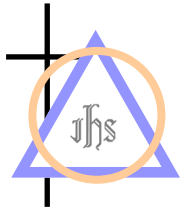


Banyo Nundah Catholic Parish

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.



Fifth Sunday of Easter
Year C 15th May 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.

We acknowledge the **Uluru Statement from the Heart** (<https://fromtheheart.com.au/uluru-statement/the-statement/>) and the **From the Heart** (<https://fromtheheart.com.au/>) campaign for a Voice to Parliament enabled by the constitution.

The Word of God for the Fifth Sunday of Easter. The Book of Glory

John's gospel is usually divided into two main sections: The Book of Signs (1:19-12:5; see Sunday 2) and the Book of Glory (13:1-20:31). In turn the Book of Glory begins with The Last Discourse of Jesus, i.e., the final speech which he makes to his disciples during a rather protracted Last Supper (13:1-17:26). This gospel, then, is from the beginning of the Book of Glory and the beginning of the Last Discourse.

The theme of 'glory' which gives its name to this entire section of the gospel is stressed in the first two verses of this Sunday's gospel. The context is crucial: as the text indicates, Judas, the betrayer, has just left the Last Supper table. John tells us that 'Satan had entered him' (13:27) and that when Judas left, 'It was night' (13:30). The betrayal is the work of Satan, the triumph of darkness. But only apparently, for at that exact moment Jesus announces that the Son of Man is glorified! For John the death of Jesus is his moment of victory: 'when I am lifted up from the earth (i.e. on the cross), I will draw everyone to myself' (12:32). Thus the Book of Glory will come to an end when Jesus has accomplished his mission by dying, rising, and ascending. This is another meaning of being 'lifted up' — to ascend to heaven (20:17).

For Jesus 'to be glorified' means two different but related things. First, it is to receive praise or honour from God; this is the only honour worth anything, for 'glory' received from humans is worthless (5:41; 7:18). Second, 'glory' in the Old Testament is a visible manifestation of the invisible God — his radiant presence. Jesus, the Word made flesh (1:14), is the visible presence of God or the glory of God incarnate. 'To be glorified' is to reveal the presence of God at work in him: 'God is glorified in him' (13:31). The moment of ultimate glorification, and the climax of 'The Book of Glory', is the death-resurrection-ascension of Jesus. The betrayal sets glorification into motion.

Annual Retreat. I have heard it said that if you want to find out if God has a sense of humour, then make plans! So my plan to attend my annual retreat became God's

plan for me to make a Lockdown Retreat! I'm now recovered and thank you for your prayers.

Confirmation. Every year, it is a special occasion for our parish when our young parishioners commence their preparation for the Sacrament of Confirmation. Today, 50 parish students mostly from year three will be enrolled in the Confirmation Sacramental Program. We offer them prayerful support. If you know any of them personally let the confirmation candidate know that you are offering special prayers for them. Confirmation will be celebrated on June 17th 5pm at Holy Trinity, Banyo and 7pm at Corpus Christi, Nundah.

Parish Festival. It has been almost three years since we celebrated our last Parish Festival (June 2019). This year's Festival will commence on June 12th on the Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity with the usual Procession of the Nations at the 7.30am Mass. At the end of Mass Archbishop Mark will unveil and bless the Banyo Cross. During the week there will be a guest speaker (or guest speakers) on the 5th Plenary Council. Confirmation will be celebrated on June 17th and on the final day, the Solemnity of Corpus Christi (June 19th) the Procession of the Nations will open Mass. This year there will be no Multicultural Food and Entertainment conclusion to the Festival.

Youth Coordinator Banyo Nundah Parish. This position is presently being looked into. Contact Joachim Thetadig for more information: joachim.thetadig@gmail.com

Parish Pastoral Council Meeting this Thursday May 19th 7pm at the Banyo Parish House meeting room.

Parish Finance Council Meeting this Thursday May 19th 3.30pm at the Parish Centre.

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. A Plenary Council Prayer to Our Lady Help of Christians is on the back page of this newsletter.

