

THE PAULINE AND OLIVERIAN

COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

The Most Holy Trinity Year C

13th June 2022

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MASS TIMES

Tuesday- Friday 9:15am

Saturday 5:00pm (Vigil)

Sunday 8:45am & 10:30am

Sacrament of Reconciliation

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MASS TIMES

Tuesday- Friday 10:15am

Saturday: 6:30pm (Vigil)

8:00pm (Neocatechumenal way)

Sunday 9am (English)

10:30am (Italian)

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday: 7:15pm

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SACRED SPACE

What it means to have three Persons in one Being is something we do not even try to understand. But we can get some inkling if we confine ourselves to seeing what each of the persons DOES as a clue to what they ARE.

FATHER We see God as Father, a loving and compassionate Father. Not a daunting patriarchal figure but one that is easily approached and who can be addressed by the familiar and intimate term “Abba” (compare the English ‘Papa’). He is the Creator and giver of all life. Everything good that can be discerned in the world around us comes from him and through him. In him, through him and with him all things exist.

He is the one who cares, the one who waits for the Prodigal to return and forgives completely and immediately. He is the Father of truth, the Father of love and compassion, the Father of justice. The whole of this beautiful world in which we live is a testimony and, at the same time, only a faint indication of what he really is. If we really look at the world he has made (and not at the one we have unmade), our hearts can only be overcome with praise and thanks.

SON We see God as Son, who in an extraordinary way came to live among us, and whom, in a paradox beyond all understanding, we humans killed.

In the Son as a human being, we can see, hear and touch God. We see something of the nature of our God as Jesus heals the sick, identifies with the weak and socialises with the sinful. We see him challenge the dehumanising values that form the fabric of most of our lives and, in the process, he is rejected by those he loves. Though he is God, he empties himself of all human dignity that he might open for us the way to true and unending life.

SPIRIT We see God as Spirit, becoming, as it were, the soul of his people. All the good that we do, all our evangelising work, our hospitals, schools, works of social development and social welfare, our care of the sick, the weak, the oppressed and the outcast — all are the work of God's Spirit working in and through us. Wherever there is love there is the Spirit of God at work.

Models for our life

And yet, being aware of all this, we still cannot say that we know our God. But there is enough here — if we pray and reflect on it — that is already overpowering in its significance.

We need to remember that we have been called to be and to grow into the image of God himself. In what has been revealed to us through Jesus and the Scriptures, we have more than enough to challenge us and to help us to approach closer to our God. Our ultimate goal, and it is the only goal for all living, is to achieve perfect union with him. We do that, above all, by loving as he loved, by loving unconditionally and continuing to love where no love, and even hate, is returned.

For this we need the creative power of the Father, the compassion of the Son, and the indwelling of the Holy Spirit. They are all available to anyone who opens their heart to receive.

The mystery of the Most Holy Trinity tells us that we do not have a solitary God up there in heaven, far away; no,



He is the Father who gave us his Son, who became man like us, and who sends his own Spirit to be even closer to us.

Pope Francis

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

Proverbs 8:22-31

A Reading from the book of Proverbs.

The Wisdom of God cries aloud:
The Lord created me when his purpose
first unfolded,
before the oldest of his works.
From everlasting I was firmly set,
from the beginning, before earth came
into being.
The deep was not, when I was born,
there were no springs to gush with
water.
Before the mountains were settled,
before the hills, I came to birth;
before he made the earth, the
countryside,
or the first grains of the world's dust.
When he fixed the heavens firm, I was
there,
when he drew a ring on the surface of
the deep,
when he thickened the clouds above,
when he fixed fast the springs of the
deep,
when he assigned the sea its boundaries
— and the waters will not invade the
shore — when he laid down the
foundations of the earth, I was by his
side, a master craftsman,
delighting him day after day,
ever at play in his presence,
at play everywhere in his world,
delighting to be with the sons of men.
The word of the Lord.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 8:4-9

**R. O Lord, our God, how wonderful
your name in all the earth!**

1. When I see the heavens, the work
of your hands, the moon and the
stars which you arranged, what is
man that you should keep him in
mind, mortal man that you care for
him? R.
2. Yet you have made him little less
than a god; with glory and honour
you crowned him, gave him power
over the works of your hand, put all
things under his feet. R.
3. All of them, sheep and cattle,
yes, even the savage beasts,
birds of the air, and fish that make
their way through the waters. R.

