



# 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

Parish Office: 136 Buckland Road, Nundah 4012  
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Facebook: Banyo Nundah Catholic Parish

### PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday 9.30am - 4.30pm

### PARISH TEAM

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**Mrs Angela Greathead - Sacramental Coordinator**

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### MASS CENTRES

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

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

### PARISH SCHOOLS

**St Pius V Primary Mr Peter Gordon - Principal**

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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 Fifth Sunday of Lent

17 March 2024 - Year B

Dear Parishioners,

We are quickly moving to the end of this penitential Church season of Lent; we're now within the final fortnight. Our attention as disciples of Jesus Christ ought to, if it hasn't already occurred, be zeroing in on our spiritual selves. Have we availed ourselves of the Sacrament of Penance this Lent? Have our personal acts of penance and mortification during Lent moved us closer to the Lord? Well, I certainly hope that it has. But, if we have been lagging about getting out of the starting blocks this Lent, please consider doing something about it in this final fortnight; it will be something that I'm sure will be well worth the effort.

After much anticipation, and prayerful preparation, our neophytes, Heather Speechly and her son, Jayden, along with Graham Mitchell were received into our Church and Parish community last Sunday. It was a joyful occasion for all involved and I'm pleased that a good representation of our Parishioners were present to witness their reception into the Church. Their reception concluded with a celebratory morning tea in Nolan Hall. A good number of people adjourned to the Hall to partake of the morning tea, however, with the weather last Sunday being unsettled and showery, perhaps even more might have joined the trio's joyous moments. Again, I offer my heartfelt thanks to all who were involved in the RCIA process and in arranging or contributing to the success of the morning tea.

The Church in Australia celebrates two Solemnity Feasts this week: St Patrick, tomorrow Monday, 18 March, and St Joseph, the Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary, on Tuesday, 19 March. The Parish will celebrate a Mass for each Feast; both will be in Corpus Christi Church. The Monday Mass will be at the usual time of 7:00am; the Tuesday Mass will be at the special time of 9:00am. St Patrick is a Co-Patron Saint of Australia, and St Joseph is widely venerated as a Patron of Artisans who honourably do good work with the gifts God has given them, and of Workers in general. To those who exercise the role of an adoptive parent, whether formally or informally, whether over one child or as the support of a whole family, he is a source of inspiration. All are most welcome.

Our Archdiocese celebrates its Annual Chrism Mass in the Cathedral of St Stephen on Thursday evening from 7:00pm. I, along with many of my brother Priests, will attend this Mass. It is an opportunity for each ordained minister to renew their Vows and their obedience to the Ordinary of the Archdiocese, Archbishop Mark Coleridge. Equally important is the creation of the Holy Oils to be used within the Archdiocese for our liturgies over the next twelve months. The Cathedral Parish have extended an open invitation to all Brisbane Archdiocesan Catholics to attend this special Mass; it would be nice to see some of our own Parishioners there too.

It is therefore obvious that, if I am attending the 7:00pm Chrism Mass on Thursday, and I can't bilocate, our regular 6:30pm Thursday night Mass in our Holy Trinity Church for this week will be a cancellation. For those who are regulars for this Mass, may I suggest that they attend a Mass in one of our neighbouring Parishes, or accept the Cathedral's invitation and attend their 7:00pm Chrism Mass.

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## **Please Pray for**

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

John Davies, Damian Gambley, Vanessa Gomez, Lewis Family, Justin Carr, Virgil Lee, Doug Desouza, baby Alfie Thomas.



### **Anniversaries**

Those whose anniversaries occur at this time.

### ***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.*

## **STEWARDSHIP**

*"I will be their God and they shall be my people."*

- JEREMIAH 31:33



What does it mean to be God's people? It means we recognize that everything we have and everything we are belongs to God. We aren't "owners" of anything, we are merely "stewards" of the gifts God has given us. It means we are willing to use our gifts and our lives to care for our family, our neighbors and for people we don't know, just as God cares for each of us.

## **A VOCATION VIEW**

Unless a seed dries out and dies, it cannot be planted in the earth to grow. Unless we first dry out and die to our selfish ways, we can never expect to be people who will 'lay down their lives for their friends.'

## **ST JOSEPH'S 2025 PREP ENROLMENTS NOW OPEN**



St Joseph's School, Nundah is currently processing enrolments for Prep 2025. Children born 1 July 2019 to 30 June 2020 are eligible to start school next year.

