



Banyo Nundah Catholic Parish

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.

PARISH DIRECTORY

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS

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PARISH TEAM

Fr Daniel Redhead - Parish Priest

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Representative

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Holy Trinity Church 352 St Vincent's Road, Banyo

PARISH SCHOOLS

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RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4pm - 5pm Holy Trinity Church, Banyo

WEEKEND MASS TIMES

Corpus Christi, Nundah - Saturday (vigil) 6pm
and Sunday 9.30am

Holy Trinity, Banyo - Sunday 7.30am and 5pm

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

Corpus Christi, Nundah

Monday 7am and Friday 9am

Holy Trinity, Banyo

Wednesday 9am and Thursday 6.30pm

ST VINCENT DE PAUL

All enquiries for assistance

Ph: 1800 846 643

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time — 10th September 23 — Year A

Dear Parishioners,

I deeply regret being absent from last Sunday's Fathers' Day Masses. But if you're unwell, and you're advised by your GP to rest-up, then you follow your doctor's orders, and the rest is history. Again, I am greatly indebted to Fathers John Gillen and Harry Chan for responding so charitably to our appeal for help with last Sunday Masses since it was after midday on Friday when my GP said that I should rest. It appears that I had contracted some viral illness but my symptoms suggested something more serious, so more pathology tests have been ordered. I now await the results. Thank you too to our Parish Secretary, Debra, for her rapid response to finding late replacements for me, and of course, for your prayers and well wishes.

I gave a heads-up warning in last week's Message of a Confirmation and First Holy Communion being celebrated at today's 9:30am Nundah Mass. Today, **Finbar McCaffrey** will be confirmed and **Luka Ohmberger** will receive his First Holy Communion. My heartiest congratulations to them both. Finbar's and Luka's reception of the Sacraments bring to a close the 2023 Parish Sacramental Program, and my warmest thanks go to Angela Greathead for her tremendous leadership of the Program.

Today, Sunday, is Safeguarding Sunday within the Catholic Church in Australia. The day seeks to acknowledge the immense damage caused by the abuse, exploitation and neglect of children and vulnerable adults within Catholic contexts. It makes a commitment to safeguarding practices and protocols that create and maintain safe environments for all. It also invites people to pray for those harmed by abuse directly and indirectly. And as the flyers on Safeguarding say: Safeguarding is everyone's responsibility.

Turning back a few months, I think that it was around April/May, I invited Parishioners to come forward to voluntarily serve as Rite of Christian Initiation (RCIA) Catechists and Sponsors. A number of Parishioners responded positively to the invitation. However, the Parish has now commenced the RCIA program for 2023 and we have four Candidates and only one Sponsor; it is preferable that the Candidate : Sponsor ratio is 1:1. The role of the Sponsor is principally to walk with and companion their assigned Candidate on their spiritual journey of discovery and self-fulfilment. The RCIA commitment involves an approximate 12-13 weeks journey during which the team meets weekly for 1.5-2 hours, to reflect on and discuss the Catholic Faith and its Traditions. I would dearly love to hear from anyone who can assist the Parish, but more particularly the Candidates, as a Sponsor. Please give it your prayerful consideration because it is a rewarding and fulfilling experience for all who become involved.

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catholic.au/s/article/safeguardingsunday2023

Supporting Safe Communities

SAFEGUARDING SUNDAY 2023
10 SEPTEMBER



Please Pray for

Those who are sick:

Doreen Byrnes, Natividad Moso and the Lewis family

Lord, show them your loving care

This list will be refreshed at the beginning of each month. If you know someone who needs to remain on this list, please contact the Parish Office.

Those recently deceased:

Mary 'Marina' Costello

Those whose anniversary occur this time:

Baptised this Weekend

Sullivan Guy
Justin Reine

Our prayerful good wishes to the families

Stewardship

"You, son of man, I have appointed watchman for the house of Israel..." - Ezekiel 33:7



Many of us are generous with our gifts. However, many of us are not generous in proportion to the gifts we have been given. How often do we give at the minimum level required? Remember, the Lord calls us to nurture and develop our gifts and to give back with increase. He calls us to be generous with all the gifts, especially the one that means the most to us.

Devotions to Our Lady of Fatima during the month of October 2023

Approval and blessings from Fr Dan, for Nundah and Banyo parishioners who visit Corpus Christi and Holy Trinity churches to have the opportunity to receive the statue of Our Lady of Fatima (approx 18" tall), that was blessed at the Our Lady's Shrine in Portugal, to be taken to their homes for 24 hours during the month of October 2023.

For bookings from 30th Sept to 15th of October, please contact Doug Desouza on 0407 055 764.

For bookings from the 16th to 31st of October, please contact Bertha D'Souza on 0421 149 575.

