



# 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

Monday - Friday 9.00am - 4.00pm

### PARISH TEAM

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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 Fifth Sunday of Easter

28 April 2024 - Year B

Dear Parishioners,

The Church has been presented with a number of metaphors in recent weeks, given to us by Jesus Christ himself, to describe His mission. On the Third Tuesday of Easter, Jesus described himself as **the Bread of Life** – 'he who comes to me will never be hungry, and who ever believes in me will never be thirsty.' (Jn 6:35) This same metaphor – the Bread of Life – was repeated again on the Third Wednesday and Thursday of Easter (Jn 6:35 and Jn 6:48 respectively). The Church repeats this metaphor to emphasise that everyone needs Christ in our lives, equally, we need to feed upon him both in the literal sense – by bringing his Word and actions to life in ourselves, and in the food sense, Holy Communion – with his life-giving Body and Blood sustaining us until the Christian community comes together again to be fed again.

Then last Sunday, the Fourth Sunday of Easter, Jesus identified himself as **the Good Shepherd** – caring for his flock even to the extent that he would sacrifice himself for his flock. (Jn 10:14-15) Last Monday the Fourth Monday of Easter, Jesus identified himself as **the gate of the sheepfold** – allowing anyone who enters through him to be safe. (Jn 10:9) These Gospel passages serve to remind us that Jesus cares deeply about our welfare; his compassion and love is clearly evident.

Today, the Fifth Sunday of Easter, we have yet another metaphor: **Jesus as the vine**, and we, being his disciples, are the branches – 'Whoever remains in me, with me in him, bears fruit in plenty...'. (15:5). As his baptised disciples, we're inextricably connected to Jesus. We enjoy a special symbiotic relationship with Jesus. We need Him in our lives, but our Lord needs us to continue His initial work by taking His Good News to the wider world.

God's eternal plan for his human creation, us, is that we should share His Heavenly home with Him for all eternity. Jesus' ministry, which concluded with his Death and Resurrection, had the effect of rendering all humanity eligible to be with Him in His eternal and Heavenly home, provided we are worthy to be there. The onus is truly on us. We are responsible for what we do and say; but God, via the Church's seven Sacraments, gives us the means and graces that help us stay true to Him. His sacrificial gift to us is unsurpassable in its efficacy and each of us should remember that sacrifice with gratitude each day of our lives.

Our Parish is just one month away from the annual celebration of the Festival – the Solemnity Patronal Feasts of the Holy Trinity (Banyo) and Corpus Christi (Nundah). Progress is being made towards our inaugural Corpus Christi Street Procession. I will report back to you in a subsequent Newsletter Message about our Corpus Christi Procession preparations, but for now, I would like Parishioners to add a date claimer to your diaries for Sunday, 2 June 2024; that is when our Procession and our public witness to our Lord will occur. The basic program for Corpus Christi Sunday is, that after the conclusion of the 9:30am Nundah Sunday Mass, Parishioners would assemble and commence the street Procession from the Church carpark down through Nundah Village and back to the carpark; the March will commence at 11:00am. The Procession will be led by me carrying the Blessed Sacrament in a monstrance. Upon our return to the Nundah Church, solemn Exposition and Adoration will occur until 1:00pm. The festivities will conclude with Benediction beginning at 1:00pm. We hope to offer participants food and drink stalls on the day too.

May the week ahead be a joyful one for all. God bless!

Fr Dan, Parish Priest.

**Please Pray for**

**Those who are sick:**

Phil van Brunschot, Di Haire, John Davies, Damian Gambley, Vanessa Gomez, Lewis Family, Justin Carr, Virgil Lee and Doug Desouza



**Recently Deceased**

Anthony Mifsud

**Anniversaries**

**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**

*"Children, let us love not in word or speech  
but in deed and truth."*

- 1 JOHN 3:18



Regarding our Catholic faith, do you "walk the talk?" Do your actions reflect what it means to be a good disciple? Are you an active participant at Sunday Mass? Are you joyful when participating in parish ministry? Do you give gratefully and generously with your financial support to your parish and other Church needs? If not, it's not too late to start!