Mary's Month. During May let us call on Mary's intercession for Australia's Plenary Council.

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 16 May
7am Mass at Corpus Christi, Nundah

Wednesday 18 May
St John 1, pope, martyr
9am Mass at Holy Trinity, Banyo

Thursday 19 May
6.30pm Mass at Holy Trinity, Banyo

Friday 20 May
St Bernardine of Siena, priest
9am Mass at Corpus Christi, Nundah
Celebrating the Beatification of Pauline Jaricot

SACRAMENTS

SACRAMENT OF MERCY (PENANCE)

Please contact Fr Bernie at the Parish Office to arrange a time, or you may like to attend the Mass of Reconciliation being offered on Friday morning this week.

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: 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
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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, Lynette Bevis, June Boyle, Marie Hetherington, Gordon Elsmore, Graham Byrnes, Sanjay Kumar, Norm Mansini, Philip Kerr, 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.)

Baptised this Weekend

Darcie Ryan
Beau Wilkins
Gabiella Pennisi
Harry Thompson
Chloe Rodd
Ruby Scurr



Baptised last weekend

Hugo August Moore
Riddley Jack Moore
Jackson Julius Hoelscher
Margaux Monique Anne Hauguel
Raphael Claude Kenneth Hauguel

Our prayerful good wishes to the families

'The Voice' Youth Ministry

Youth Led Mass:

Today, Sunday 15 May, 5pm
Holy Trinity Church, Banyo



The Holy Father's Intentions for May

For faith-filled young people

We pray for all young people, called to live life to the fullest; may they see in Mary's life the way to listen, the depth of discernment, the courage that faith generates, and the dedication to service.



The month of May is dedicated to Mary, Mother of God.

Stewardship

"I give you a new commandment: love one another. As I have loved you, so you also should love one another."



(JOHN 13:34)

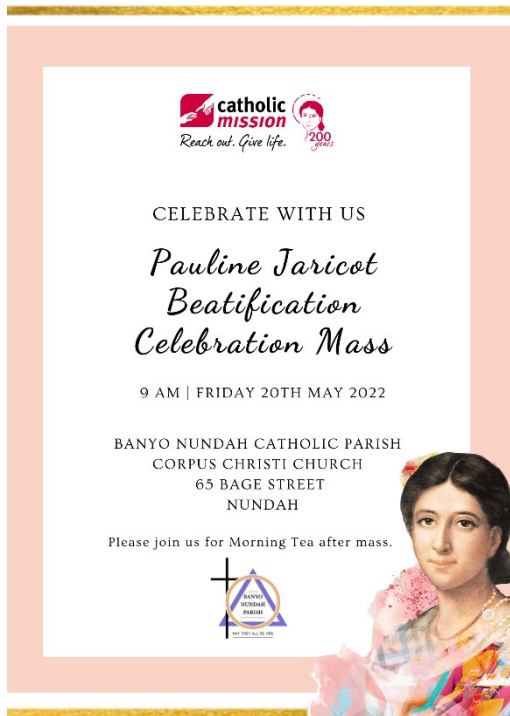
"As I have loved you," this is the hard part – Jesus's love is unconditional; our love usually comes with strings attached. It is easy to love someone when they love you back. But it takes mercy and compassion to love someone when you feel unappreciated, feel used or feel like your opinion doesn't matter. It takes courage and the grace of God to "love my neighbor" when they may be someone you don't like, someone you don't know or someone that doesn't look like you.

A Vocation View

Fifth Sunday of Easter - C

A VOCATION VIEW: Can you imagine a country running on Jesus' one law of "love one another"? No wars. No hunger. No thirst. No jealousy. Only loving followers of Jesus.





On 22 May 2022, Pauline Jaricot's beatification will take place in Lyon, France, a key milestone on the journey towards being recognised as a saint. From the commitment of this one woman, the mission of the Church found sustenance and support and today has grown into a worldwide network of lay missionaries and church leaders working together with communities most in need.

