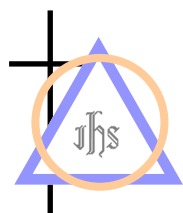


Banyo Nundah Catholic Parish

Banyo, Nudgee, Nudgee Beach, Nundah, Virginia and sections of Clayfield, Northgate and Wavell Heights



"... may they all be one"

Our mission is to be a welcoming, prayerful, embracing parish, united in Christ, strengthening the faith and transforming the spiritual life of the community. We aim to be caring and responsive, sharing the Good News, and living the values of the Gospel.



Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Year B 24th January 2021

Acknowledgement of Country

'We, the parishioners of the Banyo Nundah Catholic Parish, acknowledge the Turrbal People who are the Traditional Custodians of this land. We pay respect to the Elders past, present and future and extend that respect to other Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander People present.

The Word of God. Repentance

In his first words recorded in Mark's gospel, Jesus makes two statements and issues two commands. 'The time of fulfilment' is not worldly time; it is the moment when God acts decisively to accomplish human salvation. 'The kingdom of God' is not a place but refers to God's rule and is a manifestation of God's sovereignty as it is about to be revealed in Jesus' deeds of power. Because all this is at hand, Jesus issues two commands: 'Repent and believe.'

What does it mean to 'repent'? The Greek word *metanoëo* (literally, 'to know after') means to change one's mind. A person, after seeing the consequences of action, has a change of mind, plans, or intentions. 'After-sight' brings insight that results in changing one's mind and, consequently, one's action. In this sense even God can repent. For example, in the book of Jonah, after the prophet warns the people of Nineveh that God is about to destroy them for their sin, the king proclaims a fast and the entire city turns from the evil they have in hand. 'God saw their efforts to renounce their evil behaviour. And God relented: [NRSV = 'changed his mind'] He did not inflict on them the disaster which he had threatened.' (3:10). God relents, that is, God has a change of mind and pursues a different course of action.

In classic religious language 'repentance' is something a sinner does: after seeing the errors of one's ways, the sinner repents. In this sense repentance is a change of mind that leads to a change of conduct (see Luke 3:8) and a concerted effort to live according to what God requires. When Jesus calls people to repent, he calls them to change their minds and conceptions about how it is that God acts and instead to 'believe in the gospel.' To repent here means to see in the gospel — the words and deeds of Jesus — God's definitive saving acts. 'Repent' and 'believe' are two sides of one act — turning one's mind and conforming one's life to the gospel.

Our Parish Pastoral Council is due for renewal as several members retire. I thank Catherine van Dongen, June Pantaleon, Carmel Bullimore, Kathy Ham, Christine Fernandez and Michael McMorro for their service to the parish. The continuing members

are Andrew Woods, Celso Gorospe and Kathy Smiley. I ask all to give thought and prayer as we begin the renewal process which involves, first of all, recommendations of people thought to have the qualities to lead our parish into the future. A Recommendation form was sent out last week. Please return your completed form to the parish office or place in the Collection Boxes at one of our churches. Recommendations close at the end of January, Sunday 31st.

At the Pastoral Council Meeting held on Thursday at Banyo the following matters were discussed: the commencement of the new academic year for schools and colleges; Religious Education in State Schools; the Parish Reconciliation Action Plan (RAP); PPC Formation – Recommendation of new members – the process after recommendations are received – Information and Discernment Night to be held on Thursday 25th February; Holy Trinity Cross progress; Corpus Christi Church Centenary progress; parish support for the Call to All Catholics Campaign 'More With Jesus'.

Academic Year. School and College leaders, students, teachers and staff commence another academic year this week. I expect it will be 'more of the same' as far as the Coronavirus restrictions are concerned. Through our willingness to practice the safety disciplines, we show Christ-like virtues based on his teachings about love for neighbour and ourselves. I ask God's blessing on our college and school communities.

Parish Finance. As you can imagine parish finances are affected by the Coronavirus restrictions on Sunday Mass attendance. It is possible to offer financial support to our parish even if you are not able to celebrate Mass in person. I like to think of my financial offering as a weekly sacrifice by which I can participate in the Masses offered each week. It is a kind of 'Financial Presence'. So, even when I am away from the parish on annual leave for example, I am still a part of the worshipping parish family. If you would like to commence giving regular financial support via Direct Debit, Credit Card, Parish Giving Envelopes or Parish Giving App please refer to the Parish Website www.banyonundahcatholic.org.au or contact the parish office (3324 3870) for details.

