



# 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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### MASS CENTRES

**Corpus Christi Church** 65 Bage Street, Nundah

**Holy Trinity Church** 352 St Vincent's Road, Banyo

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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

## The Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

— 14<sup>th</sup> January 2024 — Year B

Dear Parishioners,

Jesus offers us an invitation, an open invitation to 'Come and See.' For many of us who were baptised as infants, it was our parents who intervened for us and accepted his invitation by bringing us to the waters of Baptism. For all who were baptised as infants or young children, the work of becoming good disciples of Jesus Christ, did not stop at this point in our lives. It is continuous. It means that we have to apply ourselves humbly and willingly in his service. The first disciples certainly did, they came and saw and were so impressed with Jesus that they followed him closely for the next three years watching and learning all the while. Then, after his Ascension into Heaven, they and the other Apostles became the vanguard of the Christian Church.

This weekend, it is my honour on our Lord's behalf, to extend the same invitation to 'Come and See' to our three RCIA Candidates, **Graham Mitchell, Heather Speechly** and her son, **Jayden Speechly-Shagam**. In some ways, they each accepted this invitation when they commenced their RCIA journey towards joining our Church family. Today, during our 5:00pm Sunday Mass in the Holy Trinity Church, they will be invited to enrol their name in our Parish's **Book of the Elect**. The entry of their names is a clean and definitive demonstration of their intention to be faithful to our Lord and Saviour in all things. In entering their names, they transition to the next and final stage in their journey of preparation: the Church refers to this stage as being the **Period of Purification and Enlightenment**. This stage concludes with the reception of the Sacraments of Initiation: **Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist**. Jayden will receive all three; Graham and Heather will receive the Sacraments of **Confirmation and Eucharist** because they have been baptised earlier in their lives.

It has been a great honour to journey alongside the three Candidates together with their Sponsors and Catechists. It is also very rewarding and I would highly recommend that if you have an opportunity to serve on a RCIA team either as a Sponsor or a Catechist, take it because that journey will deepen your faith and knowledge as a Catholic, and you will be rewarded by God in many ways, and one of those ways will be to receive His abundant Graces.

During the past week, I appointed **Hendrik (Henri) Knol** as the **Parish's Youth Coordinator**. Henri replaces Gysell Mortimer in this role and I sincerely thank Gysell for her services to the Youth Ministry. Some Parishioners may remember that Henri was sponsored in part by our Parish and spent the majority of last year in Christchurch, New Zealand, serving as a NET team member. He has offered his services and his NET Team experience to us and he is desirous of livening up the faith of our Parish Youth. He, together with Angela Greathead, our Parish Sacramental Coordinator, and a number of other Parish volunteers will help grow our Parish Pastoral Ministries to serve people.

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## **Please Pray for**

### **Those who are sick:**

Saviour Bonavia, Dcn Kelemete Ta'ale, Des Molloy,  
John Carr, Damian Gambley, Vanessa Gomez,  
Lewis Family, Justin Carr, and Virgil Lee.



### **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:**

Patrick Stringer  
Noelene Gordon  
Kenneth Durston



Those whose anniversaries occur at this time.

### **Baptised this weekend:**

Rory Magee



### **Stewardship**

*"Jesus turned and saw them following him and  
said to them, 'What are you looking for?'" -  
John 1-38*



When we recognize who we are, it's easier to find what we are looking for. Once we see ourselves, and others, as children of God, we spend less time looking for the material comforts of the world. Instead, our hearts long for something deeper that can only be filled by God. Ask God daily how He wants you to live the life He intended for you.

### **A Vocation View**

A good Vocation prayer to say every day, from when we are ten years old till we are ninety years old, is found in today's first Scripture Reading: 'Speak, Lord, for your servant is listening.' Just try it with sincerity starting today.



### **Rostering System**

**Please check your roster now.** If you are unavailable, please request cover now.  
Thanks, Debra

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From February 2024, our Parish will offer broader opportunities to the children and young adults of our Parish community including:

- Children's Liturgy of the Word
- Children's catechesis classes
- Parish Youth Group will gather and participate in Sunday evening Masses at Banyo
- Parish Youth Group meetings with supper
- Family Mass hosted by St Pius V Primary School, Banyo

1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday	<b>Children's Catechesis</b> Nundah 10.30am Nolan Hall
2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday	<b>Children's Liturgy of the Word</b> Banyo 5pm
3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday	<b>Children's Liturgy of the Word</b> Nundah 9.30am <b>Youth Mass</b> Banyo 5pm <b>Youth Social</b> Brady Hall 6pm
4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday	<b>Family Mass</b> Banyo 5pm During School terms only Supper after Mass

There is an element of cross-over with these various groups because they intersect with the Parish Sacramental Program conducted by Angela Greathead. I, as Parish Priest, will minister to the older age groups within the Parish. Now, all this is possible because volunteers have come forward to serve in these various ministries and I am indebted to Colleen Bond and Bianca Besterwitch (Banyo Children's Liturgy Coordinators); Kirsten Garrett and Nadine Pike (Nundah Children's Liturgy Coordinators); Gysell Mortimer (Nundah Catechesis Coordinator); and Henri Knol, for his youth group coordination and leadership.

