



St. Oliver Plunkett Parish

HARRIS PARK



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16 January 2022 - Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

SACRAMENTS @ ST OLIVER'S

Reconciliation, Baptism, Marriage and Funerals. Please ring or email the parish office for assistance. **Reconciliation** is by appointment or 4 pm Saturday at the parish office. **RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults).** Thinking about becoming a Catholic or know someone who may be interested in exploring the Catholic faith? Contact the Parish Office for more details on joining the RCIA program.

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

Tuesday to Friday: *7:00 a.m.

WEEKEND MASS TIMES

Saturday: Vigil 5:30 p.m.

Sunday: 8:00 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.

OFFICE HOURS : Tuesday & Friday 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

**For the 7 a.m. mass, the front door of the church will be open.*

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

All the earth shall bow down before you, O God,
and shall sing to you,
shall sing to your name, O Most High!

Psalm 65:4

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

We have come to know and to believe
in the love that God has for us.

1 John 4:16



"LET US BE CLOSE TO OUR BROTHERS AND SISTERS WHO ARE GOING THROUGH ILLNESS AND ALSO THEIR FAMILIES."
POPE FRANCIS

CELEBRATING

World Day of the Sick

MASS OF OUR LADY OF LOURDES
WITH THE RITE OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK

At the conclusion of Mass, a special blessing will be given for all carers and those who minister to the sick.

FRIDAY 11TH FEBRUARY 11:00 AM

St. Patrick's Catholic Church,
51-59 Allawah Street, Blacktown

Celebrant: Fr Peter Williams, VG and
clergy of the Diocese of Parramatta

Refreshments available following Mass. For catering purposes, RSVP to:
anne.stanton@parracatholic.org | 02 8838 3456



Catherine McAuley Westmead

Enrolling Now for Year 7 2023



Contact the school on 9849 9100 or visit our website for an enrolment pack. Applications close 25th March 2022.

For enrolment criteria please refer to our school website.

Tours of the school campus will be held during Catholic Schools Week 2022
(Tuesday 8th March - Friday 11th March 2022). Visit our school website to book a tour.

Catherine McAuley, 2 Darcy Road, Westmead | www.mcauley.nsw.edu.au

SUPPORT MASS FOR YOU AT HOME

Many people who are isolated, in prison, in hospital or don't have internet rely on Mass for You at Home. The Catholic Mass is broadcast free-to-air each Sunday morning on Channel 10 and WIN at 6am. Find out more at www.massforyou.com.au

PARISH READING ROSTER NEXT WEEK: 22/23 JANUARY 2022

5:30 p.m. Gerard Pinto / Karen Fernandes
 8:00 a.m. Seimi & Ipolito Lasalo || 10:00 a.m. Geoff & Monica Officer



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: Gloria Fisher (Mother of Archbishop Anthony Fisher) | Tailikivaha Katoa | Charles Ratsomana Gomi | Joe & Clare Boulous | Isaac Moses | Salwa Zaiter | Judith-henry | Fr Elias Ayoub | Gretta Charbel | Rita Jabbour | Raymond, Etory & Joe Romanos | Esther Romanos & her family | Carmel & John Estphen | Fayez & Hind Melhem & all deceased of the Melhems | Amie Hassal | 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 | Frank & Ray Malkoun | Badwani & Samiha Frome | Fr. Rizcullah Coorey | Patricia Coorey | Chrisinta Namtallah Coorey | Nicholas | All those who died recently | Holy Souls in Purgatory especially for those who have no one praying for them

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

Special Intention: Sidney | Kimberley Imbun

To our parishioners who would like to request for a home or hospital visit for the sick, please call the parish office on (02) 8863 8801 or email harrisark@parracatholic.org. For mass offerings or special intentions, please use

ANNUAL LEGAL RED MASS: 3 FEBRUARY 2022

The Annual Red Mass, which gives thanks for the work of those who serve the law, will be held on Thursday 3 February at St Patrick's Cathedral at 7pm, followed by a light supper. It is also an opportunity to reaffirm a commitment to justice and faith. For catering purposes, please confirm your attendance by emailing mili@stpatscathedral.com.au or by phone to (02) 8839 8400.

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.

VINNIES SUPPORT CENTRES ARE STILL AVAILABLE TO THOSE IN NEED.

St Vincent de Paul Support Centres across Greater Sydney are still available and taking calls to arrange for food vouchers or other items to be provided to those in need. If you need assistance, call the Support Centres in Blacktown on (02) 8861 9777, Harris Park on (02) 8861 9757 and Penrith on (02) 8861 9770. To find out more about what support is available, visit <http://vinnies.org.au/covidsupportnsw>

Please observe the following COVID-19 regulations:

✦ **Wear a mask**

Masks are required to be worn in all indoor settings, including places of worship.

✦ **Check-In with the QR Code**

Check-in using the NSW QR Code and record keeping of all attendees are still required for places of worship and remain important for NSW Health contact tracing.

✦ **2 square metre rule per person**

From 27 December, density limits of 1 person per 2 sqm will apply.

✦ **Use hand sanitiser**

✦ **Other Measures**

In an effort to slow the spread of the COVID-19 virus, please consider -

- Discouraging congregational singing (Singing is permitted only while wearing a mask.); and
- Limiting social gatherings before and after mass where possible.

STAY UP TO DATE BY FOLLOWING US ON FACEBOOK

We have created a Facebook page to let you know about changes to Mass times and upcoming events in our parish. Simply search for "[St Oliver Plunkett's - Harris Park, NSW, Australia](https://www.facebook.com/StOliverPlunkett's-HarrisPark-NSW-Australia)" and click 'Follow'. This will ensure that you will see any updates as we make them.

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...

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.

