

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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STOPLine If you think it's wrong ... report it.

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

MASS CENTRES

Corpus Christi Church 65 Bage Street, Nundah Holy Trinity Church 352 St Vincent's Road, Banyo

PARISH SCHOOLS

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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

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time 16th February, 2025 — Year C

Dear Parishioners,

I appealed for Parishioners help in coming forward to fill much needed vacancies among the ranks of our various ministries. A number of Parishioners responded positively to my call and I thank them all sincerely. These additional volunteers will join our ministerial rostering ranks very soon. However, the Parish is still in need of more volunteer ministers. So, once again, I extend an invitation to those who haven't already responded to prayerfully consider helping out as a volunteer in one or more of the following ministries:

- Sacristans
- Altar Servers
- Extraordinary Ministers of the Word (Readers)
- Extraordinary Ministers of Communion (Holy Communion)
- Offertory Gift Processers
- 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.

If you are able to help, please contact the Parish Office (3324 2870 or nundah@bne.catholic.net.au) and offer your name, your preferred Mass time and day of the week, and the particular ministries you are interested in serving in. Thank you!

On Wednesday morning, I received an advisory communication from the Archdiocese concerning Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. The communication is particularly applicable to those Parishes who participate in Eucharistic Adoration; this Parish is one of them. The Archdiocesan WHS Director wrote the advice in response to a number of enquiries that relate to Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament during the hours of darkness and when Parishes are unattended. The Director has identified five areas of risk:

- 1. Personal safety of Adorers due to potential assault by an unknown third party whilst in the church or whilst traversing church property.
- 2. Personal safety were an Adorer to suffer a medical episode without means of communicating in the case of emergency.
- Risks associated with people moving around in the dark on Parish property with increased risks of slips, trips and falls on unseen hazards.
- 4. Compromised security for church property and valuables.
- 5. Emergency management and the ability for a person to safely evacuate if they are alone or locked in the church.

As Parish Priest, I take the safety of Parishioners seriously. In addition, I am not in a position in which I can stand by and ignore any response to these identified risks, to do so, would mean that I and the Parish could be found negligent at law. I have therefore taken the immediate action to suspend ALL Eucharistic Adoration in this Parish indefinitely until all WHS issues have been resolved.

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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

Elena Malinauskas Edi Passate

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 IN ORDINARY TIME

"Blessed are you when people hate you...exclude and insult you, and denounce your name...on account of Stewardship the Son of Man." - LUKE 6:22



All of us have been in situations when someone has made a negative comment or joke about God or our Catholic faith. How did you respond? Did you stay silent or pretend to go along with the crowd because you didn't want to cause waves and then, later, you felt bad? Know that God is with you all the time; the Holy Spirit will put the right words in your mouth. Pray for the strength and courage to proclaim our faith to others, especially during uncomfortable situations.

A VOCATION VIEW

SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Christ's resurrection makes our faith fruitful and our lives worthwhile. Be open to Jesus' great gift. (1 Cor 15:12, 16-20)







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I can advise that I, along with our Parish Manager, our WHS Representative and our Parish Local Safeguarding Representative, will need to complete a detailed risk assessment of Eucharistic Adoration in both Parish churches, before an operational document that summarises the risks and details the necessary safety measures that must be complied with, and which each Adorer will need to read and sign annually. The signing of this document is but one element in the process to enable resumption of Eucharistic Adoration in our Parish churches. The Parish may well have to upgrade certain facilities at our churches too, and this may take some time to complete. Furthermore, Adorers will need to receive training and instructions in site-specific management requirements too. And the Parish will need to register all persons who attend Eucharistic Adoration; this registration will include full names, addresses, contact details, Mass Centre that is frequented, and the currency of their training. People who are visiting Adorers must also comply with these measures — exceptions will not be allowed.

I know that there will be some Parishioners who will be dissatisfied with the suspension of Eucharistic Adoration, and I beg your indulgence and understanding. The Parish has your best interests in mind. I stress that this is my Parish's response to the WHS advice, what other Parishes who allow Eucharistic Adoration in their churches, respond to the WHS advice is entirely a matter for themselves. At this point, I cannot speculate how long the risk assessment and building/lighting modifications might take, but then this must be followed up with general compliance training, et cetera. This exercise will be given priority by me, but it is likely to take several weeks before we are able to proceed to the next step, which will be document signing, individual registration and training. Again, I beg your indulgence and understanding.

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

Fr Dan Parish Priest

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 0431 910 839 for more information or to arrange pick up of items.

Thanks for your generous support.

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.

Have you forgotten to order your Lenten Book

The **Lenten Program** will begin with Ash Wednesday on 5th 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 by 21st February at the latest.



entprogram.com.au

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: Friday 7th March, 10am

Location: St Francis Anglican Church Nundah



Embrace the difference



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.

Amen.

Franciscus

Date Claimers for Sacramental Program 2025

Confirmation: 20th June Penance: 2nd/3rd August

First Holy Communion: 30/31st August



More information about times and venues will be published closer to the dates.

For all enquiries, contact Angela Greathead Sacramental Coordinator sc.nundah@bne.catholic.net.au

Mass Settings

Penitential Rite: 3B

Gloria: Prayed

Responsorial Psalm

(R.) Happy are they who hope in the Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

Rejoice and be glad;

Your reward will be great in heaven.

Alleluia!

Nicene Creed: Prayed

Preface for Sundays in Ordinary Time 3

Eucharistic Prayer: 3

Eucharistic Acclamation: 3



Readings: Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading 1 Samuel 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23

Second Reading 1 Corinthians 15:45-49

Gospel Reading Luke 6:27-38

Parish Events this Week

Monday 17 February

7.00am Mass Corpus Christi Nundah

Tuesday 18 February

Wednesday 19 February

9.00am Mass Holy Trinity Banyo

Thursday 20 February

6.30pm Mass Holy Trinity Banyo

Friday 21 February

9.00am Mass Corpus Christi Nundah

Saturday 22 February

3.45pm Reconciliation, Holy Trinity Banyo 6.00pm Vigil Mass, Corpus Christi Nundah

Sunday 23 February

7.00am Rosary, Holy Trinity Banyo

7.30am Mass, Holy Trinity Banyo
Please stay for a cuppa after Mass

9.00am Rosary, Corpus Christi Nundah

9.30am Mass, Corpus Christi Nundah

5.00pm Mass, Holy Trinity Banyo



PARISH MINISTRIES

WHS Representative

Mrs Patricia Corfield

Email: nundah@bne.catholic.net.au

Parish Computer Project

Email: nundahcomputerproject@gmail.com

Eucharistic Adoration

NB: Eucharistic Adoration in this Parish has been suspended until all workplace, Health and Safety issues have been resolved.

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.



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

Account Name: Church Restoration

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Account Number: 100 025 586

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remain anonymous.

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church.

