

CENTRAL CANBERRA PARISH

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

23 October 2022

St Brigid's

St Patrick's

Year C

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

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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 15th Nov 10:30am

ILUs: next Mass Tue 8th November 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



Parable of the Pharisee and the Tax Collector

Hans Leonhard Schaufelein (1517)

Entrance Antiphon

Let the hearts that seek the Lord rejoice;
turn to the Lord and his strength;
constantly seek his face.

Communion Antiphon

We will ring out our joy at your saving help
and exult in the name of our God.

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 ENV111'.

! CHANGE OF LOCATION !

'Year of Walking Together' Marian Procession



Due to the predicted rain over the next several days, **it has been decided to relocate the Marian Procession to St Christopher's Cathedral.**

The Marian Procession participants will join the scheduled livestreamed Mass at the Cathedral at 11am. We will then say the Rosary and meet in the Haydon Hall for lunch. Mass and Rosary parts will stay the same.

11:00am – 12Midday: MASS St Christopher's Cathedral, Manuka (livestreamed)

12:00 Midday – 12:30pm: ROSARY St Christopher's Cathedral with Mysteries animated by Youth Ministers

12:30pm onwards lunch at the Haydon Hall with a provided sausage sizzle and children's activities

All the allocated Mass parts and Rosary will be the same as previously indicated.

The livestreamed Rosary from the Cathedral will be projected on the big screen in the St Brigid's Church Dickson 12 Midday to 12:30. All Welcome.

ROSTERS THIS WEEK 22/23 OCTOBER

Saturday 6:00pm St Brigid's

Acolyte Paulus Sukardi
Readers Mairead Thomas, Elaine Larkin

Sunday 8:00am St Patrick's

Acolyte Ashley Bawden
Readers Ray Toohey, Mary Boyle
Altar Barbara Anderson

Sunday 9:30am St Brigid's

Acolyte Catherine Bandle
Readers Janet Munro, volunteer
Counters (Sun) Mary Boyle, Ros Wiley

ROSTERS NEXT WEEK 29/30 OCTOBER

Saturday 6:00pm St Brigid's

Acolyte Kevin Tee
Readers Emma and Grace Howse

Sunday 8:00am St Patrick's

Acolyte Michael Kelly
Readers Vin Kane, Carol Christopher
Altar Ros Wiley

Sunday 9:30am St Brigid's

Acolyte Ken Maher
Readers Marion Lowery, Judith Hurditch
Counters (Mon) Anne Prendergast, Damian Smith

Youth Alpha

Starts again Saturday 22nd October; held fortnightly in St Brigid's Parish Hall 7pm. With fun, activities and food. For more info contact Bart Bunk at Bartholomew.Bunk@cg.org.au

Archbishop's Day of Teaching

Saturday 12 November 2022 at St Peter Channels Church, Weston St, Yarralumla ACT from 8:30am - 4:00pm. Everyone is welcome and it's free! Talks, Testimonies, Worship, Healing prayer ministry! Holy Mass at midday. Free Sausage Sizzle lunch! To register:

<https://www.trybooking.com/CDFEF>

Or call/text Maida 0423 658 326

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

Starts **Thursday 27 October** at 7:30pm in the Dickson Parish Hall. Several people have inquired about becoming a Catholic or completing their Sacraments. This is the inquiry night to find out more about the program. Also, for anyone who would like to learn more about the riches of their Catholic Faith—through solid adult education. We will use the course *Evangelium*, a most current resource.

All welcome. From more info contact Fr Emil at emil.milat@cg.org.au

MALT: menALIVE Leadership Teams

4-6 November, St Clements Retreat and Conference Centre, Galong NSW. **Cost \$295 pp** for full bed and board, all meals including morning & afternoon teas, Saturday and Sunday till lunch. Friday eat before arrival. Also includes all conference facilities and fun. Register here:

<https://app.tickets.org.au/MA/MALT>

SHEPHERD'S CORNER

New Clergy Parish Appointments & Start Dates:

