

# CENTRAL CANBERRA PARISH

## Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**3 July 2022**

**St Brigid's**

**St Patrick's**

**Year C**

*Cnr Bancroft & Wilshire Sts, Dickson Cnr Donaldson & Cooyong Sts, Braddon*

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#### Priests

Fr Emil Milat  
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#### Parish Secretary

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#### Parish Office Hours

Mon 9:30am-12:30pm,  
Wed & Thu 9:30am-1:30pm

### MASS TIMES

#### Saturday

6:00pm St Brigid's

#### Sunday

8:00am St Patrick's

9:30am St Brigid's

10:00am German Mass, St Patrick's

5:00pm Vietnamese Mass, St Brigid's (odd Sun's)

#### Weekdays

Tuesday to Saturday: 9:00am St Brigid's

Tuesday to Friday: 12:30pm St Patrick's

#### Goodwin Village Ainslie

Nursing Home: next Mass Tue 19th July 10:30am

ILUs: next Mass 26th July 10:30am

### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

St Brigid's, Dickson

#### Saturday

9:30am-10:00am

5:30-5:50pm (before Vigil Mass)

St Patrick's, Braddon

Friday 12:00 noon

### PRAY THE ROSARY

Tuesday to Saturday 8:35am St Brigid's



*Mumeri was created by Dr Lisa Buxton in August 2013 to celebrate the Catholic Archdiocese of Sydney's inaugural Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Mass held at St Mary's Cathedral. The theme for the Mass 'Holy Spirit in this Land' was captured in the artwork through the use of Aboriginal and Catholic symbolism.*

### Entrance Antiphon

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.

### Communion Antiphon

Come to me, all who labour and are burdened,  
and I will refresh you, says the Lord.

## Planned Giving

Thanks again to those giving electronically. For hygiene purposes we have the collection boxes in front of the altar, so please place there your offering or envelopes. The Dickson church is open during the day and the tap machines on if you would like to make a donation that way also.

### Account Details for EFT Contributions to Collections

First Collection (for priests)

Central Presbytery Fund

BSB: 062 786

Account Number: 000029248

Please include the name of the parish in the reference field and your surname e.g. 'CANBERRA CENTRAL BLOGGS' or just 'CENTRAL BLOGGS'.

Second Collection (for parish)

Canberra Central Parish

BSB: 062-786

Account Number: 000013150

Please include your Planned Giving number in the reference field (if you have one): e.g. 'BROWN EN-V1111'.

## Download the Qkr! App for Easy Giving

The Qkr! (pronounced Quicker) app is an easy and secure way to contribute to the First and Second Collections plus any special donations.

**Step 1: Download Qkr!** on your Android phone or iPhone. Go to *app store* & type in search area Qkr.

**Step 2: Register** Select your country of residence as 'Australia' and follow the steps to register.

**Step 3: Find your Parish** Our parish will appear in 'Nearby Locations' if you're within 10 km of the parish, or search for our parish by name (Canberra Central Parish).

**Step 4: Register your debit card** When first accessing our parish, you will be prompted to add a profile. This allows you to make orders and payments.

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## Legion of Mary Book Barrow: Book Donations



Do you have any Catholic/Christian books on your shelf you no longer need? Legion of Mary are developing a Book Barrow and would love to add them to an inventory for parishioners to borrow. Please leave donations in the labelled basket in the foyer at St Brigid's, or contact Sherree 0407

610 526.

## ROSTERS THIS WEEK 2/3 JULY

### Saturday 6:00pm St Brigid's

Acolyte John Skene  
Readers Eileen Wignall, Aoife Connors

### Sunday 8:00am St Patrick's

Acolyte Marc Adorni-Braccesi  
Readers Michael Kelly, Mary Boyle  
Visitation Ashley Bawden  
Altar Mary Boyle

### Sunday 9:30am St Brigid's

Acolyte Dominica Rossi  
Readers Fernando family  
Morning Tea Anne Prendergast, Bernadette & Najib Raya  
Counters (Sun) Mary Boyle, Ros Wiley

