



# 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](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

Saturday 3.45pm - 4.45pm 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

## Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9<sup>th</sup> February, 2025 — Year C

Dear Parishioners,

A fortnight ago, I asked for help from Parishioners to serve the Parish in voluntary capacities in various ministries. I have had a response from three Parishioners, two have offered to serve as Eucharistic Ministers, and one to serve as a member of the Corpus Christi Street Procession Organisation Committee. I thank these three people for their offer to help. But the sad reality is that a busy Parish such as ours, is in need of many volunteers across a variety of ministries for the Parish to run effectively and efficiently. In my opinion, the ideal situation is that anyone who comes forward as a volunteer to help in one of our liturgical ministries ought not be rostered on to serve in their chosen ministry or ministries than once a month. That leaves a degree of flexibility to be retained within people's lives so that they don't sacrifice other aspects of their personal and family lives out of a sense of obligation to the Parish family. Of course, there would be those who are quite comfortable in being rostered to serve the Parish in a liturgical ministry more regularly than on a monthly basis, and that would be their choice. However, the number of active Parish volunteers within liturgical ministries is now becoming alarmingly low. A case in point is the 5:00pm Sunday afternoon Mass in the Holy Trinity Church, Banyo.; for the past three weekends, we have been unable to roster anyone to serve as Extraordinary Ministers of Communion, and so, I have been unable to offer Holy Communion under both species – the Precious Body and Blood of Christ – and I have only been able to offer the Precious Body of Christ. Of course, it must be stated that the reception of Holy Communion under one species only does not diminish the efficacy of Communion at all, but it is always desirable, where possible, to offer Holy Communion under both kinds.

A Parish that can boast a surfeit of liturgical ministry volunteers is a sure sign that the Parish is a thriving and vibrant one. And on this point, we are beginning to struggle. My aspirations for our Parish is that we, too, could boast once again, a surfeit of liturgical and other volunteers but I need the help of Parishioners for this to occur. So, a goal of mine for our Parish is that we might again achieve that status within the next two years – by the beginning of 2027 – and I need your help and cooperation to reach this goal or to make significant headway towards achieving the goal.

There is a natural attrition that inevitably occurs within the volunteer stocks of Parishes and our Parish is experiencing this phenomenon now. Circumstances like people moving house to live elsewhere, retirements from ministry due to age, ill health or frailty; or through resignations or a desire to take a back seat to others, are just some of the ways that our volunteer stocks can fall off.

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**Please Pray for**

**Those who are sick:**

Justin Carr, Sr Joan Cusack, Julie Cusack, Doug Desouza, Barbara Kolosowski, Philomena L’Huillier, Maria Moltmann, Thalia Rivera, Mary Talbot.



**Recently Deceased**

Margarida De Fatima Lay

**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**

**FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

*“Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, ‘Whom shall I send? Who will go for us?’ ‘Here I am,’ I said, ‘send me!’”*



- ISAIAH 6:8

Every day, in little ways and in big ways, God asks, “Whom shall I send?” Whether it is someone to take on a new ministry, to give a friendly smile to a stranger or to say a word of encouragement to a friend, God constantly provides opportunities to help someone in need. God is always talking to us; we just need to pay more attention. When you hear God calling have the courage to walk through the door and say, “Here I am, Lord.”

**A VOCATION VIEW**

**FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

Holiness is a gift of God. Open yourself to the gift. When God calls, be ready to respond: “Here I am, send me!” (Isaiah 6:1-2, 3-8)



**Register Today!**



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I would like to plead once again, as a concerned Parishioner, for your help if you are able to help in any of the following ministries:

- Sacristans
- Altar Servers
- Extraordinary Ministers of the Word (Readers)
- Extraordinary Ministers of Communion (Holy Communion)
- Offertory Gift Processors
- Mass Collection Collectors
- Musicians (Pianists and/or Organists)
- Chorists/Singers
- Welcomers/Greeters
- Parish Pastoral Councillors (we have three unfilled vacancies dating back to mid-2024)
- Corpus Christi Procession Organisational Committee Members
- Organisers for the Corpus Christi Church 2026 Centennial Celebrations.

I know that some Parishioners already serve in multiple ministries, and I am most grateful and appreciative of their energies and services. But I am equally aware that there are other Parishioners who possess the skills to add another ministry to their repertoire or to venture into serving in a ministry that interests them, and if you are one of these, then I would be delighted to assist you in making this become a reality for you. Whilst some ministries require an element of mandatory training before beginning to serve in them, there are others, such as **Welcomers/Greeters**, or **Offertory Gift Processors**, or **Mass Collection Collectors**, who need negligible, if any, prior training to serve in these ministries.

So, please, ask yourself, ‘Can I help the Parish in any of these ministries?’, and if your answer is ‘Yes, I can!’, then please contact the Parish Office and offer your name and the particular ministries that you are interested in serving in. Thank you!

Finally, I pray that the week ahead will be a blessed one for all of us. God bless!

