## THE PAULINE AND OLIVERIAN

### COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

### Corpus Christi, Year C

22 June 2025

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MASS TIMES
Tuesday & Thursday 10.00am
Saturday 5:00pm (Vigil)
Sunday 8:45am & 10:30am

FAMILY MASS –1 ST WEEKEND EACH MONTH

Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturday 10.00am to 10.30am



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MASS TIMES

Wednesday & Friday 10:00am Saturday: 6:30pm (Vigil) 8:00pm (Neocatechumenal way. All welcome)

> Sunday 9am (English) 10:30am (Italian)

### FAMILY MASS - 2<sup>ND</sup> WEEKEND EACH MONTH

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday: 7:15pm
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### **SACRED SPACE**



### Tasting the Future

The feeding of the five thousand in today's Gospel is one of those anticipatory sharings in the heavenly banquet of the age to come. We say this feeding is miraculous, and it was. A major part of the miracle is in the transformation of the Twelve. Our Lord did not personally feed the five thousand. He required

his followers to get involved in alleviating hunger: 'You give them something to eat,' rather than leaving the crowd to fend for themselves, or resort to market economics. When they shared the food he had blessed, the miracle of the hospitality of God was multiplied throughout the crowd – extravagantly. And so Our Lord gave his followers and the crowd a real taste of the future generosity of God in the heavenly banquet. But, it would not have happened had the inner groups of disciples not shared Jesus' vision and got involved in what seemed to be an impossible task. The Last Supper was the greatest anticipatory meal which Our Lord shared with his disciples. And, at Mass, we are eating and drinking the glorified humanity of our Risen Lord Jesus Christ: the life of the future. We could pause for a moment to identify the myriad of hungers in this world and resolve to fulfil Our Lord's Command: 'You give them something to eat'! so that Divine Generosity might transform human history. (*REFLECTION by Fr Michael Tate*)

### **ELEVATE YOUTH FESTIVAL A HUGE SUCCESS!**

Last Friday, our parish came alive as over 60 people gathered for the Elevate Youth Festival—and it was an unforgettable night of faith, joy, and community! The evening featured inspiring talks, and incredible live music by Kyle Correya, whose

powerful worship led hearts straight to Christ. Thank you to Fr James, Kyle, our youth team, & volunteers who supported the event. The Holy Spirit is moving in our youth thank you for helping elevate their faith! Lives were touched, hearts were opened, and many left feeling renewed in their relationship

with God!







### THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

### **GLORIA**

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God. Lamb of God. Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

### **FIRST READING**

Genesis 14:18-20

A Reading from the book of Genesis.

Melchizedek king of Salem brought bread and wine; he was a priest of God Most High. He pronounced this blessing: 'Blessed be Abraham by God Most High, creator of heaven and earth, and blessed be God Most High for handing over your enemies to you.' And Abraham gave him a tithe of everything. The word of the Lord.

### **RESPONSORIAL PSALM**

Psalm 109:1-4

- R. You are a priest for ever, in the line of Melchizedek.
- 1. The Lord's revelation to my Master: 'Sit on my right: I will put your foes beneath your feet.' R.
- The Lord will send from Zion your sceptre of power: rule in the midst of all your foes. R.
- A prince from the day of your birth on the holy mountains; from the womb before the daybreak I begot you.

  R.
- The Lord has sworn an oath he will not change. 'You are a priest for ever, a priest like Melchizedek of old.'

  R.

### SECOND READING 1 Cor 11:23-26

A reading from the first letter of St Paul to the Corinthians.

This is what I received from the Lord, and in turn passed on to you: that on the same night that he was betrayed, the Lord Jesus took some bread, and thanked God for it and broke it, and he said, 'This is my body, which is for you; do this as a memorial of me.' In the same way he took the cup after supper, and said, 'This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Whenever you drink it, do this as a memorial of me.' Until the Lord comes, therefore, every time you eat this bread and drink this cup, you are proclaiming his death.

The word of the Lord.

### **SEQUENCE**

Behold the bread of angels, sent For pilgrims in their banishment, The bread of God's true children meant, That may not unto dogs be given: Oft in the olden types foreshowed; In Isaac on the altar bowed, And in the ancient paschal food, And in the manna sent from heaven. Come then, good shepherd, bread divine, Still show to us thy mercy sign; Oh, feed us still, still keep us thine; So may we see thy glories shine In fields of immortality, O thou, the wisest, mightiest, best, Our present food, our future rest, Come, make us each thy chosen guest, Co-heirs of thine, and comrades blest With saints whose dwelling is with thee.

### GOSPEL ACCLAMATION John 6:51-52

Alleluia, alleluia!

I am the living bread from heaven, says the Lord; whoever eats this bread will live for ever.

Alleluia!

### **GOSPEL**

Luke 9:11-17

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke.

