



# 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** If you think it's wrong ... report it.

**STOPLINE** Phone: 1800 304 550

Email: [AOB@stoplinereport.com](mailto:AOB@stoplinereport.com)

### MASS CENTRES

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

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

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### RECONCILIATION (PAUSED UNTIL 31 MAY)

Saturday 3.45pm - 4.45pm Holy Trinity Church, Banyo

### BAPTISMS (PAUSED UNTIL JUNE)

2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of the month at Corpus Christi Nundah

3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of the month at Holy Trinity Banyo

Families meet with Fr Dan for preparation.

### WEEKEND MASS TIMES

Corpus Christi, Nundah -

Saturday (vigil) 6pm and Sunday 9.30am

Holy Trinity, Banyo - Sunday 7.30am and 5pm

### WEEKDAY MASS TIMES (PAUSED UNTIL 28 MAY)

Corpus Christi, Nundah—Mon 7am and Fri 9am

Holy Trinity, Banyo—Wed 9am and Thursday 6.30pm

Holy Trinity, Banyo—Thurs 7pm Holy Hour with Benediction

### ST VINCENT DE PAUL

All enquiries for assistance Ph: 1800 846 643

## Sixth Sunday of Easter 25<sup>th</sup> May, 2025 — Year C

As the National Volunteer Week draws to a close, I'd like to highlight a few volunteers who have earned some long service leave!

Val Stafford has been volunteering in our Parish and School community since 1963. She continues to play a major role in our Parish as Sacristan for most celebrations in the Holy Trinity Church. She has a quiet way about her; she is always willing to be available for a funeral during the week. She knows most of the priests that preside at funerals and other Mass celebrations.

When I'm liaising with a priest for a funeral, they will often ask is there a Sacristan at the church. Usually adding, there was a lady there for many years. I assure them, the lady is still the Sacristan and will greet them when they arrive at the church before a funeral. Val has also made a wonderful connection with the Sisters of Mercy and Presentation Sisters;



she knows many by name. There would be many school principals that have relied on Val for school Masses and other school liturgical celebrations.

I have a few people on 'speed dial' in my office. One is Madonna Hoelscher and the other is Bill O'Chee. Madonna and Bill have an unwavering commitment to their ministry and go above and beyond to make this a better place. Madonna is heavily involved with Vinnies and the Care and Concern ministry. She is involved in outreach ministry - doing something every day to assist others. She arrived at my office this week; she had a surgical bandage on her wrist (she was advised to rest for a few days!). She had computer equipment to donate to our Computer Project (this is another quiet group, working in the background, in outreach ministry). Her boot was also full of groceries for a family in need in the school community.

Bill is the chair of our Parish Finance Council. There is a lot of activity in the background of the parish, as we navigate the possibilities of restoration works to the Corpus Christi Church. Bill is in contact with us in the Parish Office on a daily basis; sometimes coming into the office twice in one day, in order to liaise with stakeholders. He is always available to give advice and guidance on varied matters that hit our desk!

Please take a moment to thank anyone in a volunteer role, be it in our parish or your local community. If you have spare time, please consider volunteering! It's good for your soul! Deb Visser, *Parish Manager*

## Please Pray for

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

Fred Gomes, Justin Carr, Julie Cusack, Doug Desouza, Barbara Kolosowski, Philomena L'Huillier, Daniel Ligon, Maria Moltmann, Ennio Moresco.



## **RECENTLY DECEASED**

Robert 'Bob' Vlug

Fr John Kilinko - The Funeral Mass will be celebrated on **Friday, 30 May 2025 at 10.00am** at St Flannan's Church, 194 Handford Road, Zillmere.

## **ANNIVERSARY**

Damian Gambley

### ***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**

### **SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

*"...Do not let your hearts be troubled or afraid." (JOHN 14:27)*

Our limited human understanding cannot begin to understand the immense power of God. Instead of trusting in God, we often think we can control every outcome. Do you want to make God laugh? Tell Him your plans. The next time worry, anxiety or fear creeps in, thank God for all He has given you and trust that He has a better plan for you. Make God your first choice and not your last resort.

## **A VOCATION VIEW**

### **SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

If we love, we know the presence of God. Take time to be aware of God's loving presence. We are to imitate this love through our vocation. (John 14:23-29)



## **PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES**

We are currently preparing envelopes for the next campaign period which begins in July. If you are wishing to move across to an automated payment or are now using the Tap N Go machine, please let us know. We will take your name off the list for envelopes. Thanks Debra and Carmel.

**EUCCHARISTIC MIRACLES EXHIBITION:** Sandgate Parish Hall, 108 Brighton Road, Sandgate. The Exhibition is open from Friday 30 May until Sunday 1 June (9am – 4pm). The reception of a relic of Blessed Carlo will be at the beginning of the 5.30pm Mass on Thursday 29 May in Sacred Heart Church. All welcome. *More info on the noticeboard.*



## **MASS WITH CARDINAL RIBAT**

Our Lady and St. Dymphna Parish warmly welcomes **His Eminence Sir John Cardinal Ribat** for a special celebration of the Holy Eucharist.

**Holy Mass Details**

**Monday, 26 May 2025**

**5:00 PM**

**Our Lady and St. Dymphna Parish**

479 Robinson Road West, ASPLEY

Celebrant: His Eminence Sir John Cardinal Ribat

Concelebrant: Fr. Biju Thomas

We invite you to join us for this blessed occasion.