## ROSTERS NEXT WEEK 9/10 JULY

### Saturday 6:00pm St Brigid's

Acolyte Kevin Tee  
Readers Emma & Grace Howse

### Sunday 8:00am St Patrick's

Acolyte Ashley Bawden  
Readers Carol Christopher, Shenelle Egbert  
Visitation Vin Kane  
Altar Ros Wiley

### Sunday 9:30am St Brigid's

Acolyte John Skene  
Readers Dominica Rossi, Janet Munro  
Counters (Mon) Anne Prendergast, Damian Smith

## Heart of Life At-Home Retreat

Heart of Life is offering an "At-home Retreat: Held in Hope" over five weeks, beginning Monday, 1 August and concluding 29 August. This at-home retreat, invites you to spend some time in prayer at home each day pondering your experiences of the day, and to be accompanied by a retreat companion weekly, via Zoom for 45 minutes, on how God might have been present for you. A small donation will be welcome. To register your interest, please call (03) 9890 1101 or email [info@heartoflife.melbourne](mailto:info@heartoflife.melbourne) no later than 18 July 2022.

## National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Sunday

Every year, on the first Sunday in July, Catholics across Australia acknowledge and celebrate the gifts of Australia's First Peoples in the Catholic Church. The artwork on the front of the bulletin commemorates this celebration.

### Youth Group Nights Term 3

The next date for the Central Canberra Youth Group will be Saturday from 7pm on the 30th of July in the Dickson Parish Hall. We will be following the "Alpha Youth" Program. We will be having food with games and sharing. All high school youth (including younger siblings) are welcome. If any parishioner can help make soup for one of the nights, that would be greatly appreciated. For more information contact Bart ([bartholomew.bunk@cg.org.au](mailto:bartholomew.bunk@cg.org.au)) or Fr Emil.

### Aid to the Church in Need Australia

In 2021 alone, 565,000 religious books were produced and distributed with the help of ACN. Often in poor countries, the child's Bible is the first book that children receive in their own language and frequently it is the only picture book that the little ones can get hold of in their entire lives. Can you help us continue this important work in distributing religious books throughout the world? Visit [www.aidtochurch.org/bibles](http://www.aidtochurch.org/bibles)

## SHEPHERD'S CORNER

I had a warmer few days during the week, with a quick trip to Brisbane to catch cup with our Vicar General, Fr Tony Percy, who is on LSL. He was very hospitable and I was staying at Archbishop Mark's residence—a fine historic building in the city area.

Next week, I will get away for a 3-day silent retreat at the Benedictine Abbey 'Jamberoo', during the quieter time of school holidays,

The Government 2021 census results were out last week, and one consolation was the Catholic Church is the biggest nominated Church, at 20%—double the nearest church. So with 1 in 5 Aussies still happy to identify as Catholic, this gives a good base the Holy Spirit can create a "new Pentecost" the Plenary Council is seeking to discern next week. We keep the 270 delegates very much in our prayers.

God's blessings, Fr Em

P.S. We do not issue Givers with tax receipts any longer as we do not qualify for tax deductibility, but we can still issue a giving receipt if needed—please contact the Parish Office.

## Regular Parish Groups/Meetings

### Charismatic Prayer Group

In Dickson Parish Hall each Friday, Mass, worship, talk & prayers at 7:00pm-9:30pm. For more details contact Shan at [shandra777@gmail.com](mailto:shandra777@gmail.com)

### Eucharistic Adoration: Twelve Hours for the Lord

Weekly Adoration in Dickson church. Every Wednesday from 8:00am to 8:30pm, with Benediction at 8:20pm.

### Living in God's Divine Will Prayer Group – Monthly

Next meeting is 2pm on Sunday 7th August in St Brigid's Parish Hall. Also on Zoom: ID 648 673 1697, passcode 2602. For more info see Fr Emil [emil.milat@cg.org.au](mailto:emil.milat@cg.org.au)

### Legion of Mary

Meets every Saturday at Dickson Parish Hall, time TBA. Legionaries are simply Mary's means of action in the world today! Come and join anytime. For more information contact Sherree on 0407 610 526.