Vicar General Fr Richard Thompson 17/1/2023

Fr Loi Viovicente, Batemans Bay 10/1/2023

Fr Mark Croker, Cooma/Bombala/Jindabyne
10/1/2023

Fr Troy Bobbin, Gungahlin 10/1/2023

Fr Mick McAndrew, North Belconnen 10/1/2023

Fr George Ogah, Pambula 10/1/2023

Fr Tony Percy, Queanbeyan 10/1/2023

Fr Yoseph Neonbasu MGL, Tumut/Gundagai/
Adelong 10/1/2023

Fr Tom Thornton, Wanniasa 10/1/2023

Assistant Priests:

Fr Namora Anderson, South Tuggeranong
7/1/2023

Fr Eden Langlands, Gungahlin 7/1/2023

Fr Joshua Scott, Queanbeyan 7/1/2023

We keep these priests and their parishes in our prayers as they prepare for their moves early next year.

Following from last week, we have a quorum to help organise the parish luncheon, which will now be Saturday 10 December—please claim the date!

God's Blessing. Fr Em

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 shahandra777@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 **4th December** in Parish Office or Zoom. ID 648 673 1697, passcode 2602. For more info contact Fr Emil 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 is held fortnightly on Wednesdays 1:00pm-4:30pm in the Parish Hall. They next meet on **26th October**. 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 this **Sunday 30th October**. For more info contact Christian Nobleza 0498 372 645.

Next CRL Healing Service

The Community of the Risen Lord will lead worship during the 9:30am Mass (**date TBC**), 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:

Anna Le Hoang Phuong Oanh, Joe Abad, Leone Carse, Mary Cummins, Brenda Curren, Joan Goodwin, Nadine Hartley, Gabriel Hengkiarto Indra, Mary O'Hanlon, Theresa Okwudike, Alphonsa Bankobsky

Recently Deceased:

Eleanor Corcoran

First Reading Sir 35:12-14, 16-19

The Lord is a judge
who is no respecter of personages.
He shows no respect of personages to the detriment of a poor man,
he listens to the plea of the injured party.
He does not ignore the orphan's supplication,
nor the widow's as she pours out her story.

The man who with his whole heart serves God will be accepted,
his petitions will carry to the clouds.
The humble man's prayer pierces the clouds,
until it arrives he is inconsolable,
nor will he desist until the Most High takes notice of him,
acquits the virtuous and delivers judgement.
And the Lord will not be slow,
nor will he be dilatory on their behalf.

Responsorial Psalm 33:2-3, 17-19, 23

R. The Lord hears the cry of the poor.

I will bless the Lord at all times,
his praise always on my lips;
in the Lord my soul shall make its boast.
The humble shall hear and be glad. **R.**

The Lord turns his face against the wicked
to destroy their remembrance from the earth.
The just call and the Lord hears
and rescues them in all their distress. **R.**

The Lord is close to the broken-hearted;
those whose spirit is crushed he will save.
The Lord ransoms the souls of his servants.
Those who hide in him shall not be condemned.
R.

Second Reading 2 Tim 4:6-8, 16-18

My life is already being poured away as a libation,
and the time has come for me to be gone. I have fought the good fight to the end; I have run the race to the finish; I have kept the faith; all there is to come now is the crown of righteousness reserved for me, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give to me on that Day; and not only to me but to all those who have longed for his Appearing.
The first time I had to present my defence, there was not a single witness to support me.

Every one of them deserted me - may they not be held accountable for it. But the Lord stood by me and gave me power, so that through me the whole message might be proclaimed for all the pagans to hear; and so I was rescued from the lion's mouth. The Lord will rescue me from all evil attempts on me, and bring me safely to his heavenly kingdom. To him be glory for ever and ever. Amen.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

God was in Christ, to reconcile the world to himself;
and the Good News of reconciliation he has entrusted to us.

Alleluia!

Gospel Luke 18:9-14

Jesus spoke the following parable to some people who prided themselves on being virtuous and despised everyone else. 'Two men went up to the Temple to pray, one a Pharisee, the other a tax collector. The Pharisee stood there and said this prayer to himself, "I thank you, God, that I am not grasping, unjust, adulterous like the rest of mankind, and particularly that I am not like this tax collector here. I fast twice a week; I pay tithes on all I get." The tax collector stood some distance away, not daring even to raise his eyes to heaven; but he beat his breast and said, "God, be merciful to me, a sinner." This man, I tell you, went home again at rights with God; the other did not. For everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, but the man who humbles himself will be exalted.'

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