



St. Oliver Plunkett Parish

HARRIS PARK



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

21 April 2024 - Fourth Sunday of Easter

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

Tuesday to Friday: 7:00 a.m

WEEKEND MASS TIMES

Saturday: Vigil 5:30 pm

Sunday: 8:00 am & 10:00 am

OFFICE HOURS: Tuesday & Friday 10:00 am. - 3:00 pm
Wednesday 8:00 am - 12:30 pm

SACRAMENTS @ ST OLIVER'S

For Baptism, Reconciliation, First Holy Communion, Confirmation, 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.

Message from Mary Armao

St. Olivers Morning Tea – 21 April

Our next Morning Tea will be organised by **Floria and Manuel** and will be held this Sunday 21 April following the 10am mass. We will celebrate April Birthdays. It would be appreciated if you can bring a plate to share. Thank you!
From the Morning Tea Team



DIOCESAN PENTECOST SCRIPTURE REFLECTION EVENING: 15 MAY

What does the Holy Spirit look like in your life? How can Scripture stretch our imagination when comes to Pentecost and the Holy Spirit? Register for the Diocesan Pentecost Scripture Reflection Evening with Dr Michele Connolly rsj on Wednesday 15 May 2024 – 6:30PM to 8:30pm. RSVP via QR or get in touch with the team via met@parracatholic.org



SCAN ME

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.



ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

The merciful love of the Lord fills the earth;
by the word of the Lord the heavens were made,
alleluia.

Cf. Psalm 32:5-6

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

The Good Shepherd has risen,
who laid down his life for his sheep
and willingly died for his flock, alleluia.

BISHOP'S GOOD SHEPHERD APPEAL FOR OUR HOLY SPIRIT SEMINARIANS



Will you support our seminarians to "go out into the deep" and serve?

Your compassionate generosity and prayers will

help our future priests cast their nets wide to nurture faith and meet the spiritual and pastoral needs of our community. Please give generously to the Bishop's Good Shepherd Appeal at your-catholicfoundation.org.au/appeal or scan this QR code. Thank you.



ANZAC DAY

Let Us Forget



Please Note: There will be a special mass on ANZAC DAY, 25 April, Thursday, at 9 am at St Oliver's.

NEXT PARISH READING ROSTER: 27/28 APRIL

Saturday 5:30 pm **Gerard Pinto / Olivia Estibeiro**

Sunday 8:00 am **Anthony Melham / Katherine Katrib** || 10:00 am **Floria Mascarenhas / Natasha Joseph**



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.

Recently Deceased: Iranie Perumal | All those who died recently, especially those who used to be part of this parish community as parishioners or relations of our parishioners

Deceased: Dominique & Theresa | Rachael Sumagui, Artemio, Abraham, Augustus, Rebecca & Tranquilina Patacsil, Yolanda & Donald Muir | Rizcullah & Patricia Coorey & family; Jabour & Doura Nicholas: Queenie & Nicholas Nicholas; Namtullah & Christine Coorey; All deceased members of the Nicholas, Coorey, Budwee and Norman families | Joe Boulous | Clare Boulous | Isaac & Ruby Moses | Namtallah & Patrick Malkoun | Frank & Ray Malkoun | Romanos Malkoun | Samiha Frome | David (Dib) & Theresia Romanos | Romanos Family | Pamela Romanos | Evelyn Betros | Tony & Samira Abood & their Family | Fred Betros Family | Constanton Family | All Holy Souls in Purgatory especially for those who have no one praying for them

Anniversary: For all those whose anniversaries occur around this time

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

Special Intention: John Patacsil | For all our special intentions and for those who have asked us for prayers

Thanksgiving: For all our blessings and prayers for thanksgiving

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. For mass offerings or special inten-



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BISHOP OF PARRAMATTA, CORDIALLY INVITES YOU
TO THE ORDINATION TO THE DIACONATE MASS FOR

Mr Menard Gaspi

SATURDAY 11 MAY 2024, 6PM
VIGIL MASS OF THE SOLEMNITY OF THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

ST JOHN XXIII PARISH, STANHOPE GARDENS

2024 Holy Hours for Vocations

Please join us across the Diocese to pray for more vocations to the priesthood.

DATE	TIME	PARISH	PRIEST
19 April 2024	7pm-8pm	St. John XXIII Parish - 160 Perfection Ave, Stanhope Gardens NSW 2768	Fr. Galbert Albino
17 May 2024	7pm-8pm	St. Thomas Aquinas Parish - 168 Hawkesbury Rd, Springwood NSW 2777	Fr. Chris Del Rosario
21 June 2024	7pm-8pm	St. Anthony of Padua Parish - 27-33 Aurelia St, Toongabbie NSW 2146	Fr. Matthew Dimian
19 July 2024	6:30pm-7:20pm followed by Holy Mass at 7:30pm	Mary, Queen of the Family Parish - 51-59 Allawah St, Quakers Hill, NSW 2148	Fr. Tom Green
16 August 2024	7pm-8pm	St. Bernadette's Parish - 367 Old Northern Rd, Castle Hill NSW 2154	Fr. Matthew Dimian
20 September 2024	7pm-8pm	Mary Immaculate Parish - 125 Barrier Dr, Quakers Hill, NSW 2163	Fr. Galbert Albino
18 October 2024	6pm-7pm followed by Holy Mass	St. Aidan's Parish - 9 Adelaide St, Rooty Hill, NSW 2766	Fr. Galbert Albino
15 November 2024	7pm-8pm	St. Patrick's Cathedral - 1 Marist Pl, Parramatta, NSW 2150	Fr. Tom Green

If you are interested in becoming a priest or would like more information, please contact our Director for Priestly Vocations, Fr Galbert Albino. T: 02 4773 4321 M: 0450 821 812 EMAIL: galbert.albino@parracatholic.org

PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES for 2024-2025

Please collect your planned giving envelopes or let us know if you prefer another way of donating and would like to discontinue participating in the program. Many thanks and God bless you generously for your continuing support.

Please contact the parish office on (02) 8863 8801 or email harrisparke@parracatholic.org for more information.



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.

WORKS TO BE DONE AT ST OLIVER'S SCHOOL PLAYGROUND

Please be informed that the school is having a number of works to be done on the playground over the school holidays. They are having three trees removed, new ground laid and new turf placed in some areas. The first of these jobs is starting on the first day of the holidays, Monday 15th April. As there is no certainty that all jobs will be completed on time (also pending the weather), the grounds will not be available for parking on 20/21 April, and 27/28 April. Please also note that cars will no longer be able to park where the new turf is being laid for the students. The Principal, Pascale Rone, has asked to "Please pass on our sincere thanks to the parishioners for their understanding. We apologise in advance for any inconvenience caused."