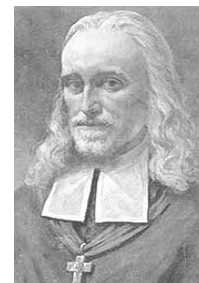




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15 November 2020 - Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

The Lord said: I think thoughts of peace and not of affliction. You will call upon me, and I will answer you, and I will lead back your captives from every place.

Jeremiah 29:11, 12, 14

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

To be near God is my happiness, to place my hope in God the Lord.

Psalms 72:28

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: 21/22 NOVEMBER

Saturday 5:30 pm **Tram Nguyen / Jim Hanna**

Sunday 8:00 am **Anne Haddad / Joseph Karam**

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.

In November, the Church remembers all those who have died. All Mass Intentions for the Deceased will be entered in the Book of Life and will be offered for the whole month of November.

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

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.

NOVEMBER MASS OFFERINGS

In November the Church remembers all those who have died. At St Oliver's every mass celebrated in this Church during the month of November will be offered for all those who have died, especially those whom our parishioners have asked to be remembered.



The November mass offering envelopes are available for you to write down the names of your departed loved ones which will then be entered in our parish's Book of Life (né Book of the Dead).

This book of remembrance will have the names of those that you have requested prayers for and will be placed at the altar during all masses in November.

This began on Sunday, 1st of November, All Saints' Day.

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.

BISHOP'S CHRISTMAS APPEAL



This Christmas, let us unite in demonstrating God's unconditional love and keep families together.

Your compassionate gifts and prayers will help CatholicCare's

Project Elizabeth to support vulnerable families to build strong, loving relationships.

You can help give people the emotional and practical support they need to live their lives in love and joy.

Please give generously to the Bishop's Christmas Appeal: yourcatholicfoundation.org.au/appeal

REIGNITE THE FLAME OF PLENARY COUNCIL | Reflection & Action Session:

Meet our Plenary Delegates | Hear the Good News as Plenary comes to life in our Diocese | Share Suggested Actions to Plenary Proposals

You are warmly invited to attend the Session being held on **Thursday, 19th November from 7.00 pm to 8.30 pm via ZOOM**. Register at <https://dioceseofparramatta.zoom.us/j/94441516806>

To prepare for this session, please familiarise yourself with the *Writing Paper*. The Inclusive, Participatory and Synodal full version Thematic Paper can be accessed at <https://plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au/wp-content/uploads/2020/05/PC2020-thematic-papers-2.pdf>

Opportunities to engage with other writing papers will be offered in coming weeks. For further information call Tanya on 0459 133 665.

Be part of the historic journey of the Plenary Council.

REGISTER NOW FOR ROSIE'S LIFTED FAREWELL

As announced last week by *Catholic Outlook*, Catholic Youth Parramatta's Assistant Director Rosie Drum will be departing the Diocese of Parramatta, along with her Missionaries of God's Love community. To celebrate her wonderful six-and-a-half years at CYP, you are invited to a LIFTED-style farewell gathering.

The event will be held on **Friday 11 December from 7pm at The William Inglis Hotel, 155 Governor Macquarie Drive, Warwick Farm**. Registration is \$60 per person, which includes a three-course meal.

Please note:

- This is a seated event at tables
- Full COVID-safe practices will be enforced by the William Inglis
- Attendance is for those 18+
- Limited availability. Book quickly. Terms & Conditions apply

Online registration and payment is required by **Friday 27 November**

For more information, and to register, please visit parracatholic.org/lifted-live-the-farewell-feat-rosie-drum-mgl/

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