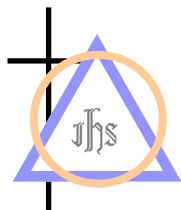


# Banyo Nundah Catholic Parish

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.



Second Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Year C 16<sup>th</sup> January 2022

## 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 for the Second Sunday in Ordinary Time: Signs

John calls the mighty deeds of Jesus 'signs.' He is very selective in reporting these signs, including only seven in chapters 1:19-12:50 (The Book of Signs). Of these, the wedding feast at Cana is the only sign for which there is no comparable story in the other gospels.

In John's gospel signs are ambiguous: they invite but do not compel faith. Often spectators in the crowd are divided in their assessment of Jesus: some see a sign and believe (5:33; 11:45), others see a sign and conclude that Jesus must be destroyed (5:15-16; 11:46-53). Ideally, signs lead people to see beyond the wonder of the event (e.g., the water turned into wine) to see instead the revelation of Jesus' glory. And seeing Jesus' glory, people respond by believing in him. Thus, this first of his signs sets up the ideal pattern: a sign manifests Jesus' glory and moves people to believe.

This Sunday's gospel story is the third Sunday in a row in which the gospel has presented some kind of public revelation or manifestation of Jesus. The series began with the Feast of the Epiphany in which Jesus is revealed as the gift of God given for the salvation of Jews and Gentiles alike; last week's gospel of the baptism confirmed Jesus' identity as the Son of God; this Sunday's 'miracle' at Cana 'revealed his glory'. In the Old Testament 'glory' refers to God's visible radiance which God manifests instead of an actual visible appearance which would overwhelm people (Exodus 33:20). When Jesus 'revealed his glory', he gave a 'sneak preview' of what will be fully revealed in his death/resurrection/ascension. Ideally the response to this revelation — like the response to all his signs — is that people believe. John expressly states this in the conclusion: 'Jesus did many other signs in the presence of [his] disciples that are not written in this book. But these are written that you may come to believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that through this belief you may have life in his name' (20:30-31).

## SYNOD 2021-2023 - CONSULTATION PHASE STILL OPEN

On Sunday, October 17, dioceses around the world launched local preparations for the Synod of Bishops. The Catholic Church in Australia is inviting the People of God to make submissions via an online portal that is now open. Those submissions will help the Bishops develop a national report to support the global process leading to an international gathering in 2023. This is not to be confused with the Australian Plenary Council which is running concurrently with the Synod. The Plenary Council focus is on the Church in Australia. The Synod is focussed on the Church globally.

The three dimensions of the Synod are **Communion, Participation and Mission**. These three dimensions are

profoundly interrelated. They are the pillars of a Synodal Church. There is no hierarchy between them. Rather, each one enriches and orients the other two.

All group and individual submissions will be focused on one of the three dimensions. Participation can be via a small group discernment process utilising the **Listening and Discernment Adult Guide** or individually with the **Individual Reflection Guide**.

To access copies of the **Listening and Discernment Adult Guide** and **Individual Reflection Guide** please visit <https://www.catholic.org.au/synodalchurch>

The Synod Listening and Discernment group process is very similar to what was used in the Archdiocese of Brisbane during the Plenary Council Listening and Discernment phase. Therefore any parish that facilitated the group Plenary Council sessions will be familiar with the flow of the Synod consultation process. The recommended time for each group Listening and Discernment process is 1.5hrs.

Those wanting to participate in the consultation period as an individual can do so with the **Individual Reflection Guide**. This guide is based on Lectio Divina. The Individual Reflection Guide is made to be used with the **Questions for Reflection**. The recommended time for each Individual Reflection process is 30mins.

