

THE PAULINE AND OLIVERIAN

COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year C

9th Oct 2022

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MASS TIMES

Tuesday- Friday 9:15am

Saturday 5:00pm (Vigil)

Sunday 8:45am & 10:30am

FAMILY MASS – 1ST WEEKEND EACH MONTH

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 10.00am to 10.30am



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MASS TIMES

Tuesday- Friday 10:15am

Saturday: 6:30pm (Vigil)

8:00pm (Neocatechumenal way)

Sunday 9am (English)

10:30am (Italian)

FAMILY MASS – 2ND WEEKEND EACH MONTH

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday: 7:15pm

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NO-ONE HAS COME BACK TO PRAISE GOD, ONLY THIS FOREIGNER

Today's gospel is one of the stories unique to the gospel of Luke. At the same time, it is a commonly known story that is often cited to demonstrate the value of saying thank you. However, as usual, there's more to this story than initially meets the eye. One of the recurrent themes of the gospel is at play here: the message of salvation that Jesus brings is available to all, not just the Jews.

When Jesus encounters the ten men, he is travelling along the border between Galilee and Samaria. The level of distrust between the Jews of Galilee and the Samaritans were deep and abiding. The land that fell between the two countries was sparsely populated and mostly barren. That Jesus should encounter the men in this environment is not surprising for these men literally and metaphorically were at the border of society. Not welcome in any town, the men roamed the very edges of society. They lived their whole lives on the borderline – welcome nowhere and belonging nowhere.

Whilst both the first reading and the gospel tell stories about the healing of those with skin diseases, the common factor is actually about their expressions of gratitude and conversion of heart. In the gospel, all ten men are healed but it is only the stranger; the foreigner; the Samaritan, who comes back to give thanks and to praise God. The others – Jewish men, presumably – are only concerned about themselves and have no time to acknowledge the graciousness of God that they have experienced. The gospel writer has Jesus emphasise the point that it is the Samaritan – the outsider – who has recognised God's activity in his cure and come back to give praise and thanks. It is only he who has experienced the change of heart; the conversion of faith.

'The other nine, where are they?' asked Jesus. Why would the other nine not have come back to give thanks? It is insufficient to say that the miraculous healing these men experienced changed their lives. Being healed of this disease meant so much to them: they could return to their families; they could return to work; they could touch another person; they could walk among other people; they could join in prayer at the synagogue. As they hurried back toward town they must have been overwhelmed by the possibilities and opportunities that lay before them. But they neglected to acknowledge the source of their great joy!

What are the things in your life for which you are grateful to God?

Greg Sunter

COME ALONG & JOIN THE FUN!

ST Oliver's Spectacular Fete

SUNDAY 23 OCTOBER 2022

11:30AM - 4:30PM
Landells Rd, Pascoe Vale

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STAGE PERFORMANCES HOSTED BY GEORGE KAPINIARIS

- MARKET STALLS • CARNIVAL RIDES • PETTING FARM • FOOD COURT
- SHOW BAGS • FACE PAINTING • BAKE SALE • KID ZONE • MEGA RAFFLE
- ENTERTAINMENT AND MUCH MORE.

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 *2 Kings 5:14-17*

A Reading from the second book of the Kings.

Naaman the leper went down and immersed himself seven times in the Jordan, as Elisha had told him to do. And his flesh became clean once more like the flesh of a little child. Returning to Elisha with his whole escort, he went in and stood before him. 'Now I know' he said 'that there is no God in all the earth except in Israel. Now, please, accept a present from your servant.' But Elisha replied, 'As the Lord lives, whom I serve, I will accept nothing.' Naaman pressed him to accept, but he refused. Then Naaman said, 'Since your answer is "No," allow your servant to be given as much earth as two mules may carry, because your servant will no longer offer holocaust or sacrifice to any god except the Lord.'
The Word of the Lord.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 97:1-4

R. The Lord has revealed to the nations his saving power.

1. Sing a new song to the Lord for he has worked wonders. His right hand and his holy arm have brought salvation. R.

2. The Lord has made known his salvation; has shown his justice to the nations. He has remembered his truth and love for the house of Israel. R.

3. All the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our God. Shout to the Lord, all the earth, ring out your joy. R.

SECOND READING *2 Timothy 2:8-13*

A reading from the second letter of St Paul to Timothy.

Remember the Good News that I carry, 'Jesus Christ risen from the dead, sprung from the race of David'; it is on account of this that I have my own hardships to bear, even to being chained like a criminal – but they cannot chain up God's news. So I bear it all for the sake of those who are chosen, so that in the end they may have the salvation that is in Christ Jesus and the eternal glory that comes with it. Here is a saying that you can rely on: If we have died with him, then we shall live with him. If we hold firm, then we shall reign with him. If we disown him, then he will disown us. We may be unfaithful, but he is always faithful, for he cannot disown his own self.

The word of the Lord.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION *1 Thess 5:18*

Alleluia, alleluia!

For all things give thanks to God, because this is what he expects of you in Christ Jesus.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL *Luke 17:11-19*

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke.

