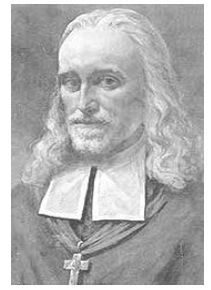




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HARRIS PARK



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25 April 2021 - Fourth Sunday of Easter

SACRAMENTS @ ST OLIVER'S

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

For Baptisms, Funerals and Weddings, please ring or email the parish office for assistance.

Reconciliation: by appointment or 4 pm Saturday

DISPENSATION: As a reminder, Catholics from the Diocese of Parramatta are dispensed from their Sunday Mass obligation until further notice (Canon 1247, Canons 85 and 87, and Catechism of the Catholic Church 2180-2188).

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

Monday to Friday: *7:00 am

WEEKEND MASS TIMES

Saturday: Vigil 5:30 pm

Sunday: 8:00 am & 10:00 am

OFFICE HOURS: Tuesday & Friday 9:00 am - 2:00 pm
**For the 7 am mass, please use the side door access from the seminary. Please sanitise your hands and register your details as soon as you enter the church.*

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.



25 APRIL 2021: ANZAC DAY

This time last year, some people in the community marked this day of commemoration at home, in their driveways, front doors or on balconies, in the face of the Coronavirus pandemic. This year, public commemorations will go ahead, although restricted by strict COVID safety guidelines.

Let us remember the fallen, those they fought against and the few enduring servicemen and women from that war who are still with us today.

Lest we forget.

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...

'THE WELL' OFFERS NEW REFRESHMENT IN 2021

'The Well' is back in 2021. The team are hoping to drip-feed new and relatable content every 72 hours that supports your ministry with family, friends, students, colleagues and strangers. To be nourished by amazing Catholic resources from our local ministries and agencies, visit www.thewell.org.au

PARISH READING ROSTER FOR NEXT WEEK: 1/2 MAY 2021

Saturday 5:30 pm **Stuart Walker / Gerard Pinto**

Sunday 8:00 am **Seini & Ipolito Lasalo** ||

10:00 am **Geoff Officer / Seminarian**



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: Cecilia Decena | Dason Konne | Rina S Mapua | Mary Moses | Stonewigg Sirigai | Cecelia Moras | Joe & Clare Boulous | Gregory Stephen | Coorey, Norman, Nicholas & Budwee Families | Jeanette Coorey | Queenie Nicholas | Maurice & Antoinette Coorey | Christine Coorey | David (Dib) & Theresia Romanos | Romanos Family | Tony & Samira Abood & their Family | Fred Betros Family | Constanton Family | Namtallah & Patrick Malkoun | Ray Malkoun | Samiha Frome | All those who died recently | Holy Souls in Purgatory especially for those who have no one praying for them

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

Thanksgiving: Lynn Imbun | Ashitha, Roshan, Keith, Kiara Royan

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.

POSITIONS VACANT:

•Young Christian Students Worker (full-time) – Parramatta Young Christian Workers – **Applications close Monday 30 April.** More details at: parracatholic.org/employment

VOLUNTEER BOOKKEEPER POSITION: assisting poverty reduction (15 hours per week).



Palms Australia is a Catholic agency who recruits, prepares, sends and supports qualified and experienced Australians to assist communities in Asia, Africa and the Pacific seeking to reduce poverty. This is a great opportunity to make a difference from within their Petersham North office, where a small wonderful and hospitable Palms Australia team will make you feel very welcome. If you know your way around accounting processes, and either looking for experience, or a meaningful retirement, Executive Director, Roger O'Halloran, would love to hear from you. roger@palms.org.au or 9560 5333 in business hours.

SATURDAY SESSIONS

GROW & SHARE FAITH

Watch the presentation & join in the online conversation Saturday 9.15am or Monday 7.15pm

24TH & 26TH APRIL 2021
BISHOP ROBERT BARRON

CATHOLICS, MEDIA MOBS,
AND THE CULTURE OF CONTEMPT



REGISTRATION ESSENTIAL TO ACCESS LINKS



Join with others as we create community online to share and grow faith, each week with Saturday Sessions.

This Week Bishop Robert Barron: "Catholics, Media Mobs, and the Culture of Contempt"

(Approx. 30 minutes) **Register in advance to receive the video link. Watch the video and then join in the conversation by joining in one of the conversation sessions:**

Saturday 24th April, 9.15am – Register in advance at <https://tinyurl.com/SS24042021>

Monday 26th April, 7.15pm – Register in advance at <https://tinyurl.com/SS26042021>

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting and the links to the presentation.

Revisit any of the previous Saturday Sessions at www.thewell.org.au

Coming Up:

1st & 3rd May: Fr Mike Schmitz | What's a Sign from God (and What Isn't)

To read more about Saturday Sessions visit: <https://catholicoutlook.org/saturday-sessions-is-returning-for-2021/?fbclid=IwAR0GNy2Y09ZCKjm2N0xf6POldH64y4z2ZoTa4Ru2tjoQ5yZg007FTHEGd-0>

Send this invitation to your friends, family, community members – invite others to the conversation.

CATHOLICARE BLACKTOWN NEIGHBOURHOOD AID VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Blacktown Neighbour Aid, a program with CatholicCare, is looking for volunteers to support our senior clients in the Blacktown area to remain living independently in their own home. If you feel you would like to make a positive difference to other's lives in this way, please contact the Manager, Deb Woolacott on 0418 114 055 or email deb.woolacott@ccss.org.au.

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.



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