**A VOCATION VIEW**

*Fifth Sunday of Lent*

Who shall come forward to explain the love God has for His people who should be one in faith? We need more faith-filled, prayerful, and spirited people to make the Vine and the Branches One Again. How about you?

**Churchbox Quick Tips**

**How to mark yourself as unavailable for rostering**

- From your dashboard, click on the Rotas drop-down box, then select "Your Availability"
- The current rotas will appear with two buttons, Available in green and Change in blue.
- Clicking the Change button will change you from Available to Unavailable which will show in red. Clicking Change again will change you back to Available.



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**DEDICATED EUCHARISTIC ADORERS STILL NEEDED**

Thank you to those parishioners who have decided to commit to a weekly Holy Hour with Our Lord, however there are a few permanent vacancies that still need filling for our roster.  
Mondays at CORPUS CHRISTI - 4pm x1  
Tuesdays at HOLY TRINITY - 10am x2

If these hours are unsuitable, but you are able to dedicate a different hour, then please contact me, as there are adorers who may be willing to swap their hour. If you would like to be an *emergency casual adorer*, it would be wonderful to hear from you too, as we are always needing casuals to fill in for our dedicated adorers. Contact Colina at [northside.adoration.bn@gmail.com](mailto:northside.adoration.bn@gmail.com)

The following hours must be filled immediately:

CORPUS CHRISTI	HOLY TRINITY
MONDAYS	TUESDAYS
4pm x1 adorer	10am x2 adorers

God Bless,

Colina

0422 111 321

<https://chat.whatsapp.com/DBsph1UhAMiDHCP5czROZW>

<https://www.perpetualadoration.com.au/>

**Synodality and the Life of the Parish**

at St Ignatius Church, Kensington Terrace, Toowong  
on **Friday 24 May 2024**, from 7.30– 9.00pm. All welcome!

**The key speaker: Fr Agbonkhanmeghe E. Oro-**

**bator, S.J.** member of the Roman Synod on Synodality. Dean of the Jesuit School of Theology in California.



You can listen to his podcast reflecting on the last session of the Synod via QR code.



**Joined by: two of our finest local theologians:**

**Fr Orm Rush.** Author of *The Vision of Vatican II: Its Fundamental Principles*, he was invited to address the last session of the Synod in Rome.



**Associate Professor Maeve Heaney.**

Director of the Xavier Centre for Theological Formation at Australian Catholic University & author of *Suspended God: Music and a Theology of Doubt*. She was a participant in our recent Plenary Council.



**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.

### Alpha Program

Come and try Alpha  
Sundays 11am—1pm  
From 19th May 2024



The new Australian version of the Alpha film and discussion series will run on Sundays from 11am from 19/5/24 at the Mother of Mercy parish centre, 9 Bowman St, Hendra. We will share hospitality, watch a video or 2 and discuss in small groups & we hope that you will join us.

[alpha\\_walkthrough\\_video\\_84\\_sec\\_Life\\_Faith\\_Meaning\\_Food\\_vid\\_disc.mp4](#)

Alpha is for anyone, anywhere, to freely explore their unique questions about life, faith and God.

RSVPs aren't essential but can be made via MoM Parish office: Email: [hendra@bne.catholic.net.au](mailto:hendra@bne.catholic.net.au) or Phone: 3268 3040



**worldwide marriage encounter**



**REMINDER**

PLEASE JOIN US FOR HIGH TEA TO CELEBRATE 50 YEARS OF MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER IN AUSTRALIA

**1pm, Sat, 25th May, 2024**

**The Hub, 58 Opperman Drive, Springfield Lakes**

To RSVP contact - Leisha & Joseph  
Phone: 0481 307 821 |  
Email: [qldbookings@wwme.org.au](mailto:qldbookings@wwme.org.au)

### Worldwide Marriage Encounter

This year Marriage Encounter celebrates 50 years since it arrived in Australia.

