



# Parish of St Matthew & St Vincent de Paul South Belconnen

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Year C  
30 June 2019

## Parish Pastoral Team

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## St Matthew's Church

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### This Week:

I Kg 19:16, 19-21  
Gal 5:1, 13-18  
Lk 9:51-62

## Masses:

Saturday Vigil	St Matthew's	6.00pm
Sunday	St Matthew's	8.30am
	St Vincent's	10.00am
Samoa (4th Sun)	St Matthew's	1.00pm
Korean	St Vincent's	3.00pm
Tuesday	St Vincent's	5.30pm
Wednesday	St Matthew's	7.00am
Thursday	St Vincent's	9.30am
Friday	St Matthew's	9.30am
Saturday	St Matthew's	12.00pm

## Mass of Anointing:

1st Friday in Mar & Sept	St Matthew's	9.30am
1st Thursday in Jun & Dec	St Vincent's	9.30am

## Children's Liturgy:

1st & 3rd Sun	St Vincent's	10.00am
2nd & 4th Sun	St Matthew's	8.30am

## Confessions:

Saturday		
St Matthew's	11.00am-11.50am	
St Matthew's	5.00pm - 5.30pm	

## Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion:

Monday	St Matthew's	7.00am
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## Legion of Mary

Saturday	St Matthew's	10.15am
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## Baptisms:

2nd Sunday	St Matthew's	11.30am
4th Sunday	St Vincent's	11.30am

**Weddings:** By appointment

## Calvary Public Chapel

Sunday Mass 11.15am

## Calvary Private Chapel

Thursday Mass 11.15am

**Entrance Antiphon:** *(as ministers gather in courtyard—not said if hymn is sung)*

All peoples, clap your hands. Cry to God with shouts of joy!

## Responsorial Psalm

**R. You are my inheritance, O Lord.**

W. Preserve me, God, I take refuge in you. I say to the Lord: 'You are my God.' O Lord, it is you who are my portion and cup; it is you yourself who are my prize. **R.**

M. I will bless the Lord who gives me counsel, who even at night directs my heart. I keep the Lord ever in my sight: since he is at my right hand, I shall stand firm. **R.**

W. And so my heart rejoices, my soul is glad; even my body shall rest in safety. For you will not leave my soul among the dead, nor let your beloved know decay. **R.**

M. You will show me the path of life, the fullness of joy in your presence, at your right hand happiness for ever. **R.**

## Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia!

Speak, O Lord, your servant is listening; you have the words of everlasting life. Alleluia!

**Communion Antiphon:** *(not said if hymn is sung)*

Bless the Lord, O my soul, and all within me, his holy name.

## Commissioning of Ministers of Holy Communion:

Take this sacrament, the waybread of the Christian who is going home.



**Next Week:** Is 66:10-14 Gal 6:14-18 Lk 10:1-12, 17-20

## Prayer Requests

### We pray for the sick:

Naomi Aldons, Caroline Aldridge, Martin Baker, David Baker, Sue Bartlett, Nancy Biviano, Fr Laurie Blake, Michael Brayshaw, Ian Brown, George Bulbrook, Lisa Baulman, Leslie Cheeseman, Mary Cleary, John Clerk, Monica Colquhoun, Mary Coman, June Donnelly, Pat & Jim Dunne, Frances Dyball, Joachim Exell, Ryan Fawke, Ivka Ferinas, Grace Fluitsma, Amy Fogarty, Monica Garrett, Terry Guinane, Bruce Hassall, Mick Hay, Barbara Hayes-Rosario, Christine Hermely, Richard Hourigan, Paul Idilton, Graham Jackson, Cath Jane Keen, Sarah Kelly, Val Kilmier, Michael Mathias, Phyl McAlister, Jill McDonald, Mary-Anne McGrath, Dr Graeme McIntosh, Terry Miners, Monica Molloy, Glenn Mowbray, Peter Naughton, Cedric Netto, Me con Nguyen Thi No, Noel Noonan, Belinda O'Flynn, Fay Potter, Dana Riminic, Peter Robbins, Paul Shanahan, Sister Yvonne, Peter Stewart, Nicole Tavares, Richard Toombs, Lina Varmiento, Jenny Webster, Margaret Wilkinson, Berenice Wright and Robert Wrightson.

**Masses offered:** John Towe.

### We pray for the deceased:

Recently: John Keen, Trish Wilkins, Terry Bibo, Ian McKinnon, Carolyn Hughes.