## The submission process

Individuals and groups are asked to submit their summarised reflections directly to the National Centre for Pastoral Research via the website:

<https://www.catholic.org.au/synodalchurch>

**UPDATED — The consultation period with local churches has now been extended to allow more voices to be heard in the synod process. Submissions are currently open until Sunday 27 February 2022.**

To see a detailed timeline for the Synod journey please visit [https://www.catholic.org.au/images/Synod\\_of\\_Bishops\\_\\_Plenary\\_Council\\_Timeline.pdf](https://www.catholic.org.au/images/Synod_of_Bishops__Plenary_Council_Timeline.pdf)

**Parish Schools.** Our parish schools of St Joseph (Nundah) and St. Pius V (Banyo) are preparing for a delayed opening to the school year set for February 7<sup>th</sup>. Our school leaders are making sure that school teachers, staff and families are informed of what will be required when students return to school. Parents are organizing for their 5-12 year old children to be vaccinated. It is a difficult time and the future is so uncertain. Our school patrons, St. Joseph and St. Pius V, faced uncertainty with faith, hope and courage. I ask all parishioners to offer prayers each day for the next few weeks until our schools reopen. A simple prayer is "Dear St. Joseph and St. Pius V protect our parish school communities. Guide them as you once guided the Holy Family and the Church. Help our schools to face the future with the hope that comes from faith in Jesus Christ. You are devoted to Mary the mother of Jesus. Implore her intercession that our school communities will walk in the footsteps of her son, Jesus Christ. Amen."

Every Ordinary Time Blessing.

Fr. Bernie.

## LITURGY TIMES

### SUNDAY MASSES — Use Check In Qld App

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

### WEEKDAY MASS — Use Check In Qld App

Monday 17 January  
St Anthony, abbot  
7am Mass at Corpus Christi, Nundah

Wednesday 19 January  
9am at Holy Trinity, Banyo

Thursday 20 January  
St Fabian, pope, martyr & St Sebastian, martyr  
6.30pm Mass at Holy Trinity, Banyo

Friday 21 January  
St Agnes, virgin, martyr  
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.



### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Nundah: Sun, Mon, Tue & Wed  
5pm to midnight  
Banyo: Thu, Fri & Sat  
7am to 11am  
Roster Co-ordinator: Rob 0401 685 447  
[banyo.nundah.adoration@gmail.com](mailto:banyo.nundah.adoration@gmail.com)



**REMINDER** — Face Masks are mandatory at Mass and adoration indefinitely at all times inside the Church and upon entry and exit.

Ensure you check in with the Check in Qld App or see a welcomer to register.



## 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, Sanjay Kumar, Norm Mansini, Philip Kerr, Kurt Lucas, Hugh Hamilton, Marian Fernando, Robbie Minns, Karen Kelly, Martha Ochoa

*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

Sr Marion Liddy rsj  
Philip Challil  
Patsy O'Connor (Sydney)



## Anniversaries

Rita Riggall

*"may they rest in peace"*

## Baptised this Weekend

Zayla Ruby Moss  
Atlas Orian Atkinson  
Carys Olivia McConnell  
Matheo Ngit-Koung Di Marco



*Our prayerful good wishes to the families*

## 'The Voice' Youth Ministry

Youth Led Mass:  
This Sunday, 16 January 2022  
5pm Holy Trinity Church, Banyo



## The Holy Father's Intentions for January

### For true human fraternity

We pray for all those suffering from religious discrimination and persecution; may their own rights and dignity be recognized, which originate from being brothers and sisters in the human family.



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

## Stewardship



*"To each individual the manifestation of the Spirit is given for some benefit."*

*(1 CORINTHIANS 12:7)*

St. Paul tells us that God has blessed each of us for a reason. How has God blessed you? Are you using your gifts according to God's plan? How are you helping to build God's kingdom here on earth? Remember that if you don't do the work God planned for you, no one else can do it. Live the life God has intended for you. Take time to discern your charisms (gifts from the Holy Spirit). Experience the supernatural Peace and Joy God desires for each of us.

## A Vocation View

### Second Sunday in Ordinary Time - C

A VOCATION VIEW: There was a wedding between God and us. "To have and to hold, from this day forward, for better, for worse." God is faithful and true. Let us do the same.



## CAN YOU SPARE 4 HOURS PER WEEK TO HELP PEOPLE IN NEED?



Aspleycare is a Parish based organised Emergency Relief group staffed by volunteers, who serve the community by responding to the needs of people in a Christian, neighbourly and practical way. Aspleycare provides emergency relief to people in need by advising of options available to them, as well as help with material (eg. food parcels) and/or financial aid to meet an immediate need.

