

St Paul the Apostle Parish

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Office hours: Monday to Friday 9:00am – 4:00pm

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Feast of the Most Holy Trinity

This most solemn feast is a celebration dedicated to the central mystery of our Christian faith: the understanding and worship of the one God in three divine Persons - Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. The feast as we know is always held on the Sunday after Pentecost and was instituted in the liturgical calendar by Pope John XXII in 1334. However, the devotion to the Holy Trinity has roots that trace back to the early Church where early Christians used the formula of the Trinity in their prayers and hymns, reflecting the deep-seated belief in the triune God.

This feast emphasises the unity of the Trinity and the unique roles each Person plays in the divine plan of salvation. The Father, Son, and Holy Spirit are distinct yet co-equal and consubstantial, meaning they are of the same substance. The mystery of the Holy Trinity is a fundamental doctrine in Christianity, encapsulating the essence of our faith.

Each Person of the Trinity plays a vital role in the work of creation, redemption, and sanctification:

God the Father:

Creator and Sustainer of all things, who, in His infinite love, sent His Son for the salvation of humanity.

God the Son (Jesus Christ):

The Redeemer, who became incarnate, suffered, died, and rose again to reconcile us to the Father.

God the Holy Spirit:

Sanctifier, dwells in us, guiding and empowering us to live out our faith and witness to the love of God.

The Feast of the Most Holy Trinity invites us to contemplate the vastness and intimacy of God's love.

It reminds us that our faith is rooted in a relationship with a God who is a perfect communion of love.

As we celebrate this feast, let us renew our commitment to living in the love of the Trinity and sharing that love with others.

Let us come together in joyous celebration of the mystery of our faith,

giving thanks for the boundless love and unity of the Holy Trinity.

Upcoming Feast Days, Memorials, Solemnities

1st Saint Justin | 2nd Saints Marcellinus and Peter | 3rd Saint Charles Lwanga | 5th Saint Boniface

6th Saint Norbert, Saint Marcellin Champagnat | 7th The Most Holy Body And Blood Of Christ

24 Hour Eucharistic Adoration – June

Commences: 9:10am Mass Friday 5th | Concludes: 9:10am Mass Saturday 6th

Our Lord Jesus will be exposed for 24 hours. At all times must have someone with Him.

If you are able to be in attendance to ensure we have someone always present,

please record your details on the booking sheet as you enter the Church. Thank you.

During the 24 hours of Eucharistic adoration, there are other ways to participate:

- 3:30pm [Chaplet of Divine Mercy](#) in front of the Blessed Sacrament

- 6:00pm [Evening Prayer/Vespers](#) (also known as [Liturgy Of The Hours](#))

- 6:00pm Reconciliation until 7:00pm

Weekend Mass	Saturday Vigil: 5:00pm Sunday: 8:00am, 9:30am, 5:00pm
Weekday Mass	Monday to Saturday: 9:10am (preceded by 8:40am Rosary) Thursday: 7.00pm
Reconciliation	Thursday 6.15pm - 6.45pm First Friday 6.00pm - 7.00pm Saturday 4.00pm - 4.45pm
Adoration	Thursday 6.00pm - 7.00pm (24 hour Adoration) First Friday 9.45am - 9.00am Saturday
Baptisms	First and Third Sunday of each month. Baptism bookings only via our website

Communion to the sick

Contact office to organise

Wednesday Novena

To Mother of Perpetual Help

prayed after 9:10am Mass

Thursday Cenacles

Prayed in Marian Chapel

after 9:10am Mass

Christ's Catholic

Community Prayer group

Fridays 10:00 am in Parish

Centre Conference Room

Divine Mercy Chaplet

Friday 3:30pm Marian Chapel

Liturgy of the Hours

First Friday at 6:00pm

Mass with Ephpheta

Third Sunday at 9:30am

Women's Ministry

Third Thursday of the month

6:00pm - Church

7:45pm - Parish Hall

2SM Filipino Mass

Second Sunday 11:00am

Low gluten hosts

Available upon request

Hearing Loop

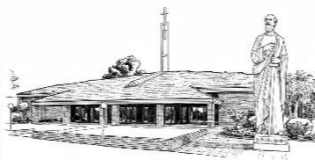
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**"All I want
is to know Christ"**



St Paul the Apostle, pray for us

PARISH NEWS

Parish Feast Day Celebration - Sunday, June 28th Come along - you're all invited!

Our parish will celebrate the solemnity of the Feast of Saint Paul (our patron saint) with Holy Mass at 9:30am.

Everyone is welcome to attend, and for those that may usually attend our Masses at other times, consider coming along.

Join us after Mass for a meal and activities in our school grounds as we gather and celebrate as a parish community.

We do however need your help

We cannot make this happen without you and there are many ways and areas where we need volunteers and assistance:

~ **Catering** – we encourage where possible (and of course deeply grateful) if you could consider bringing a plate.

