

ST THOMAS MORE PARISH
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Archdiocese of Canberra & Goulburn



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10 OCTOBER 2021 – 28th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – YEAR B

Entrance Antiphon: If you, O Lord, should mark iniquities, Lord, who could stand? But with you is found forgiveness, O God of Israel.

Response: Fill us with your love, O Lord, and we will sing for joy!.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, Alleluia! Happy the poor in spirit; the kingdom of heaven is theirs! Alleluia.

Communion Antiphon: The rich suffer want and go hungry, but those who seek the Lord lack no blessing.

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS: Is 53:10-11; Heb 4:14-16; Mk 10:35-45

PARTICIPATING IN MASS AT CAMPBELL

Coming out of ACT lockdown, you are invited to participate in Sunday Mass on **17 October**, in person (limit: 25 persons, including those assisting the celebration) by booking beforehand through Eventbrite at: <https://stmass17102021.eventbrite.com.au> or the Parish office (preferably by email or text, first in, best dressed and children need to be included in our limit of 25) or join us on Zoom still. We continue with the same log-in details below. Weekday Mass is being offered at Dickson, without the need to pre-register, but will not resume here till Wednesday 3 November.

We understand it will take some time to get back to a new "normal".

Mass overflow: if the allowed numbers are reached at Mass the priest will offer those who arrive, Holy Communion in the carpark, and they can return home to reflect on the readings.

How to join via Zoom:

• Please click on this link to get started: <https://zoom.us/j/6486731697>

Or use the ID: 648 673 1697 and passcode: 2602 for those who know Zoom.

• Please make sure your volume is muted and your video is turned off. A Rosary will precede each Mass still.

FEASTS THIS WEEK

Pope St John XXIII, Monday 11th October

St Callistus I, Thursday 14th October

St Margaret Mary Alacoque, Saturday 16th October

Mass and Sacrament Times

No Masses until further notice.

Funerals by appointment
Marriages & Baptisms by appointment

RECONCILIATION

Drive through confessions in Dickson Church carpark Saturdays 11:00 - 11:30am for those who discern their Confessions cannot wait.

CONFIRMATION

Preparation for Confirmation is to begin in the Parish from **31 October**. If you would like your child to participate, and they do not attend St Thomas More Primary School, please contact Fr Emil, to discuss how this is to be managed in these Covid times, as catechesis after Mass is not going to be an option.

WORLD MISSION MONTH

This week Catholic Mission will share the story of Churai*, who, having experienced much heartbreak in childhood, turned to the Mother and Babies Home run by the Good Shepherd Sisters in Bangkok when she experienced rejection as an adult, abandoned by her partner and pregnant.

Without this program, many vulnerable mothers like Churai will have nowhere to turn when they need love and care the most.

Please give generously today to help continue this life-giving program by using the appeal envelope, next week, going online at www.catholicmission.org.au/thailand or by texting 'GIVE' to 0488 854 436. Your gift will also help many other similar Church-run mission programs around the world.

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PLANNED GIVING & LOCKDOWN

Thanks again to those giving electronically, we will have the collection box at the back of the church as before this lockdown, when Mass resumes next week, so please feel free to bring any envelopes you have stored up then!

The tap machine will be on from Sunday 17 October, if you would like to make a donation that way also.

A MESSAGE FROM AID TO THE CHURCH IN NEED AUSTRALIA

ACN invites you to join the prayer campaign 'One Million Children Praying the Rosary' for unity and peace in the world on **18 October**. Be a part of this prayer campaign and join many others!

Register and learn more at www.aidtochurch.org/one-million-children

POSITION VACANT

The Parish Secretary of Central Canberra Parish has accepted a new position in Sydney, so the Parish is looking for someone to fill the position.

Unfortunately there is only have a few weeks' notice to advertise for a new secretary, and while coming out of lockdown. Maybe you, or someone you know, might be interested in the part time position (10 – 12 hours per week) - please call Fr Emil to discuss the role, it is very flexible in hours and days.

PRIESTS COLLECTION MISSING DETAILS

If you are still donating to the priests collection (first) by EFT please ensure you include **CAMPBELL** in the reference, which assists with attribution.

Prayers for the Sick:

Recently Deceased:

Anniversaries:

ROSTERS

Please arrange a swap if you are unable to fulfil your duty.

Date	Ushers	Acolyte	Commentator	Readers	Morning Tea	Liturgy Group
Oct 17	Scott Trim Kevin Ketchmark	Zane Mason	Tony Reid	<i>Volunteer</i> Roland Padilla	<i>No morning tea</i>	Michael Washington
Oct 24	Siobhan Trim Damien Smith	Neil Gabbitas	Lindsay Roe	Tony Reid Anna di Pietro	<i>No morning tea</i>	
Oct 31	Kevin Ketchmark <i>Volunteer</i>	Zane Mason	Masons	Joycelyn Maclean Ross Fox	Shannon Horan Chris Evans	Norma Deasey Michelle Priest
Nov 7	Siobhan Trim Damien Smith	Neil Gabbitas	Meg Ward	Kevin Ketchmark Coral Green	Lindsay Roe Fran Black	