



# The Parish of St. Paul of the Cross Glen Osmond/Parkside

## PARISH VISION STATEMENT

*Our Catholic parish is a welcoming and inclusive community, guided by the Gospel and inspired by Passionist spirituality. We seek God through our gathering for Eucharist and sharing in liturgies which nurture our outreach and commitment to social justice*

**Feast of St Paul of the Cross  
17th — 18th October, 2020**

### Parish Priest:

Fr Denis Travers cp

### Assistant Parish Priest:

Fr. Patrice Ndemasi cp

### Pastoral Associate:

Ms. Pauline Connell

### Child Safe Contact Person:

Ms. Pauline Connell

### Parish Secretary:

Carmela Pannunzio

### Passionist Community Members:

Fr. Denis Travers cp (Community Leader), Fr. Patrice Ndemasi cp, Fr. Tony Egar cp, Fr. David Wilkie cp, Bro. Mark Wells cp, Bro. Larry Finn cp, Fr. Matthew Qin cp, Deacon Tony Simbel cp, Sr. Nithya cp, Sr. Joan Mary cp, Sr. Jasmine cp, Sr. Mary Jimsy cp, Sr. Mary Jasmine cp, Sr. Shiji cp, Bro. Stan Tyler cp at Lourdes Valley

### St Raphael's Parish

#### Primary School:

114 Glen Osmond Road, Parkside  
Ph: 8272 2368  
Mrs. Mia Harms (Principal)  
Mrs Sue Coghlan (APRIM)

### Parish Pastoral Council

Mr. Des Quirk (Chairperson)  
Ms. Jennifer Harvey (Deputy Chair)  
Carmela Pannunzio (Secretary)

### Finance Chair:

Mr. Brian Lilley

### Address

St. Paul's & The Monastery  
15 Cross Rd. Urrbrae 5064.  
(08) 8338 1277

St. Raphael's, Young St.,  
Parkside (08) 8338 1277

**Parish Emergency calls after hours 8338 1277**

### Parish Office Hours

9am – 5pm  
Tuesday to Friday  
Closed Monday

### Passionist Community

Telephone (08) 8338 8700

### Email

parish@themonastery.net.au

### Website

themonastery.net.au

### CENTACARE

To book an appointment for free telephone counselling, please phone 8215 6700.

MASSES FOR THE FOLLOWING WEEK 17th — 23rd October 2020		
Please be aware the maximum number of attendees indicated at the front door. As directed by Government requirements your <u>name and contact details are required for tracing purposes.</u>		
	St Raphael's	St Paul's
<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>5.30PM</b>	<b>6PM</b>
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>9.30AM (Exposition till 4pm)</b>	<b>8AM 10.30am 5PM</b>
<b>MONDAY</b>		<b>11.15AM Rosary 11.30AM Mass</b>
<b>TUESDAY</b>		<b>8AM</b>
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>9.30AM</b>	<b>8AM</b>
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>9.30AM (Exposition till 1.30pm)</b>	<b>7AM</b>
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>9.30AM (Exposition till 1.30pm)</b>	<b>7AM</b>

**MASS for the 29th Sunday in Ordinary time, will be live streamed from the 10.30am Mass at St Paul's.**

**FACEBOOK:** Glen Osmond/Parkside

Parish

(<https://www.facebook.com/StPaulsRetreat/>)

### RAMP ACCESS

A reminder for those who need to use the ramp as access for St Paul's Church, please advise the Marshal of your presence so you are recorded as attending, and they will arrange for the side door at the top of the ramp to be opened for you.

### TV BROADCASTING OF SUNDAY MASS.

For those who do not have internet access the Sunday Mass from the Cathedral is replayed on **Channel 44 at 5pm every week.**

**Next Week 24—25 October, 2020**

### St. Paul's Eucharistic Ministers:

**6.00pm** Marie Davis

**8.00am** Baruch Netto

**10.30am** Connie Yap

**5.00pm** Alison Gore

### St. Raphael's Eucharistic Ministers:

**5.30pm** Des Quirk

**9.30am** Rosa Filosi

### Readers:

#### St. Paul's

**6.00pm** Vincent Chong

**8.00am** Des O'Connor

**10.30am** Fiona Errington

**5.00pm** Melita Dracopoulos

#### St. Raphael's

**5.30pm** Samuel Chua

**9.30am** Peter McLoughlin

### Altar Society:

Elizabeth

**Parish Counting Team: 8**

**Next Sunday's readings: 24 — 25 October, 2020 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A**

**1st Reading:** Ex 22:20-26

**2nd Reading:** Thess 1:5-10

**Gospel:** Matthew 22:34-40

Low gluten hosts are available in this parish. Please visit the sacristy prior to Mass.

**Let us remember to pray for each other.**

**Sick:** Anton Sylvester

**Recently Deceased:** Ana Krpic, Oliver Wood, Trinidad Barga

**Anniversaries:** Michael De Lorenzo, Stephen Barry, Frank Vella, Domenica Santucci, Giovanni Zeoli, Zachary Wilson, Kathleen & Charles Mahony, Yolanda Rossi

Dear Parishioners - *Celebrating our Parish Feast Day*  
Our Parish Patron saint, *Paul of the Cross*, founded the Congregation of the Passion 300 years ago next month. Thus, we will soon be celebrating a Jubilee Year across the world and as a Passionist parish we will be able to share in some of the events and initiatives planned for next year.