Our Lady's statue will be available for collection at 6pm on the day of your choice, for 24 hours from the entrances of Holy Trinity Church, Banyo, and Corpus Christie Parish office at Nundah to be returned the following day at 6pm at same collection points.

Thank you for taking the opportunity to have Our Lady in your homes during October the holy month of the rosary.

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During the past week, the Archbishop issued a **Pastoral Statement on the Referendum** to be held on 14 October 2023. Printed copies of his Statement have been placed in both church buildings and the Parish Centre for those who might be interested in reading the document. The Archbishop says in part: '... the issues surrounding the Voice are not primarily political; they are at their heart moral and ethical, which makes this [the Referendum] essentially a conscience vote.' A conscience vote means that each person chooses for themselves whether they vote YES or NO to the proposition. I would beg to differ with the Archbishop's assertion that '... the issues surrounding the Voice are not primarily political' because in my mind they have been politicised. There is vagueness about what and how a constitutional Voice to Parliament will operate, and it also brings with it, should it be passed by a majority of citizens in a majority of States, a racial divide that says that anyone of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander descent will have rights and privileges that non-indigenous Australians will not share, and the latter concerns me when Australia is clearly known internationally as an egalitarian country.

May God bless you all!

Fr Dan

St. Teresa of Calcutta: 5th Anniversary Celebration

This year we are celebrating the fifth anniversary of the Shrine dedicated to St. Teresa of Calcutta at the Marian Valley, Canungra. You are invited with your family & friends to share this special milestone celebration as we spread the message of Mother Teresa across our communities. Let us join as a community on a **"Pilgrimage of Prayer"** to the Marian Valley to celebrate the life of Mother Teresa and strengthen our faith in God.

The 5th anniversary of the St Teresa of Calcutta Shrine at Marian Valley, Canungra, is on Saturday, 07 October 2023.

The anniversary will be celebrated with a Mass at 11 am followed by a procession to the Shrine at 12 pm.

Bus Pilgrimage: This year, a bus is being organised for parishioners to travel to the Marian Valley.

Tickets are \$30.00 per person for the round trip, departing at 8:15 am and returning at 3 pm.

Douglas Desouza
Mobile: 0407 055 764



Evarist D'Souza 0402 513 803

If you are self-driving, please check the Mother Teresa Shrine website: <http://www.motherteresashrine.com.au/> for any changes.

Share your Blessings:

To mark the fifth anniversary of the opening of our Mother Teresa Chapel, we invite you to share your blessings with those in need. Your generous donations will be used by the Missionaries of Charity to provide meals for homeless people and families who are doing it tough in Brisbane. You can place your donation in the boxes on the day.

This weekend, the Catholic Church in Australia marks Safeguarding Sunday, on which we pray for those who have been abused, their families and supporters. We recognise and apologise for the harm done by priests, religious and lay people in Church settings. Rebuilding trust and confidence in the Church requires constant work and vigilance. We recommit to cultural change that will help the Church be a place that builds and supports safe communities for all people. You can find out more about the Church's work in this area at: www.catholic.au/s/article/safeguardingsunday2023



Aging Wisely - Free Seminar

The Archdiocese of Brisbane's free Ageing Wisely seminar provides advice and information on a range of pertinent matters, as a service to older parishioners. The seminar will feature professional guest speakers and a range of information sessions on estate planning and legal advice, retirement planning and financial advice, charitable gifts in Wills and perpetual endowments, funeral planning and in-home community support services.

Please join us Date: Tuesday, 26th September

Time: 9:30am - 1:30pm

Venue: Sandgate Brighton Parish Hall 108, Brighton Road, Sandgate 4017

Morning tea and lunch will be provided free of charge. For catering purposes, please RSVP names of attendees on or before **Thursday, 21 September** by email to sandgatebrighton@bne.catholic.net.au



*In this 150th year of the Cathedral of St Stephen
Archbishop Mark Coleridge
invites couples together with family and friends*

Golden Wedding Anniversary Mass

Saturday, 30th September 2023

Mass at 11:30am

followed by refreshments on the Cathedral grounds.

Other couples married at the Cathedral or Chapel, are also invited to attend with family and friends to celebrate 150 years of weddings at the Cathedral.



To register to attend the Mass and for catering purposes please
RSVP: Friday 22nd September 2023
cathedral@bne.catholic.net.au
3324 3030

If you have photos or stories to share of your wedding at the Cathedral, please contact David Todd.
email: toddd@bne.catholic.net.au
telephone: 3324 3030
by 1st September 2023



PARISH NEWS THIS WEEK

YOUTH MASS

Holy Trinity, Banyo Sunday 10th Sept 5pm

Next Sunday, 17th Sept, 5pm, Holy Trinity Church, Banyo.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

There will not be Children's Liturgy this weekend at Holy Trinity, Banyo.

CRAFT GROUP 12th Sept at 10am in the Parish Office.
All Welcome.



