



## CHURCH OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION AND ST. PAUL OF THE CROSS

Catholic Parish of Dulwich Hill, Archdiocese of Sydney, Established in 1907

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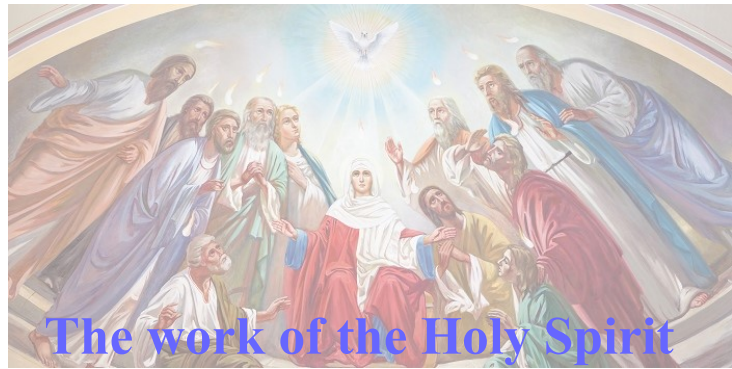
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Bishop Richard Umbers DD VG

Fr. John Ssemaganda (Administrator), Deacon Rev Louis Azzopardi



## PRIMARY SCHOOL

Ph: 9558 5308

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Principal:

Ms Frances Stewart

REC: Ms Jo-Anne Ross

Family Educator:

Mrs Claudia Maroun



With St Paul of the Cross we pray ...

### For the sick

Jaye Phoenix Guia, Teresita Lasala, Luke, Victoria Pacheco, Cathy Consentino, Anne Keogh, Owen Gallagher, Josieann, Eileen Joyce, Lucia Nicotina, Anna Pezzuto, Alfonso Costantini, Sonia, Rodolfo Estrada, Domenic Capello, Marlowe, Jacutin, Sonny Martinez, Annette Rodriguez, Onofrio Ferraro, Salvatore Ferraro, Lolita A Japtan, Felisa C Hao, Nolene Conn, Lucia Ferraro, Frank Di Napoli

### Recently Deceased

Edward Joseph Unwin  
Fr Jose Maria Eneadagula SJ  
Ethel Savet  
Grace Russo

### Death Anniversary

Maria Kayrouz & her son Samir  
Tadeus Nguyen & Anna Ta Rosanna Cooke

### For the Souls of

Nadm Sara with his mother, father, brothers, and sister-in-law  
Concetina & Venera Trovato  
Maria Rosa Travia  
Raimondo & Raffaella Dolce  
All forgotten Souls and Holy Souls in Purgatory

### Special Intentions

Nigel  
Maria de Silva, Rian Galliot

### Parish Office

Maria - Mondays

Cecilia -Tuesday-Friday

9.30am - 2:30pm

If unattended, contact : -

Fr. John 0404 639 925

### Parish & Hall enquiries

9558 3257

### Mass Times

Sat: 5:30pm (Vigil)

Sun: 8am & 10am

Mon: 8 am

Tue - Fri: 9:00am

Sat: 9:30am

### Family Mass with

#### Children's Liturgy

3rd Sunday of the

Month 10am Mass

### Filipino Mass

1st Sun 11:30am

### Il Gruppo di Rosario

#### Italiano

Il gruppo di

preghiera Italiano, si

raduna ogni giovedì alle

ore 10 nella sala

parrocchiale.

### Sacraments

#### Confession

Sat 8:30-9:20am, 4:45pm

or any time by

appointment

### Baptism

Every 2nd, 3rd and 4th

Sunday 11.15am

### Marriage

At least 6 months notice

required

### Anointing of the Sick

Any time on call

### Devotions

Every Friday Adoration

3-4pm

### Rosary & Benediction

Sat 8:30-9:30am

### Elsa George Rosary

Group Second Saturday

of every month at

2.30pm

9716 6676 All welcome

### Novena to Our Lady of

#### Perpetual Help

Wednesday 7pm

### Sacramental Program

Candidates who qualify for registration for the

Sacrament of Confirmation, either in Year 6 or 11

-12 years or older. The programme runs from 13

May to 24 June. All information, forms and

requirements are on our weebly site, [http://](http://sacramentsatsaintpaul.weebly.com/confirmation)

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### Join Pope Francis in Panama for the 34th World Youth Day in January 2019

If interested please visit the link: -

[www.sydneycatholicyouth.org.wyd](http://www.sydneycatholicyouth.org.wyd)

### The Bishop's Blend:

Looking to network with other

young Catholic professionals and learn how to live

your faith in the workplace? Then join the Most

Reverend Bishop Richard Umbers, Auxiliary Bishop

of Sydney on Tuesday, 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2018 at 7:00am at

the Radisson Blu Plaza Hotel Sydney for The

Bishop's Blend, a quarterly breakfast series for young

professionals. Online booking is essential. For more

information and to purchase tickets go to [https://](https://bishopsblendfourthedition.eventbrite.com)

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[bishopsblend@sydneycatholic.org](mailto:bishopsblend@sydneycatholic.org)

### Representatives from The Culture Project,

a new

missionary organisation of young people who believe

in restoring our society to one where every human

being is treated with the love and dignity they deserve,

will be speaking after all Masses on the weekend of the

26th-27th May.

