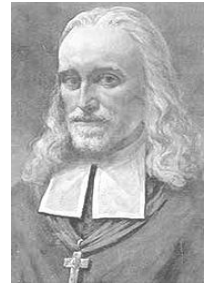




St. Oliver Plunkett Parish

HARRIS PARK



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30 June 2019 - Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Parish Priest: Rev. Chris de Souza PP
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WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

PLEASE NOTE: There will be no weekday masses from the 17th of June. Weekday masses will resume on the 9th of July.

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

SACRAMENTS @ ST OLIVER'S

Reconciliation, : Please contact the parish office to make an appointment.

Baptism, Marriage and Funerals
 Please contact the Parish Office for information and bookings.

Baptism: held every 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month within the mass.

RCIA: Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults
 Thinking about becoming a Catholic? Do you know someone who may be interested in exploring the Catholic faith? Contact the Parish Office for more details on joining the RCIA program.

PLEASE NOTE: 7am Mass will be cancelled from Monday, the 10th of June and it will resume on Monday, the 29th of July.

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

All peoples, clap your hands.
 Cry to God with shouts of joy!

Psalm 46:2

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Bless the Lord, O my soul,
 and all within me, his holy name.

Cf. Psalm 102:1

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...



Reverend Father Robert 'Bob' Sheridan OAM, parish priest, Sacred Heart Parish, Blackheath

Fr Bob, as he prefers to be called, has been awarded a Medal of the Order of Australia (OAM) in the Queen's Birthday 2019 Honours List for service to the Catholic Church of Australia.

Fr Bob will receive his insignia during a ceremony at the NSW Government House later in the year.

PARISH READING ROSTER FOR NEXT WEEK: 6/7 JULY

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| Saturday | 5:30 pm | Jenny Fernandes / Stephen D'Souza |
| Sunday | 8:00 am | Seini & Ipolito Lasalo |
| Sunday | 10:00 am | Seminarians |

THANKS TO OUR VOLUNTEER CLEANERS

Every weekend, a group of kind-hearted people give their time and make a devoted effort to keep our church clean, tidy and beautiful in the spirit of serving God and helping our parish. God bless you always.



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:** Brian Mahony | Francisco Orlando Soares & Family | Justada Conceição Namtallah & Patrick Malkoun | Samiha Frome | Lucia & Regena Faleono Alofaifo Faleono | Rogelia Besana | Jeanette Coorey | Queenie Nicholas | Maurice Coorey | Coorey, Norman, Budwee & Nicholas Families | David (Dib) & Theresia Romanos | Romanos Family | Tony & Samira Abood & their Family | Fred Betros Family | Constanton Family | Cesar Manalo | Holy Souls
- Anniversary:** Habib & Simon Chidiac | David Romanos | Samira Abood
- Thanksgiving:** Benedict | Kaldun Fernandes | Alice
- Sick:** Nisha | Margaret Parmar
- Special Intention:** George Lattouf | Sidney
- Envelopes for Mass Intentions are available at the church or please contact or visit the parish office if you have any request for mass offerings or home/hospital visit for the sick.*



DO NOT FEAR for I am with you

Thank you for supporting this year's Catholic Mission Church Appeal through your kind gifts and prayers, and for reaching out to children and communities in need in Ghana and throughout the world.

Your generosity makes it possible for programs such as the Nazareth Home for God's Children to provide love and support for children rescued from life-threatening situations. Thank you also to so many parishioners who have become monthly giving partners through our Ghana Mission Partners Program.

For more information about the work of Catholic Mission or the Extraordinary Missionary Month in October, please contact our friendly team at the freecall number below, or at catholicmission.org.au/about-us/contact.

Freecall: 1800 257 296 catholicmission.org.au/Ghana

CathWest Innovation College Catholic Education Diocese of Parramatta last year announced a new approach to delivering the very best skills and vocational training for young people in Western Sydney. With this in mind, from 2020, Loyola and McCarthy Catholic Trade Training Centres will become part of CathWest Innovation College, which will offer exciting new options for students in Years 10, 11 and 12. McCarthy Catholic Trade Training Centre in Emu Plains will become the McCarthy campus of CathWest Innovation College, and Loyola in Mount Druiitt will be known as CathWest Innovation College, Loyola campus. Learn more about CathWest Innovation College here: cathwest.parra.catholic.edu.au.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

St Oliver's Parish Harris Park invites you to enrol your child for the Sacrament of Confirmation as the final step for completion of the Sacraments of Initiation. This will take place through a Parish Based and Family Centred process. That means that it is you who do the preparation with your child but we help you with this through a process of guided reflection.

To be eligible for preparation for the Sacrament of Confirmation at this time your child must be **10 years of age by 30th of June 2019** and have made their **Reconciliation and First Eucharist**. While this is the minimum age for children to join in preparation for the Sacrament of Confirmation, it is important to note that there is no maximum age for children who have been baptized as infants to complete their Initiation into our Faith Community.

It is important for you to discern if your child is ready to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation at this time. Please note that preparation is held in conjunction with St Patrick's Cathedral Parramatta.

For further information about registration and preparation for the Sacrament of Confirmation please contact Meg Gale, sacramental coordinator for Parramatta. Please email her at sacrament@stpatscathedral.com.au

Please note the first parent session will be held : Tuesday 23rd July at the Cathedral Hall starting 7:30pm.

HOLY HOUR FOR VOCATIONS: 4 JULY

Youth aged 18 to 35 are invited to join The Sisters of the Holy Family of Nazareth for the Holy Hour for Vocations at the Holy Spirit Convent, Plumpton, on Thursday 4 July at 7pm. Dinner will be served afterwards. RSVP to Sr Paula – vocationscsfn@gmail.com or 0449 656 406.

ADULT CONFIRMATION: 10 SEPTEMBER

Adult Confirmation for 2019 will be held on Tuesday 10 September at St Patrick's Cathedral, Parramatta from 7.30pm. A Catechesis Day for Adult Confirmation will be held of Saturday 31 August from 9.30am to 2pm. Any adult over 16 years wanting to be confirmed please see your Parish Office for information or contact the Office for Worship on 02 8838 3456 or mary-louise.walsh@parracatholic.org

OLMC PARRAMATTA 50 YEAR REUNION: 21 SEPTEMBER

Did you commence Year 7 at OLMC in 1964, or attend any year thereafter, such that you did your HSC in 1969, or your SC in 1967? It's OK if you left before your exams, you're still welcome at our 50th Reunion! Contact Jennifer Newton: email fiftyyearsonolmc64-69@hotmail.com or Facebook page OLMC Parramatta 1964-1969 50th Reunion (September 2019).