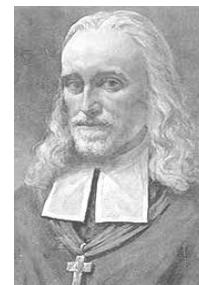




# St. Oliver Plunkett Parish

HARRIS PARK

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## 12 August 2018 - Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Parish Priest:** Rev. Chris de Souza PP  
**Parish Secretary:** Lilia Tolentino

**School Principal:** Barbara Young  
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### WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

**Monday - Friday:** 7 am  
**Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday:** 8 am  
**Friday:** 9:15 am

### WEEKEND MASS TIMES

**Saturday:** Vigil 5:30 pm **Sunday:** 8:00 am & 10:00 am

**OFFICE HOURS:** Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

### Sacraments @ St Oliver's

**Reconciliation,** : Please contact the parish office to make an appointment.

### **Baptism, Marriage and Funerals**

Please contact the Parish Office for information and bookings

### **RCIA: Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults**

Thinking about becoming a Catholic? Do you know someone who may be interested in exploring the Catholic faith? Contact the Parish Office for more details on joining the RCIA program.

### 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.

### COMMUNION ANTIPHON

O Jerusalem, glorify the Lord,  
who gives you your fill of finest wheat.

### **Plenary Council Prayer**

*Come, Holy Spirit of Pentecost.  
Come, Holy Spirit of the great South Land.  
O God, bless and unite all your people in Australia  
and guide us on the pilgrim way of the Plenary Council.  
Give us the grace to see your face in one another  
and to recognise Jesus, our companion on the road.  
Give us the courage to tell our stories  
and to speak boldly of your truth.  
Give us ears to listen humbly to each other  
and a discerning heart to hear what you are saying.  
Lead your Church into a hope-filled future,  
that we may live the joy of the Gospel.  
Through Jesus Christ our Lord,  
bread for the journey from age to age.  
Amen.*

*Our Lady Help of Christians,  
pray for us.*



**Plenary Council 2020**  
Listen to what the Spirit is saying...



The following masses will be celebrated at St Oliver's for this holy day of obligation, 15th August, *Feast of the Assumption of Mary*:

7 am  
8 am  
9:15 am ( school mass)  
7:00 pm

### FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION WALK: 15 AUGUST

**THE ANNUAL WALK ON THE FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION** will take place on Wednesday 15 August, beginning at Noon with Mass at the Shrine of the Holy Innocents (8 Greyfriar Place, Kellyville). The walk starts after Mass at 1pm, continues along Windsor Road to St. Patrick's Cathedral, Parramatta (14km). Refreshment stops occur along the way. All are welcome. Join us at any point of the walk. Contact the parish office to register on 9629-2595.

### PARISH READING ROSTER FOR NEXT WEEK, 18/19 AUGUST:

Saturday	5:30 pm	Jenny Fernandes / Stephen D'Souza
Sunday	8:00 am	Seini & Ipolito Lasalo
Sunday	10:00 am	Seminarians

### PARISH CLEANING ROSTER FOR NEXT WEEK, 18/19 AUGUST:

◆ LASALO FAMILY  
Thank you and God bless.



Please pray for those who are sick, recently deceased, have an anniversary at this time and all those for whom you have a special intention.

**Sick:**

Kylie

**Deceased:**

Richard Peters | Roshan & Ashitha Royan | Emil Gomez | Anusha Fernandes  
John Devlin | Jeanette Coorey | Queenie Nicholas | Maurice Coorey | Coorey,  
Norman, Budwee & Nicholas Families | David (Dib) Romanos | Theresia Romanos  
Romanos Family | Tony & Samira Abood & their Family | Fred Betros Family  
Constanton Family | Namtallah & Patrick Malkoun | Samiha Frome  
Ruperto T. Tenedora

**Anniversary:**

Sayed Doueihy

**Special Intention:** Veena | Lattouf Family | Benedict

*(Envelopes for Mass Intentions are available at the church or please contact or visit the parish office if you have any request for mass offerings or home/hospital visits for the sick.)*

