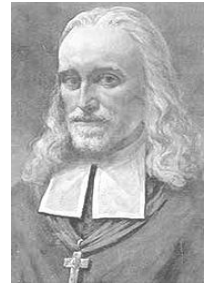




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HARRIS PARK



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18 October 2020 - Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

SACRAMENTS @ ST OLIVER'S

Reconciliation, Baptism, Marriage and Funerals, RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

Baptisms, Funerals and Weddings are allowed to take place under strict government guidelines with regards to social distancing (at least 4 square metres of space for each person is observed), hygiene (hand sanitising) and registering names and contact details.

Reconciliation: by appointment or 4 pm Saturday

COVID-19 (CORONAVIRUS) REMINDERS

Parishioners are reminded to continue to practice hand sanitising, hygiene and physical distancing measures. Please stay at home or seek medical advice if you are feeling unwell or have been in contact with anyone that is either a suspected or confirmed case of COVID-19.

LIVESTREAMED MASSES

Livestreamed Masses from across the Diocese of Parramatta are still available on the Diocesan website <https://www.parracatholic.org/covid19/#online>.

DISPENSATION: From the Fourth Sunday of Lent (Sunday 22nd March 2020), Catholics in the Diocese of Parramatta are dispensed from their Sunday Mass obligations until further notice (Canon 1248 §2 and Catechism 2181)

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

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...

PRAYER FOR SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.



HAIL HOLY QUEEN

Hail, holy queen, mother of mercy, 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.

PARISH READING ROSTER FOR NEXT WEEK: 24/25 OCTOBER

Saturday 5:30 pm **Maria Lawton / Stuart Walker**
 Sunday 8:00 am **Seini & Ipolito Lasalo**
 Sunday 10:00 am **Seminarians**



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: Ricardo Javier | Maree Hyland | Jeanette Rogers | Nora Palacio | Keith Gray | Anthony Amaiatico | John Langtry | Jeanette Coorey | Queenie Nicholas | Maurice Coorey | Christine Coorey | Coorey, Budwee, Norman & Nicholas Families | David (Dib) & Theresia Romanos | Romanos Family | Tony & Samira Abood & their Family | Fred Betros Family Constanton Family | Namtallah & Patrick Malkoun | Ray Malkoun | Samiha Frome | Mamma Lena | Maria Luu Thi Muoi | Peter Nguyen The Ngoc | Maria Cao Thi Trang | Dominic Nguyen Hoang Thach | All those who died recently | Holy Souls in Purgatory especially for those who have no one praying for them

Anniversary: Neil Fernandes | George Adib Lattouf

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

Thanksgiving: Lenley | Sidney Imbun

Please call (02) 8863 8801 or email: harrisark@parracatholic.org if you have any request for mass offerings or home/hospital visit for the sick.

CALL FOR NOMINATIONS TO DIOCESAN PASTORAL COUNCIL

Bishop Vincent Long OFM Conv is calling for nominations to the Diocesan Pastoral Council. Parishioners are invited to nominate themselves or others. Nominations require the assent of the person being nominated, who needs to fill out the nomination form. In addition, a nomination also requires the endorsement of the person's parish priest or another priest ministering in the diocese. Completed nominations are to be returned to the Pastoral Planning Office, Diocese of Parramatta Bethany Centre, 470 Church St, Parramatta NSW 2150. Nominations close on **Monday, 2nd November 2020.**

All nominees are asked to set aside time on Saturday, 21st November 2020 from 9.30 am to mid-afternoon. This will be the initial formation session for those nominees appointed to the Diocesan Pastoral Council.

More information and nomination form are available from the Diocesan website: parracatholic.org/advisorycouncils. Please contact Richard McMahon via email at richard.mcmahon@parracatholic.org or 0437 497 526 if you have any questions.



Support this year's Year 12 students who have faced such a challenging year.

Please Join and share the link to this event: This Sunday evening **18 October at 8pm**, via [Catholic Youth Parramatta's Facebook page](#), Bishop Vincent and a small team will be hosting a livestream event on **Facebook – HSC 2020 LIFTED Special.**

The livestream event will feature messages of support from Year 6 students and clergy, music, scripture, appearances by some Year 12 graduates, and a reflection and blessing from Bishop Vincent over a 25-minute period.

NOVEMBER MASS OFFERING ENVELOPES

The envelopes for the masses for holy souls in November are now available.

Please use these envelopes for mass offerings in November for your departed loved ones for their names to be entered in our annual Book of the Dead.



2021 COLUMBAN ART CALENDAR

An Order Form has been placed in the church foyer for those wishing to purchase a 2021 Columban Art Calendar this year. The cost per calendar is \$6. Simply write down your details (name, address and contact number), and leave your payment in the petty cash box next to the order form.

The order will be processed during the week and your calendar will be placed in an envelope ready for collection the following week.

CATHOLIC ENGAGED ENCOUNTER WEEKEND: 7 – 8 NOVEMBER

How prepared are you for marriage? Engaged Encounter provides you with deeper insights into each other and into married life. We give you a chance to spend time together to strengthen and enrich your relationship. The next Engaged Encounter Weekend will be held on 7 – 8 November at St Joseph's Baulkham Hills. For further information and to register, visit www.engagedencounter.org.au/

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.

MASKS ARE NOW HIGHLY RECOMMENDED TO BE WORN AT ALL MASSES

On consideration of the most recent NSW Health advice, the Diocese of Parramatta highly recommends all worshippers at Masses in the Diocese to wear a mask to, during and from Mass and other services.

We sincerely thank you for understanding and for playing your part in keeping our community safe.

Due to COVID-19, please take this bulletin with you or dispose of it in the rubbish bin when leaving the church. Please do not put it back in the pile. Thank you for helping keep everyone safe.