Anniversaries: Della Costello, Andrew Sobiepanek, Karl Yarrington, Ron Baker, George & Peg Rodd, Matthew Maher, Denis Kerr.

**Morning tea** will held after Sunday morning Mass at both Church centres **next weekend**. Come along for a cuppa and please bring a plate to share.

Please pick up your **Project Compassion receipts** from the church foyers - Receipts box will be at Aranda from this weekend until 7/7 and at Page from 14/7. Thank you!

## Parish News

### What's On ...

Tue 2/7	7pm Liturgical Training, Practical, St Matthew's Church
Thu 4/7	7pm Liturgical Training, Practical, St Vincent's Church
Sat 13/7 - Sun 14/7	Commissioning for all liturgical ministries at all Masses
Sat 27/7	4.45pm Youth Group, St Matthew's Church, Page
Fri 30/8	6pm Deacon Alex's Ordination into the Priesthood, St Christopher's Cathedral

As we await the recommendations from the Royal Commissions into Aged Care and Disability we are mindful of some of our people with mobility challenges. The renovated Aranda Pastoral Centre has tried to assist with accessibility. A gentle reminder, in consideration of others, that we respect disabled accesses, such as car parks, for those who truly need them. A disability parking permit displayed on a vehicle is a helpful sign of this.

### Deacon Alex's Ordination into the Priesthood

**When:** 6pm Friday 30 August 2019

**Where:** St Christopher's Cathedral

Supper will be held after the Ordination Mass in the Pastoral Centre next to St Christopher's. Alex would be very grateful if parishioners attending could bring a plate of food to share.

Alex will be celebrating his first Mass at **10am 31 August at St Thomas Aquinas Church, Charnwood.**

### Registration for Reconciliation/First Holy Communion 2019

Any families with children in years 3 who wish to make their Reconciliation/First Holy Communion this year should go to the parish website ([cg.org.au/belconnensouth](http://cg.org.au/belconnensouth)) for registration details and the calendar dates for the sacramental program.

**Registrations for Confirmation have now closed and you will need to contact the Parish Office at [belconnensouth@cg.org.au](mailto:belconnensouth@cg.org.au) to register.**

**For Readers, Acolytes, Servers, EMHC** - Thank you to those who attended the sessions presented by Margaret Ryan.

The Practical Training will be at 7.00pm on 2 July at St Matthew's Church and at 7.00pm on 4 July at St Vincent's Church.

Those who minister at both churches are asked to attend both these sessions.

Commissioning for all liturgical ministries will be at all Masses on the weekend of 13 & 14 July.

### Library News

The following items are now available for loan from the library at **St Matthew's Church**

- Hansen, Michael: ***The first spiritual exercises: four guided retreats***
- Rohr, Richard: ***The universal Christ: how a forgotten reality can change everything we see, hope for and believe.***

This library is located in the vestibule of the church. To borrow, fill in the sheet in the blue **Borrowing Folder** located on the shelf. Any queries or suggestions contact Megan Thompson on 6254 0524. **Reminder** - Please return items as soon as you have finished.

## Belconnen Youth Ministry

**Junior** - Inviting all students in year 3-7 to join us for an afternoon of faith, friendship and fun at South Belconnen Parish's Youth Group and Youth Mass. Join us in Marian Hall just outside of **St Matthew's Church, Page** on **Saturday 27 July** at 4:45pm for Youth Group (yr 3-7) then come to celebrate the Youth Mass (all ages) at 6pm. Contact Youth Minister Sarah for more information at Sarah.Larkin@cg.org.au

**Senior** - Agape is a youth group for students in year 7-12 who are interested in learning more about their faith with friends. Join us at **St John's Parish, Kippax** on the 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month following the 6pm Mass **from 7-9pm**. Contact Youth Minister Eoin for more information at Eoin.Garton@cg.org.au

**Young Adults** - Young adults aged between 18-30 are invited to casually meet up for dinner on **Saturday the 27 July**. Join us for the **6pm Youth Mass at St Matthew's Church, Page** then move with us to get dinner as a group in the Belconnen city. Contact Youth Minister Sarah Larkin for more information at Sarah.Larkin@cg.org.au



**Congratulations** to our Confirmation candidates who worked well with God's Spirit and those who prepared them. Thank you to all those involved in the preparation and celebration of the sacrament. Truly gifts of the Spirit at work in all!

