Banyo Nundah Catholic Parish

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



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 of Easter (Divine Mercy) Year C 24th April 2022 ANZAC Day Monday

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.

Second Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy Sunday) New life

Though the exact expression 'new life' does not occur in the New Testament, we frequently use it as a kind of 'shorthand' to describe both the kind of life to which Jesus was raised and what believers have because of Jesus. This Sunday's well-known gospel story conveys the idea of 'new life' using different images and vocabulary.

Jesus' new life is described by his ability to come to the disciples despite the locked doors. Though the marks of his death are clear, he is alive nevertheless. The risen Jesus greets the disciples with 'Peace', fulfilling his promise: 'Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you' (John 14:27). Seeing him, the disciples rejoice, fulfilling another promise of Jesus: 'I will see you again, and your hearts will rejoice' (16:22). Finally, Jesus commissions them by sending them into the world, fulfilling yet again another promise he made when speaking to his Father: 'As you sent me into the world, so I sent them into the world' (17:18). The reliability of Jesus' word is stressed for a reason, as we shall soon see.

Then the risen Jesus imparts life to them when 'he breathed on them' (20:22) and gave them the Holy Spirit. In the story of creation God breathed the breath of life into the clay man to make him a living being (Gen 2:7; the same Greek word (emphusao) is used in John 20:22 and the Greek version of Genesis). The disciples, then, are made anew, or are a new creation, infused with the Holy Spirit. The presence of the Spirit is both the sign of, and the power behind, their extraordinary mission: to forgive sins. Sent, as Jesus was sent, the disciples continue his work by forgiving sins. In the same way that all that Jesus had spoken has been proved true, the disciples (and readers!) are assured that the forgiveness of sins is accomplished.

The abundant signs of new life are these: peace, recreation by the gift of the Holy Spirit, the mission ('sent'), and the forgiveness of sins.

Easter Time. The fifty days from the Sunday of the Resurrection to Pentecost Sunday are celebrated in joy and exultation as one feast day, indeed as one 'great Sunday'. These are the days above all others in which the Alleluia is sung. The Sundays of this time of the year are considered to be Sundays of Easter.

Paid Youth Coordinator Banyo Nundah Parish. This position is presently being looked into. Contact Joachim Thetadig for more information:

March for Life. Saturday April 30th 2022. More details on page 3.

Easter Offerings. Many thanks for your generosity.

Easter Thanks. As usual, parishioners have been very generous in many ways during their preparations for and celebration of Our Lord's death and resurrection. Lent's Project Compassion donations are still being received as are the Easter Offerings. Thanks for your generosity. On behalf of the parish I thank the many helpers who gave of their time and talents to make the Lenten, Holy Week, Sacred Triduum and Easter celebrations prayerful for all participants. There are too many to name individually but special thanks to our parish sacristans, Carmel (Nundah), Val and Joan (Banyo) and those who helped them. Thanks to our musicians and singers, our readers and lay ministers of Holy Communion; thanks to our altar servers and collectors; thanks to our rosters coordinator; thanks to those who look after our church grounds; thanks to all who participated in the Sacred Triduum ceremonies.

St. Pius V School is celebrating its 75th anniversary this year. The feast of Pope St. Pius V falls on Saturday April 30^{th.} A Mass in his honour and to celebrate the 75th anniversary will be held in the school's Multi-Purpose Hall on Wednesday May 4th at 9am. All parishioners and past students are welcome. There will be another celebration on Sunday September 11th.

Catholic Australia's Fifth Plenary Council will hold its second and final session in Sydney in July 2022. During the next few months we are asked to surround the Plenary Council with prayer. If you turn to the back page (pg. 4) of this Newsletter you will find how to participate in prayerful support. There are four themes that have arisen from the document that came out of the first session that was held in October last year. The four themes are: 1) A Deeper Communion Enriched by Diversity; 2) Ecclesial Leadership and Governance — Growing as Disciples and Servants of the 3) To Witness to Faith, Hope and Love as Missionary Disciples in the World; 4) To Proclaim God's New Creation as People of Prayer, Healing and Hope. I am trying to source some material that interested parishioners could use for personal and group reflection. I have set aside the four Wednesday evenings of May (4, 11, 18, 25) as times for groups of parishioners to meet and discuss. More to follow.

Anzac Day Mass Monday April 25th at 7am in Corpus Christi church Nundah.

Every Easter Blessing.

Fr. Bernie.

LITURGY TIMES

SUNDAY MASSES

Holy Trinity, Banyo 7.30am

5pm

Corpus Christi, Nundah 6pm Saturday evening

9.30am

WEEKDAY MASS

Monday 25 April — ANZAC Day 7am Mass at Corpus Christi, Nundah

Wednesday 27 April

St Louis Grignion de Montfort, priest 9am Mass at Holy Trinity, Banyo

Thursday 28 April

St Peter Chanel, priest, martyr 6:30pm Mass at Holy Trinity, Banyo

Friday 29 April

St Catherine of Siena, virgin, doctor 9am Mass at Corpus Christi, Nundah

SACRAMENTS

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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.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Nundah: 24 Hr from Monday after 7am Mass to 8am Tuesday

Banyo: Thu, Fri & Sat from 7am to 11am Roster Co-ordinator: Rob 0401 685 447 northside.adoration.bn@gmail.com



DOUBTING THOMAS

Recitation of the Rosary

Prayed at 9am before the Sunday 9.30am Mass Corpus Christi Church, Nundah every weekend. Everyone welcome to join in.



