



St. Oliver Plunkett Parish

HARRIS PARK



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7 August 2022 - Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

SACRAMENTS @ ST OLIVER'S

Reconciliation, Baptism, Confirmation, First Holy Communion, 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.
 Wednesday 8:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

Look to your covenant, O Lord,
 and forget not the life of your poor ones for ever.
 Arise, O God, and defend your cause,
 And forget not the cries of those who seek you.
 Cf. Psalm 73:20, 19, 22, 23

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

O Jerusalem, glorify the Lord,
 who gives you your fill of finest wheat.
 Psalm 147:12, 14

Join our City2Surf #Active4Vocations team

On Saturday 14 August 2022, a group of our Holy Spirit Seminarians, deacons, priests, and community members will be getting **#Active4Vocations in our City2Surf team**. With the aim of raising awareness for Catholic vocations and funds for our Holy Spirit Seminarians' education and formation, our team will walk, stroll, jog, and run the iconic 14km journey from Sydney to Bondi Beach. They're calling on parties of parishioners from our faith community to accompany them – either by **joining our team**, **sponsoring them**, or cheering them on through prayers of support.

Join our City2Surf #Active4Vocations team, or spur our seminarians, deacons, and priests on with a **donation**.



SOLEMNITY OF THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY: 15 AUGUST

Monday, the 15th of August is the feast of the **Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary** and is a **holy day of obligation in Australia for all Catholics**. There will be an extra mass at St Oliver's at 6 pm on the day.



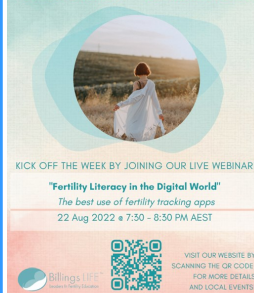
FOR WYD23 Express Interest now:

The Diocese of Parramatta invites young people across Western Sydney and the Blue Mountains to join them on its official pilgrimage to the 16th International World Youth Day in Lisbon, Portugal, in August 2023 (21 July to 11 August 2023) and will include visits to France, Spain and Portugal before a time of retreat in Assisi, Italy. All young people are invited to our official launch event on 18 August. To register for the launch event and to express your interest, visit parrawyd.org



NATURAL FERTILITY AWARENESS WEEK

22 - 28 AUG 2022
 FERTILITY LITERACY - GET THE KNOW HOW



Billings LIFE are presenting a **free webinar** entitled **"Fertility Literacy in the Digital World ~ the best use of fertility tracking apps"** on Monday 22nd August at 7.30pm AEST. Presenters from Australia, Mexico and NZ will review 3 fertility tracking apps. See the Billings LIFE website or Facebook page for details and registration.
 website: <https://www.billings.life/en/>
 Facebook: <https://fb.me/e/10MLh9IHI>

PARISH READING ROSTER NEXT WEEK: 13/14 AUGUST

Saturday 5:30 p.m. **Andree Nenkam / Karen Fernandes**
 Sunday 8:00 a.m. **Seini & Ipolito Lasalo || 10 a.m. Natasha Joseph / Patricia Armao**



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 & Clare Boulous | Isaac Moses | Candida Irugalbandara | Reggie & May Perumal | Xavier & Clara Fernando | Felix & Rosita Fernando | John & Triponie Pasangha | Magdelene Miranda | Alberto Francia | Emiliana Rodriguez | Hasna & Morris Takchi | Gabriella Wehbe | Namtallah & Patrick Malkoun | Frank & Ray Malkoun | Romanos Malkoun | Samiha Frome | Deceased members of Coorey, Budwee, Norman & Nicholas Families | Rizcullah & Patricia Coorey | Jeanette Coorey | Maurice & Antoinette Coorey | Nicholas & Queenie Nicholas | Namtallah & Christine Coorey | David (Dib) & Theresia Romanos | Romanos Family | Tony & Samira Abood & their Family | Fred Betros Family | Constanton Family | All those who died recently | Holy Souls in Purgatory especially for those who have no one praying for them

Anniversary: Lena Andrade

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

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 harrisparish@parracatholic.org. For mass offerings or special intentions, please use the envelopes provided at the church foyer.

ST. OLIVERS MORNING TEA

St. Olivers Morning tea will be held on Sunday August 7 after the 10am mass. Please join for a coffee and some community time. We're also celebrating the Birthdays in August.



Thank you!

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POSITIONS VACANT:

- Administration Support – Office for Worship, Mission Enhancement Team, Diocese of Parramatta – **Applications close 10pm Monday 8 August.**
 - ICT Service Desk Analyst (full-time, 6-12 initial contract) – Diocese of Parramatta – **Applications close 10pm Sunday 14 August.**
 - Credo Youth Groups Coordinator – St Patrick's Cathedral Parish, Parramatta – **Applications close Friday 19 August at 5pm.**
 - Accounts Officer – Diocese of Parramatta – **Applications close 10pm Sunday 21 August 2022.**
 - Chaplaincy Coordinator – CatholicCare Western Sydney and the Blue Mountains – **Applications close 10pm Sunday 28 August**
- More details at: parracatholic.org/employment
- Personal Assistant, Sisters of Mercy Parramatta. Full-time, 12-month position and based at Parramatta. Please contact Anthony Spata at REACH Human Resources for further information on **0402 210 055.**

KELLYVILLE PARISH 10TH ANNUAL ASSUMPTION WALK: 15 AUGUST

Join Our Lady of the Rosary Parish, Kellyville's 10th Annual Assumption Walk from the Shrine of the Holy Innocents, Kellyville, to St Patrick's Cathedral, Parramatta on Monday 15 August. There will be Holy Mass at the Shrine at 11.30am and the walk begins at 1pm sharp. You may join the walk at any point. Banners and statues are welcome. Register your interest at admin@olorparishkellyville.org.au or call (02) 9629 2595 for catering purposes at the stops along the way.

PEACE, JUSTICE & ECOLOGY SHARING: 10 AUGUST

"Peace, Justice & Ecology Sharings" are quarterly online gatherings for everyone who is interested in Social Justice, Care for Creation or Global Peace. They are an opportunity to connect, meet like-minded people, find out and discuss what is currently happening in the Peace, Justice & Ecology space. You are invited to join the conversation on Wednesday 10 August from 6:30pm to 8pm. To receive a Zoom link, please RSVP to sebastian.salaske-lentern@parracatholic.org

Caritas Australia: Make Hunger History Appeal

Your generous donation means our partners in countries like Ethiopia, Kenya, Somalia, South Sudan and Eritrea can respond quickly to support vulnerable communities during this food crisis.



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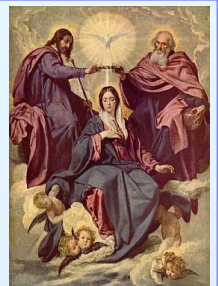
ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

In the spirit of reconciliation, we acknowledge the traditional custodians of the lands in which the Diocese of Parramatta sits, the land of the Darug and Gundungurra people.

We would like to pay our respects to the Aboriginal Elders past, present and future for they hold the traditions, memories and wisdom of Mother Earth on which we place our feet upon today.

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.