To mark the occasion, we are inviting all couples and priests who have attended a marriage encounter or been involved in Antioch or Engaged Encounter to attend a special Mass followed by high tea. Guests are asked to bring a plate to share.

### Healing Mass

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, 3rd May, 2024 at 7.30pm. Fr. Joson Antony, PP at All Saints Parish, Albany Creek be the celebrant.

The Sacrament of Healing will be administered during Mass. 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)  
Website : [www.ccrbrisbane.org.au](http://www.ccrbrisbane.org.au)

### Sacramental Journey News

Please continue to keep our sacramental families in your prayers.

If you have any questions please email me.

[sc.nundah@bne.catholic.net.au](mailto:sc.nundah@bne.catholic.net.au)

Angela Greathead,  
Banyo Nundah Sacramental Co-ordinator

## Confirmation Prayer

*Lord, You send out Your Spirit to touch the hearts of all people, so that they may believe in You and in Jesus whom You sent.*

*Look kindly on all candidates for Confirmation as they listen to Your voice.*

*Open their hearts to Your Spirit and bring to fulfilment the good work that You have begun in them.*

*As we prepare these children for Confirmation, make each of us an instrument of Your love.*

*Teach us to appreciate what is holy in others, and to be patient with what we do not understand.*

*Deepen our faith in the Gospel*

*and help us to pass it on by our example.*

*We pray that You will continue to guide us and sustain us.*


*Through Christ our Lord, Amen.*

### What's on this week

**Morning Tea** following 7.30am Mass at Banyo this Sunday (28th) Please stay and enjoy a cuppa with your fellow parishioners.



**RCIA Meeting:** Our RCIA commences again this Saturday at 9.00am in the Parish Centre. It was to be held at Nolan Hall, however the venue has been changed.



Join Catholic Mission online to honour Mother Mary during the month of May through praying the Rosary.

**THE WORLD MISSION ROSARY**  
*Open hearts to build One Family in prayer.*

**World Mission May Rosary Prayers**

Mon - Fri  
Time: 2pm Brisbane / Melbourne time  
12pm Perth time  
Join Zoom Meeting:  
<https://tinyurl.com/cmprayer>  
Meeting ID:  
893 8798 2280  
Password:  
876574

GO AND INVITE EVERYONE to the banquet

**catholic mission**  
*Reach out. Give life.*

## Sunday Mass Settings

**Penitential Rite:** 3E

**Gloria:** Sung

### Responsorial Psalm

(R.) I will praise you, Lord,  
In the assembly of your people

### Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!  
Live in me and let me live in you, says the Lord;  
My branches bear much fruit  
Alleluia!

**Nicene Creed:** Prayed

**Preface for Easter:** 5

**Eucharistic Prayer:** 2

**Eucharistic Acclamation:** 1

### Readings Sunday 5 May Sixth Sunday of Easter

First Reading	Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48
Second Reading	1 John 4:7-10
Gospel Reading	John 15:9-17

## PARISH MINISTRIES

### WHS Representative

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### Youth Activities Coordinator

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

## 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 29 April

#### *Memorial of St Catherine of Siena*

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

### Tuesday 30 April

8.00am Adoration for 24 hours, Holy Trinity Banyo

### Wednesday 1 May

9.00am Mass, Holy Trinity Banyo

### Thursday 2 May

#### *Memorial of St Athanasius, bishop, doctor*

6.30pm Mass, Holy Trinity Banyo

### Friday 3 May

#### *Feast of Sts Philip and James, apostles*

9.00am Mass, Corpus Christi Nundah  
11.00am Funeral Service for Anthony Mifsud, Corpus Christi Nundah

### Saturday 4 May

6.00pm Vigil Mass, Corpus Christi Nundah

### Sunday 5 May

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, 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



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