



Parish of St Matthew & St Vincent de Paul South Belconnen

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Year C
7 July 2019

Hearing Aid Loop is installed in both church centres, turn your hearing aid to the T switch

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
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Calvary Private Chapel

Thursday Mass	11.15am
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This Week:

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

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

Your merciful love, O God, we have received in the midst of your temple. Your praise, O God, like your name, reaches the ends of the earth; your right hand is filled with saving justice.

Responsorial Psalm

R. Let all the earth cry out to God with joy.

W. Cry out with joy to God all the earth, O sing to the glory of his name. O render him glorious praise. Say to God: How tremendous your deeds! **R.**

M. 'Before you all the earth shall bow; shall sing to you, sing to your name!' Come and see the works of God, tremendous his deeds among men. **R.**

W. He turned the sea into dry land, they passed through the river dry-shod. Let our joy then be in him; he rules for ever by his might. **R.**

M. Come and hear, all who fear God. I will tell what he did for my soul. Blessed be God who did not reject my prayer nor withhold his love from me. **R.**

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia!

May the peace of Christ reign in your hearts, and the fullness of his message live within you. Alleluia!

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

Taste and see that the Lord is good; blessed the man who seeks refuge in him.

Commissioning of Ministers of Holy Communion:

As you bear Christ to those who are sick and housebound, may his peace enter their house and rest with them.



Next Week: Deut 30:10-14 Col 1:15-20 Lk 10:25-37

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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: Barbara Hayes-Rosario, John Toye.

We pray for the deceased:

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

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

Parish News

What's On ...

Sun 7/7	Morning tea after each Mass. All Welcome!
Mon 8/7	Fr Simon away at NCLM Conference, Sydney
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

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) for registration details and the calendar dates for the sacramental program.

For Readers, Acolytes, Servers, EMHC - Commissioning for all liturgical ministries will be at all Masses on the weekend of 13 & 14 July.

A Little Liturgy Line

In recent years, people from parishes in many places have noticed a drop off in the "Amen" as Holy Communion is received. This little acclamation of our faith means that, when we hear the words "the body of Christ"... "the blood of Christ" our "Amen" is saying "Yes, I believe". We are encouraged to respond with a clear and audible "Amen" as we receive Holy Communion.

Emergency Evacuation Procedures for St Matthew & St Vincent de Paul Parish Buildings



Emergency Evacuation Diagrams are now displayed in both **church foyers, Marian Hall and Aranda Pastoral Centre**. Parishioners and visitors are requested to note the exit arrangements. In case of emergency follow directions given, exit the buildings promptly by one of the exits shown on the plan, proceed to the assembly area (St Matthew's - School netball courts/carpark, St Vincent's - Upper carpark) and await further directions.



Please also note that **first aid kits** are now available in both church foyers and parish centres. Look for the green first aid sign.

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!

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

National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Catholic Council (NATSICC) Peace to this House and all who dwell within 2019 Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Sunday

In our busy lives, we are often bombarded with competing priorities, distractions, worries and concerns about ourselves and others, which can cause us to forget to take the time to stop, look around, reflect and look for our peace in our lives. Our strong connection with to culture and land helps us see the beauty in our world and by sharing this appreciation we are helping share God's love. The message that NATSICC would like to give you, is to reflect and make time to look for your inner peace in your busy life, and celebrate together with your families, friends and the wider community God's message of peace and love for all.

Please go to <http://www.natsicc.org.au/2019-aboriginal-and-islander-sunday.html> for further resources. **Please note that the South Belconnen Parish will celebrate Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Sunday on Sunday 27 July at 10am Mass.**

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.

Around the Archdiocese

Plenary Council 2020

Visit the plenary council website www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au and find out about the 'national themes for discernment'.

