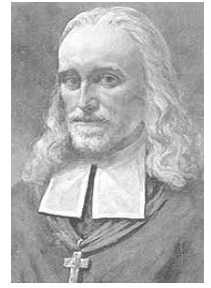




# St. Oliver Plunkett Parish

## HARRIS PARK



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### 28 July 2019 - Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

**School Principal:** Barbara Young  
**School Tel:** (02) 8633 8300

#### WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

**Monday to Friday: 7:00 am**  
**Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday: 8:00 am**  
**Friday: 9:15 am**

#### WEEKEND MASS TIMES

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

**OFFICE HOURS:** Tuesday & Friday 9:00 am - 2:00 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.

**Baptism:** held every 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month within the mass.

#### **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

God is in his holy place, God who unites those who dwell in his house; he himself gives might and strength to his people.

*Cf Psalm 67:6-7, 36*

#### COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Bless the Lord, O my soul,  
and never forget all his benefits.

*Psalm 102:2*

#### **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.*



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

**RSVP BY 15TH AUGUST**  
 0420310771 or [JohnPaul.Escarlan@parrocatholic.org](mailto:JohnPaul.Escarlan@parrocatholic.org)

# "Come & See"

- John 1:39

**A DAY OF DISCERNMENT FOR SINGLE MEN AGED 16 AND ABOVE**

**HOLY SPIRIT SEMINARY**  
 31/33 ALLEN ST, HARRIS PARK  
 10AM-7PM | 18 AUGUST 2019

#### **PARISH READING ROSTER FOR NEXT WEEK: 3/4 AUGUST**

Saturday	5:30 pm	Jackie Perumal / Agnes Oto
Sunday	8:00 am	Brian Hatch / Kimberly Imbun
Sunday	10:00 am	Seminarians

#### **THANKS TO OUR VOLUNTEER CLEANERS**

Every weekend, a group of kind-hearted people give their time and make a devoted effort to keep our church clean, tidy and beautiful in the spirit of serving God and helping our parish. God bless you always.



*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.*

**Deceased:** Joe & David Hume | Andrew Allen | Dalian Nagari | Lucy & Londe Ipatos Reynalda Monis | Jeanette Coorey | Queenie Nicholas | Maurice Coorey | Coorey, Norman, Budwee & Nicholas Families | David (Dib) & Theresia Romanos Romanos Family | Tony & Samira Abood & their Family | Fred Betros Family Constanton Family | Namtallah & Patrick Malkoun | Samiha Frome | Holy Souls in Purgatory

**Anniversary:** S.K Mary Harriot Kurera

**Thanksgiving:** Benedict

**Sick:** John Khalil | Nisha | Margaret Parmar

*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 visit for the sick.*

### **‘COME AND SEE’ (JOHN 1:39): 18 AUGUST**

An invitation to all single men from 16 years old and above for a discernment day at the Holy Spirit Seminary, 33 Allen Street, Harris Park NSW 2150 on Sunday, 18 August 2019, 10:00am to 7:00pm. For catering purposes, contact Fr John Paul Escarlan on 0420310771 or [johnpaul.escarlan@parracatholic.org](mailto:johnpaul.escarlan@parracatholic.org)



### **PRESENTATION: HOW TO DEVELOP AUTHENTIC CATHOLIC COMMUNITIES**

Parishioners from all over the Diocese interested in developing the sense of authentic community are invited to attend an enlivening presentation by Fr Ray Sanchez CP, exploring the relevance of Passionist Family Groups in the changing era in our Church today: 6:00pm Mass, Saturday 10 August, John 23<sup>rd</sup> Parish, Glenwood-Stanhope Gardens  
8:00am Mass, Sunday 11 August, Mary Queen of the Family Parish, St Michael's Church, South Blacktown  
10:00am Mass, Sunday 11 August, Mary Queen of the Family Parish, St Patrick's Church, Blacktown  
11:15am -12.45pm, Clancy Room, Mary Queen of the Family Parish, St Patrick's Church, Blacktown - followed by a shared lunch  
Any enquiries, call Parramatta Diocese's Family Group contacts: Elizabeth and Dennis Farrar 0425 209 840

### **LITURGICAL MINISTRY FORMATION COURSES**

The Office for Worship is taking enrolments for its Liturgical Ministry Formation Courses for those who are interested in being Readers, Extraordinary Ministers of Communion or Bringing Communion to the Sick and Dying. The course will be at the Institute for Mission (Downstairs Hall).