### Craft Group

The parish Craft Group, held fortnightly on Wednesdays 1:00pm-4:30pm in the Parish Hall, is well underway for 2022. They next meet on Wednesday 6th July. For enquiries please contact Mary Boyle on 0450 060 058.

### Archdiocesan Youth and Young Adults

This Team are running a youth evangelisation outreach fortnightly on Sunday nights at Braddon church. Mass at 5pm (Adoration from 4:30pm) followed by a BBQ and youth events. The next event will be **Sunday 10th July**. For more info contact Christian Nobleza 0498 372 645.

### Next CRL Healing Service

The Risen Lord Community will lead worship during the 9:30am Mass Sunday 17 July, and the priest and prayer teams will be praying for healing after the Mass for those who come forward. All welcome.

### Please pray for:

#### The Sick

Diane Carter, Elaine Olsen, Joe Abad, Leone Carse, Mary Cummins, Brenda Curren, Joan Goodwin, Nadine Hartley, Gabriel Hengkiarto Indra, Mary O'Hanlon, Theresa Okwudike

#### Anniversaries of Death

Teresa Staltari, Barbara Avis

#### Recently Deceased

Bruce Lotton, Carmelina Russo, Lesley Cheeseman, Patricia Williams, Gwen Gleeson



## First Reading Is 66:10-14

Rejoice, Jerusalem,  
be glad for her, all you who love her!  
Rejoice, rejoice for her,  
all you who mourned her!

That you may be suckled, filled,  
from her consoling breast,  
that you may savour with delight  
her glorious breasts.

For thus says the Lord:  
Now towards her I send flowing  
peace, like a river,  
and like a stream in spate  
the glory of the nations.

At her breast will her nurslings be carried  
and fondled in her lap.  
Like a son comforted by his mother  
will I comfort you.  
And by Jerusalem you will be comforted.

At the sight your heart will rejoice,  
and your bones flourish like the grass.  
To his servants the Lord will reveal his hand.

## Responsorial Psalm 65:1-7, 16, 20

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

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.**

'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.**

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.**

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.**

## Second Reading Gal 6:14-18

The only thing I can boast about is the cross of  
our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom the world is  
crucified to me, and I to the world. It does not  
matter if a person is circumcised or not; what  
matters is for him to become an altogether new  
creature.

Peace and mercy to all who follow this rule, who  
form the Israel of God.

I want no more trouble from anybody after  
this; the marks on my body are those of Jesus.  
The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with your  
spirit, my brothers. Amen.

## Gospel Acclamation

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

## Gospel Luke 10:1-12, 17-20

The Lord appointed seventy-two others and sent  
them out ahead of him, in pairs, to all the towns  
and places he himself was to visit. He said to  
them, 'The harvest is rich but the labourers are  
few, so ask the Lord of the harvest to send la-  
bourers to his harvest. Start off now, but re-  
member, I am sending you out like lambs  
among wolves. Carry no purse, no haversack, no  
sandals. Salute no one on the road. Whatever  
house you go into, let your first words be, "Peace  
to this house!" And if a man of peace lives there,  
your peace will go and rest on him; if not, it will  
come back to you. Stay in the same house, tak-  
ing what food and drink they have to offer, for  
the labourer deserves his wages; do not move  
from house to house. Whenever you go into a  
town where they make you welcome, eat what is  
set before you. Cure those in it who are sick,  
and say, "The kingdom of God is very near to  
you." But whenever you enter a town and they  
do not make you welcome, go out into its streets  
and say, "We wipe off the very dust of your town  
that clings to our feet, and leave it with you. Yet  
be sure of this: the kingdom of God is very near."  
I tell you, on that day it will not go as hard with  
Sodom as with that town.'

The seventy-two came back rejoicing. 'Lord,'  
they said, 'even the devils submit to us when we  
use your name.' He said to them, 'I watched Sa-  
tan fall like lightning from heaven. Yes, I have  
given you power to tread underfoot serpents  
and scorpions and the whole strength of the en-  
emy; nothing shall ever hurt you. Yet do not re-  
joice that the spirits submit to you; rejoice rather  
that your names are written in heaven.'