Jesus made the crowds welcome and talked to them about the kingdom of God; and he cured those who were in need of healing. It was late afternoon when the Twelve came to him and said, 'Send the people away, and they can go to the villages and farms round about to find lodging and food; for we are in a lonely place here.' He replied, 'Give them something to eat yourselves.' But they said, 'We have no more than five loaves and two fish, unless we are to go ourselves and buy food for all these people.' For there were about five

thousand men. But he said to his disciples, 'Get them to sit down in parties of about fifty.' They did so and made them all sit down. Then he took the five loaves and the two fish, raised his eyes to heaven, and said the blessing over them; then he broke them and handed them to his disciples to distribute among the crowd. They all ate as much as they wanted, and when the scraps remaining were collected they filled twelve baskets.

The Gospel of the Lord.

### **CREED**

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, (All bow during these two lines) who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

### **JUBILEE PRAYER 2025**

Father in heaven, may the faith you have given us in your son, Jesus Christ, our brother, and the flame of charity enkindled in our hearts by the Holy Spirit, reawaken in us the blessed hope for the coming of your Kingdom. May your grace transform us into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel. May those seeds transform from within both humanity and the whole cosmos in the sure expectation of a new heaven and a new earth, when, with the powers of Evil vanguished, your glory will shine eternally. May the grace of the Jubilee reawaken in us, Pilgrims of Hope, a yearning for the treasures of heaven. May that same grace spread the joy and peace of our Redeemer throughout the earth. To you our God, eternally blessed, be glory and praise for ever.

Amen.

### ST OLIVER PLUNKETT'S PARISH NEWS

### **WE PRAY FOR:**

Those who have died:

**Anniversaries:** Sam Aparo (1 Month), Vincenzo Bascetta, Rocco Catalano, Joe & Rose Gauci, Dalmiro Bellio, Paolo & Marianna Leone, Paul Vescio, Douglas Desmier, Paul Duffy

**Those who are ill:** Palma Nicolaci, Anna Prinzi, Mark, Vince, Philly, Jonathan, Paschalina, Genenieve, Micah, Zita, Daniel Dowling, Keith Redman, Mary & Stan Mobbs, Fiona Edwards, John Moore, Justin & Family

<b>READERS</b>	21 / 22 June	28/29 June
Sat 5.00pm	L. Teoh (L), C. Rowland (R)	C. Rowland (L), V. Pertile (R)
Sun 8.45am	M. Ziccone (Leader) &	M. Carabott (Leader) &
	B. Messina (Reader)	M. Ziccone (Reader)
10.30am.	T Baltatzis (Leader), &	F. Bucci (Leader) &
	S. Bennardo (Reader)	L. Willason (Reader)

### **EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:**

Sat 5.00pm	R. Paligaru	L. Teoh
Sun 8.45am	M Tamayo	F. Minutolo
10.30am	D Petrocco	M. Temming

### ST PAUL'S PARISH NEWS

### WE PRAY FOR:

Those who have died: Steve Fox,

Anniversaries: Sam Aparo (1 Month), Lina Cerra, Brian Wright, Concetta Ruggiero, Antonieta De Fusco, Carmelo Malivindi, Antonio Luci, Joe & Rose Gauci, Salvatore Maio, Carmelo Monteneri, Giaimis Albina, Lucia Esparza, Antonio Pugliano Those Who are ill: Mary Bonnici, Alexander, Allesandrina, Andrew Cassidy, Christine Reid, Maria Ambesi, Nissen Saba, John Saba, Kate, Luke, Mark, Alice, Derrick Tailford, Carmel Veneziano, Everton Buultjens, Sebastiana De Pietro, Malissa Randich

<b>READERS</b> :	21 / 22 June	28/29 Jun		
Sat 6.30pm	Paul Kennedy	William Kennedy		
Sun 9.00am	G Baviera & T Pugliano	B Greig & D Greig		
10.30am	Anna D'Amato &	T/M Costanzo &		
	Rosa Oppendisano	S Stagliano		
EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:				
Sat 6.30pm	Mary De Marco	Alfred Meilak		
Sun 9am	Mary Carnovale	Warren Power		
10.30am	Sam Stagliano	Giuseppe Schivello		



St Oliver's & St Paul's Parish

# Sister GERALDINE LARKINS rsj on SUNDAY JULY 20th 10am

# CELEBRATING OUR PARISH VOLUNTEERS TOGETHER

JOIN US FOR SISTER GERALDINE'S PRESENTATION BEFORE MASS

St Oliver's and St Paul's Parish Jubilee Program continues, as we celebrate the ministry of service which our Eucharistic Ministers, Nursing Home/Parish Visitation and all other Parish Volunteers contribute to our community.

Sr Geraldine is a teacher, psychologist, and member of the Regional Leadership Team of the Sisters of St Joseph (Vic/Tas). With a PhD in Educational Psychology and deep research in children's faith formation, Sr Geraldine will reflect on Mary MacKillop's ministry—its challenges, opportunities, and lasting impact on Australia.

A talented vocalist, Sr Geraldine-who performed in Rome during Mary MacKillop's canonisation-will incorporate hymns and songs into her presentation and Mass.

Afterward, all are warmly invited to the Parish Center for a cuppa and light refreshments with Sr Geraldine. We look forward to seeing you there!