I have a positive feeling about our 2024 Parish ministries and outreaches; I hope that you do too.

May the Lord bless you with his abundant graces throughout the week ahead.

God bless!

Fr Dan  
Parish Priest

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### **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.

## POSITION VACANT – Sacramental Program Coordinator, Kedron

▪ Committed Team ▪ Flexible Hours (Casual)

### Genuinely Rewarding Work

Our Parish is part of the Catholic Archdiocese of Brisbane staffed by the Franciscan Friars of the Holy Spirit Province. We aim to be a prayerful, caring community in the spirit of St Francis, so that we may come to know more intensely the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit. We are seeking an enthusiastic and committed person to coordinate the sacramental program where children and families can encounter Christ, be transformed by Him, and realise their call to discipleship. This is a casual position (approximately 10 hours a week) with flexible hours.

### Main Purpose

The Sacramental Program Coordinator assists the parish priest in the organisation and delivery of the parish sacramental program and other liturgical ministries. The Coordinator will prepare and deliver information sessions, learning resources and liturgy materials for the sacraments of Confirmation, First Communion and Reconciliation.

For more information click this link

<https://brisbanecatholic.org.au/careers/?ja-job=828745>

## CATHEDRAL GUIDES AND WELCOMERS INFORMATION DAY

### Information Day for Cathedral Guides & Welcomers

Thursday  
1st February 2024

9.30am -1:00pm  
Hanly Room,  
Francis Rush Centre.

Refreshments provided.

An information day for  
anyone who would like to  
find out more about  
becoming a guide and/or  
a welcomer at  
The Cathedral of St Stephen



RSVP: 25 Jan 2024 ☎ 3324 3030 ✉ cathedral@bne.catholic.net.au



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## Prayer for Peace

### Living God

We earnestly pray for peace and stability in Myanmar amidst the ongoing internal conflict.

Our hearts grieve for the children and families enduring displacement, fighting with hunger and poverty.

Hear the prayer of these children and families and respond with the support they desperately need. May your love and warmth reach those who are most in need.

In your mercy, grant peace and perseverance to the internally displaced children and families, providing them with the necessary resources for survival.

We pray for the restoration of community and an end to conflict, allowing children and families to feel secure once again.

Grant families the strength and perseverance they need as they travel through these challenging times.

May your guiding light lead them towards hope and a brighter future.

Amen.

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## Sunday Mass Settings

Penitential Rite: 3C

Gloria: Sung

**5pm Mass Only:** Rite of Enrolment of RCIA Candidates

**Responsorial Psalm**

(R.) Here am I, Lord; I come to do your will.

**Gospel Acclamation**

Alleluia, alleluia!

We have found the Messiah:

Jesus Christ, who brings us truth and grace.

Alleluia!

**Nicene Creed:** Prayed

**Preface of Sundays in Ordinary Time 1**

**Eucharistic Prayer:** 2

**Eucharistic Acclamation:** 3

**Readings Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> January**

**Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**

First Reading Jonah 3:1-5, 10

Second Reading 1 Corinthians 7:29-31

Gospel Reading Mark 1:14-20

## PARISH MINISTRIES

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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

Email: [northside.adoration.bn@gmail.com](mailto:northside.adoration.bn@gmail.com)

Permanent Vacancies at

*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 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of the month

Holy Trinity, Banyo on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of the month.

## Parish Events this Week

**Monday 15<sup>th</sup> January**

7.00am Mass, Corpus Christi Nundah

8.00am Adoration for 24 hours, Corpus Christi Nundah

**Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> January**

8.00am Adoration until midnight, Holy Trinity Banyo

**Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> January**

*Memorial of St Anthony, abbot*

9.00am Mass, Holy Trinity Banyo

**Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> January**

6.30pm Mass, Holy Trinity Banyo

**Friday 19<sup>th</sup> January**

9.00am Mass, Corpus Christi Nundah

**Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> January**

6.00pm Vigil Mass, Corpus Christi Nundah

**Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> January**

7.00am Rosary, Holy Trinity Banyo

7.30am Mass, Holy Trinity Banyo

9.00am Rosary, Corpus Christi Nundah

9.30am Mass, Corpus Christi Nundah



## 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. Thank you for your financial assistance.

Fr Daniel Redhead

**Account Name: Church Restoration**

**BSB: 064-786**

**Account Number: 100 025 586**

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