



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



### 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  
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 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

New protocols are in effect  
Contact Fr. Loi Viovicente on 6258 3212.

### 32ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR B

#### ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

Let my prayer come into your presence.  
Incline your ear to my cry for help, O Lord.

#### COMMUNION ANTIPHON

The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.  
Fresh and green are the pastures where he gives me repose,  
near restful waters he leads me.

#### PRAYER REQUESTS

**Recently Deceased:** Margaret Josephine Murphy, Peter Naughton,  
Wilfredo Riosa (Fr Anthony's father), Kevin Allen, Karolina Modric

**Death Anniversaries:** Greg Worthington, Reg Smith, Govind Sharma,  
Rosina Cortese, Thelma Bush

**Sick:** Kerry Glover, Norma Pridgen, Xavier D'Ambrosio, Jun Reyes,  
Lyn Ardaiz, Shanna Aban, Joseph Flor, Bill & Monica Jones,  
Mary Gogusz, Oliver Short, Luke Inkin, Seamus Ferguson, Marie Fury,  
Oank Le, Huong thi Nguyen, Gaior White, Marg Nicholls,  
Julia Soriano, Peter Herbert, Mariam Bunazzi, Richard O'Brien

### 32ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR B

'SHE HAS PUT IN EVERYTHING SHE HAD.'

Jesus had little time for the unholy trinity of conspicuous wealth, self-righteousness and ostentatious piety. He suggests that, when we give alms, we 'do not sound a trumpet before us' (Mt 6:2). According to St Ambrose, 'God does not consider what one gives but what one keeps'. Could it be that we give too little and keep too much?

#### Baptisms

This weekend we welcome seven new members into our faith community through the waters of Baptism; Gabrielle and Sofia Velasco, Ronan Doolan, Eden Lawless, and Odin, Indiana and Jazmin McGregor. May God's love and blessings be upon them on their Baptism day and always.

#### Resumption of Croatian Mass

Croatian Mass is held every Sunday, 8.00am, at St Monica's Church.

#### New Principal for St Monica's Primary School

Congratulations to Ms Carmel Maguire who has been appointed principal at Mother Theresa Primary School in Harrison from the start of the 2022 school year. Thank you Carmel for your commitment and dedication during your tenure at St Monica's. The new principal for St Monica's Primary School from 2022 will be Mrs Lisa Harris.

#### Sacramental Program 2021

##### Sacrament of Confirmation-New Dates Confirmed

Due to Covid restrictions in the ACT, the Sacrament of Confirmation will be celebrated on:  
23 November, St Michael's Church, 12noon & 6pm  
24 November, St Monica's Church, 12noon & 6pm  
25 November, St Monica's Church, 12noon & 6pm  
This will be 6 liturgies with around 15 candidates per liturgy.

#### Covid Restrictions

Due to Covid Restrictions, limited people are allowed in the church for each of the 6 liturgies. This means the number of people attending is restricted to a **maximum of 4 per family** and only people who reside in the household (and the sponsor). This means the people attending would be the candidate, their sponsor and 2 other household members. If the sponsor is unable to attend, a parent may stand in as a proxy.

#### Sacrament of Reconciliation

The sacrament will be celebrated this week on:  
9 November in St Michael's Church from 3.30pm to 6pm  
10 November in St Monica's Church from 3.30pm to 6pm  
11 November in St Monica's Church from 3.30pm to 6.00pm

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

#### November- Month of the Holy Souls in Purgatory

The Church has always taught us to pray for those who have gone into eternity. 'It is a holy and wholesome thought to pray for the dead, that they may be loosed from sins.' 2 Maccabees 12:46

#### St Monica's TAGS, 10 November

Fr Loi will say Mass for our departed members:

- St Monica's Church, 10 November, Weds, 9.30am
- Please try to come. There will possibly be a lunch in December but this will depend on the reopening of the Club.

#### Masses with Holy Anointing, 10 & 13 November

- St Monica's, Wednesday, 10 November, 9.30am
- St Michael's, Saturday, 13 November, 9.00am

#### Catholic Mission Appeal, 13-14 November

Next week, Karen McKerrow from Catholic Mission will invite you to partner with Sister Chalaad and The Good Shepherd Sisters in Thailand as they reach out to vulnerable mothers, like Churai, and their babies, who would have nowhere to turn when they need support, love and kindness the most. You will have the opportunity to respond to what you have seen and heard, and the Home, as well as other vital mission programs supporting children and communities in need around the world. Please come with an open and generous heart.

#### Youth Mass & Belong Circle, St Michael's, 28 November

Join us for our Youth Mass at St Michael's church, to be followed by our Belong Circle at the parish office next door. This is an Archdiocesan missionary initiative, inviting young people (ages 7-18) to come together as a community to pray, chat and share refreshments. Covid safe snacks will be provided. This will be our last Belong Circle gathering for the year. Enquiries to Youth Minister Monica Culas on 0435 876 303.

#### Legion of Mary

Meetings have resumed, every Wednesday, in St Monica's meeting room. Phone 0415 205 826 for more details.

#### Visitation of Our Lady's Pilgrim Statue to Homes

Parishioners may receive the pilgrim statue of Our Lady of Fatima into their home, to unite their family members in prayer in her presence, as part of the devotion to the Blessed Mother. Phone 0415 205 826 for more details.

#### Archdiocesan Advent Program, 21 November

Parishes and individuals can now register their interest for the family-themed 'Walking Together' Advent program, produced by the local Archdiocese at: [bit.ly/WalkingTogether\\_Advent](https://bit.ly/WalkingTogether_Advent). The short videos and discussion questions will be available for download week by week starting Sunday, 21 November, to be used in small discussion groups. Enquiries to [lara.kirk@cg.org.au](mailto:lara.kirk@cg.org.au) or call 0429 192 869.

### ROSTERS—St Monica's

13-14 Nov 2021	6.00pm	10.00am
<b>Acolyte</b>	Garry Compton	Neill Cox
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Katie Brasnett	Volunteer
<b>Readers</b>	Franklin Soriano Gabrielle Jarvis	Alex Montaos Chris Dudfield
<b>Music</b>	Anne	St Monica's Singers
<b>Warden</b>	Kelly Grzywacz	Michael Holohan
<b>Church Cleaning 13 November</b>	Paul & Maree Newman, Noel & Christian Simento	
<b>Altar Society</b>	Kay Grzadka, Linda Pike	
<b>Counters 14 November</b>	Marian Irvine, Ross Catanzariti, Gary Compton	

### ROSTERS—St Michael's

14 Nov 2021	8.00am	5.30pm
<b>Mass Coordinator</b>	Tina Fisk	Cynthia Parayiwa
<b>Acolyte</b>	Leo Farrelly	Ted Smith
<b>Readers</b>	Ausilia Woodhead Anne Staines	Seven Tieupakt Rachel Blackwell
<b>Eucharistic Minister</b>	Marie Seabrook	Margaret Dudfield
<b>Projectionist</b>	Arleen Stark	Choir
<b>Church Cleaning 13 November</b>	Canberra El Shaddai Prayer Group	
<b>Sanctuary Linen</b>	Trish Bartone	
<b>Banking</b>	Luciana Ciaccia, Clyde Robins	

#### Next Week's Readings

**33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year B**  
Dan 12:1-3; Heb 10:11-14,18; Mk 13:24-32