Linen	Sr Kate	
Banking	Peter Corkran, Salvi Machumpurath	

Next Week's Readings

First Sunday of Lent, Year C

Deut 26:4-10; Rom 10:8-13; Lk 4:1-13

EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR C

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

The Lord became my protector.
 He brought me out to a place of freedom;
 he saved me because he delighted in me.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

I will sing to the Lord who has been bountiful with me,
 sing psalms to the name of the Lord Most High.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Recently Deceased: Cvita Huljev, Fr Henry Byrne, Pieter Ridder, Fr Laurie Blake, Laurie Halloran, Anton Horvat, Mollie Carton

Death Anniversaries: Max D'Souza, Elisabeth Djomani, Lirio Lukban, Drago Cretni, Valerio Lovrinovic, Jessie Maroya, Kevin Connor

Sick: Frances Jarvis, Elaine Farrelly, Colin Kish, Bernard Storrier, Vicki Heffernan, Fr Anthony 'Thonn' Riosa SSS, Jo & Des Kearns, Katherine Allen, Kerry Glover, Norma Pridgen, Xavier D'Ambrosio, Jun Reyes, Lyn Ardaiz, Shanna Aban, Joseph Flor, Bill & Monica Jones, Mary Gogusz, Oliver Short, Luke Inkin, Marie Fury