Please Pray for Those who are sick:

Peter Ham, Justin Carr, Harry White, Dale Brown, Emilia Long, Alexander Diestel, Kateri Byrnes, Rod Perry, Lynette Bevis, Marie Hetherington, Gordon Elsmore, Graham Byrnes, Cyril O'Sullivan, Sanjay Kumar, Norm Mansini, Philip Kerr, Kurt Lucas, Hugh Hamilton, Robbie Minns, Karen Kelly, Martha Ochoa, Terrie & Laurie Mann, Celia Camera.

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

Irene Packer Joan Dufficey

Anniversary

Thomas Tighe



"may they rest in peace

'The Voice' Youth Ministry

Youth Led Mass:

Next Sunday 1st May 2021 9:30am Corpus Christi Church, Nundah



School/Parish Mass

Sunday 24 April 5pm at Holy Trinity, Banyo. Sunday 1 May 9:30am at Corpus Christi, Nundah



Children's Lituray

Next Sunday 1 May 9:30am, Corpus Christi, Nundah



The Holy Father's Intentions for April

For health care workers

We pray for health care workers who serve the sick and the elderly, especially in the poorest countries; may they be adequately and local supported by governments communities.



The month of April is dedicated to the Holy Eucharist and the Holy Spirit.

Stewardship

"Jesus said to them again, 'Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you."



(JOHN 20:21)

Peace - the first gift of the risen Lord. Just as Jesus sent the apostles out into the world, so too, He sends As disciples of Jesus, we are called to be compassionate and merciful; and not with just those who are our friends, but also with our "enemies." Think of someone in your life who you need to reconcile with. Call them right now or better yet, go visit them.

A Vocation View

A VOCATION VIEW: You've got an incredible message to make credible. It is not like selling used cars! It is proclaiming eternal life, vocation forgiveness and Great Love!



CATHEDRAL OF ST STEPHEN, GUIDES AND WELCOMERS

You are invited to an information day for prospective guides and welcomers at the Cathedral of St Stephen. Thursday 28 April 2022 9:30am-1:00pm Hanly Room, Cathedral of St Stephen, 249 Elizabeth Street, Brisbane. Refreshments will be provided.

Being a guide and welcomer is a wonderfully rewarding and enriching experience. The Cathedral, The Chapel and the precinct occupy an important and special place in the spiritual life and broader history of Brisbane and Queensland.

Your training will cover the architecture, history, artwork and the unique and beautiful stained glass windows and their significance. You'll learn how to share this knowledge with all the many visitors and tour groups who come to the Cathedral. The Information day is open to anyone, who desires becoming part of a friendly and supportive team of Cathedral guides and welcomers.

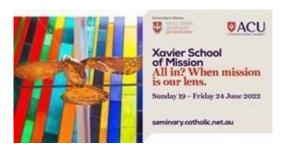
We look forward to welcoming you. Please register your interest by Tuesday 26 April 2022 with Carmel Devery at the Cathedral Office on 07 3324 3006 or by email cathedral@bne.catholic.net.au

MARCH FOR LIFE

Saturday 30 April

3pm at Speakers' Corner
Outside Parliament House, George St, Brisbane

Please bring friends and family with you. More information: www.cherishlife.org.au



THE XAVIER SCHOOL OF MISSION

This year's theme is All in? When Mission is our Lens. This is an opportunity for interested Parish representatives to bring engaging information back to their community to assist in the way the parish 'does' mission.

When: 19-24 June, 2022

Where: Holy Spirit Seminary, Brisbane (487 Earnshaw

Rd, Banyo Qld)

More info, and to register: xaviercentre@acu.edu.au; and https://seminary.catholic.net.au/xavier-school-of-mission/

MORNING TEA

Morning Tea this weekend at Banyo after 7.30am Mass. Please bring a plate to share. All welcome.





PARISH OFFICE NEWS

The parish office will be closed on Monday for the ANZAC Day public holiday.



RSVP Thursday 26th May







THE CATHOLIC LEADER

In this month's issue:

- Easter speaks of a love which is stronger than death
- Faithful Mary's testament to Christ's resurrection
- Let us move forward in faith as disciples of the risen Lord.
- Easter is the time when Christians everywhere proclaim He Is Risen!



PROPER OF THE MASS

Liturgy of the Word



Responsorial Psalm

(R.) Give thanks to the Lord for he is good, His love is everlasting.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

You believe in me, Thomas, because you have seen me; Happy those who have not seen me, but still believe! Alleluia!

Profession of Faith

Apostles' Creed



Liturgy of the Eucharist

Eucharistic Prayer II

Memorial Acclamation III Save us, Saviour of the world

Readings—Sunday 1 May 2022 Third Sunday of Easter

Acts 5:27-32, 40-41 Apocalypse 5:11-14 John 21:1-19

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PLENARY COUNCIL

Catholics across the country are invited to participate in a new prayer pilgrimage as the Church journeys towards the second assembly of the Fifth Plenary Council of Australia.

The "Walking in the Spirit" pilgrimage starts on Easter Sunday, April 17, and leads up to the opening of the second – and final – assembly on Sunday, July 3 Details available https://plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au/walkinginthespirit/



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 or on request.



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