Event details:



Friday, 20 May 2022
9.00 AM
Banyo Nundah Catholic Parish
Corpus Christi Church
65 Bage Street, Nundah

As part of the celebration, there will be students from St Pius joining us on that special day. Please join us for morning tea after mass.

PARISH OFFICE

We thank Marianne Davis for relieving in the parish office as Parish Secretary while Madonna has been on leave.



NATIONAL VOLUNTEER WEEK

We thank all our volunteers who provide tremendous support to the parish. We are grateful of the time you give so generously. #BetterTogether



Sacramental Journey News

Confirmation candidates will be formally enrolled to prepare for the sacrament of Confirmation at all Parish Masses this weekend. Please keep these children and their families in your prayers. The first workshop for Confirmation preparation will be held on Saturday 21st May in Nolan Hall at times nominated by the families. We look forward to journeying with the families.



God bless,
Angela Greathead,
 Sacramental Co-ordinator.

Confirmation Prayer

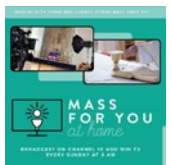
Spirit of God, grant me:
 The gift of *wisdom* to see the world through our eyes
 The gift of *counsel* to make difficult decisions.
 The gifts of *knowledge* and *understanding*,
 to use my mind to know you and love you.
 The gift of *fortitude*, to have the courage to live in the faith despite difficulties and disappointments.
 The gift of *piety*, to be able to express my special love and commitment to you and the right kind of *fear of the Lord*, that makes me pause and revere God's love.
 Amen.

LADIES COFFEE MORNING AT PARISH CENTRE FRIDAY 20TH MAY (FOLLOWING 9AM MASS).

This has been cancelled this month so that we may participate with the community gathering to celebrate the Beatification of Pauline Jaricot. Please watch the Parish newsletter in coming weeks for a notice of our next Morning Tea gathering.

SUPPORT MASS ON TELEVISION

Many people who are isolated, in prison, in hospital or don't have internet rely on Mass for You at Home. The Catholic Mass is broadcast free-to-air each Sunday morning on Channel 10 and WIN at 6am. Can you support the project, through prayers or financial support? Find out more at www.massforyou.com.au



POSITION VACANT

RECEPTIONIST/MULTIMEDIA ASSISTANT

Applications are open for the above position at Holy Cross Funerals. The position is a part-time 25 hours a week over 5 days per week Monday to Friday 9am to 2pm.

For additional information, please visit the Archdiocese of Brisbane website <https://brisbanecatholic.org.au/> and to careers.

Applications close: 30 May 2022

PROPER OF THE MASS

Liturgy of the Word



Responsorial Psalm

(R.) I will praise your name forever, my king and my God.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

I give you a new commandment:

Love one another as I have loved you.

Alleluia!

Profession of Faith

Apostles' Creed



Liturgy of the Eucharist

Eucharistic Prayer II

Memorial Acclamation III Save us, Saviour of the world

Readings—Sunday 22 May 2022

Sixth Sunday of Easter

Acts 15:1-2, 22-29

Apocalypse 21:10-14, 22-23

John 14:23-29

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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.

Prayer for Plenary Council Session 2.

Our Lady, Help of Christians

Most Holy and Immaculate Virgin, Help of Christians, we place ourselves under your motherly protection.

Throughout the Church's history, you have helped Christians in times of trial, temptation and danger.

Time and time again, you have proven to be the Refuge of sinners,

the Hope of the hopeless,

the Consoler of the afflicted,

and the Comforter of the dying.

We promise to be faithful disciples of Jesus Christ, your Son,

to proclaim His Good News of God's love for all people, and to work for peace and justice in our world.

With faith in your intercession,

we pray for the Church,

especially the Church in Australia as we prepare for the Second Assembly of the Fifth Plenary Council of Australia.

We also pray for

for our family and friends,

for the poor and abandoned,

and all the dying.

Grant, O Mary, Help of Christians, the graces of which we stand in need. (Mention your intentions.)

May we serve Jesus with fidelity and love until death.

Help us and our loved ones to attain the boundless joy of being forever with our Father in heaven.

Amen.

Mary, Help of Christians, pray for us!

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