## Around the Archdiocese

### Forum for Catholic Women 20 July 2019

Catholic Women are invited to a forum from 10.00am to 3.00pm at the Garrett Building, Daramalan College. The purpose is to discuss the possibility of establishing an Archdiocesan Women's Network.

Lunch will be provided. Register at catholicwomen.org.au or contact Andrea Dean, especially for needs such as transport, disability, childminding andrea.dean@catholic.org.au M:0487 388

The Catholic Parish of Pambula invites you to join Archbishop Christopher Prowse and other pilgrims, as he leads a pilgrimage to Eden on **Saturday 10 August**. This pilgrimage will commemorate Australia's first saint, Saint Mary of the Cross MacKillop, at the site she visited on two separate occasions, in 1899 and 1901. This commemoration will coincide with her feast day on 8 August.

A program of planned activities for the day is on the noticeboard in the foyer.

### Plenary Council 2020

Visit the plenary council website [www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au](http://www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au) and find out about the 'national themes for discernment'.

## FOOTPRINTS OF JESUS

Trace the journey of Jesus from the land of his birth to the way he carried his cross and gave the eternal sacrifice in this 14-day Holy Land pilgrimage to Jordan & Israel led by Fr Robert William departing on 16 Sep 2019. This pilgrimage features places from the Old & New Testament and includes Petra, Bethlehem, Jericho, Sea of Galilee and Jerusalem for an all-inclusive price of \$5690 + \$150 Tips. The fare includes Return Economy Airfares + Local Transfers in Deluxe coaches + Stay in Premium Hotels + All Meals + Catholic Priest + English speaking professional guides. For inquiries & bookings call parish office or 03 8839 6615 or email us [info@magiholidays.com.au](mailto:info@magiholidays.com.au). **Bookings Open for 2020 Pilgrimages. Call Now for Early Bird Discounts!**

26 June 2019 marked the **20th anniversary** of the inaugural performance of the **Canberra Bach Ensemble**, which took place at **St Christopher's Cathedral**, Manuka. Many thanks to all musicians, singers and instrumentalists, soloists and ripienists who've worked with the Canberra Bach Ensemble over the past 20 years. Many thanks must also go to our generous helpers and supporters without whose assistance our musical endeavours would be far more difficult to realise.

The **next CBE performance** will take place at the same venue on **12-13 October**.

Follow us <https://www.facebook.com/southbelconnen/> and <https://twitter.com/BelconnenP>.

### South Belconnen Parish - Prayer Groups

**Adoration & Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament** at St Vincent's Tuesdays 4.20pm-5.20pm.

**Prayers** only at St Vincent's on Mondays 10am-11am.

**Christian Meditation** each Wednesday 6pm (contact Suzanne Groves 6251 6681).

**Centering Prayer Meditation** at St Matthew's Marian Hall every 2nd & 4th Wednesday 7.30pm (contact Peter Ahern 6254 7168).

**Rosary** at St Vincent's Thurs 9.05am & St Matthew's Saturday 11.30am.

### Roster for St Matthew's and St Vincent de Paul Churches

30 June				7 July		
	Page 6.00pm	Page 8.30am	Aranda 10.00am	Page 6.00pm	Page 8.30am	Aranda 10.00am
<b>Readers</b>	Lorraine Higgins Colleen Meadley	Mary Morris Jen Muscat	Gerard Hogan Belen Lamand	Charmaine Miranda Janet Moyle	Elizabeth Owen Daniel Marks	Tom Liddiard Bernie Leger
<b>Acolyte/ SS</b>	Michael Lahiff	Dennis Morris	Brenda Healy	Paul Scholtens	Vince Burns	Robyn Grubmueller
<b>EMHC</b>	Cheryl Hamill Catharina Koopman Dorothy Lalor Michael White	Jo Duck John Duck Kevin McInerney Joan Murphy	Mina Chiu Helen Digan	Cheryl Hamill Colleen Meadley Jenny Murphy Michael White	Carolyn Burns Shahenie Burns Margaret Toye Judy Williamson	Max Stannard Robin Taylor
<b>Counters Banker</b>	Yvonne McAdoo, Damien Sloane			John Duck, Damien Power		
<b>A&amp;L</b>	<b>P</b> - Ann Tierney <b>A</b> - 6/7 Korean Community Ladies			<b>P</b> - Mary Morris <b>A</b> - 13/7 Christine Ross		