



ST THOMAS MORE PARISH
CAMPBELL, PIALLIGO, RUSSELL
Archdiocese of Canberra & Goulburn

Mass & Sacrament Times

9.30am Sunday

5.30pm Wednesday

10.00am Friday (during school term)

Anointing of the sick: first Sunday of the month after Mass

Baptisms, Marriages & Funerals: by Appointment

Parish Administrator: Fr Emil Milat (6248 5472)

Assistant Priest: Fr Andrew Lotton (6248 5472)

School Principal: Mr Luke Donnelly (6249 8869)

Parish Pastoral Council: Joanne Gale: (0413 258 663)

Parish Finance Committee: Lindsay Roe

Sacramental Coordinator: Christopher Evans (0415 533 155)

Parish Secretary: Kathie Guillester (0416 823 447)

Parish Office hours: Tuesday 8.30am-4pm & Friday 9am-12pm

RECONCILIATION: CAMPBELL - Wednesday 5-5.20pm DICKSON – Saturday 9.30-10am

7 AUGUST 19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR C

Entrance Antiphon: Look to your covenant, O Lord, and forget not the life of your poor ones for ever. Arise, O God, and defend your cause, and forget not the cries of those who seek you.

Response: Happy the people the Lord has chosen to be his own.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! Be watchful and ready: you know not when the Son of Man is coming. Alleluia!

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS: JER 38:4-6,8-10; HEB 12:1-4; LK 12:49-53

Shepherd's Corner

This coming week is National Vocations Awareness Week, it is celebrated each year across a week that includes the August 8 feast day of Australia's first saint: St Mary of the Cross MacKillop. The week runs this year from August 7-14. There is a new portal on the Bishops Conference website showcases the vocations of priesthood, the permanent diaconate, consecrated life, marriage and the single life. Visit the portal at www.catholic.org.au/vocations. The Eucharistic Adoration at St Brigid's Dickson every Wednesday, from 8am to 8:30pm, closes with prayer for vocations and the Serra Club join in 12noon on the 1st Wed with special Prayers for Vocations. Serra Club are a very active group that does great work to support Vocations, if you feel drawn to use your gifts to promote and support vocations pls see the flyers in Church foyers. God's blessing Fr Em

LOVELY TABLECLOTHS IN FOYER

The St Thomas More Parish would like to say a very warm Thank you to Paris Dounoukos and family for the very beautiful tablecloths you see as you enter the Foyer to the Church.

STREET MINISTRY OUTREACH WITH BRIAN WELSH

A training day will be held Saturday 3 Sept in the Dickson Parish Hall from 9:00am Mass until 2pm. Previous attendees report it was an excellent exposition of the Churches teaching on evangelisation, effective personal prayer and how to evangelise. All welcome to come and see and enjoy the day. Donation taken for lunch, for more info. Contact Sherree sherreejack@hotmail.com 0407610526, Brian 0409126804, or Fr Em rsvp helpful for catering but not necessary

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The Feast of Assumption

This will be celebrated, on **15 August** at **9.30** am. The children from St Thomas More School will be attending this Mass. Can we please ask Parishioners attending to keep in mind to social distance and sit at the back of the Church.

Confirmation 30 October 2022

We begin to prepare for the children in Year 6 to celebrate and participate in the Sacrament of Confirmation. **September 4** will be Registration Day.

LUNCH WITH MARY EBERSTADT AT PARLIAMENT HOUSE

An Invitation to hear Mary Eberstadt speak on 24 October at 12 pm. Mary Eberstadt is an American essayist, novelist and author. If you are interested, please send email to campbell@cg.or.au to be placed on a waiting list. See also St Thomas More Website: stthomasmore.org.au Please note Joint Lunch with ACU & the St Thomas More Forum

Knowing Jesus: Daily Devotional Videos

You cannot become what you do not know. Join us as we seek to dive deep into the life of Jesus to expand our understanding of who He is and help us live and become more like Him. This FREE Daily Devotional series is presented by Bruce Downes, known as The Catholic Guy, and starts on Monday 15th August. 5- to 10-minute video daily delivered directly to your inbox. E: Bruce@BruceDownes.org W: BruceDownes.org

UPDATE: Bible Study on Book of Hebrews

Next week Fr Emil has been asked to give a talk to the *Mary of the Angelus Association*, so the Hebrews bible study part 4 will resume on 18 August (Zoom ID 648 673 1697 password 2602). Anyone who would like to join in the Talk next Thursday 7pm on Zoom about a deeper reflection of Jesus' proclamation *I Am the bread of Life* - **Meeting ID: 827 9428 9624, Passcode: angelus**. For the link or for more info contact Fr Emil emil.milat@cg.org.au / 0414 523 036.

Special Masses upcoming Feasts Days: Mary McKillop 8th August and Assumption 15th August next two Mondays, there will be a Mass 5:30pm at St Brigid's the next two Mondays for these two feasts

Sick: Vivien Arnold, Helen Reid, Peter Black, Ann Moran

Recently Deceased: John Moten, Husband of Ann, Margaret Ann Mellick

Anniversaries:

ROSTERS

If you are unable to fulfil your roster, would you please arrange a swap.

Date	Ushers	Acolyte	Commentator	Readers	Morning Tea	Liturgy Group
Aug 7	Kathie Guillester	Zane Mason	Lindsay Roe	Ross Fox Coral Green	Shannon Horan Chris Evans	Michael Washington
Aug 14	Damien Smith	Neil Gabbitas	Bill Mason Maria Mason	Lindsay Roe Roland Padilla	Mason Family	
Aug 21	Scott Trim	Zane Mason	Jocelyn Maclean	Meg Ward Stephanie Dickson	Michael Pidcock Mary Pidcock	
Aug 28	Kathie Guillester	Neil Gabbitas	Richard Hall	Martin Dolan	Kathie Guillester	Neil Gabbitas