**PARRAMATTA'S  
RAFFLE FOR WORLD  
YOUTH DAY PANAMA  
2019**

The WYD Raffle has been a signature means of raising funds to subsidise the costs for the pilgrim experience for those participating from our Diocese. WYD Raffle tickets are available through the Parish Youth group and online. Please see also Notice board. For tickets and further information please contact Michael Mendieta: [MMendieta@parra.catholic.org.au](mailto:MMendieta@parra.catholic.org.au)



**HOLY SPIRIT SEMINARY OPEN DAY:  
19 AUGUST**

"Come and See Day" at Holy Spirit Seminary, 31 Allen Street Harris Park on 19 August 2018 is a whole-day event, inspired by Our Lord's invitation to the two disciples of John the Baptist to "Come and see", found in the Gospel of John. Open Day provides single men open to a priestly vocation with the opportunity to experience seminary life, beginning with Holy Mass at St Oliver's Parish Church at 10 am, followed by talks, a tour, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and dinner with Bishop Vincent. **RSVP essential.**

Please contact Fr John Paul Escarlan via [johnpaul.escarlan@parracatholic.org](mailto:johnpaul.escarlan@parracatholic.org) or 0420 310 771.

**NEW CATHOLIC TV Channel: *Shalom World*** is a commercial-free, high-definition, Catholic family channel that reaches out to the world witnessing the truth of Christ. The channel supplements the pastoral efforts of the Church to spread the Good News of Christ Jesus. **SHALOM WORLD** offers programs that will truly be a spiritual banquet to people of all ages.

More details: <https://www.shalomworldtv.org/about>

**Shalom World Australia** is launched on 26th January 2018, Australia Day. Find the launch PROMO: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NQXdoZW1w1M>

**SAVE THE DATE - LITURGY CONFERENCE 2018**

10 November 2018. Keynote Speaker: Fr Peter Williams Vicar General from the Diocese of Parramatta. Workshops (still to be finalised): Singing the Psalms, RCIA ritual & symbols, Training Junior Altar Servers and Music and Prayer in the Classroom. To register your interest go to [parracatholic.org/liturgyconference2018/](http://parracatholic.org/liturgyconference2018/)  
Tickets: On sale soon

**CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE: 1 SEPTEMBER**

Join with other men to explore strategies for: What is Courage? How do we build authentic relationships? What is commitment? Saturday, 1 September at Dooleys Catholic Club, Lidcombe Registration: \$60 Early Bird \$48 (11 August). Find out more: [www.sydneycatholicmen.com/conference](http://www.sydneycatholicmen.com/conference) or contact Norm Reavell on 0438 5515 441. A collaborative of men from Brothersoul (Schoenstatt Men), menALIVE, The Catenian Association, Knights of the Southern Cross, The Men of St Joseph and Catholic Men's Fellowship.

**WE'RE HIRING!**

Catholic Education Diocese of Parramatta is seeking a **Nurse to attend World Youth Day 2019** in Panama. The role will be responsible for encouraging and coordinating healthy practices and the preliminary identification and assessment of medical, health and wellbeing needs of pilgrims. More information at: <http://www.parra.catholic.edu.au/positions-vacant>

**DAD'S SUPPORT GROUP: 14 AUGUST**

D.A.D.S MyTime Group is a group aiming to connect fathers and other male carers of children with a disability, developmental delay, ASD or a chronic illness to a support network of other fathers, helping the whole family. This is a free, government funded service. 7pm – 9pm at St Margaret Mary's Parish Centre, 5 Chetwynd Rd, Merrylands. Call 0438 878 355 for more information or visit [playgroupnsw.org.au](http://playgroupnsw.org.au) or [mytime.net.au](http://mytime.net.au). Tea & Coffee provided.

**CATHOLIC COMMUNICATIONS CONGRESS**

Communicating Hope and Trust: How can we share the message of Christ and his Gospel in contemporary Australia? Speakers from Australia and abroad will challenge delegates at the Australian Catholic Communications Congress to take up Pope Francis' call for Catholics to "communicate hope and trust". September 5-7 in Brisbane. All are welcome. Find out more and register at [www.catholic.org.au/accc](http://www.catholic.org.au/accc)