Our on-line enrolment application is accessed via our school website: [www.stjosnundah.qld.edu.au](http://www.stjosnundah.qld.edu.au) under the enrolments tab or click the link [Brisbane Catholic Education School Application for Enrolment \(bne.catholic.edu.au\)](http://Brisbane Catholic Education School Application for Enrolment (bne.catholic.edu.au))

Should you have any enquiries, please do not hesitate to contact the school office on 3266 2405.

## **PRAYER FOR PEOPLE IN CONFLICT ZONES**

Dear God, please guide us in our efforts to help bring relief to troubled regions. Our world is full of hurting people and nations torn apart by war and violence. Please protect, comfort, and heal children and women and men who face unspeakable loss and profound emotional and physical challenges.

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Next Sunday is Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord. The first Sunday Mass at each of our Mass Centres will begin with the solemn entrance outside the front of each church with the blessing of palms and procession into the church. So, if it is your preference to attend either the 6:00pm Saturday Vigil Mass (Corpus Christi Church) or 7:30am Sunday Mass (Holy Trinity Church), I would ask you to assemble outside the respective churches before the blessing of palms and to join the procession into the church proper. Our other two Sunday Masses will include a blessing of palms during those Masses. Palm Sunday marks the beginning of the holiest of weeks in the Church's annual calendar. There are always conflicting interests for many Catholics when it comes to observing the Easter Triduum (e.g. attending NRL, AFL matches, and the like, or watching them on television), but for devout Catholics, their attendance and participation in their Parish's Easter Triduum (i.e. the Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper, the Celebration of the Passion of the Lord, and the Easter Vigil in the Holy Night) is a priority and takes precedence over everything else.

May the Lord shower you with his blessings throughout the week ahead.

God bless!

Fr Dan

Parish Priest.

**Churchbox rosters** for Palm Sunday and Easter have been finalised. Please check that you are available and well prepared, especially our readers. If you are unavailable, please advise ASAP. If you see a gap in the roster, please help by offering to fill it. Many thanks for your consideration.

# TRUTH TELLING

## Where to from Now?

### RAP Networking Workshop



SCAN TO REGISTER

**SAT 23 MARCH**  
**8:30am – 3pm**

OUR LADY QUEEN OF  
APOSTLES CATHOLIC CHURCH  
70 Appleby Road, Stafford

### **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.



## Fifth Sunday of Lent 16 & 17 March

Partnership in action

The work of Caritas Australia is only possible with the dedication, passion and tenacity of our local partners who implement the programs. They are the heroes on the ground, working tirelessly behind-the-scenes every day to create a better future for their communities.

Caritas Australia partners with the Faithful Companions of Jesus (FCJ) to support communities living in urban slums in the Philippines. FCJ runs a number of programs that include house renovating, food processing, basic literacy skills, urban gardening, upcycling and income generating activities. They also have a clinic visited weekly by a doctor and community nurse.

Caritas Australia partners with Caritas Samoa to assist communities to have increased access to clean water, sanitation and hygiene to ensure human health and well-being by providing water tanks and sanitation facilities.

Caritas Australia partners with the Catholic Development Commission in Malawi through the A+ program. Since 2016, the A+ program has helped 7,397 families across Malawi improve their food security, access to basic water and sanitation, boost women's income generation and strengthen child protection. **Please donate to Project Compassion.**



You can donate through Project Compassion donation boxes and envelopes available from your parish, by visiting [caritas.org.au/project-compassion](http://caritas.org.au/project-compassion) or by calling 1800 024 413.

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## Sacramental Journey



The **Sacrament of Confirmation** in Banyo Nundah Parish will be held on Friday evening 31 May.

**Parent Information Sessions of children in Year 3 or older who are eligible for Confirmation** will be held on Wednesday 20 March at 7pm in Banyo Parish Hall or Thursday 21 March at 3.30pm in St Joseph's Library, Nundah.

To receive an enrolment form for Confirmation or for more information about the sacraments including the dates for Penance and Eucharist please email me [sc.nundah@bne.catholic.net.au](mailto:sc.nundah@bne.catholic.net.au)  
Angela Greathead, Banyo Nundah Parish, Sacramental Co-ordinator

### PARISH NEWS and EVENTS THIS WEEK

#### YOUTH MASS AND YOUTH SOCIAL

5pm Mass at Holy Trinity Banyo today (Sunday), to be followed by a youth social in Brady Hall.

#### CRAFT MORNING

Tuesday 19 March in the Parish Centre 10am to 12 noon. All Welcome to enjoy.

#### WORKING BEE AT BANYO

Working Bee outside Holy Trinity Church Saturday 23 March 6.30am to 8.30am. BYO gardening gloves for garden maintenance and clean up in time for Palm Sunday. Contact Angela Greathead via the parish office if you are able to attend.

