

ST PAUL THE APOSTLE PARISH

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WEEKEND MASS TIMES

Saturday Evening Vigil 6.00pm (Exposition 4.30pm - 5.45pm) Sunday 8.00am, 9.30am and 6.00pm

RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4.30pm - 5.30pm

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

Monday 9.10am Tuesday 7.00pm (*Exposition 6.00pm - 7.00pm*) Wednesday, Thursday & Friday 9.10am Saturday 9.00am

From Father Raning

There is the story about the boss who called his secretary in for a job evaluation session. She'd been on the job for a while and he said, "You're the most attractive young woman we've ever had working for the company. You dress well, your fellow employees like you. You make a good impression on the customers." She was just beaming and said, "Thank you very much for those compliments." Her employer answered, "Well, enjoy them while you can because now we have to talk about your typing, your spelling and your punctuation!"

In his famous book, "The Screwtape Letters," C. S. Lewis writes about the senior devil giving advice to the junior devils on how to mislead all of us folks here on earth. At one point, the senior devil says to the junior devils, "The Church is a fertile field for leading people astray. You just have to keep them bickering over details, bickering over money, arguing over organisational matters, over property, over personal hurts and misunderstandings. But there is one thing you must absolutely prevent. Never let them see the banners flying. Never let them see the glory!"

First Reading: Wisdom infused God's creative work.

Which wonders of creation inspire me to marvel and praise God.

the Creator?

Second Reading: St. Paul boasts of his afflictions because they build character and

God's love.

What hardships have revealed God's love for me?

Gospel: The Holy Spirit will guide us to all truth.

With what difficulties do I most need the Spirit's guidance today?

Please pray for our sick

Antonio Abulad, Maroun Ayoub, Brian Baker, Elly Bejma, Margaret Brennan, Danielle Brown, Kay Bull, Tim Coakley, Gus DelVillar, Rebecca Duncum, George El-Bayeh, Josephine & Chafic Filfili, Nick Galea, Patricia Gleeson, Neil Gover, Dex Habito, Piper Hastings, Ludie Irrulbandra, Jacqueline Kelly, Sonia Merhi, Charlie Micallef, Dennis Murray, Arun Papali, Lina Pereira, Silvi Perumal, Judy Phillips, Catharine Plisich, Nancy Radocchia, Marty Stockford and Patrick Wheeler.

As You are the One, and we, Your servants, we pray Oh God above to heal and support all members of our parish family who are sick.

Amen

Piety Store - June Special

For the month of June all Holy cards will be reduced to 20 cents. Please come in and help yourself to a good bargain.

Note Book

The June issue of The Note Book is available this weekend. Please be sure to take home a copy for you and a friend.



Novena Mass to Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Every Tuesday at 7pm preceded by Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 6-7pm

Rosary

The intention for world peace . Every Wednesday at 2.30pm in the Church.

Divine Mercy Chaplet

Every Friday at 3.30pm in the Marian Chapel. All welcome.

Holy Hour for Vocations

Saturday 5.00 - 6.00pm

That we can collaborate with God is a humbling truth. That God lives among us is startling. That we are the Body of Christ is our vocation.

Upcoming Meetings

| | Liturgy | 19/06 | 7.00pm |
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| | Leisure Group | 26/06 | 10.00am |
| | SVDP | 26/06 | 7.00pm |
| | Parish Council | 01/07 | 7.30pm |
| | Baptism Talk | 04/07 | 7.30pm |
| | Finance | 18/07 | 7.00pm |
| | Sacramental Team | 13/11 | 7.30pm |
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Feast Days

Altar Servers

Commentator

Ministers of Communion

Presentation of Gifts

Children's Liturgy

Window cleaning

Church cleaning

Acolytes

Reader

Projector

19th St Romuald
21st St Aloysius Gonzaga
22nd Ss John Fisher and
Thomas More
23rd St Paulinus of Nola

Moments of Mercy

See I have left My heavenly throne to become united with you. What you see is just a tiny part and already your soul swoons with love. (Diary 1810)

Catholic Weekly

- Reluctant doctors: Victoria experiences difficulty finding doctors who will end patient's lives
- God the Mother? Fr Flader explains
- Sanctity of the Seal: Why confession matters
- Gallery Hanging: Student makes it into the Young Archibald Prize
- · Why I'm giving up Netflix
- Movie review: Godzilla: King of the monsters