SECOND READING

Romans 5:1-5

*A reading from the letter of St Paul to the
Romans.*

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, by faith
we are judged righteous and at peace
with God, since it is by faith and through
Jesus that we have entered this state of
grace in which we can boast about
looking forward to God's glory. But that
is not all we can boast about; we can
boast about our sufferings. These
sufferings bring patience, as we know,
and patience brings perseverance, and
perseverance brings hope, and this
hope is not deceptive, because the love
of God has been poured into our hearts
by the Holy Spirit which has been given
us.

The word of the Lord.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

cf Revelation 1:8

Alleluia, alleluia!
Glory to the Father, the Son, and the
Holy Spirit: to God who is, who was,
and who is to come.
Alleluia!

GOSPEL

John 16:12-15

*A reading from the holy Gospel according
to John.*

Jesus said to his disciples:
'I still have many things to say to you
but they would be too much for you
now.

But when the Spirit of truth comes
he will lead you to the complete truth,
since he will not be speaking as from
himself
but will say only what he has learnt;
and he will tell you of the things to
come.
He will glorify me,
since all he tells you
will be taken from what is mine.
Everything the Father has is mine;
that is why I said:
All he tells you
will be taken from what is mine.'

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.

PARISH PRAYER

God our Father, bless this parish so that
we may love you more. Bless us in ways
that you know best and form us into a
true community of worship and love.
Deepen our understanding of your
message today. Give us especially your
spirit of love, so that it may touch all
people with whom we come into
contact. Encircle our families with your
loving care and assist parents in their
role as leaders in faith. To the sick grant
health, to the aged bring serenity and
peace, and to those in sadness joy. May
we grow stronger in faith and our love
for one another become deeper in our
daily living.
Amen.

ST OLIVER PLUNKETT'S PARISH NEWS

Please remember in your prayers the following:

Those who have died: Peter Kennedy

Anniversaries:

Those who are ill: Alphonseena Tiscetello, Kevin Scanlon, John Moore, Oscar Ferrante, Anna Romeo, Rosalind Vincent, Josephina Varghese, Marie Virag, Kath Leyden, Dalmiro Bellio, Lamberto Cruz, Pasquale Buonomo, Sofia Ruggiero

READERS:	11/12 June	18/19 June
Sat 5.00pm	A.Breen(L), N.Farrell(R)	L.Teoh(L), J.Pertile(R)
Sun 8.45am	B.Messina(L), C.D'Orazio(R)	M.Carabott(L), L.DiNicola(R)
10.30am	R.Cassidy(L), S.Harrison(R)	L.Verducci(L), C.Grech(R)

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

Sat 5.00pm	C. Rowland	L. Bellio
Sun 8.45am	V. Ricevuto	M. Bolitho
10.30am	B. Watts	C. De Francesco

ST PAUL'S PARISH NEWS

WE PRAY FOR:

Those who have died: Michael Joseph, Domenico Mezzatesta

Anniversaries: Salvatore Maio, Gilberto Pulvano

READERS:	This Week	Next Week
Sat 6.30pm	Barbara Romanos	Brian Leak
Sun 9.00am	Alfred Meilak & Katrina Scurrah	Annette Barnes & Piotr Kardas
10.30am	Rita Luci & Rosa Oppendisano	Gino De Fusco & Peter Aurora

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

Sat 6.30pm	Alfred Meilak	Mary De Marco
Sun 9.00am		Rosa Touma
10.30am	Sofia Tabacco	Laura Scherma



"I am the light of the World"

Anyone who follows me will not be Walking in the Dark, But will have the light of Life. (John 8:12)

Come and Listen to a set of Catechesis (talks) and receive this light in your life. They are a Good news of your life!

Beginning Monday June 6th 7.30pm & Thursday 9th 7.30pm

St Pauls Catholic Church, O'Connell Building (Hall)

562 Sydney Road Coburg 3058

If you require any further details or require any assistance to attend, please contact:
Colin Tomelty (M) 0407 346 413 or Fr Joe Pelle (M) 0409 585 806

VINNIES WINTER APPEAL 2022 – Make A Donation & Change Lives

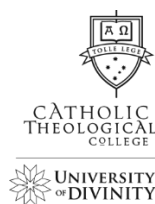


Support vulnerable Australians facing Hardship by donating to our Winter Appeal.