#### DON'T FORGET MORNING TEA!

Morning Tea after 7:30am Mass next Sunday, Palm Sunday at Holy Trinity Banyo. All welcome. Hot cross Buns are on the menu!

## Archdiocesan Youth Rally



### March 22, Padua College

Join us and youth from across the Archdiocese of Brisbane for a fun night of, live music, games, inspirational speakers, powerful prayer and the opportunity for the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

**Free event, scan the code for more details**



[www.evangelisationsbrisbane.org.au/reco-rally](http://www.evangelisationsbrisbane.org.au/reco-rally)

### 2024 LENTEN CONCERT SERIES

Lenten Series : Thursdays 11:30am-11:55am before Mass.

*A time for reflection through Lent until Easter*

Work in the City? Come along on March 21 as we journey towards Easter together.

Last chance this week!



*Saint Patrick and Saint Joseph  
Pray for Us!*

### Project Compassion Fund Raiser at Banyo - HAVE A GUESS

Bring along your gold coins and guess the number of Easter Eggs in the jar. Prize is the jar and Easter Eggs



or

Guess the number of coffee pods in a jar. Prize is a \$30 Gift voucher to local cafe Putia. \$1 a guess and all money raised goes to Project Compassion, Caritas.

Tickets on sale this Sunday and next at Holy Trinity 7.30am and 5pm Masses.



### CCR Bardon Healing Mass – 5th April 2024

Anyone needing healing prayer or a spiritual boost in their lives, is invited to attend the first Friday monthly Healing Mass at St. Mary Magdalene's Church, 51 Cecil Road, Bardon, Friday, 5th April 2024 at 7.30pm. Fr. William Aupito Luliano will be the celebrant. The Sacrament of Healing will be administered during Mass together with a personal prayer by Fr. Will. Additional personal prayer will also be offered after Mass. Sponsored by CCR Bardon. For further information, contact Len Airey on 0421 977 849 or by email to [lenpatairey@gmail.com](mailto:lenpatairey@gmail.com)

## Sunday Mass Settings

**Penitential Rite:** Confiteor

### Responsorial Psalm

(R.) Create a clean heart in me, O God.

### Gospel Acclamation

Glory to you, Word of God, Lord Jesus Christ!  
If you serve me, follow me, says the Lord;  
And where I am, my servant will also be.  
Glory to you, Word of God, Lord Jesus Christ!

**Apostle's Creed:** Prayed

**Preface for Eucharistic Prayer for Reconciliation: 1**

**Eucharistic Prayer for Reconciliation: 1**

**Eucharistic Acclamation: 2**

**Solemn Prayer over the People:** 5th Sunday of Lent

### Readings Sunday 24 March

#### Palm Sunday

First Reading	Isaiah 50:4-7
Second Reading	Philippians 2:6-11
Gospel Reading	Mark 14:1—15:47

## PARISH MINISTRIES

### WHS Representative

Mrs Patricia Corfield  
Email: nundah@bne.catholic.net.au

### Youth Activities Coordinator

Mr Henri Knol  
Email: banyonundahyouth@gmail.com

### Parish Computer Project

Mr John Carr  
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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  
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 18 March

#### ***Solemnity of St Patrick***

7.00am Mass, Corpus Christi Nundah  
8.00am Adoration for 24 hours, Corpus Christi Nundah

### Tuesday 19 March

#### ***Solemnity of St Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin***

9.00am Mass, Corpus Christi Nundah  
8.00am Adoration until midnight, Holy Trinity Banyo

### Wednesday 20 March

9.00am Mass, Holy Trinity Banyo  
6.00pm Stations of the Cross, Holy Trinity Banyo

### Thursday 21 March

***NO MASS at Banyo this evening.***

### Friday 22 March

9.00am Mass, Corpus Christi Nundah  
6pm Stations of the Cross, Corpus Christi Nundah

### Saturday 23 March

6.00pm Vigil Mass, Corpus Christi Nundah

### Sunday 24 March Palm Sunday

7.00am Rosary, Holy Trinity Banyo  
7.30am Mass, Holy Trinity Banyo  
followed by Morning Tea  
9.00am Rosary, Corpus Christi Nundah  
9.30am Mass, Corpus Christi Nundah  
5.00pm Mass, Holy Trinity Banyo

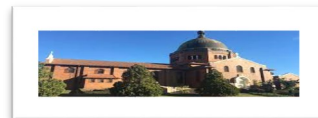


### ARCHDIOCESAN PRIVACY POLICY:

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.

### 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**

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

**Cash or Cheque:** Envelopes are available at the rear of the church.