

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

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STOPLine Phone: 1800 304 550 Email: AOB@stoplinereport.com

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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

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time 28th July 2024 — Year B

Dear Parishioners,

Isn't it strange how things can change in the twinkling of an eye? As you would be aware, I have just completed a period of convalescence after contracting COVID-19 for a second time. That was just last Thursday morning, 18 July. On that morning, I had came to the Parish Centre at my usual time, I composed and completed my weekend Newsletter Message, again at the usual time, I composed and completed my Sunday Mass homily (which I would not deliver), and then I drove to the Mercy Centre, Nudgee, to celebrate my monthly Mass with their community when everything changed. Certainly I had the symptoms I would associate with a severe head cold – running nose, coughing, bleary eyes – but it wasn't until I attempted to sign myself in at Emmaus, and the sign-in device registered my temperature as 36.7°, and displayed a warning in RED letters to not enter the premises, that the second real inkling that I may have COVID occurred. My first inkling came after a terrible and uncomfortable night's rest on what was State of Origin 3 night, when I thought that one explanation for my illness just might be COVID. Well, COVID was confirmed for real some 30 minutes after leaving Emmaus when I tested positive to COVID-19, and my six days of isolation (or home detention because that is what it felt like) began. I had mentioned in my Newsletter Message that I had just composed less than 2 hours prior, my hope to be present with other Parishioners and visitors from other Parishes on that coming Saturday morning's Concert-Reflection, Signs of Hope - People of Faith, by Peter Kearney, but of course, that didn't come to pass. Also, I had prepared for a Funeral Mass for the late June Boyle but that had to be handed off to another priest because of the uncertainty of when I might be well enough to return to duty. Equally, there would be other events that would have to be cancelled and/or deferred. So, by 9:45am on that fateful Thursday, I was back home and in bed beginning my journey of recovery.

I am most grateful to Debra Visser, our Parish Manager, for her management of this crisis. Debra, at my request, recontacted all those I had met in the previous few days to warn them that I had contracted the virus. She also began the task of cancelling and rescheduling appointments in my diary which would be disrupted by my period of isolation. And she began the mammoth and urgent task of finding substitute priests to celebrate our Parish's four Sunday Masses. And all of that was on top of her own work duties and an influx of more requests for funerals. Thank you Deb for your invaluable help with these tasks.

Friends, I used a portion of my isolation time as a quasi-retreat – going away to a quiet place (just as Jesus called his Disciples to do in last Sunday's Gospel passage), resting, and praying for God's help with my malady. I also found time to be reflective about necessary things that needed my attention elsewhere in the Parish – so it was a constructive time. And, from a recreational perspective, I had the unexpected bonus of being able to watch the entire televised broadcast of *The Open* golf tournament, and it was quite spectacular.

Well, that's enough about me, and I am delighted to be back in the land of the living once again.

I would like to congratulate the children who will be celebrating their First Reconciliation this weekend. The majority will do so on Saturday afternoon, the remainder will do so on Sunday afternoon. With this achievement under their belts, they can now progress forward to receiving their First Eucharist on the weekend of the 24 – 25 August. Again, I would request your continued prayers for these children. Thank you!

I pray that your week ahead will be a fulfilling one and that you might all be showered with God's blessings.

Fr Dan, Parish Priest

Please Pray for

Those who are sick:

Tracey Stegeman, John Davies, Vanessa Gomez, Lewis Family, Justin Carr, Virgil Lee, Doug Desouza, Fr Peter Luton and Jacqueline Casimento.



Recently Deceased

Peter Henry

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

"There is a boy here who has five barley loaves and two fish; but what good are these for so many?" — JOHN 6:9



The miracle of the Loaves and Fishes carries two important messages. First, no matter how little we have, we always have enough to share. Second, Christ can take our humble gifts and do great things with them if we are just willing to let Him. Nothing is impossible with God. All of our gifts, big or small, were given to us for a reason. No gift is too small or insignificant!

A VOCATION VIEW

Today we are reminded by St Paul that there is one body, one Lord, one faith, and one baptism. The challenge is to 'bear with one another charitably, in complete selflessness, gentleness and patience.'That is an essential part of our vocation: to lead a life worthy of these attributes.

INVITATION TO A HEALING MASS

Are you in need of healing prayer for you or your family? An invitation is extended to attend a healing Mass at St. Mary Magdalene's Church, 51 Cecil Road, Bardon, Friday, 2nd August, 2024 at 7.30pm. Fr. Ravi Koyya, Assistant Priest, St. Mary's, South Brisbane Parish will be the celebrant. The Sacrament of Healing will be administered during Mass together with a personal prayer. Supper will be provided. For more information, contact Len Airey on 0421 977 849 or by email to lenpatairey@gmail.com Website: www.ccrbrisbane.org.au

DRAGONFLY MINISTRIES RETREAT FOR WOMEN

A quiet weekend of silence in community reflecting upon what is it to **Flourish in Hope and Mercy**. At Santa Teresa Spirituality Centre, Ormiston. Friday 9 August 6pm to Sunday 11 August at 3pm. Cost \$420 (\$400 for students/pensioners/unemployed) all inclusive. Facilitated by Grace Harwood. For information contact grace@dragonflyministries.net.au or 0409 524 283.

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TODAY 28TH JULY IS SEA SUNDAY. Help us do a Stella job for seafarers.

Catholics around Australia are being asked to reflect on and support seafarers on Sea Sunday this year. "Without seafarers, we would not have most of the items we rely on for daily living," Stella Maris chairman Ray Collins said. They work tirelessly to bring into our ports products that sustain us and our economy.