**All are welcome!**



## **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.

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## SACRAMENTAL JOURNEY NEWS

Some families **have not completed** their children's enrolment into the Sacramental Program. For legal and practical reasons, this needs to be attended as a matter of urgency. This could impact your child's enrolment in this year's program.



### 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 fulfillment 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.

## CHANGE IS COMING!!!

Do you enjoy receiving your weekend newsletter?

We are moving across to Flocknote and only those registered for Flocknote will receive the newsletter. Do this today!

It will also be available on our website each Friday afternoon.

To register for Flocknote and to get the news straight to your inbox use [this link](#) or scan the QR code here.



**Can you help us?** We are wanting to hear from anyone with experience flying a drone. Phone Debra in the parish office for more details. Thank you.



### DATE CLAIMER

MASS OF THANKSGIVING —ORDINATION OF  
DEACON SEAN PATRICK WOODS  
**SATURDAY 14TH JUNE, 2025 AT 6PM**  
CORPUS CHRISTI CHURCH, NUNDAH



We are delighted to be celebrating the Ordination to the Presbyterate of Deacon Sean Woods with a Mass of Thanksgiving here on 14th June.

There will be a supper following the Mass to be held in the Nolan Hall. Please consider if you'd like to attend the function following the Mass.

More information will be available next week regarding the supper. There will be limited tickets for the supper and I will publish a link for the function.

It will also be appropriate for the Parish to offer a gift on this special occasion in the life of Dcn Sean. We will take up a collection at the weekend masses when Fr Dan returns from his vacation. For more information please contact Debra.

### SAFEGUARDING POLICY

The Archdiocese of Brisbane holds that children, young people and vulnerable adults are a gift from God with an intrinsic right to dignity of life, respect and security from physical and emotional harm.

They are to be treasured, nurtured and safeguarded by all.

This means that **everyone in the Church** must ensure that the fundamental rights of children, young people and vulnerable adults are respected.

Our Local Safeguarding Representative, Ms Catherine Byrnes is available to speak with anyone about concerns around safeguarding issues. Her details are on the front page of the newsletter.



## Mass Settings

Penitential Rite: 6

Gloria: Sung

Responsorial Psalm

(R.) O God, let all the nations praise you!

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

All who love me will keep my words,

And my Father will love them, and we will come to them.

Alleluia!

Apostles' Creed: Prayed

Lord's Prayer: Prayed

Preface of Easter: 5

Eucharistic Prayer: 3

Eucharistic Acclamation: 1

Solemn Blessing of Easter

Dismissal with Alleluia

Readings: The Ascension of the Lord

First Reading Acts 1:1-11

Second Reading Hebrews 9:24-28, 10:19-23

Gospel Reading Luke 24:46-53



## Parish Calendar of Events this Week

**Monday 26 May**

*St Philip Neri*

**NO** 7.00am Mass Corpus Christi Nundah

Next Monday Mass 2 June

**Tuesday 27 May**

**Wednesday 28 May**

9.00am Mass Holy Trinity Banyo

**Thursday 29 May**

6.30pm Mass at Holy Trinity, Banyo

**7.00pm Benediction and Holy Hour**

**Friday 30 May**

9.00am Mass Corpus Christi, Nundah

**Saturday 31 May**

3.45pm Reconciliation, Holy Trinity, Banyo

6.00pm Vigil Mass, Corpus Christi, Nundah

**Sunday 1 June — The Ascension of the Lord**

7.00am Rosary, Holy Trinity, Banyo

7.30am Mass, Holy Trinity, Banyo

9.00am Rosary, Corpus Christi, Nundah

9.30am Mass, Corpus Christi, Nundah

## The Jubilee Prayer

Father in heaven,  
may the *faith* you have given us  
in your Son, Jesus Christ, our brother,  
and the flame of *charity* enkindled  
in our hearts by the Holy Spirit,  
reawaken in us the blessed *hope*  
for the coming of your Kingdom.

May your grace transform us  
into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel.

May those seeds transform from  
within both humanity and the whole cosmos  
in the sure expectation  
of a new heaven and a new earth,  
when, with the powers of Evil vanquished,  
your glory will shine eternally.

May the grace of the Jubilee  
reawaken in us, *Pilgrims of Hope*,  
a yearning for the treasures of heaven.

May that same grace spread  
the joy and peace of our Redeemer  
throughout the earth.

To you our God, eternally blessed,  
be glory and praise for ever.

*Franciscus*



**Benediction and Holy Hour begins  
this week starting on Thursday 29th  
May following the 6.30pm Mass at  
Holy Trinity Church, Banyo.  
All welcome.**

## MASS OF THE ASCENSION LAUNCH

It gives us pleasure to invite you to the launch of the Mass of the Ascension, an original musical setting of the Eucharist by Maeve Louise Heaney VDMF. The event, entitled "*Sing a new song: How we might name God into the future*" will present the music within the context of an evening of music and reflection involving the cathedral choir and choirs of various schools from across the city. It is sponsored by various generous collaborators and anonymous donors. The event is free, although a donation on the night will be welcome towards the ongoing musical formation of young people in the Archdiocese.

Date: Thursday 29 May 2025; Time: 6—7:30pm; Location: St Stephen's Cathedral

We look forward to seeing you there. **Please see the noticeboard for more details and registration link.**