Fr Dan  
Parish Priest



**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

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**APPEAL for THE POOR in SRI LANKA**

Donations are sought of good quality pre-loved children's and adult clothing (size 12 or smaller). Soft toys, small toys, unlocked mobile phones and usable laptops. Donations can be left at our churches or delivered to Olivia at 92 Redhill Rd Nudgee (pick up can be arranged) Cash donations are also very welcome. Please Contact Olivia on 0431910839 for more information or to arrange pick up of items. Thanks for your generous support

**START ANEW IN CHRIST FOR LENT 2025**

The **Lenten Program** will begin with Ash Wednesday on 5<sup>th</sup> March. There has been some interest in holding a Lenten Group during Lent using the Archdiocesan resource advertised below.

For anyone interested in leading a group, your commitment can be for one or more weeks only as the role of leading a group may be shared by all those who are interested.

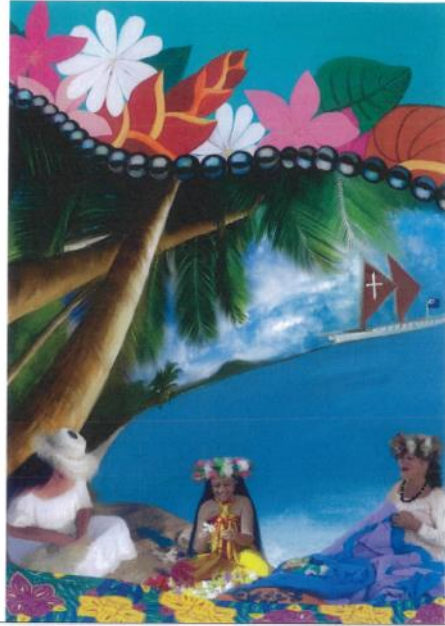
I am happy to put in a bulk order for the Lenten program books, please email or phone the Parish Office to place your order.

For those interested in leading a group, please let me know your availability.

Thanks,  
Debra

**World Day of Prayer 2025  
Cook Islands**

'I made you wonderful'



**Date and Time: Friday 7<sup>th</sup> March 10.00am**

**Location: St Francis Anglican Church,  
62 Cavendish St, NUNDAH**

**Contact: 3266 2174**

**BANYO NUNDAH LAUDATO SI COMMITTEE UPDATE**

The parish Laudato Si committee has strived to take action in response to the Pope's 2015 encyclical on the topic of care for the natural environment and all people.

We have proudly participated in events like Clean Up Australia Day, sought to include Laudato Si messages in liturgy, reviewed Parish energy consumption and waste production, and participated in Archdiocese initiatives.

The committee is seeking new members and leaders to help initiate activities, as well as act as a conduit of information from the Archdiocese and other parishes. A first key opportunity is coordinating a Clean Up Australia Day volunteer event. To learn more, please indicate your interest to the Parish Office.

***Brisbane Archdiocese Laudato Si  
Action Plan 2024-2026***

*Laudato Si* calls us to embrace sustainability in the spirit of integral ecology. "With profound care for each other, our Creator, and all creation, we are building a better future together."

Pope Francis urges Catholics to respond to both social and ecological crises. *Laudato Si* outlines seven goals, guiding the Church's response to these challenges. These goals are designed to support a spiritual and cultural shift toward total sustainability, addressing political, social, economic, and environmental issues in an integrated way. Click below for Archbishop Mark's comments on Laudato Si.

[Laudato Si Action Plan Launch Highlights](#)

**START ANEW  
IN CHRIST**

Group and Individual Reflections for Lent



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## Mass Settings

**Penitential Rite:** 3A

**Gloria:** Sung

**Responsorial Psalm**

(R.) In the sight of the angels I will sing your praises, Lord.

**Gospel Acclamation**

Alleluia, alleluia!

Come follow me, says the Lord,  
and I will make you fishers of my people.  
Alleluia!

**Nicene Creed:** Prayed

**Preface** for Sundays in Ordinary Time 2

**Eucharistic Prayer:** 2

**Eucharistic Acclamation:** 2

**Readings 6<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

First Reading Jeremiah 17:5-8  
Second Reading 1 Corinthians 15:12, 16-20  
Gospel Reading Luke 6:17, 20-26



## Parish Events this Week

**Monday 10 February**

*St Scholastica*

7.00am Mass Corpus Christi Nundah

8.00am **Adoration for 24 hours**, Corpus Christi Nundah

**Tuesday 11 February**

**Office Closed today for Flocknote training**

8.00am **Adoration for 24 hours**, Holy Trinity Banyo

**Wednesday 12 February**

9.00am Mass Holy Trinity Banyo

**Thursday 13 February**

6.30pm Mass Holy Trinity Banyo

 **Friday 14 February**

*Sts Cyril & Methodius*

*Happy Valentines Day*

9.00am Mass Corpus Christi Nundah

**Saturday 15 February**

3.45pm Reconciliation, Holy Trinity Banyo

6.00pm Vigil Mass, Corpus Christi Nundah

**Sunday 16 February**

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

## PARISH MINISTRIES

**WHS Representative**

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**Parish Computer Project**

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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)

Please contact Colina if you can assist in filling vacancies.

**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.



## CORPUS CHRISTI REPAIR AND RESTORATION FUNDRAISING DRIVE TARGET \$1,000,000

Thank you to all those who have so generously donated to our restoration fund. The job is not over yet, we are still working towards our target of \$1 million. If you are able to contribute towards the cost of restoration and repair work to our beautiful heritage-listed Corpus Christi Catholic Church, please use the details below for donations. Thank you for your financial assistance.

Fr Daniel Redhead

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**BSB: 064-786**

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