**Aspleycare is currently in need of volunteers.** By offering your time and talents, you can assist and improve the lives of others within the greater community on the northside of Brisbane. There are a variety of roles available ranging from receptionist, interviewer, as well as co-ordination, liaison, planning, fund-raising and financial positions.

Being part of Aspleycare can be extremely rewarding. As well as being part of something that contributes to the lives of others, it can challenge and encourage you in your walk with Jesus. Aspleycare is open five days a week between 10am and 1.30pm and is located in the grounds of Our Lady and St Dymphna's Church, 479 Robinson Rd, Aspley.

To record your expression of interest please send your details via email to [secretary@aspleycare.org.au](mailto:secretary@aspleycare.org.au) or call 3862 7145.

### **ASPLEY CLASSES FOR SENIORS**

Enrolment Morning for Term 1 Classes on Thursday 27 January from 9am to 11am at Aspley Uniting Church Hall, 748 Robinson Rd West, Aspley.

#### Class subjects:

Craft and Needlework: Greeting Card; Crochet and Knitting; Tapestry

Painting: Water Colours; Painting for Pleasure

Music: Piano Club (for experienced musicians)

Computing: Beginners

Languages: French; Italian; Spanish; German; Russian

What are you Reading (Book Club)

Games and Exercise: Indoor Bowls; Line Dancing; Mah Jong

For more information visit:

[www.aspleyclassesforseniors.com](http://www.aspleyclassesforseniors.com)

or telephone Peter on 0419 776 583



### **MASS FOR YOU AT HOME**

Did you know Catholic Mass is broadcast on free-to-air television each Sunday morning? Mass for You at Home is broadcast at 6am on Channel 10 and WIN. Let family and friends know that they can pray along at home if they are unable to attend their local parish. Find out more at [www.massforyou.com.au](http://www.massforyou.com.au)

### **MORNING TEA AFTER MASS**

With the current Covid situation, we have been advised by the Archdiocese that it is highly recommended hospitality events and gatherings, including those after Masses, be suspended. We have made the decision to suspend morning tea after Mass until the end of February and we will reassess the situation then.

### **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED - WA KIMBERLEY REGION**

Are you looking for a unique experience to: learn more about indigenous culture; contribute to the wider community, and grow personally. We need people to volunteer in the remote community of Kalumburu Mission.

The Kimberley region is home to some of Australia's oldest indigenous communities and picturesque landscapes. Various roles at the Mission include: food preparation, office duties, ground maintenance, maintaining vehicles, room bookings/preparation.

Assistance can be provided with flights. Accommodation & meals are included.

If you would be interested to offer your skills and learn more about the local culture, please see the contact details below (couples or singles welcome). For further information please contact:

Diocese of Broome Chancery

T: 08-9192-1060

E: [volunteers@broomediocese.org](mailto:volunteers@broomediocese.org)

W: [www.broomediocese.org](http://www.broomediocese.org) (click on the volunteer tab at the top of the page)



In October 2023, the Catholic Church will gather to reflect on the theme "**For a Synodal Church: Communion, Participation and Mission**".

Pope Francis is inviting everyone to share their experiences of synodality (walking together): a decisive theme for the life and mission of the Church.

Your voice matters! You are invited to be a part of this journey by reflecting on the Synod themes and sharing your story.

Visit <https://www.catholic.org.au/synodalchurch> for more information OR scan the QR code below.



## PROPER OF THE MASS

### Introductory Rites

### Liturgy of the Word

#### Responsorial Psalm

(R.) Proclaim his marvelous deeds to all the nations.

#### Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

God has called us with the gospel

To share in the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Alleluia!

#### Profession of Faith

Apostles Creed

### Liturgy of the Eucharist

#### Eucharistic Prayer II

Memorial Acclamation III Save us, Saviour of the world

### Communion Rite

### Readings—Sunday 23 January Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Nehemiah 8:2-6, 8-10

Corinthians 12:12-30

Luke 1:1-4, 4:14-21

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#### ARCHDIOCESAN PRIVACY POLICY:

The privacy of all individuals with whom Banyo-Nundah Parish interacts is very important to us and we are committed to protecting all personal information we collect and hold. Our Privacy Policy is available at [www.bne.catholic.net.au](http://www.bne.catholic.net.au) or on request.

## 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



### PARISH DIRECTORY

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