**NOTE: Introduction Session on 12 August is compulsory. Enrolments close on 5 August 2019.**

Please see your Parish Office for a form or for more information, contact 02 8838 3456 or [ingrid.vergano@parracatholic.org](mailto:ingrid.vergano@parracatholic.org)

### **NATURAL FERTILITY SERVICES PRESENTATION: 4 AUGUST**

Are you looking for a healthy, natural and effective method to manage your fertility? No drugs, devices or side effects. All are welcome to attend a talk presented by Natural Fertility Services, Diocese of Parramatta, at St Monica's Parish Hall, North Parramatta. Sunday 4 August from 2pm to 3.30pm. For more information, please contact Catherine on 02 8838 3460 or 0400 427 605, [nfpstmonica@gmail.com](mailto:nfpstmonica@gmail.com) or [cathe-rine.bourne@parracatholic.org](mailto:cathe-rine.bourne@parracatholic.org)

### **CATHOLICARE BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT PROGRAM: 8 AUGUST – 19 SEPTEMBER**

CatholicCare Solo Parent Services is starting a bereavement support program for those whose spouse has died. The programme will be held weekly on Thursdays from 10am to 12midday from 8 August to 19 September at Mackillop Hall, Granville. An Information session will be held on Thursday 1 August at 10am. For more information, call Rita at Solo Parent Services on 02 8843 2575.

### **‘CALLED TO HOLINESS’ WEEKEND RETREAT FOR MEN: 10 – 11 AUGUST**

Mount Schoenstatt, Mulgoa, is hosting a weekend retreat for men on the theme 'Called to Holiness'. 10 to 11 August from 9am. \$165 all-inclusive or \$55 day rate. RSVP by 1 August. For further enquiries, contact [mensbranch@schoenstatt.org.au](mailto:mensbranch@schoenstatt.org.au) or 0432 487 927. To book, contact [info@schoenstatt.org.au](mailto:info@schoenstatt.org.au) or 02 4773 8338.

### **FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION PILGRIM WALK: 15 AUGUST**

The Annual Pilgrim Walk from the Shrine of the Holy Innocents, Kellyville to St Patrick's Cathedral, Parramatta will be held on the Feast of the Assumption Thursday 15 August. Bishop Vincent Long will celebrate Mass at 12Noon before the pilgrimage begins. Anyone is welcome to begin walking from any point of the 14km walk. For more information, contact the parish office on (02) 9629 2595.

### **FAITH IN A CHANGING CLIMATE: 18 AUGUST**

The Blue Mountains Centre for Faith and Public Issues will host a public forum with Dr Seforosa Carroll on 'Faith in a changing climate: Disappearing Islands, Displacement and Justice'. Sunday 18 August at Our Lady of the Nativity Church Hall, Lawson from 2pm. For enquiries please contact William Emilsen - [wemilsen@gmail.com](mailto:wemilsen@gmail.com) or Allan Walsh - [secretary@bmert.org](mailto:secretary@bmert.org)

### **VOLUNTEER IN THE KIMBERLEY**

The Catholic Diocese of Broome, WA, is looking for volunteers to assist with the work of the local Church in the Kimberley. There are various voluntary tasks: administration, building maintenance, gardening, shop staffing, cooking, cleaning etc. Placements are preferred for a period of six months. For further details, please contact volunteer coordinator Anneliese Rohr on (08) 9192 1060, email [volunteers@broomedioocese.org](mailto:volunteers@broomedioocese.org) or visit [www.broomedioocese.org/volunteering](http://www.broomedioocese.org/volunteering)