Keep in Touch.

Thank you everyone for your Coronavirus patience.
Every Ordinary Time Blessing.

Fr. Bernie.

LITURGY TIMES

SUNDAY MASSES — Book through Trybooking

Holy Trinity, Banyo 7.30am
5pm
Corpus Christi, Nundah 6pm Saturday evening
9.30am

WEEKDAY MASS — Book through Trybooking

Monday 25 January
The Conversion of St Paul, apostle
7am Mass at Corpus Christi, Nundah
Wednesday 27 January
St Angela Merici, virgin & Sts Timothy & Titus
9am at Holy Trinity, Banyo

Thursday 28 January
St Thomas Aquinas, priest, doctor
6.30pm Mass at Holy Trinity, Banyo

Friday 29 January
Mass with Anointing of the Sick
9am Mass at Corpus Christi, Nundah

SACRAMENTS

SACRAMENT OF MERCY (PENANCE)

Please contact Fr Bernie at the Parish Office to arrange a time.

BAPTISM

2nd & 3rd Saturday of the month
Please contact the Parish Office during office hours.
At least THREE months notice is required.

FIRST PENANCE, CONFIRMATION, FIRST COMMUNION

Annually. Please contact the Parish Office

MARRIAGE

Please contact the Parish Office.
At least SIX months notice is required.

SICK CALLS, COMMUNION TO THE SICK

Please contact the Parish Office.

BACK TO SCHOOL

We wish many blessings on our teachers, parents and pupils as they start the new school year. Please drive with caution around our schools and parking in the Church car park areas during school times.

Remember: Look out, look out there are speed traps about!



Please Pray for

Those who are sick:



Peter Ham, Justin Carr, Harry White, Dale Brown, Emilia Long, Alexander Diestel, Kateri Byrnes, Rod Perry, Ben Sloane, Lynette Bevis, June Boyle, Marie Hetherington, Gordon Elsmore, Graham Byrnes, Cyril O'Sullivan, Sienna Maeve & her parents, Josh & Ariel, Sanjay Kumar, Norm Mansini, Philip Kerr, Kurt Lucas, Hugh Hamilton, Neil O'Connor

Lord, show them your loving care

(If you know someone who no longer requires to be included on this list, please contact the Parish Office. Thank you.)

Recently Deceased

Hazel Murphy
Noel Cavanagh
Del Hardy



"may they rest in peace"

Mass with Anointing of the Sick

9am Friday 29 March, Corpus Christi, Nundah
If transport is required contact:
Kathy 3266 6850



'The Voice' Youth Ministry

Youth Led Mass:

Next Sunday, 31 January 2021
9:30am Corpus Christi Church, Nundah



The Holy Father's Intentions for January

Intention for evangelisation – Human fraternity

May the Lord give us the grace to live in full fellowship with our brothers and sisters of other religions, praying for one another, open to all.



The month of January is dedicated to the Holy Name of Jesus.

Stewardship

"Follow me and I will make you fishers of men."

- MARK 1:17



Jesus' call to "Follow me" is a call to all Christians! The call is in the here and now, in our present circumstances, not when we think we are "ready" or have everything in order. Good stewardship of our God-given gifts means that things aren't always going to go according to our schedule and that God has a much better plan in store for each of us.

A Vocation View

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time - B

A VOCATION VIEW: Even a great person like Jonah turned away, at first, from what God called him to do. It is never too late to hear the Lord say, 'Come, follow me.'



IMPORTANT LINKS

Mass Bookings

Weekend Masses at Holy Trinity, Banyo.

Bookings for mass on **31 January** will open on Monday 25 January at 12pm and close on Friday 29 January at 9am.

<https://www.trybooking.com/BKHQR>

Weekend Masses at Corpus Christi, Nundah.

Bookings for mass on **30 and 31 January** will open on Monday 25 January at 12pm and close on Friday 29 January at 9am

<https://www.trybooking.com/BKHRH>

Weekday Masses at Holy Trinity, Banyo and Corpus Christi, Nundah.

Bookings for week beginning Monday **1 February** will open on 25 January at 12pm.

Monday **1 February** 7am Mass — bookings will close on Friday 29 January at 9am.

Wednesday **3 February** 9am Mass — bookings will close on Tuesday 2 February at 9am.

Thursday **4 February** — bookings will close on Thursday 4 February at 9am.

Friday **5 February** — bookings will close on Thursday 4 February at 9am.

