

# THE PAULINE AND OLIVERIAN

## COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

15<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year C

10<sup>th</sup> July 2022

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### MASS TIMES

Tuesday- Friday 9:15am

Saturday 5:00pm (Vigil)

Sunday 8:45am & 10:30am

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Please contact Parish Office



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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

The core of the Christian message from today's Gospel from the parable of the Good Samaritan is:

- faith as total trust in God and his message that comes through Christ in the New Testament;
- love as the driving power of all our actions and relationships.

We cannot have one without the other. As the Apostle James says in his Letter: "Faith without good works is dead."

In today's Gospel, the story is actually a response to the question: "Who is my neighbour?" As the Jewish lawyer himself says, the neighbour is the one "who shows mercy". He/she is not just the person living next door, nor a fellow-national, nor a fellow-Catholic but someone who responds unconditionally to the need of a brother/sister. A real neighbour in the Gospel is one who can show real compassion to a total stranger in need, unconditionally and without moral judgement.

"You're in the gutter and you deserve to be there", is not being neighbourly.

"Why can't your own people come and help you?", is not being neighbourly.

"I have only time for my own family," is not being neighbourly.

"Love your neighbour as yourself" is one arm of the most central commandment. "Who is my neighbour?" is a crucial question in carrying out the commandment. Each one has honestly to ask this question. Another way to ask it is,

"Who in my life am I willing/unwilling to help?"

What are my criteria for helping another person?

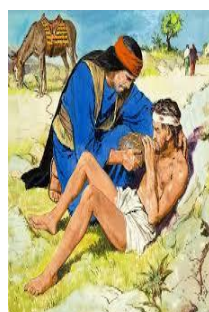
Do family, friends, race, religion, moral goodness, criminal record come into the picture?

What about the person who hates me, the drug addict, the alcoholic, the prostitute, the diseased...?

This parable touches all our lives deeply. In honestly answering the question, "Who is my neighbour?", I learn a great deal about the kind of person I am, the kind of neighbour I am.

Let's all be good neighbours!

### The Good Samaritan



This parable is a splendid gift for us all and also a task! To each of us, Jesus repeats what He said to the doctor of the Law: "Go and do likewise".

We are all called to follow the same path of the Good Samaritan, who is the figure of Christ.

Jesus bent down to us,  
He became our servant  
and thus He has saved us,  
so that we too might love  
as He loved us, in the same way.

*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

*Deut. 30:10-14*

*A Reading from the book of Deuteronomy.*

Moses said to the people: 'Obey the voice of the Lord your God, keeping those commandments and laws of his that are written in the Book of this Law, and you shall return to the Lord your God with all your heart and soul. 'For this Law that I enjoin on you today is not beyond your strength or beyond your reach. It is not in heaven, so that you need to wonder, "Who will go up to heaven for us and bring it down to us, so that we may hear it and keep it?" Nor is it beyond the seas, so that you need to wonder, "Who will cross the seas for us and bring it back to us, so that we may hear it and keep it?" No, the Word is very near to you, it is in your mouth and in your heart for your observance.'

The Word of the Lord.

## RESPONSORIAL PSALM

*Psalm 68:14,17,30-31,33-34,36-37*

**R. Turn to the Lord in your need, and you will live.**

1. This is my prayer to you, my prayer for your favour. In your great love, answer me, O God, with your help that never fails: Lord, answer, for your love is kind; in your compassion, turn towards me. R.
2. As for me in my poverty and pain let your help, O God, lift me up. I will praise God's name with a song; I will glorify him with thanksgiving. R

3. The poor when they see it will be glad and God-seeking hearts will revive; for the Lord listens to the needy and does not spurn his servants in their chains. R.
4. For God will bring help to Zion and rebuild the cities of Judah The sons of his servants shall inherit it; those who love his name shall dwell there. R.

## SECOND READING

*Col 1:15-20*

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

Christ Jesus is the image of the unseen God and the first-born of all creation, for in him were created all things in heaven and on earth: everything visible and everything invisible, Thrones, Dominations, Sovereignities, Powers – all things were created through him and for him. Before anything was created, he existed, and he holds all things in unity. Now the Church is his body, he is its head. As he is the Beginning, he was first to be born from the dead, so that he should be first in every way; because God wanted all perfection to be found in him and all things to be reconciled through him and for him, everything in heaven and everything on earth, when he made peace by his death on the cross. The word of the Lord.

## GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

*Cf. John 6:63c,68c*

Alleluia, alleluia!  
Your words, Lord, are spirit and life;  
you have the words of everlasting life.  
Alleluia!

## GOSPEL

*Luke 10:25-37*

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

There was a lawyer who, to disconcert Jesus, stood up and said to him, 'Master, what must I do to inherit eternal life?' He said to him, 'What is written in the Law? What do you read there?' He replied, 'You must love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your strength, and with all your mind, and your neighbour as yourself.' 'You have answered right,' said Jesus 'do this and life is yours.' But the man was anxious to justify himself and said to Jesus, 'And who is my neighbour?' Jesus replied, 'A man was once on his way down from Jerusalem to Jericho and fell into the hands of brigands; they took all he had, beat him and then made off, leaving him half dead. Now a priest happened to be travelling down the same

road, but when he saw the man, he passed by on the other side. In the same way a Levite who came to the place saw him, and passed by on the other side. But a Samaritan traveller who came upon him was moved with compassion when he saw him. He went up and bandaged his wounds, pouring oil and wine on them. He then lifted him on to his own mount, carried him to the inn and looked after him. Next day, he took out two denarii and handed them to the innkeeper. "Look after him," he said "and on my way back I will make good any extra expense you have." Which of these three, do you think, proved himself a neighbour to the man who fell into the brigands' hands?' 'The one who took pity on him' he replied. Jesus said to him, 'Go, and do the same yourself.'

