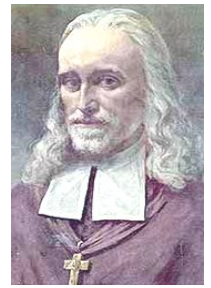


St. Oliver Plunkett Parish

HARRIS PARK



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

22 October 2023 - 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. - 12:30 p.m.

SACRAMENTS @ ST OLIVER'S

Reconciliation, Baptism, Confirmation, First Holy Communion, Marriage and Funerals. Please ring or email the parish office for assistance.

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

Beginning with All Saints' Day on Wednesday, the 1st of November, all masses celebrated at St Oliver's in November will be offered for all those who have died. The names of the deceased will not be published in the bulletin during the month of November.

As has been customary for our parish, there will be a book of remembrance which will be placed at the altar during all masses in November.

Please use the November mass offering envelopes to submit the names of your departed loved ones that you would like to be entered in the Book of Life.

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 7:30 pm at St Oliver's.

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

MASS AND PRAYERS FOR DECEASED CLERGY: 17 NOVEMBER

The Diocese of Parramatta invites you to its second annual Mass for our deceased clergy on Friday 17 November at 10.30am at St Aidan's Parish, Rooty Hill, followed by prayers at the gravesites of clergy buried in Pinegrove Cemetery. All are welcome to attend and give your gift of prayer to those whose lives were dedicated to bringing us all closer to Christ.



SOUL FOOD PODCAST – MISSION ENHANCEMENT TEAM

Do you find life & faith inspiration by listening to the experiences of others?

The Mission Enhancement Team's *Soul Food Podcast* features life & faith stories of people from our diocesan family. Listen now for FREE via our web site or on Spotify: <https://pfparra.org.au/soulfood/>

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: 28/29 OCTOBER 2023

Saturday 5:30 p.m. Jackie Perumal / Jim Hanna

Sunday 8:00 a.m. Katherine Katrib / Victoria Micalizzi || 10:00 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: Sayed Doueih | Salomon Frangie | John & Tripony Pasangha, Reggie & May Perumal, Clement Fernando, Quintus Fernando, Rita Fernando, Choksy & Froshy Pasangha, Arokiamaal Fernando | Joe Boulous | Clare Boulous | Isaac Moses | Arthur Saad | Rizcullah & Patricia Coorey & children Jeanette, Veronica & Kevin; Queenie & Nicholas Nicholas; Maurice & Antoinette Coorey, Namtullah & Christine Coorey; All deceased members of the Coorey, Budwee, Norman & Nicholas families | Namtallah & Patrick Malkoun | Frank & Ray Malkoun | Romanos Malkoun | Samiha Frome | Artemio, Abraham, Augustus, Rebecca & Tranquilina Patacsil, Yolanda & Donald Muir | David (Dib) & Theresia Romanos | Romanos Family | Pamela Romanos | Evelyn Betros | Tony & Samira Abood & their Family | Fred Betros Family | Constanton Family | All those who died recently, especially those who used to be part of this parish community as parishioners or relations of our parishioners | Holy Souls in Purgatory especially for those who have no one praying for them

Sick: Rachael Sumagui | Virginia, Agnes, Napoleon, Jorge, Manuel & Joaquin Patacsil | Elizabeth & Michael Perez | Naty Degamo & Maria Aurora Degamo | Erwin Ayuste | All the Sick especially those who are sick in our parish community

Thanksgiving: Roshan Benjamin Royan

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 harrisparke@parracatholic.org. You may use the envelopes provided at the church foyer for mass offerings or special intentions.

PARRAMATTA STREET FEAST: 11 NOVEMBER

You are invited to the Parramatta Street Feast, Saturday 11 November 2023. Come and share a meal, company and entertainment with members of our community who are on the margins of society. This free event will be held in a spirit of solidarity and friendship at the Cloister Hall, St Patrick's Cathedral, Parramatta, 10:30AM to 1:30PM. The Street Feast is a collaboration between the Diocese of Parramatta, PAYCE Foundation, Paynter Dixon and St. Merkorious Charity.

CAMPION COLLEGE FESTIVAL: 28 OCTOBER

Campion College invites the local community to attend its inaugural Campion College Festival, which will be held on Sunday 28 October from 10am to 4pm at the college grounds in Toongabbie. Entry is free with a range of activities including food trucks, children's rides, campus tours, showbags and a second-hand book sale. All proceeds will go towards the Campion College Scholarship Fund. For more information, please visit campion.edu.au/festival

DONATE TO CARITAS AUSTRALIA'S GAZA APPEAL.

Following a series of surprise attacks against Israel by Hamas in early October, Caritas Australia is supporting partner agencies on the ground to provide emergency cash, shelter, and psychosocial support to those affected by the violence. The efforts of these partner agencies are expected to support 17,000 displaced families, representing around 100,000 of the 1 million people displaced. To support Caritas Australia's Gaza Appeal, visit www.caritas.org.au/donate/emergency-appeals/gaza-crisis/ or call 1800 024 413 toll free.

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.



BISHOP VINCENT PRESENTS CHRISTOPHER WHITE: 9 NOVEMBER

Vatican correspondent and Pope Francis expert Christopher White is coming to the Diocese of Parramatta as part of the Diocese of Parramatta's 'Bishop Vincent Presents' series. His public lecture "Will our faith have children? Reflections on the health and dynamism of global Catholicism after the October 2023 Synod on Synodality" will be held in Parramatta on Thursday 9 November at Our Lady of Mercy College, Parramatta from 6pm. Places are strictly limited, so register today at <https://parracatholic.org/christopherwhite/>

125th ANNIVERSARY CATHEDRAL ORGAN

CONCERT: 12 NOVEMBER. "St. Patrick's Cathedral Organists, Choir and Guest Performers will present an array of performances at a Gala Concert to celebrate the 125th anniversary of St. Patrick's Cathedral. The Concert will be held on Sunday 12 November, 2023 from 3pm at St. Patrick's Cathedral. Tickets can be purchased via this link <https://www.trybooking.com/CLUFN> or at the door. For more information contact Hannah.portelli@parracatholic.org "

TABLE TALK
WITH PEOPLE SEEKING ASYLUM

Join us for an evening of gathering together as a community in conversation with people seeking asylum. We will hear from people with lived experience, reflect on our own values and see how we can be part of a positive change.

Cloister Hall,
 St Patrick's Cathedral
 1 Marist Pl, Parramatta

7PM - 9PM
 WED 8 NOV 2023

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POSITION VACANT:

Communications Manager – Diocese of Parramatta
 Applications close 10pm on Wednesday, 1 November 2023.
 More details at: parracatholic.org/employment