Weekend Mass times (only available by prior booking)

Saturday 5.00pm vigil

Sunday 8.00am, 9.30am and 5.00pm

Weekday Mass times

Daily 9.10am Saturday 9.00am (followed by the Rosary) No Tuesday evening Mass at this stage

Reconciliation

Saturday 4.00pm - 4.45pm

Baptisms

First and Third Sunday of each month bookings can be made via the website

For the latest updates please refer to our Facebook page: facebook.com/stpaultheapostleparish

From Father Raning

A man who drove all night was still far from his destination by morning. He stopped at the next city he came to and park somewhere quiet so he could get an hour or two of sleep.

As luck would have it, the guiet place he chose happened to be on one of the city's major jogging routes. No sooner had he settled back to snooze when there came a knocking on his window. He looked out and saw a jogger running in place. "Excuse me, sir," the jogger said, "do you have the time?" The man looked at the car clock and answered, "8:15". The jogger said thanks and left. The man settled back again, and was just dozing off when there was another knock on the window and another jogger. "Excuse me, sir, do you have the time?" "8:25!" The jogger said thanks and left.

The man saw other joggers passing and he knew it was a matter of time before another one disturbed him. To avoid the problem, he got out a pen and paper and put a sign in his window saying, "I do not know the time!" Once again, he settled back to sleep.

He was just dozing off when there was another knock on the window. "Sir, sir? It's 8:45!"

First reading: The messianic king is a gentle ruler who brings peace.

When have I experienced the peace of Jesus recently?

Second reading: Paul reminds us that God's Spirit dwells in us.

When have I been most aware of the presence of the Holy Spirit in me?

Gospel: Jesus invites us to put our burden on him.

What burdens do I most want to give to Jesus today?

Parish Update and changes to restrictions

New restrictions are now in place and please note the following updated information.

- We are now able to have up to 160 people at each Mass
- Social distancing restrictions are in place and are to be respected
- Where there is a "do not sit here" sign, that applies to the entire pew
- Members of the same family and/or household are permitted to sit together
- Holy water is available in the foyer to take home, however is not yet available in the fonts
- The Sign of Peace should be omitted or given without any hand-to-hand contact
- Holy Communion can only be distributed and received on the hand (Ordinary Form of Latin Rite)
- When going to Communion please distance yourself from the person in front of you
- No singing at masses other than the livestream
- There is no procession of gifts or passing of collection plates
- Baptisms have recommenced and can only be booked from our website
- Please note update times for Masses and Reconciliation at the top of this page





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Holy Hour for Vocations

Jesus knew when we are committed to whatever we are doing no obstacle can prevent us from reaching our goal. So Jesus could say: "If you will not take up your cross and come after me you are not worthy of me."

Moments of Mercy

Every movement of your heart is known to Me. Know that one glance of yours directed at someone else would wound Me more than many sins committed by another person (Diary 588)

Catholic Weekly

The Catholic Weekly Digital Edition for issue 5th July 2020 is now available.

Please click the link to view. https://www.catholicweekly.com.au/ catholic-weekly-newspaper-online/

Next weekend (11th & 12th July) hard copies of the paper will be available to purchase still at the same price of \$2.00

Piety Store

Please contact the office. We are only too happy to help you with your needs.



Church cleaning

"He loves. He hopes. He waits. Our Lord prefers to wait Himself for the sinner for years rather than keep us waiting an instant".



7th Blessed Peter To Rot

rament of Marriage".



9th St Augustine Zhao Rong Saint Augustine was a Chinese solider. After witnessing the bravery of your faithful priests. O Lord, he was reborn through baptism and became a priest. Shortly afterwards, he became a martyr for the faith.



11th St Benedict "He who labours as he prays lifts his heart to God with his hands".



24 Hour Eucharistic Adoration Friday 17 to Saturday 18 July

Starting at 9:10am Mass on Friday, our Lord will be exposed for 24 hours concluding with 9am Mass Saturday Come ... spend some time with Him

At all times our Lord Jesus must have someone with Him, so please signify your interest on the timetable at the back of the Church else please contact the office to reserve a timeslot

Planned Giving and Catholic Foundation Receipts

"I will never say enough to the Many thanks to everyone who has contributed. Receipts for the 2019/20 F/Y are only available Christians about the dignity and upon request by email to the office. If you don't have an email address please contact the the great importance of the Sac- office. Receipts will not be issued unless requested.

Eileen & Dennis Dunnachie, Judy Hince, Chris Leonard, Gemma Martin

Due to COVID all other ministries are suspended until further notice. Thank you for your continued commitment.

Planned Giving Envelopes

Thank you for your active contributions through the Planned Giving programme. Envelopes for the new financial year are available for collection from the Church 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 use of direct debit as it reduces the cost of printing, etc. If any existing contributors want to change to direct debit please complete the authority card in your pack. As always your financial support to our Parish is deeply appreciated.

Little White Box

Is available this weekend. Your financial support no matter how small makes a big impact on the lives of a mother and her little one.

Positions Vacant

Human Resources Adviser - Diocese of Parramatta. For more details visit parracatholic.org/employment

Due to COVID do not put this bulletin back in the holder. This bulletin must be taken home with you. Thank you

Please pray for our sick

Antonio Abulad, Maroun Ayoub, Elly Bejma, Danielle Brown, Kay Bull, Helen Butler, Richard Cassin, Ron Cini, Christine Coorey, Camarillo Cossid, Gus DelVillar, Fevoura Daroy, Joseph Daroy, Selene Daroy, Frederick de Silva, Rebecca Duncum, George El-Bayeh, Reuben Ferrero, Josephine & Chafic Filfili, Nick Galea, Ma Juana Gaueta, Patricia Gleeson, Piper Hastings, Brian Horan, Anthony lannuzzi, Ludie Irrulbandra, Jacqueline Kelly, Josephine Mamari, Sonia Merhi, Maria Micallef, Tess & Charlie Micallef, Dennis Murray, Lesleu Palaki, Arun Papali, Lina Pereira, Silvi Perumal, Judy Phillips, Des Prendergast, Emely Reyes, Joe Stagnitta, Marty Stockford & Patrick Wheeler.

Heavenly Father, We pray that you will lay your healing hands upon all those who are sick. We ask you to have compassion on all who are suffering so that they may be delivered from their painful circumstances. May they know that you are always with them, especially through difficult times. Amen

Please pray for

Jack & Gladys Scott, Father David Scott, Josephine Clayton, Saverio & Rosa Marotta, Paul Beck, Brian Hurney, Lottie & Fredrick Gibbs, Anna Mary Joseph & Ratnam John Joseph, Maurice & Yvonne Segueira, Andrew Busuttil, Kerry Cini, Aurelio & Connie Lopez, Michael & Julia Sherman, Chammouni Frangi, Madeleine Adolphe, Brian Baker, Mary & John Ford, John Ford Junior, Rosy Attard, Jim Rowan, Bal & Jennifer Villanova, Donald Ramage, Dex Habito. May the souls of our dearly departed rest in peace