On the way to Jerusalem Jesus travelled along the border between Samaria and Galilee. As he entered one of the villages, ten lepers came to meet him. They stood some way off and called to him, 'Jesus! Master! Take pity on us.' When he saw them he said, 'Go and show yourselves to the priests.' Now as they were going away they were cleansed. Finding himself cured, one of them turned back praising God at the top of his voice and threw himself at the feet of Jesus and thanked him. The man

was a Samaritan. This made Jesus say, 'Were not all ten made clean? The other nine, where are they? It seems that no one has come back to give praise to God, except this foreigner.' And he said to the man, 'Stand up and go on your way. Your faith has saved you.'
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: Ben James Nilsson, Anna Romeo

Anniversaries: Thomas & Veronica Bolitho,
Gottardo Frassetto

Those who are ill: Dean Ross, Joe Grech, Windsor Jones,
Mary Theuma, Kevin Scanlon, John Moore, Oscar Ferrante,
Rosalind Vincent, Josephina Varghese, Marie Virag,
Dalmiro Bellio, Lamberto Cruz, Pasquale Buonomo,
Sofia Ruggiero

READERS: 8/9 October

Sat 5.00pm	V.Pertile(L), A.Taglieri(R)
Sun 8.45am	B.Messina(L), L.DiNicola(R)
10.30am	O.Aquino(L), L.Verducci(R)

15/16 October

J.Pertile (L), W.Cahill(R)
M.Tamayo(L),C.D'Orazio(R)
L.Willason(L), R.Cassidy(R)

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

Sat 5.00pm	C. Rowland	L. Teoh
Sun 8.45am	M. Carabott	M. Bolitho
10.30am	M. Dwyer	C. Dwyer

ST PAUL'S PARISH NEWS

WE PRAY FOR:

Those who have died:

Anniversaries: Maria Giovinazzo, Giuseppe & Annunziata Amato, Paulo Nisi, Jane Di'Grazia, Concetta Ruggiero, James Zagopoulos, Dino Polimeno, Angelo Ricci, Vincenzo Galizia, Maria Rio, Arminio Ricci

READERS:

	This Week	Next Week
Sat 6.30pm	Family Mass	Paul De Rosa
Sun 9.00am	Family Mass	Rosa Touma & Patricia Wright
10.30am	Gino De Fusco & Peter Aurora	Anna D'Amato & Giovanna Navagero

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

Sat 6.30pm	Mary De Marco	Barbara Romanos
Sun 9.00am	Raf Carnovale	Annette Barnes
10.30am	Anna D'Amato	Sofia Tabacco

OUR LADY OF FATIMA CELEBRATION – ST OLIVER'S



Celebration in honour of Our Lady of Fatima
Sunday, 9th October 2022 starting at 2.30pm
St Oliver Plunkett Church, Pascoe Vale
Rosary, Mass Procession and Solemn Benediction.
All Welcome

MARCH FOR THE BABIES

Parishioners are invited to attend this year's MARCH FOR THE BABIES on Saturday, 8 October 2022, commencing at 1.00pm, starting at the corner of Spring Street and Wellington Parade. This is an annual reminder of the babies lost to abortion in Australia each year and a public appeal to our parliaments to restore their human right to be born alive.

WORLD YOUTH DAY IN 2023

Archbishop Peter A. Comensoli is inviting young people, ages 16-35, across the Archdiocese to **journey with him to Lisbon, Portugal for World Youth Day in 2023. This is a life-changing opportunity for our youth** to experience their Catholic faith with more than a million young people from around the world.

The Archdiocese is holding six information sessions at Regional Youth Gatherings around Melbourne this month to help parish leaders, priests, parents and of course young people learn more about this opportunity.

Upcoming World Youth Day Information Sessions in October. A life-changing trip to Lisbon, Portugal: Join 500 other young Catholics from around Melbourne on an epic journey to World Youth Day in 2023. Find out more at <https://udisciple.melbournecatholic.org/wyd>

More information on notice board in foyer.



A message from Aid to the Church in Need Australia: ACN is the Pontifical Foundation dedicated to supporting the suffering and persecuted Church.

In response to the devastating floods in Pakistan, ACN is sending emergency help by providing emergency aid to over 5000 families, in the form of food packages for one month, cash grants for the most vulnerable families, mobile health units, temporary shelters and even basic – but essential – items such as mosquito nets and repellent. Damaged churches and community infrastructure must be repaired to shelter victims of the flooding. To make an offering to the Church in Pakistan. Visit www.aidtochurch.org/pakistan

DAILY REFLECTIONS 2023 - \$20 and COLUMBAN CALANDARS 2023 - \$10 are for sale after Mass.



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Draw the leper who returned to thank Jesus.

When are some of the times when you can ask Jesus for help?

Fill in the missing letters, then match them up by number in the large boxes to reveal the message of this story.

- Jesus was on h₂s way to Jeru₁₀alem.
- Te₈ lepers asked Jesus to take pi₅y on them.
- Jesus told them to s₆ow themselves to the pri₄sts.
- One of the men disco₃ered he was heale₁₆, and returned to Jesus, giving praise to ₁od.
- He b₁₂wed down at Jesus' fee₁₁ and than₉ed him.
- Jesus then told him, "et up and g₁₄. Your f₇ith has made you well."

1	2	3	4		
5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12				
13	14	15			

CASHLESS PAYMENTS **St Oliver's**
 CDFPay for Parish:
<https://bit.ly/CDFpayPascoeVale>
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:
1st Collection Thanksgiving \$1,679.65
2nd Collection Presbytery \$ 428.30
Direct Debit for August \$3312.00
 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 \$ 561.00
2nd Collection Presbytery \$ 317.10
 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

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

1st & 3rd Sundays of the month during the 10.30am Mass (except during school holidays)

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.