[www.thecultureproject.com.au](http://www.thecultureproject.com.au)

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### St Vincent De Paul Conference - April 2018

Anonymous Donation \$200, Poor Boxes \$345.05,

Food Vouchers \$550, Movie Vouchers \$150,

Furniture, 7 Home Visits.

Fortnightly meeting every other Tuesday 7:00pm

### The Bible and the Virgin Mary

Join us for a 12 week course explaining the Catholic

truths about Our Lady and her part in God's plan to

bring salvation to the world. Based on Dr. Scott Hahn's

book Hail, Holy Queen, the course teaches how Marian

doctrine is firmly rooted in Scripture and answers

common objections from non-Catholics.

Starting: 7:30pm Wednesday, 13 June in the Parish

Hall

All are welcome! Contact: Dn Louis Azzopardi

### SAINTS of the WEEK (21 - 27 May, 2018):

21st May St Christopher Magallanes & companions

22nd May St Rita of Cascia

24th May Our Lady, Help of Christians

25th May St Bede the Venerable, priest, doctor

25th May St Gregory VII, pope

25th May St Mary Magdalene de Pazzi, virgin

26th May St Philip Neri, priest

### Prayer to Our Lady, Help of Christians

O God, who chose the Virgin

Mary to be the Mother of your

Only Begotten Son, the light of

the world, grant, through her

intercession, that the radiance

of Christ may shine over this

land, guiding us in the way of

justice and love.

Mary Help of Christians, pray for us.



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### Dates to remember

8th June (Fri) 7:00pm Adoration with Bp Richard

13th June (Wed) 7:30pm Bible Study, Parish Hall

24th June (Sunday) Confirmation at St Paul's

### St Paul of the Cross Parish

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### PLANNED GIVING PROGRAM

Reverend Fr. John Ssemaganda

The Parish is grateful to all contributions to the second collection (including their cheque and e-payment)

Donations, and all other contributions, are gratefully received. Please ensure that all contributions are made by the 1st of July 2018. Please refer to the Parish Office for other tax deduction options

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The titles given to the Holy Spirit must surely stir the soul of anyone who hears them, and make him realise that they speak of nothing less than the supreme Being. Is he not called the Spirit of God, the Spirit of truth who proceeds from the Father, the steadfast Spirit, the guiding Spirit? But his principal and most personal title is the Holy Spirit.

To the Spirit all creatures turn in their need for sanctification; all living things seek him according to their ability. His breath empowers each to achieve its own natural end.

The Spirit is the source of holiness, a spiritual light, and he offers his own light to every mind to help it in its search for truth. By nature the Spirit is beyond the reach of our mind, but we can know him by his goodness. The power of the Spirit fills the whole universe, but he gives himself only to those who are worthy, acting in each according to the measure of his faith.

Simple in himself, the Spirit is manifold in his mighty works. The whole of his being is present to each individual; the whole of his being is present everywhere. Though shared in by many, he remains unchanged; his self giving is no loss to himself. Like the sunshine, which permeates all the atmosphere, spreading over land and sea, and yet is enjoyed by each person as though it were for him alone, so the Spirit pours forth his grace in full measure, sufficient for all, and yet is present as though exclusively to everyone who can receive him. To all creatures that share in him he gives a delight limited only by their own nature, not by his ability to give.

The Spirit raises our hearts to heaven, guides the steps of the weak, and brings to perfection those who are making progress. He enlightens those who have been cleansed from every stain of sin and makes them spiritual by communion with himself.

As clear, transparent substances become very bright when sunlight falls on them and shine with a new radiance, so also souls in whom the Spirit shines become spiritual themselves and a source of grace for others.

From the Spirit comes foreknowledge of the future, understanding of the mysteries of faith, insight into the hidden meaning of Scripture, and other special gifts. Through the Spirit we become citizens of heaven, we enter into eternal happiness, and abide in God. Through the Spirit we acquire a likeness to God; indeed, we attain what is beyond our most sublime aspirations – we become God.

### Pentecost 2018 at St Paul's

#### International foods night 19th May 6:30pm

Let us celebrate our diversity in culture and food.

Please make a dish from your cultural background

and bring it along to celebrate togetherness as a

parish.

### Celebration of the Holy Spirit in Music & Readings

In addition to the Parish Masses on Pentecost

Sunday (20 May) in our church, at 7 pm there will

be a service of sacred music and readings as a

Celebration of the Holy Spirit. Bp Richard invites all

parishioners to enrich their experience of

Pentecost by taking part in this celebration.

Refreshments will be available in the Hall after the

service.

### From the treatise On the Holy Spirit

by Saint Basil the Great, bishop

### PARISH WEEKEND MASS ROSTER 26 - 27 May 2018

Acolyte: 5:30pm Ricardo

8am Ricardo

10:00am Philip

Readers: 5:30pm S Draysey, P Allport

8am P Tan, N Dudley

10am R Rita, T Lasala

Music: 5:30pm Beauti & Choir

8am Sri & Choir

10am Beauti & Choir

Cleaning: Joseph & Chinne Duru

Laundry: D Cremona

Environment: Volunteer

Counters: A Di Donato, I. Pinto, J Luximon