Christ Church Hawker Quarterly Men's Luncheon

The 3rd quarter Quarterly Men's Luncheon will be held at 11.45am - 2pm on **Monday 12 August** at the **Birrigai Café, Kangara Waters**. The cost is \$27 per person for a 2-course meal plus tea/coffee. Guest speaker will be Dr Joe Oguns (a GP with special interests in geriatrics and occupational health, currently Medical Director of the National Health Cooperative, a provider of GP services with 11 clinics, and an active member of Life Unlimited Church Canberra) speaking on "Men's Health - what's really good for us?".

RSVPs to Bruce Hooley on 6251 7124 or brucehooley.1@bigpond.com by **Thursday 8 August**.

The Vatican has announced that on **13 October 2019**, Pope Francis will be canonising **Blessed John Henry Newman**, along with four other Blesseds, in Rome. This makes Cardinal Newman the first English person who has lived since the 17th century officially recognised as a saint by the Roman Catholic Church.

Please visit the official website at newmancanonisation.com for further information.

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**.

Reception of the Children to be Baptised into St Matthew & St Vincent de Paul Parish Family

We welcome the following children who are to be baptised and received into the Catholic way of life.

- Arthur Fleming, son of Joshua & Carrie
- Archie Durrant, son of Jeremy & Colleen
- Ava & James McKee, children of Tracy & Gerard
- Hunter Bradley, son of Stuart & Meagan
- Leo Onorato, son of Anthony & Cassie

(after the Homily the families of those to be baptised will be asked to come forward and stand on the sanctuary facing the people)

Celebrant: Dear Parents, what Christian Names have you given to your child?

Parents: *(each parent gives the child her/his Christian Names)*

Celebrant: Why did you bring your child here to (St Matthew's or St Vincent's) today?

Parents: To be baptised.

Celebrant: My dear parents, you have formally asked to have your child baptised. In doing so you are accepting the responsibility of raising your children with a knowledge and love of God, nourished by family prayer and by your participation in the life of the Church through celebration of the Mass and the Sacraments and by the

example of your life lived out according to the values of the Gospel. It will be your duty to bring your children up to keep God's commandments as Christ taught us, by loving God above all things and our neighbour as ourselves. Do you clearly understand what you are undertaking?

Parents: We do.

Celebrant: I ask you all present who as baptised members of St Matthew's & St Vincent's Parish Family and the whole Church, do you welcome these children into our Church Family and will you pray for them and their families?

Parishioners: We will.

Celebrant: Our Parish Family welcomes you into our Christian Community with great joy. In its name, I claim you for Christ our Saviour by the sign of his cross. I now trace the cross on your foreheads and I ask your parents, godparents and representatives of St Matthew's & St Vincent's to do the same.

(Parents, godparents and the Extraordinary Ministers of Communion for this Mass now sign each child on the forehead with a prayerful Sign of the Cross)

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

7 July				14 July		
	Page 6.00pm	Page 8.30am	Aranda 10.00am	Page 6.00pm	Page 8.30am	Aranda 10.00am
Readers	Charmaine Miranda Janet Moyle	Elizabeth Owen Daniel Marks	Tom Liddiard Bernie Leger	Jenny Murphy Michael White	Denis Daly Jen Muscat	Beth Berdin Peter Milligan
Acolyte/ SS	Paul Scholtens	Vince Burns	Robyn Grubmueller	Roger FitzGerald	Dennis Morris	John Malycha
EMHC	Cheryl Hamill Colleen Meadley Jenny Murphy Michael White	Carolyn Burns Shahenie Burns Margaret Toye Judy Williamson	Max Stannard Robin Taylor	Lorraine Higgins Dorothy Lalor Bernard Williams	Helen Baker Denise Hampson Mary Morris	Mary Malycha
Counters Banker	Yvonne McAdoo, Damien Power			Ed Skrzypczak, Bernard Williams		
A&L	P - Mary Morris A - 13/7 Christine Ross			P - Christina Rowe A - Amanda Kabaila, Rachelle Stannard		