



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

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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.

## THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR C 'ZACCHAEUS, COME DOWN. HURRY.'

*Great wealth had not brought happiness to Zacchaeus, a despised tax collector in prosperous Jericho. Having wandered away from God, he was lost. Then he met Jesus, the rabbi who consorted with sinners, and his life was never to be the same again. We are called to imitate Zacchaeus in his repentance and Jesus in his merciful love.*

### 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.

### All Saints Day Masses, Tuesday, 1 November

- St Michael's Church, 9:30 am & 6:00 pm

### All Souls Day Masses, Wednesday, 2 November

- St Monica's Church, 9:30 am & 6:00 pm

### The Blessing of Marian Grotto, St Monica's, 30 October

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

### TAGS

Wednesday 9 November 9:30 am: Father Loi will say Mass for our departed members. Please try to come.

### Parish Sacramental Program 2022

**Sacrament of Reconciliation** for St Michael's and St Monica's school students will be celebrated:

Tuesday, 8 November in St Michael's Church from 3:30 to 5:00 pm.  
 Wednesday, 9 November in St Monica's Church from 3:30 to 6:00 pm.

Trybooking for the Sacrament for students from St Monica's and St Michael's Schools

The Trybooking for you to book which Church you would like to attend with your child ie:

November 8 in St Michael's Church or November 9 in St Monica's Church **opens on Monday 31 October and closes by Friday 4 November.** Please feel free to book either church for this Sacrament.

You will be required to book a 5 minute timeslot for your child to celebrate the Sacrament with Fr Loi.

The Trybooking links will be listed on the parish website at [www.cg.org.au/belconnennorth](http://www.cg.org.au/belconnennorth)

**School of Religion** will celebrate the Sacrament on:  
 Tuesday, 22 November in St Monica's Church from 3:30 to 5:00 pm.

### School of Religion Classes

Classes have commenced and are held on Tuesday's from 6-7pm in the meeting room at St Monica's Church, Evatt, on:  
 18 & 25 October;  
 1, 8, & 15 November 2022

**For further information regarding the Sacramental Program,** please contact the Sacramental Program Coordinator at [sc.belconnennorth@cg.org.au](mailto:sc.belconnennorth@cg.org.au) or check the parish website for updates at [www.cg.org.au/belconnennorth](http://www.cg.org.au/belconnennorth)

## PRAYER FOR THOSE IN PRISON MINISTRY

*God of all Life,  
 Your son called us to be compassionate, just as You are compassionate, and so we pray:  
 For our generous Earth, which, even when mistreated, continues to nourish and sustain us. May we grow in mutual care.  
 For our suffering peoples,  
 Who, even when facing injustices, teach us resilience and hope. May we grow in mutual care.  
 For each one of us,  
 Who, in times of vulnerability, draws on divine love and strength. May we grow in mutual care.  
 For our prison ministries,  
 Which, in times of change, find new ways of reaching out and in. May we grow in mutual care.  
 And may we be blessed and inspired as we hear these words anew:  
 'For you had compassion for those who were in prison.'  
 In the name of Jesus, gentle and humble of heart.  
 Amen.*

## 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.

## Marriage Preparation Program, 9 November

Catholic Care/Archdiocesan Marriage Preparation Program for engaged couples. Includes FOCCUS questionnaire, dinner, evening formation program and a private, follow-up couple discussion with a CatholicCare counsellor. Held at St Christopher's Pastoral Centre, Manuka from 5-9 pm at a cost of \$300 per couple. For more information, visit: [www.marriagefamily.org.au](http://www.marriagefamily.org.au)

## 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](http://www.trybooking.com) to register or call Maida on 0423 658 326.

## St Michael's 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](mailto:readysetgo@live.com.au) or visit <https://bit.ly/cursillo22>.

## ROSTERS—St Monica's

5-6 November 2022	6.00pm	10.00am
<b>Acolyte</b>	John Jeffrey	Neill Cox
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Katie Brasnett & Harry Collett	Anton den Hartog
<b>Readers</b>	Gabrielle Jarvis Shirley Paul	Angela Cornell Clara Geoghegan
<b>Music</b>	Anne	Eclectics
<b>Warden</b>	Noel Simento	Bob Jepson

<b>5 November Church Cleaning</b>	Paul & Marie Newman, Noel & Kristian Simento
<b>Altar Society</b>	Lucia Carbone, Flo Jeremiah
<b>6 November Counters</b>	John Jeffery, Maureen Delaney, Daniel Moses

## ROSTERS—St Michael's

6 November 2022	8.00am	5.30pm
<b>Mass Coordinator</b>	Tina Fisk	Ivan Cretni
<b>Acolyte</b>	Tony McArthur	Ted Smith
<b>Readers</b>	Sr Kate Anne Staines	Joel Kurian Maria Jayan
<b>Eucharistic Minister</b>	Livia Brown	Margaret Dudfield
<b>Projectionist</b>	Anita Lobo	Choir

<b>5 November Church Cleaning</b>	Sue Collins, Diane & Gil Watters, Tracy Sinclair
<b>Sanctuary Linen</b>	Livia Brown
<b>7 November Banking</b>	Gerry Maynes & Linda Townrow

**Next Week's Readings**  
**Thirty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year C**  
 2 Macc 7:1-2, 9-14; 2 Thess 2:16-3:5; Lk 20:27-38

## PRAYER REQUESTS

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

**Death Anniversaries:** Vicente Nguyen Van Den, Anna Nguyen Thi Ngoc Chung, Dominique Djomani Ngaleu, Luke Dorsett, K. Goodchild

**Sick:** Joan Porta, Tony Murdoch, Pam Edwards, Vince Evans, Brid Gerrard, Donal Gerrard, Laurie Cannon, 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 Hefferman, Des Kearns, Katherine Allen, Norma Pridgen