



# Pan Korinthian Association of "Apostolos Pavlos"



## Saints Peter & Paul

*O first-enthroned of the Apostles,  
and teachers of all the world,  
intercede with the Master of all,  
to grant peace to the world,*

A feast was held for Sts Peter and Paul on Sunday 5th July 2009 at the Greek Orthodox Parish in Gynea (Church of Saint Stylianos, Saints Peter and Paul and Saint Gregory of Palamas) with the presence his Eminence Archbishop Stylianos. After the 'artoclasia\*' a BBQ was prepared by the Parish Commitees. The dancing group of Vasilis Aligiannis performed beautifully.

It is worth remembering that the Church was constructed to the glory of God through the generosity of devout christians and officially opened on the 16th of December 2001 by his Eminence Archbishop Stylianos Primate of the Greek Orthodox Church in Australia, in the distinguished presence of the Honourable Bob Carr MP Premier of New South Wales.

\* The artoclasia is a service whereby five loaves of bread are offered as a sign of faith and devotion. The five loaves are reminiscent of the five loaves that Jesus Christ blessed in the desert and by which five thousand of His hearers were fed. The artoclasia symbolizes the Agape meals of the early Christian communities. Christ has been repeatedly designated as the Bread of Life, and as "the Bread which came from heaven". Artos means Bread in Greek, clasia is a greek ending that denotes "the making of".