"People of the sea have always been important to the Church, from Christ gathering fishermen-disciples over 2000 years ago to chaplains and volunteers supporting merchant, passenger, fishing and other seafarers today," said Bishop Promoter of Stella Maris, Tim Norton.

Donations to Stella Maris over \$2 are tax-deductible and can be made online here

https://stellamarisaustralia.org/sea-sunday-appeal/

There is a lot of illness around at the moment.

Please remember to be diligent and consider those in our community that are at greater risk and with lower immunity to the various bugs being shared at the moment. Please use the **hand sanitiser** provided in our church spaces.



STELLA MARIS

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.

Synod24 Prayer

Creator Spirt, whose breath of life makes all things new.

We gather around Your table of communion, as many parts of one body, grounded in the hope, joy and mission of the Risen Christ.

We open our minds and hearts, so we can be nourished and enlivened by your presence, ready to be the hope, joy and mission of the Risen Christ.

We make space for the many stories of hurt, exclusion and silence of those within, and on the edges of our communities, so we may be in service of the hope, joy and mission of the Risen Christ.

As your breath of life flows in us and through us, may we be a vessel for your bold creativity so we may be the hands and feet of the hope, joy and mission of the Risen Christ.

We ask this in the name of the Risen Christ.

Amen.

Synodality Speaker Series with Dr Maeve Louise Heaney VDMF

Synodality: Our journey together

How can synodality help us to work together as a coresponsible church on mission? How can we begin being a more synodal church, in our own parish and as an Archdiocese? As pilgrims of hope, let's walk the journey of synodality together by exploring what the word "synodality" means, its history, and what it looks like to be a synodal church on mission.

August 1st 6:30pm - 7:30pm

(light refreshments from 6:00pm)
Our Lady of the Angels
Primary School,
30 Warraba Ave, Wavell Heights







Mission: Transform Livestheirs...and yours

Have you been considering whether an overseas professional placement with Palms is for you? Wanting to share your skills with communities in the Pacific, Asia or Africa to help develop self-reliance and sustainable solutions to poverty?

Join our Palms' <u>Discovery Webinar</u> online on Thursday 15 August. Meet Carolyn, currently in Timor Leste, and former Palms participants to find out more about <u>Assignments Aboard</u>.

Venue: Online via Zoom- register at

palms.org.au/event/discovery-

online/

Date: Thursday 15th August 2024 **Time:** 7:30 pm - 8:30 pm AEST

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EXPOSITION AND ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Permanent dedicated adorers needed for the following HOLY

HOURS. Most urgent hours are marked with a *

Corpus Christi — Mondays at 4pm* and

Tuesdays at 2am, 4am and 6am

Holy Trinity — Tuesdays at 11am*

What better way to spend a dedicated hour every week than in the actual presence of Our Lord Jesus Christ! An appeal to young adult and older male parishioners is particularly sought to fill the needed early hours. Contact Colina at northside.adoration.bn@amail.com for more details.



A Morning's Prayer is a three-hour experience held on Saturdays throughout the year. The mornings are perfect for individuals and groups seeking time for peaceful prayer and reflection.

The theme for this mini retreat will be centred on "I am the bread of life" where we will delve into the profound mystery of the Eucharist. We will explore how Jesus, the Bread of Life, nourishes our souls and strengthens our faith.

A Morning's Prayer includes prayerful input, time for individual prayer and reflection, as well as time of discussion and some fellowship.

Date: Saturday 3rd August 2024

Time: 9:00am – 12:00pm

Location: Santa Teresa Spirituality Centre (267 Wellington St.

Ormiston)

Cost: \$25 per person (morning tea included)

RSVP: Wednesday 31st July 2024

Register now

Mass Settings

Penitential Rite: 3B Gloria: Prayed

Responsorial Psalm

(R.) The hand of the Lord feeds us; He answers all our needs.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

A great prophet has appeared among us;

God has visited his people

Alleluia!

Nicene Creed: Prayed

Preface for Sundays in Ordinary Time: 4

Eucharistic Prayer: 2

Eucharistic Acclamation: 2

Readings 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading Exodus 16:2-4, 12-15
Second Reading Ephesians 4:17, 20-24

Gospel Reading John 6:24-35



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

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.

Parish Events this Week

Monday 29 July

Sts Martha, Mary and Lazarus

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

Tuesday 30 July

8.00am Adoration for 24 hours, Holy Trinity Banyo 11.00am Funeral Service for Peter Henry

Wednesday 31 July

St Ignatius of Loyola

9.00am Mass, Holy Trinity Banyo

Thursday 1 August

St Alphonsus Liguori

10.30am Mass Zion Nursing Home, Nundah

6.30pm Mass, Holy Trinity Banyo

Friday 2 August

9.00am Mass, Corpus Christi Nundah

Saturday 3 August

6.00pm Vigil Mass, Corpus Christi Nundah

Sunday 4 August

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





Thank you for your support!



Because of you, six Mary MacKillop Bursary Fund students could graduate Year twelve in 2023.

Your support also made it possible to award 21 new bursaries in 2024.



With your gift, you have given women and children fleeing domestic violence a safe space.

Because of you, they look forward to a brighter and safer future.



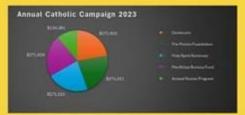
At the end of 2023, nine priests retired from active ministry.

Your support helped to provide a modest home and basic healthcare in their



Holy Spirit Seminary welcomed three young men to the transitional diaconate in 2023.

Through your gifts, we were blessed to ordain four new priests for in 2024.



Thank you for supporting the Annual Catholic Campagin last year. Through our combined support, we continue making a positive impact in the lives of those most in need in our community.