<https://www.trybooking.com/BKHTM>

PARISH OFFICE NEWS

Upcoming closure: The parish office will be closed on Monday 25th and Tuesday 26th January. The office will reopen on Wednesday 27th at 9.30am.

SISTERS OF ST JOSEPH JUBILEE CELEBRATION



Congratulations to Sisters Clare Volger (70 years), Carmel Street, Brenda Keogh, Rita Flynn (60 years) who celebrated their jubilees with a Mass in Corpus Christi on Saturday 23rd January.

CATHOLIC LEADER

The Catholic Leader will return to printed format from the First Sunday of February (7th February). This will now be a monthly publication at a cost of \$4. A subscription to receive the newspaper by mail or digital is available by visiting catholicleader.com.au/subscribe or email: editor@catholicleader.com.au or phone (07) 3324 3555. Subscriptions will start from \$50/year for paper delivery, and until June 27, you will get complimentary access to the monthly digital replica newspaper, and unlimited digital access to catholicleader.com.au. Your newspaper will be delivered to your nominated postal address by the first Sunday of every month.

The final free digital edition will be January 31 edition.

If you have received the digital edition by email, from February it will become a weekly newsletter of Catholic News.

PARISH GIVING APP

The Archdiocese in conjunction with the Archdiocese Development Fund have created an app for parishioners to use to contribute to Parish Giving. Search for the app in one of the app stores below or on the website. Look for Banyo Nundah Parish to make your contribution using the website and apps:



<http://parishgiving.brisbanecatholic.org.au/>



<https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.webgatetec.parishgiving>



<https://apps.apple.com/us/app/parishgiving/id1505667807?ls=1>



Don't forget you can connect with the parish on Facebook.

[Banyo Nundah Catholic Parish](#)

Make sure you like our page...

LENTEN PROGRAM

The Lenten Program has taken on a more individual approach instead of a group approach this year.

Look to Jesus will nourish and nurture prayer each day during Lent and into the first week of Easter. The daily reflections will invite the reader to contemplate a verse from the Scripture reading of the day. This reflection will be followed by a quote from Pope Francis and a simple prayer. The daily reflections will only require a few minutes for a person to read, reflect and pray. This Lenten practice will lead the reader into a deeper reflection on their daily life. As they 'look to Jesus' – in their families, workplaces and the community – they will walk as 'missionary disciples' on the path to Easter, and beyond.

If you are interested in purchasing the Lenten Book, *Look to Jesus*, please place money in an envelope with your Name and Lenten Program on the front of the envelope. The cost of the book will be \$4.00. Place your envelope on any of the collection plates.

LENT 2021 WITH BRUCE DOWNES THE CATHOLIC GUY

Be inspired, Be refreshed, Be renewed!

Come with me on a 40 day journey and I know this will be a powerful and prayerful Lenten journey together. Receive a short inspiring video each day during Lent. This program is FREE and you can sign up here: <https://BruceDownes.org/Lent>
Call 1300 734 880 for more information.

PROPER OF THE MASS

Introductory Rites

Liturgy of the Word

Responsorial Psalm

(R.) Teach me your ways, O Lord

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

The kingdom of God is near:
believe the Good News!

Alleluia!

Profession of Faith

Apostles' Creed

Liturgy of the Eucharist

Eucharistic Prayer III

Memorial Acclamation I When we eat this bread

Communion Rite

Readings—Sunday 31st January Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Deuteronomy 18:15-20

1 Corinthians 7:32-35

Mark 1:21-28

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Safeguarding Policy

The Archdiocese of Brisbane holds that children, young people and vulnerable adults are a gift from God with an intrinsic right to dignity of life, respect and security from physical and emotional harm.

They are to be treasured, nurtured and safeguarded by all. This means that **everyone in the church** must ensure that the fundamental rights of children, young people and vulnerable adults are respected.

Help protect the health and safety of the community

Please do not enter these premises if you
have any of the following symptoms.



Fever



Cough



Fatigue



Sore throat



Shortness of breath

Please also refrain from entering if you have travelled
overseas in the past 14 days or have been in close contact
with a confirmed case of COVID-19.

During your visit, please maintain
social distancing and practice good hygiene.



Keep your
distance



Smile and
wave!



Wash your
hands regularly



Cover coughs
and sneezes



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catholic support services

Catholic Early EdCare
early education care

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Facebook:

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Finance Officer (Wednesday): Mrs Kellie Darben

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