However today as we celebrate the Feast of St Paul of the Cross, I thought that it might be of interest to learn a little more about our Congregation in its global setting. From our small beginnings in Italy in 1720 we are now located in sixty-three countries across the world and number around 1,900 members.

Perhaps it is also helpful to see our Congregation in a wider setting of the Church today. While the Passionists have grown steadily over the course of our 300 years, the Church itself has had amazing growth particularly over the past 120 years. In 1900, 75% of the world's Catholics lived in Europe or the USA; today this is reversed, and more than two thirds of Catholics now live in the southern hemisphere. This growth will continue throughout our lifetimes to the extent that by 2050, 80% of the world's Catholics will be African, Asian, or Hispanic.

Our Congregation is also part of this enormous shift from the Northern Hemisphere to the Southern Hemisphere. Today almost all our younger members are from Asia, Africa, or Latin America, and like other Congregations this is our future, because nearly all our vocations are also in these same continents. To be even more precise, our growth today is in the world's equatorial and tropical regions.

In many places within the western world it seems the Church is experiencing a time of diminishment (and marginalisation) and sadly a time where we have so few vocations, but globally Christianity is not in decline. It is growing and renewing itself. Our Congregation may be described in the same way - we do face diminishment (and aging) in some areas of the western world, and yet we experience significant growth in other parts of the world and we are renewing ourselves.

Our life as a religious Congregation might also be described in an image - that of a spider's web. We are centred on the passion, death, and resurrection of Jesus and all our pastoral responses radiate out from this central Charism. Just as a web has separate but interconnected strands, so too with our mission in various countries. We are one, but we are many, and while each part of our Congregation adapts to the local cultures, we remain deeply connected by a common Charism. This makes it possible for the whole Congregation to witness and live in the same spirit.

Our community at St. Paul's is a good example of the reality of Passionist life today. We are men from Papua New Guinea, Tanzania, Canada, China, Vietnam, and Australia and yet we live the same Charism in the one community.

I extend a special greeting also to our Sisters today – members of an autonomous order the *Passionist Sisters of St Paul of the Cross* who share with us the Passionist Charism.

And to you dear parishioners, Happy Parish Feast day greetings to each of you.

Fr Denis cp

## PARISH FOOD FESTIVAL

Normally we celebrate the international character of our Parish with a food festival around the time of the Feast day of St Paul of the Cross. Due to Covid-19 limitations this event will not occur this year. Let us look forward to new opportunities to celebrate in 2021.

## TREE PLANTING

Dear Parishioners, a special thank you to members of the parish who have so enthusiastically supported the project to plant 150 trees. Thank you for the donations that we have received. We intend to plant all 150 trees next Sunday (October 25<sup>th</sup>) from 10am – 12 noon when some light refreshments will be served. (Covid19 protocols will apply). Volunteers and families who have registered to help plant the trees are asked to bring a hat, gardening gloves and a trowel.  
Thank you, Fr Denis

## CATHOLIC MISSION APPEAL

Today you are invited to partner with the Church in Cambodia, which is reaching out to those who have been affected by disability and giving them hope and support to live a fulfilling life. Please remember to return your envelope in the coming weeks. Thank you.

## OUR INDIGENOUS HERITAGE AND CATHOLICISM: ABORIGINAL AND CATHOLIC SPIRITUALITY IN DIALOGUE

An online forum exploring the theme of: 'Our Indigenous Heritage and Catholicism: Aboriginal and Catholic spirituality in dialogue'.

**Time:** Thursday, 22 October, 7.30pm

To register for this forum: reply to

[Catholicsforanevolvingchurch@gmail.com](mailto:Catholicsforanevolvingchurch@gmail.com) You will then be sent the Zoom link on Wednesday, 21 October by email.

## PAT LOPRESTI ORDINATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD

Please join in celebrating the Ordination of Deacon Pat Lopresti to the Priesthood at St Francis Xavier's Cathedral on Saturday, October 24 at 10.00am. Bookings to attend the Mass are limited due to density restrictions but can be made via [www.trybooking.com/BLVCR](http://www.trybooking.com/BLVCR). The Mass will be live streamed. This is a significant event for our Archdiocese and we ask that you keep Pat in your prayers in the journey to his Ordination.

## DISASTER AND RECOVERY MINISTRIES SA

Disaster and Recovery Ministries SA is an increasingly multi faith ministry in South Australia, whose role as part of the State Emergency Management Plan is to provide trained volunteer chaplains to offer pastoral and spiritual support to individuals and communities impacted by disasters such as bushfires, floods, severe storms industrial accident, terrorist attack etc. The next opportunity to undertake 2-day training for this ministry will happen on Tuesday 17 and Wednesday 18 November 2020 at Seacliff Uniting Church (Wheatland St, Seacliff) and will be led by Rev Dr Stephen Robinson, National Disaster Recovery Officer, Uniting Church Assembly. Training is free and all refreshments will be provided in a COVID-19 safe manner. Please register here <https://www.trybooking.com/BLIQK> or contact Coordinator Wendy Perkins ([wperkins@sa.uca.org.au](mailto:wperkins@sa.uca.org.au) or 0408 896 220) for further information.