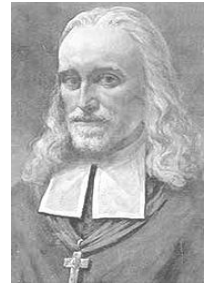




St. Oliver Plunkett Parish

HARRIS PARK



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7 July 2019 - Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Parish Priest: Rev. Chris de Souza PP
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WEEKDAY MASS TIMES
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


PLEASE NOTE: 7am Mass was cancelled from Monday, the 10th of June and it will resume on Monday, the 29th of July.

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 1st and 3rd 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
 Your merciful love, O God, we have received in the midst of your temple. Your praise, O God, like your name, reaches the ends of the earth; your right hand is filled with saving justice.
 Cf Psalm 47:10-11

COMMUNION ANTIPHON
 Taste and see that the Lord is good; blessed the man who seeks refuge in him.
 Psalm 33:9

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.*



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SACRAMENTS OF INITIATION: PREPARATION FOR CONFIRMATION
 Registration for Confirmation is now open for children 10 yrs or older who have made their Reconciliation and First Eucharist. The online registration form can be found on St Patrick's Cathedral website <https://stpatrcathedral.com.au> under the Sacraments tab in the section titled *Confirmation*. Alternately, please email Meg Gale at sacrament@stpatrcathedral.com.au
 Please note that the calendar of sessions of preparation are as follows:
Location: Cathedral Parish Hall
 Confirmation 1: Tuesday 23rd July, 7.30pm - Parent session
 Confirmation 2: Tuesday 30th July, 7.30pm - Parent Session
 Confirmation 3: Saturday 10th August 4.30pm - Parent and Children Session
 Confirmation 4: Saturday 17th August 4.30pm - Parent and Children Session
Location: St Oliver's Harris Park
 Confirmation 5: Saturday 31st August 4.30pm - Practice for the Sacrament of Confirmation followed by 5.30pm Vigil Mass
 (Please note that preparation is completed in conjunction with St Patrick's Cathedral Parish and that unless otherwise indicated sessions of preparation are held in St Patrick's Cathedral Hall.)

PARISH READING ROSTER FOR NEXT WEEK: 13/14 JULY
 Saturday 5:30 pm **Maria Lawton / Agnes Oto**
 Sunday 8:00 am **Anne Haddad / Joseph Karam**
 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: Chafika Khourey | Cesar Manalo | Casimero Castor | Namtallah & Patrick Malkoun Samiha Frome | 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

Anniversary: Joseph Boulous | Elizabeth Chow | David Leung | Benedict Barkat

Thanksgiving: Benedict | Kaldun Fernandes | Alice

Sick: 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.

DIOCESAN FORUM

An inaugural Diocesan Forum on Saturday 13th July will consider the Plenary Council National Themes for Discernment and significant challenges as identified by the People of God. The forum includes participation from a broad range of diocesan leaders, ministers and representatives. Speak to your Deanery Pastoral Council Representative or priest for more information about the Diocesan Forum. Please pray for fruitful conversation to bring to life ways to grow and share our faith in the Diocese of Parramatta.

CATHWEST INNOVATION COLLEGE Catholic Education Diocese of Parramatta last year announced a new approach to delivering the very best skills and vocational training for young people in Western Sydney. With this in mind, from 2020, Loyola and McCarthy Catholic Trade Training Centres will become part of CathWest Innovation College, which will offer exciting new options for students in Years 10, 11 and 12. McCarthy Catholic Trade Training Centre in Emu Plains will become the McCarthy campus of CathWest Innovation College, and Loyola in Mount Drutt will be known as CathWest Innovation College, Loyola campus. Learn more about CathWest Innovation College here: cathwest.parra.catholic.edu.au.

2019 FAITH IN MARRIAGE SEMINAR: 30 AUGUST

American Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers is the guest speaker at The Life, Family and Marriage Office's 2019 Faith in Marriage Seminar on Friday 30 August at St Paul's Catholic College Hall, Greystanes from 7.30pm. He will speak on the topic of 'Building Strong Marriages'. Parking is available in the Church grounds of Our Lady Queen of Peace Greystanes. Follow the signs to the Hall. Free entry and a light supper will be served afterwards. Donations are welcome. Please register your attendance to 02 8838 3460 or lmf@parracatholic.org

CYP MUSIC MINISTRY MASTERCLASS: 3 AUGUST

CYP are hosting a Music Ministry Masterclass at Mary Immaculate Parish, Quakers Hill on Saturday 3 August from 9.30am to 5pm. This is an invitation for musicians, worship leaders, youth and aspiring composers to gather and be formed in music ministry especially for the involvement and evangelisation of young people. Register now at <https://parracatholic.org/masterclass/>

POSITIONS VACANT

- Casual Workers/Volunteers - Catholic Care Mamre Creche
- Video/Media Creative (3 days/week) - Institute for Mission, Blacktown Parish Office/Business Manager - St Nicholas of Myra Parish, Penrith

More details at: parracatholic.org/employment

THEOLOGY OF THE BODY COURSE: 15 – 18 JULY

The Diocese of Broken Bay and the Archdiocese of Sydney are co-hosting a Theology of the Body course at the Mt Schoenstatt Retreat Centre, Mulgoa, from 15 to 18 July. It will be taught by international expert Katrina Zeno of the Diocese of Phoenix, Arizona. Cost is \$280 for the course and meals, and \$460 for course, meals and accommodation. To register, visit www.trybooking.com/BCAHA.

AN EVENING WITH CARDINAL JOHN DEW: 16 JULY

His Eminence, John Cardinal Dew, Archbishop of Wellington, will deliver a lecture on Servant leadership in the spirit of Pope Francis. Tuesday 16 July at the Ailsa Mackinnon Community Centre, Our Lady of Mercy College, Parramatta from 7pm. RSVP by 12 July to Br Mark O'Connor – mark.oconnor@parracatholic.org

SERVING AT THE ALTAR: 3 AUGUST

Formation Day for Adult Servers and Acolytes begins at 9.30am with registration, and concludes at 2.30 pm. Held at the Institute for Mission at 1-5 Marion St Blacktown. To RSVP please contact the Office for Worship team on 02 8838 3456 or ingrid.vergano@parracatholic.org by 29th July. Morning tea & lunch provided.

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