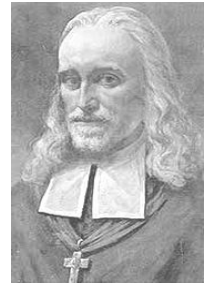




St. Oliver Plunkett Parish

HARRIS PARK



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27 October 2019 - Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Parish Priest: Rev. Chris de Souza PP
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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 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

Let the hearts that seek the Lord rejoice;
turn to the Lord and his strength;
constantly seek his face.

Cf. Psalm 103:3 - 4

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

We will ring out our joy at your saving
help and exult in the name of our God.

Cf. Psalm 19:6

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...



NOVEMBER MASS OFFERING ENVELOPES

The envelopes for the masses for holy souls in November are now available.

Please use these envelopes for mass offerings in November for your departed loved ones for their names to be entered in our annual Book of the Dead.

The book will have the names of those who have requested remembrance and will be placed on the altar during all masses in November.

This will begin on Saturday, 2nd of November, All Souls' Day.

All masses celebrated at St Oliver's in the month of November will be offered for all those who have died, especially for those our parishioners have asked to be remembered.

A suitable offering for November masses is \$20, as recommended by the ACBC. However, please, remember that all names of your departed friends and family will be recorded in the Book of the Dead, regardless of the donation you make or not make.

PARISH READING ROSTER FOR NEXT WEEK: 2/3 NOVEMBER

Saturday	5:30 pm	Maria Lawton / Stuart Walker
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:

Sylvester Thomas Swampille | Arthur Moses | Jeanette Coorey | Queenie Nicholas Maurice Coorey | Coorey, Norman, Budwee & Nicholas Families | David (Dib) & Theresa Romanos | Romanos Family | Tony & Samira Abood & their Family | Fred Betros Family | Constanton Family Ray Malkoun | Namtallah & Patrick Malkoun | Samiha Frome | Holy Souls in Purgatory especially for those who have no one praying for them

Anniversary:

Maria Muoi | Peter Thanh

Sick:

All the Sick especially those who are sick in our community

Special Intentions: Jonathan and for all answered prayers | John & Family Kerala

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.

**INVITATION TO SENIOR CITIZENS AT
ST OLIVER PLUNKETT HARRIS PARK**

Year 10 students from Our Lady of Mercy College Parramatta are organising a Senior Citizens' Concert and Luncheon in the Edith Angel Hall:



When: Tuesday 26 November 2019
Arrive: 9:30am [to allow time to be escorted to your seats]
Time: 10:00am to 1:00pm
Where: Gate 3, No. 1 Ross Street, Parramatta
Luncheon: Light Refreshments [finger food, tea, coffee and cold drinks]
RSVP: Friday, 15 November 2019 follow this link to book

RSVP TO OLMC PARRAMATTA SENIOR CITIZENS' CONCERT 2019

We require that **two carers** from your organisation accompany those attending. Due to the nature of the event and the limitations of our resources, we would request that guests who attend, have a reasonable degree of self-sufficiency.

With the installation of our single elevator, we have the capacity to cater for wheelchairs or those who may struggle with climbing stairs. Please be aware though that guest toilet facilities are on the next level above the entertainment area. For booking please contact Tanya Brangwin on 9683 3300 for assistance.

**MEMORIAL MASS FOR THOSE BEREAVED BY
SUICIDE: 19 NOVEMBER**

CatholicCare Western Sydney and Blue Mountains together with the Diocese of Parramatta invite those bereaved by suicide to a Mass to honour loved ones who have taken their lives. There will be light supper after Mass. Please bring a photo of your deceased loved one to be placed at the Altar. Mass will be celebrated at St Oliver Plunkett Church, 35 Wigram Street, Harris Park. 6:45pm for 7pm start. RSVP 14 November. Ph: 02 8843 2575 or rita.chater@ccss.org.au

WALK WITH CHRIST: 24 NOVEMBER

Please join your fellow Sydneysiders in the Walk with Christ annual Eucharistic Procession through the streets of Sydney on the Feast of Christ The King on Sunday 24 November at 2.30pm. Thousands of people took part in last year's joyful public proclamation and act of worship to invoke Christ's blessing upon our beautiful city. Meet at the corner of Martin Place & Pitt Street at 2.30pm on November 24. More details through the Archdiocese of Sydney.

FOR SPECIAL REMEMBRANCE THIS WEEK:

Monday, 28th October - **SAINTS SIMON AND JUDE**, honoured among the twelve apostles
Friday, 1st November - **ALL SAINTS**, all holy men and women in glory with Christ: known or unknown, mighty or lowly, all whose lives were modelled on the Beatitudes and on the great commandment of love.

PLENARY COUNCIL 2020 DIOCESAN SESSION 4: 6 NOVEMBER

You are invited to the fourth of the six sessions in the Diocese of Parramatta to gather and discern the Plenary Council 2020 National Themes for Discernment. This session on 'Humble, Healing and Merciful' will be held on 6 November from 6.30pm to 9pm at the Institute for Mission, Blacktown. To RSVP, please contact tanya.quinn@parracatholic.org or contact the Pastoral Planning Office on 8838 3441.

HOLY HOUR FOR VOCATIONS: 7 NOVEMBER

Youth aged 18 to 35 and families are invited to join The Sisters of the Holy Family of Nazareth for the Holy Hour for Vocations at The Good Shepherd Parish Church, on Thursday 7 November at 7pm. Dinner will be served afterwards. RSVP to Sr Paula – vocationscsfn@gmail.com or 0449 656 406.

OFFICE FOR WORSHIP MUSIC WORKSHOP: 13 NOVEMBER

The Office for Worship is conducting a Music Workshop for musicians and liturgy planners on Wednesday 13 November at the Institute for Mission, Blacktown from 7pm to 9pm. Supper will be provided. Choosing appropriate hymns for Mass and what to sing at Mass and why will be discussed. To register by 8 November, call Anne on 8838 3456 or anne.alimangohan@parracatholic.org.

More details at: parracatholic.org/employment

PLENARY COUNCIL 2020 DIOCESAN SESSION 5: 14 NOVEMBER

You are invited to the fifth of the six sessions in the Diocese of Parramatta to gather and discern the Plenary Council 2020 National Themes for Discernment. This session on 'Joy, Hope-filled and Servant Community' will be held on 14 November from 6.30pm to 9pm at the Institute for Mission, Blacktown. To RSVP, please contact tanya.quinn@parracatholic.org or contact the Pastoral Planning Office on 8838 3441.