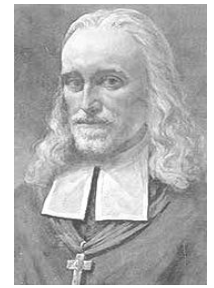




# St. Oliver Plunkett Parish

## HARRIS PARK



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*A warm, welcoming space for all to worship and experience the love of God*

### 16 October 2022 - Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### 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.

#### 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 from 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.

#### NOVEMBER MASS OFFERINGS

Next month, in November, all masses celebrated at St Oliver's will be offered for all those who have died, especially for those our parishioners have asked to be remembered. **This will begin on Tuesday, 1st of November, All Saints' Day.**



You may start submitting the names of your departed loved ones for their names to be entered in our parish's Book of Life (né Book of the Dead). This book of remembrance will be placed at the altar during all masses in the month of November.

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 Life regardless of the donation you make or not make.

A special mass will be celebrated on All Souls' Day, 2nd of November at 7 pm at St Oliver's.

#### DIOCESE OF PARRAMATTA WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS: 30 OCTOBER

The annual Wedding Anniversary Mass will be held on Sunday 30 October at 11am at St Patrick's Cathedral, Parramatta. Please register your name, years of marriage and numbers attending at [marriage@parracatholic.org](mailto:marriage@parracatholic.org) by 21 October.

#### ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

To you I call; for you will surely heed me, O God;  
 turn your ear to me; hear my words.  
 Guard me as the apple of your eye;  
 in the shadow of your wings protect me.  
 Cf. Psalm 16:6, 8

#### COMMUNION ANTIPHON

The Son of Man has come  
 To give his life as a ransom for many.  
 Mark 10:45

#### ROUSE HILL PARISH MASS OF DEPOSITING OF ST FAUSTINA AND ST JOHN PAUL II RELICS: 22 OCTOBER

Our Lady of the Angels Parish, Rouse Hill, will be celebrating Mass for the Deposition of the first-degree Relics of St Faustina and St John Paul II on Saturday 22 October, the Feast of St John Paul II, at 5.30pm, with celebrations to begin with prayers at 4.30pm. The relics will be enshrined in a special chapel within the parish and will be kept on permanent display for veneration. All are invited to join in this joyful celebration.



#### **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.

#### PARISH READING ROSTER NEXT WEEK: 22/23 OCTOBER

Saturday 5:30 p.m. Gerard Pinto / Daisy D'Souza

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:** Lesina Kalauta | Fr Tupou Ma'afu | Fr Penisimani Folaumoetu'i | Sitani Paulo | Abraham, Yolanda, Artemio, Augustus & Rebecca Patacsil | Donald Muir | Flory Fernandes | Amado T. Monis | Reynalda C. Monis | Melanie M. Perez | Joe & Clare Boulous | Isaac Moses | 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

**Sick:** Bernadette Tuamáu | Maria Lipeć | All the Sick especially those who are sick in our parish community

**Anniversary:** Olivia Pinto | Peter Saldhana

**Thanksgiving:** Roshan Royan (birthday) | Ipolito Lasalo (birthday) | Jonathan Perumal (21<sup>st</sup> birthday)

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](mailto:harrisark@parracatholic.org). For mass offerings or special intentions, please use the envelopes provided at the church foyer.

**ONE MILLION CHILDREN PRAYING THE ROSARY CAN CHANGE THE WORLD**

Aid to the Church in Need (ACN) is once again inviting parishes, kindergartens, schools and families to join in the annual prayer initiative "A million children praying the Rosary," which will take place on **18 October**. The purpose of this prayer campaign is to ask for peace and unity throughout the world, while encouraging children and young people to trust in God during difficult times.



To register and participate visit [www.aidtochurch.org/onemillionchildren](http://www.aidtochurch.org/onemillionchildren)

The ACN webpage offers free materials for those praying in parishes, schools, children's groups and families. The online information packs are available, together with colouring pictures, in 26 different languages. Please download at: <http://www.acninternational.org/millionchildrenpraying/material/>

**PARRAMATTA MARIST BICENTENNIAL CELEBRATIONS: 28 OCTOBER**

Parramatta Marist High School, Westmead, warmly invites all Old Boys and former staff to join them on Friday 28 October at the school from 6.30pm to 11pm to celebrate 200 years of continuous Catholic schooling. Tickets are \$40pp and are available at [www.parramarist.catholic.edu.au](http://www.parramarist.catholic.edu.au)

**GLENBROOK PARISH CONVERSATION WITH THE HOLY SPIRIT SEMINARY: 21 OCTOBER**

St Finbar's Parish Glenbrook invites you to attend an evening of conversation with Fr Paul Marshall, Fr John Frauenfelder and the seminarians of the Diocesan Holy Spirit Seminary on Friday 21 October at 7pm at the parish centre. Hear from the team about how the seminarians are formed, what they study and their vision of priestly ministry. To RSVP, please email [secretary@stfinbars.org.au](mailto:secretary@stfinbars.org.au)

**OFFICE FOR SAFEGUARDING SPRING TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES**

The Office for Safeguarding is offering a range of opportunities to complete your Safeguarding training this spring.

- Full-day training session on Monday 17 October from 9.30am to 2.30pm at the Bishop Bede Heather Centre, Blacktown
- Weekly training sessions on Monday 24 and 31 October and Monday 7 November from 10am to 11.30am at St Andrew the Apostle Parish, Marayong.

Full-day training session on Saturday 29 October from 10am to 3pm at St Matthew's Parish, Windsor. To register for one of these options, please email [safeguardingtraining@parracatholic.org](mailto:safeguardingtraining@parracatholic.org)

**POSITIONS VACANT**

- Project Coordinator (part-time) – Catholic Youth Parramatta, Diocese of Parramatta – Applications close 10pm Monday 7 November. More details at: [parracatholic.org/employment](http://parracatholic.org/employment)



**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 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.