- Donate over the phone using a credit card by calling **13 18 12** (Receipts issued to donors)
- To make an online donation : www.vinnies.org.au (Receipts automatically emailed to donors)

Donors can allocate donations to a specific conference by giving the conference name in the comments field. (Pascoe Vale 963)

CATHOLIC THEOLOGICAL COLLEGE OPEN DAY



Catholic Theological College
Online Open Day Information Session
Tuesday 21 June at 7pm (AEST)

Register via our website: ctc.edu.au/open-days
For more information contact: jenny.delahunt@ctc.edu.au

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY ASSISTING REFUGEE STUDENTS

MERCY CONNECT MELBOURNE/Mercy Works Ltd is currently recruiting volunteers to academically support Refugee and Asylum Seekers in Primary and Secondary schools across the Melbourne Archdiocese and also adult centre. Experience working in an educational setting is preferred but not limited to. Please contact Sr Mary Lewis RSM for an application form and further information. The training day is in July. Email: somml@bigpond.com (preferred for contact)

Website: www.mercyworks.org.au Tel: 9326 1895

TAKE THE WAY OF THE GOSPEL – EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

The Church in Melbourne is being invited into a conversation on how we might come together and discern our common mission for the years ahead. We are calling for five leaders, each from St Paul's and St Oliver's Parish, to advise and be a point of reference for **Take the Way of the Gospel**. This will be a temporary group which will meet with the Advisory Board for this mission. Parishioners who would like to join for discussion and give their opinions are also needed. Expressions of Interest will close late May. Please contact Parish Office: St Paul's - 9354 1564; St Oliver's - 7036 9330

The following link leads to information: <https://melbournecatholic.org/about/take-the-way-of-the-gospel>

PARISH NEWS



The Most Holy Trinity, Year C

God - The father

Creator of all things.
Loves each of us.
Sent his only beloved son
to save us.

God - The Son

What do you know about Jesus?



God - The Holy Spirit

Guided the prophets.
Strengthened the members of the early church.
Helps us all today.

Jesus told his disciples how the Holy Spirit
would bring glory to the Father and the Son.
What things can you do to bring glory to God?

The Spirit shows what is true

Write down whether these statements are true or false

God created the world in eight days. ☐

God the Father loves us so much that he
gave us his only Son. ☐

Jesus was baptised by John the Evangelist. ☐

Jesus died so that we may have eternal life. ☐

The disciples received the Holy Spirit
on Easter Monday. ☐

The Holy Spirit allowed the disciples to
speak in many different languages. ☐

CASHLESS PAYMENTS St Oliver's

CDFPay for Parish:

<https://bit.ly/CDFpayPascoeVale>

OR DIRECT DEPOSIT:

St Oliver's Church A/C:

BSB: 083-347 ACC: 55158 7979

Presbytery A/C:

BSB: 083-347 ACC: 53102 0158

LAST WEEKEND'S COLLECTION:

1st Collection Presbytery \$ 853.70

1nd Collection Thanksgiving \$ 801.00

Direct Debit for May \$3662.00

We are very grateful for your support.

CASHLESS PAYMENTS St Paul's

CDFPay Online Payments:

<https://bit.ly/CDFpayCoburg>

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 Collection Sacrificial \$ 544.05

2nd Collection Presbytery \$ 380.50

We are very grateful for your support.

COVID- 19 Response Division of the Department of Health has asked that we remain mindful of the continued safe practices that assist in reducing the transmission of the virus – this particularly includes the encouragement of wearing masks indoors for large gatherings; good ventilation of environments where possible; and the ready availability of sanitising stations at all entrances and exits.

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 Fri of month: 10.30am-12pm

BAPTISMS:

Sundays 12.00 pm.

COMMUNION TO SICK:

Thursdays & Fridays

ANointing OF THE SICK:

2 times a year (Lent & Advent).

SUNDAY SCHOOL: Sundays 10am

ITALIAN PRAYER GROUP: Wed 10.30 am

Legion of Mary:

Monday mornings at 10.30 am.

ANNUAL ITALIAN FEASTS: 2021

12 Dec: St Lucy at 10.30am

ST OLIVER PLUNKETT'S PARISH

BAPTISMS:

2nd Saturday of the Month

(By Appointment)

MARRIAGES:

By appointment with at least
6 months notice

PARISH ACTIVITIES:

MONDAY:

Christian Mediation

7-8pm Parish Centre

TUESDAY:

Italian Ladies Prayer Group

10am Meeting Room

St Vincent de Paul

5.30pm Parish Centre

(last Tuesday of the month)

Charismatic Prayer Group

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:

Phone:

Address:

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