



St. Oliver Plunkett Parish

HARRIS PARK



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23 May 2021 - Pentecost Sunday

SACRAMENTS @ ST OLIVER'S

Reconciliation, Baptism, Marriage and Funerals, RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

For Baptisms, Funerals and Weddings, please ring or email the parish office for assistance.

Reconciliation: by appointment or 4 pm Saturday

DISPENSATION: As a reminder, Catholics from the Diocese of Parramatta are dispensed from their Sunday Mass obligation until further notice (Canon 1247, Canons 85 and 87, and Catechism of the Catholic Church 2180-2188).

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

Monday to Friday: *7:00 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
**For the 7 am mass, please use the side door access from the seminary. Please sanitise your hands and register your details as soon as you enter the church.*

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

The love of God has been poured into our hearts through the Spirit of God dwelling within us, alleluia.

Romans 5:5; Cf. 8:11

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

On the last day of the festival, Jesus stood and cried out: If anyone is thirsty, let him come to me and drink, alleluia.

John 7:37

Re: COVID-19 (Coronavirus) Update

NSW Health has eased the restrictions that were put in place for indoor venues (including places of worship) regarding singing and face masks. The below relaxed restrictions will apply from today, Monday 17 May 2021.

Singing

There will be no restrictions on choirs and congregational singing at places of worship.

Face Masks

Wearing of face masks at places of worship continues to be strongly recommended, especially indoors and where physical distancing is not possible. However, it will no longer be compulsory to wear a face mask at places of worship.

Weddings and Funerals

There will be no caps on the number of people allowed to attend weddings and funerals.

COVID-19 Safety Plan

Parishes across Western Sydney and the Blue Mountains have COVID-Safety plans in place requiring social distancing, maximum attendance figures and other safety measures. Parishes will need to comply with their COVID-19 Safety Plans.

The number of people allowed at places of worship and religious services will continue to only be limited by the 2 square metre rule.

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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Listen to what the Spirit is saying...

OFFICE FOR WORSHIP RESOURCES AVAILABLE

The Office For Worship has a range of resources available for purchase for individuals and parishes. Resources such as parent material for a child's baptism and a collation of prayers can be purchased from the Office For Worship by contacting (02) 8838 3457.

PARISH READING ROSTER FOR NEXT WEEK: 29/31 MAY 2021

Saturday 5:30 pm Stuart Walker / Gerard Pinto

Sunday 8:00 am Seini & Ipolito Lasalo || 10:00 am Geoff Officer / Seminarian



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: Anton Jarkey | John & Tripony Pasangha | Reggie & May Perumal | Rita Fernando | Hari Prasad | Lattouf Family, Melan Family, Wehbe Family, Nejhen Family | Joe & Clare Boulous | Margaret Hanna | Coorey, Budwee, Norman & Nicholas Families | Jeanette Coorey | Queenie Nicholas | Antoinette & Maurice Coorey | Christine Coorey | David (Dib) & Theresia Romanos | Romanos Family | Tony & Samira Abood & their Family | Fred Betros Family | Constanton Family | Namtallah & Patrick Malkoun | Ray Malkoun | Samiha Frome | All those who died recently | Lena L. Leme | Holy Souls in Purgatory especially for those who have no one praying for them

Sick: Michael Andrew | All the Sick especially those who are sick in our parish community

Thanksgiving: Sidney Imbun

Special Intention: For the Citizens of India

Please call (02) 8863 8801 or email harrisark@parracatholic.org if you have any request for mass offerings or home/hospital visit for the sick.

Fan the Flame

Towards Plenary Assembly One October 2021

Plenary Council Prayer Campaign: People across the country are invited to participate in the "Fan the Flame" prayer campaign leading up to the first assembly of the Fifth Plenary Council of Australia. The assembly starts on October 3. Campaign materials include resources for personal and communal prayer, reflections, musical suggestions and multimedia content. Find the resources at: www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au/fanthefflame/

'As the Father sent me, so am I sending you.'
John 20:19-23

We cannot keep ourselves shut up in parishes, in our communities, in our parish or diocesan institutions, when so many people are waiting for the Gospel! It is not enough simply to open the door in welcome ..., but we must go out through that door to seek and meet the people!

(Pope Francis, World Youth Day Homily at Cathedral of San Sebastian, Rio de Janeiro, July 27, 2013)



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PLEASE SUPPORT OUR SEMINARIANS TO ANSWER GOD'S CALL TO THE PRIESTHOOD

At our Holy Spirit Seminary, Harris Park, young men are training to become future priests for the Diocese of Parramatta. Your caring gift and prayers are needed to support our seminarians to prepare for a life of service to our community. Please give generously via the Bishop's Good Shepherd Appeal giving envelopes or online at yourcatholicfoundation.org.au/appeal. Thank you for your kind accompaniment.

IFM ONLINE PENTECOST SCRIPTURE NIGHT: 25 MAY

The Institute for Mission invites you online to enjoy scripture presenter Dr Michele Connolly rsj as she revisits Pentecost's readings on 25 May at 7pm. Register now via www.tinyurl.com/ifmrego. Please feel free to speak to any of the IFM Team on (02) 9296 6369 if you require any further information or send us an email to connect@ifm.org.au.

JOURNEY OF FAITH: 28 MAY – 25 JUNE

You are invited to a short course on spirituality to reflect on your image of God and how God is present in your life as well as to explore faith through the ages, using input, song, ritual and prayer. These sessions, facilitated by Cecilia Zammit, will be held from 10am to 2pm at the Institute for Mission, Blacktown. BYO lunch and your bible. Please register with Maree at maree.collis@parracatholic.org or phone (02) 8838 3486.



Jesuit Mission

NATIONS IN CRISIS:

ONLINE PRAYER VIGIL FOR MYANMAR AND INDIA



Wednesday 2 June 2021

6:00pm AEST

10:00am Rome

1:30pm Hazaribag

2:30pm Yangon

4:00pm Manila

Join and Pray with us
jesuitmission.org.au/prayer-vigil

HAIL HOLY QUEEN

Hail, holy queen, mother of mercy, hail, our life, our sweetness, and our hope! To thee do we cry, poor banished children of Eve, to thee do we send up our sighs, mourning and weeping in this valley of tears. Turn, then, most gracious advocate, thine eyes of mercy toward us; and after this our exile, show unto us the blessed fruit of thy womb, Jesus; O clement, O loving, O sweet virgin Mary.

V. Pray for us, O holy Mother of God

R. That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

Amen.



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