Make-Your-Own Sustainable Book Craft Event

The Parish Laudato Si and Craft groups are combining forces to bring you a sustainable craft event on Thursday 21st September, 10am at the Parish Office.



Learn how to make a colouring-in book / notebook / journal / notepad - or whatever you can imagine - using recycled and scrap paper.

NO drawing (or craft!) skills necessary - suitable for children, beginners and the advanced!
Materials are provided, but feel free to bring along old cards, spare paper and cardboard. Please contact the Parish Office to RSVP so an idea of numbers is gained.

MULTICULTURAL MASS

"Free to choose whether to migrate or to stay"
POPE FRANCIS





24 SEPTEMBER 2023 | 2:30PM

CATHEDRAL OF ST STEPHEN
CELEBRATED BY
ARCHBISHOP MARK COLERIDGE

MASS WILL BE FOLLOWED BY REFRESHMENTS
AND PERFORMANCES IN THE CATHEDRAL GROUNDS



ARCHDIOCESE OF BRISBANE

SCAN HERE TO REGISTER



For more information contact Lilliana Ortiz at ortizl@bne.catholic.net.au

Acknowledgement of Country

'We, the parishioners of the Banyo Nundah Catholic Parish, acknowledge the Turrbal and Yuggera Peoples, 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.

Sunday Mass Settings

Penitential Rite: 3C

Gloria: Prayed

Responsorial Psalm

(R.) O That today you would listen to His voice!

Harden not your hearts



Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

God was in Christ, to reconcile to world to Him self; and the Good News of reconciliation he has entrusted to us.

Alleluia!

Nicene Creed: Prayed (6pm, 7.30am & 5pm)

Renewal of Baptismal Vows at 9.30am Mass

Preface of Sundays in Ordinary Time: 3

Eucharistic Prayer: 2

Eucharistic Acclamation: 2

Readings Sunday 17th September

Twenty-fourth Sunday of Ordinary Time

First Reading Sirach 27:30-28:7

Second Reading Romans 14:7-9

Gospel Reading John 13:34

Parish Events this Week

Monday 11th Sept

7.00am Mass, Corpus Christi Nundah

8.00am Adoration for 24 hours, Corpus Christi Nundah.

Tuesday 12th Sept

8.00am Adoration for 24 hours, Holy Trinity Banyo.

10.00am Craft Group Parish Office Meeting Room

Wednesday 13th Sept

9.00am Mass, Holy Trinity Banyo

Thursday 14th Sept

6.30pm Mass, Holy Trinity Banyo

Friday 15th Sept

9.00am Mass, Corpus Christi Nundah

Saturday 16th Sept

9.00am Baptisms Holy Trinity, Banyo

6.00pm Vigil Mass, Corpus Christi Nundah

Sunday 17th Sept

7.00am Rosary, Holy Trinity Banyo

7.30am Mass, Holy Trinity Banyo

9.00am Rosary, Corpus Christi Nundah

9.30am Mass, Corpus Christi Nundah

5.00pm Mass, Youth led, Holy Trinity Banyo



PARISH MINISTRIES

WHS Representative

Mrs Patricia Corfield

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Youth Activities Coordinator

Dr Gysell Mortimer

Email: banyonundahyouth@gmail.com

THE VOICE BNYG

Parish Computer Project

Mr John Carr Ph. 3266 1119

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Eucharistic Adoration

"The greatest love story of all time is contained in a tiny white

Host." Fulton J. Sheen

Mrs Colina Knol Ph. 0422 111 321

Email: northside.adoration.bn@gmail.com

Permanent Vacancies

Holy Trinity: Tuesdays 12pm, 1pm & 11pm Wednesdays 12am - 3am

BAPTISMS

Please contact the parish office for a baptism pack.

Families meet with Fr Dan for preparation.

Baptisms are held at

Corpus Christi, Nundah on the 2nd Saturday of the month

Holy Trinity, Banyo on the 3rd Saturday of the month.

CORPUS CHRISTI REPAIR AND RESTORATION FUNDRAISING DRIVE

TARGET \$1,000,000



Parishioners of Banyo Nundah Catholic Parish and Friends of Corpus Christi Church, you are invited to contribute towards the cost of restoration and repair work to our beautiful heritage-listed Corpus Christi Catholic Church, 65 Bage Street, Nundah. We are currently running a fundraising drive to raise \$1,000,000 across a 3-year timeframe (2023-2025 inclusive) to help offset these emerging expenses.

You are also encouraged to contribute on more than one occasion if you are in a position to do so. The Parish needs your help. If you are able to contribute, please do so directly by **EFT** to the following Bank Account:

Account Name: Church Restoration

BSB: 064-786

Account Number: 100 025 586

Description: Please include your name here unless you wish to remain anonymous.

Envelopes are available at the rear of the church for donations by **Cash or Cheque.**

Thank you for your financial assistance.

Fr Daniel Redhead