Positions Vacant

Casual Workers
Volunteers - Catholic Care
Mamre Creche. More details
parracatholic.org/employment



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Planned Giving & Catholic Foundation Receipts

6.00PM Viail

Ray Modini

Elly Benkovich

Gerard Fabien

Sharon Del Rosario

Silvestre Ganchingco

Peter & Renata Beck

Bianca & Sharon Del Rosario

Jhun Javier (JMJ Group)

Annabelle Hamilton, Maddie Hamilton

22/23 June

Many thanks to everyone who has contributed. Receipts for the 2018/19 F/Y are only available upon request by email to the office. If you don't have an email address please place your name and envelope number on the sheet provided at the back of the church.

Couples for Christ, JMJ (Jhun Javier), Mark & Caroline Penafiel

8.00 am

Paul Dahlberg

Tahlia Moses

Emmy Cox

Lilia Ferrero

Minda Chumroonridhi

Pat Lord

Volunteer

Andrew Fernando

9.30 am

Christina Greenlees

Tim Hamilton

Bob McMillan

Michael Mifsud

Frank Roach

Diana Roberts

Brogden Family

Receipts will not be issued unless requested.

Planned Giving Envelopes

Thank you for your active contributions through the Planned Giving programme. Envelopes for the new financial year are available from this weekend and can be collected from the foyer. The programme supports the Parish in its general running and maintenance and if you are not yet taking part, please consider joining this important programme.

We also encourage the use of credit cards as it reduces the cost of using printed envelopes. If any existing contributors want to change to direct debit please contact the Parish Office on 9639 6516 or by email.

As always your financial support to our Parish is very much appreciated.

Farewell Father Tovia

Father Tovia's final mass is 8am Sunday 23rd June. Unfortunately the previously advertised morning tea will now be cancelled due to a prior commitment by Father Tovia. We will miss what made him to special to each of us and take this opportunity to thank Father Tovia for his work at our Parish and wish him all the very best.

Please remember to keep him in your prayers.

Holy Lord we ask that you shine your loving light on your faithful minister. Guide, support and strengthen your servant in fulfilling your will and in carrying out this service of love to your people. Amen

PARISH CELEBRATION FOR THE **FEAST DAY OF ST PAUL**

Tony Anthony

Michael Hruby Sean Trainor

Kerry Bailey

Helene/Julianne Barker Larry & Persy Mapanao & Connie

Couples for Christ

Sanchea Rodrigues

6.00 pm

Sunday 30th June 2019

Commencing with 9.30am Mass and followed by a barbeque to be held in and around the Parish Centre. This is a wonderful opportunity to celebrate the life of St Paul, eat a wide range of great food, catch up with friends and maybe make new ones too!

Please bring a plate of your favourite cultural dish and any dish will be welcomed.

This mass will also include the installation of our new Altar Servers and a renewal for all Altar Servers.

We look forward to seeing everyone on this special feast day!

Bishop's Good Shepherds Appeal

When God calls, will you help them answer? The Holy Spirit Seminary in Harris Park is training 15 young men to be true shepherds of Christ's flock and future priests for the Diocese of Parramatta.

Your gift to Parramatta Catholic Foundation will support our seminarians to prepare for the priesthood and a life of community service.

The Appeal will be held on the weekend of 22nd & 23rd June. Please give generously via the

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Light Up St Pat's

In conjunction with Parramatta Council's *Winterlight Festival*. St Patrick's Cathedral, Parramatta are hosting the Light Up St Pat's projections! You are welcome to visit the Cathedral and view these projections which centre on the theme of Hope. Opening night will be July 6 at 7.15pm (after 6pm Mass) and will continue until 21 July. All welcome.

Please pray for

Jack & Gladys Scott, Fr David Scott, Josephine Clayton, Saverio Marotta, Rosa Marotta, Paul Beck, Brian Hurney, Lottie & Fredrick Gibbs, Anna Mary Joseph & Ratnam John Joseph, Maurice & Yvonne Sequeira, Aurelio & Connie Lopez, Michael & Julia Sherman Chammouni Franci, Madeleine Adolphe and Kerry Cini - May they rest in peace