ST OLIVER'S CHURCH PASCOE VALE



Sun July 20<sup>th</sup> at 10.00am St Oliver's Church before 10.30 am Mass Dr Geraldine Larkins, a sister of St Joseph, the Religious Order of Sisters founded by Saint Mary MacKillop



### Celebrating First Holy Communion – St. Paul's School

This Sunday, we joyfully celebrate a sacred milestone as the children of St. Paul's School receive their First Holy Communion.

These young hearts have been prayerfully preparing for this special moment, when they will receive Jesus in the Eucharist for the very first time. It is a beautiful step in their journey of faith, and a reminder to us all of the gift of Christ's

presence in the Blessed Sacrament. Please keep these children & families in your prayers as they take this joyful step closer to the heart of Jesus.



### Prayers for Our Alpha Retreat This Weekend

This weekend, parishioners of our **Alpha Program** will be attending their retreat, a time set aside for reflection, prayer, and deepening their relationship with Christ & the Holy Spirit. We ask our parish

community to keep them in your prayers, that this retreat may be a time of grace, healing, and spiritual renewal. May hearts be opened, questions be met with faith, and lives be transformed by the love of God. Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of Your faithful!



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AVAILABLE WEEKDAYS & WEEKENDS ANYTIME

KITCHEN TABLES & CHAIRS TO SEAT 60

1 Landells Rd, Pascoe Vale \$200 up to 4hrs \$300 4+ hours



### ST PAULS PARISH HALL

# ST PAUL'S HALL

AVAILABLE WEEKENDS (EXC. SAT EVENING)

KITCHEN
TABLES & CHAIRS
TO SEAT 80
BATHROOMS

562 Sydney Rd, Coburg \$350 up to 4hrs \$450 4+ hours



### CASHLESS PAYMENTS St Oliver's

Online Offerings: ST OLIVERS

https://melbourne.cdfpay.org.au/details/?id=135

### OR DIRECT DEPOSIT:

St Olivers Church A/C:

BSB: 083-347 ACC: 55158 7979

Presbytery A/C:

BSB: 083-347 ACC: 53102 0158

#### LAST WEEKEND'S COLLECTION:

Collection Thanksgiving \$ 1170.40 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection Presbytery \$ 500.00 Direct debits MAY \$ 3852.00

### **CASHLESS PAYMENTS**

St Paul's

Online Offerings ST PAULS

https://melbourne.cdfpay.org.au/details/?id=154

### OR DIRECT DEPOSIT:

St Paul's Church A/C Presbytery A/C BSB: 083-347 BSB: 083-347 Acc.: 67541 0884 Acc: 5310 20158

### LAST WEEKEND'S COLLECTION:

1st CollectionSacrificial\$ 1075.002nd CollectionPresbytery\$ 441.05Direct debits MAY\$ 450.00

Safety of Children & all Vulnerable People. We hold the care, safety and wellbeing of children and all vulnerable people, as a central and fundamental responsibility, of our parishes. The Parish Statement of Commitment and the Reporting Process, are on display in all churches, and all Parish Policies are available, on the website: cam.org.au/Coburg

### PROGRAMS ST PAULS PARISH

#### **ADORATION:**

First Friday of the month: 10.30am-12pm

### **BAPTISMS:**

2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday's of the Month at 12pm

### **COMMUNION TO SICK:**

Thursdays & Fridays

### **ANOINTING OF THE SICK:**

2 times a year (Lent & Advent).

**SUNDAY SCHOOL:** Sundays 10am **BIBLE STUDY:** Mon 11.30am

ITALIAN PRAYER GROUP: Wed 10.30 am

**Legion of Mary:** Monday mornings at 10.30.

### **ANNUAL ITALIAN FEASTS: 2025**

Feast of St Anthony 15 June 10.30am Feast of the Madonna 17 Aug 2025 2pm St Lucy Feast Day 14 Dec 2025 2pm

### ST OLIVER PLUNKETT'S PARISH

### **BAPTISMS:**

2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday's of the Month at 12pm (By Appointment)

#### **MARRIAGES:**

By appointment with at least 6 months notice

### CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

1<sup>st</sup> Sundays of the month during the 10.30am Mass (except during school holidays)

### PARISH ACTIVITIES: MONDAY:

**Christian Meditation- Chris Rowland** 

7-8pm Parish Centre - 0411 440 746

**TUESDAY: Italian Ladies Prayer Group** 

10am Meeting Room

### St Vincent de Paul

4:00pm Parish Centre (last Tuesday of the month)

### **Charismatic Prayer Group**

Tuesday 7.30pm Parish Centre

### WEDNESDAY:

**Drop-In Centre** 

1-3pm Church/Parish Centre

### A WARM WELCOME TO NEW PARISIONERS

Please let us know that you have joined our community and if there is anything we can do for you. Are you new to our Parish?

Need Thanksgiving envelopes?

Would like a home visit and house blessing?

Please complete the details below and place in the

collection plate at Mass or send to the Parish office. Name:

Address:

To existing parishioners: if you would like to contribute on a regular basis using the envelopes, please complete the above. Thank you.