Amen.

## 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:**

**Anniversaries:** Maria Frassetto, George & Catherine Hardy  
Tonino Taglieri, Nunzia Cavarra, Sebastiana Scodella  
Alfonso Teves Jr, Vincenzo Moretta, Mafalda Moretta

**Those who are ill:** Windsor Jones, Aaron D'Ortona,  
Nunzio Di Gioia, Mary Theuma, 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:	9/10 July	16/17 July
Sat 5.00pm	J.Pertile(L), M.Lynch(R)	A.Taglieri(L), V.Pertile(R)
Sun 8.45am	B.Messina(L), C.D'Orazio(R)	M.Carabott(L), (R)
10.30am	R.Polastri(L), B.Watts(R)	R.Robles-McColl(L),O.Aquino(R)

### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

Sat 5.00pm	P. Saliba	L. Teoh
Sun 8.45am	J. Mokbel	M. Bolitho
10.30am	L. Verduci	D. Petrocchi

## ST PAUL'S PARISH NEWS

**WE PRAY FOR:**

**Those who have died:** Graziano Siciliano, Anthony Attard,

**Anniversaries:** Annunziata Amato, Concetta Ruggiero,  
Salvatore Scoderi

READERS:	This Week	Next Week
Sat 6.30pm	Sue Tasic	Phillip Scardilli
Sun 9.00am	A Meilak & M King	G. Baviera & T. Pugliano
10.30am	R Luci/R Opendisano	G. De Fusco & P Aurora

### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

Sat 6.30pm	Barbara Romanos	Mary De Marco
Sun 9.00am	Annette Barnes	Alfred Meilak
10.30am	Sam Stagliano	Anna D'Amato

## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED – St Paul's and St Oliver's

**LITURGY GROUP** – To help organise Liturgies for Easter, Christmas and Special Occasions.

**CHILD SAFETY COMMITTEE** – To oversee correct procedures and records are in place.

**FUNDRAISING COMMITTEE** – To organise fundraising for the community.

Please contact Parish Office at St Paul's 9354-1564 or St Oliver's 7036 9358 to volunteer or for more information.

## OUR LADY OF FATIMA - ROSARY



St Oliver's Parish has the Pilgrim Statue of Our Lady of Fatima and promotes the reciting of the Rosary. This tradition has been part of the history of this Parish since it was built. Throughout the many years, the devotion and commitment to 'this journey' has been taken over by different parishioners as the older ones could not do this task anymore.

Mimi has the Pilgrim Statue and is happy to bring it to parishioners' homes (at St Paul's and St Oliver's) for one week or for whatever time parishioners would like to have Our Lady visit to recite the Rosary every day. The Rosary and contemplation of its Mysteries is a beautiful prayer taught by Our Lady to the three children of Fatima, Lucia and her two cousins, Jacinta and Francisco during the 1917 apparition. If you would like Our Lady to visit your home and you would like to recite the Rosary, please contact Mimi on 0419 388 211.

## SEA SUNDAY APPEAL

**STELLA MARIS MELBOURNE invites you to an OPEN DAY – 10 JULY 2022 between 2pm & 5Pm – 600 Little Collins St, Melb.**



*Did you know the Port of Melbourne is the largest container & cargo port in Australasia?*

*Do you ever wonder about the crew on large vessels transporting our goods?*

*Seafarers needed assistance during the pandemic as they were confined to their ships!*

**FREE BUS TOURS TO THE PORT OF MELBOURNE**

The tours will be followed by afternoon tea. We look forward to welcoming you!

**Please support Sea Sunday Appeal: <https://stellamarisaustralia.org/>**

## ST OLIVER'S COLLECTIONS AT MASS

Parishioners from St Oliver's, please note, the 1st Collection is for Thanksgiving which goes to the Parish Account. All the envelopes and loose money from the 1st Collection goes to the Parish. The 2nd Collection is for the Presbytery.

## PROJECT COMPASSION RECEIPTS

Receipts for Project Compassion are now available for parishioners who requested them from St Oliver's, to collect either from the sacristy after each Mass, or from the Parish Office 7036 9330.

## 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](http://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)



15th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year C

Draw pictures of three different people who are your neighbours.  
Then draw yourself helping the injured man.



Help the good Samaritan find the injured man and take him to the inn at Jericho.



CASHLESS PAYMENTS		St Oliver's
CDFPay for Parish: <a href="https://bit.ly/CDFpayPascoeVale">https://bit.ly/CDFpayPascoeVale</a>		
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:		
1 <sup>st</sup> Collection	Thanksgiving	\$1194.70
2 <sup>nd</sup> Collection	Presbytery	\$ 469.70
Direct Debit for May		\$3662.00
We are very grateful for your support.		

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CDFPay Online Payments: <a href="https://bit.ly/CDFpayCoburg">https://bit.ly/CDFpayCoburg</a>		
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:		
1 <sup>st</sup> Collection	Sacrificial	\$ 661.00
2 <sup>nd</sup> Collection	Presbytery	\$ 335.20
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](http://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:**

2<sup>nd</sup> 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.