~ **Helpers** – to assist in any way on the day before and also on the day (set up, clean, serve food, BBQ, packing, etc)

**There are lists in our church foyer
to indicate where you can assist
or if you are bringing a plate.
You can also do this via QR:**



If you want to know more, or there are other ways you would like to support and assist, please contact the parish office.

Next Leisure Group: this Wednesday, June 3rd

Where the young at heart share a laugh and a cuppa on every second Wednesday 10am - 12pm in our Parish Centre.

OTHER EVENTS AND HAPPENINGS

Pro-life rally outside NSW Parliament: this Tuesday, June 2nd

To be held outside NSW Parliament House commencing at 6:00pm in support of a bill banning the practice of sex-selective abortion. A show of significant numbers will greatly help this cause as we advocate for the protection of all unborn children and particularly our baby girls who are especially vulnerable. They have no voice but ours. Please do all you can to attend and bring others with you. This will be a family friendly event. More Information: drjoannahowe.com.au/sydneyrallyforlife2026

Bishop's Good Works Appeal

Continuing until mid June, this Appeal will support the Holy Spirit Seminary at Harris Park, helping form future priests our Diocese will need in years ahead. Your generosity provides education, spiritual formation, pastoral training and safe accommodation for seminarians as they answer God's call. Please give generously with the envelopes or parracatholic.org/appeal. Thank you.

Corpus Christi Eucharistic Processions in June

• Thu 4th 6:00pm from Our Lady of Lebanon Co-Cathedral (40 Alice St, Harris Park) walking across to St Patrick's Cathedral.

• Fri 5th 4:00pm from Campion College (8 Austin Woodbury Place, Toongabbie) through the streets of Toongabbie.

Archdiocese of Sydney Divided: The History

May 2026 marks the 40th anniversary of the installation of Bishop Bede Heather in the newly established Dioceses of Parramatta. A very interesting and engaging online article about the process: catholicoutlook.org/archdiocese-of-sydney-divided-the-history/

Important Safeguarding information

Safeguarding is everyone's responsibility. It ensures that children, young people, and vulnerable adults are safe, respected, and protected in our parish community. All volunteers and ministry members are required to complete safeguarding training.

This can be completed online or face-to-face training sessions: parracatholic.org/connect/events/?series=safeguarding-training.

To know more, please contact our parish office or visit Diocese of Parramatta Safeguarding website parracatholic.org/safeguarding/.

At St Paul the Apostle Parish we are dedicated to creating a safe and nurturing environment for all members of our community, especially children and vulnerable adults. We take safeguarding of children and vulnerable persons seriously.

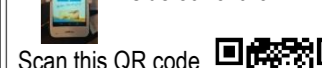
Refer concerns to Parish Priest, Office for Safeguarding and Professional Standards safeguarding@parracatholic.org or 8838 3419.

Heavenly Father, we pray you will lay your healing hands upon all those who are sick:

Aeroll Klein, Amanda Caputo, Antonia Maturano, Arlene Diaz, Aurora Ignacio, Bailey Whou, Darrel Morrison, David, David Nichols, Declan Trainor, Edgar Cruz, Ellen Wynne, Fermin Manuel, John Gin, Gabrielle Locke, Grace Kaddissi, Helene Barker, Irene Barry, Jennifer and John Lopez, Mark Lopez, Joshua King, Joshua McCarroll, Judy Ibrahim, Krishna Premadas, Loui Ibrahim, Loy De'Souza, Nick Galea, Lynda Steel, Lucas Le Huray, Lynette Giri, Maria Mezzagosto, Marian Bacho, Maridel Manuzon, Mary McConvey, Michael Hall, Peter Beck, Ron Locke, Sam Papallo, Socorro Alfaro, Stella Kim, Therese Garamy, Vanessa Ibrahim, Valeriano Estacio Jnr, Vincent (Vinny) Coorey.

How to donate to our parish

Tap and Go terminals
inside our church



Scan this QR code
for secure one off
donations via our
website

Congregational Count is now complete thank you!

This was conducted across all parishes in Australia and results will be shared once available. We are grateful for your patience and assistance and a special thank you to members of the Parish Council and all counters assisting in the process making it possible.

Please pray for the repose of the souls of our dearly departed that they may rest in peace:

Jack and Gladys Scott, Father David Scott, Beth Kenny, Charles and Josephine Clayton, George Steel, John and Kevin Young, Noel Young, Ann Adams, Lorna & Jack Wardell, Roland Gonzalez, Arnold Morris, Doreen Marsh, Louis, Mary & George El-Bayeh, Michael Balagtas, Joan & Joe Athaide, Vince Colosimo, Louise McInerney, Joseph Lucas, Paul Bowman, Mary & Nick Carter, Lillian & Alma Mallick, Ursula Heubel.