



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

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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 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

The Fourth Sunday of Lent

30th March, 2025 — Year C

Dear Parishioners,

The Parish's Second Rite of Reconciliation services have been completed for this Lenten season. The only option now available for Parishioners for the remainder of Lent is the First Rite form of the Sacrament – the form that most Catholics identify as the traditional form of Confession – confessing to a Priest in a confessional room. In our Parish, the regular confession period is on a Saturday, between 3:45pm and 4:45pm, and the venue is Holy Trinity Church, Banyo. It is always ideal to arrange for oneself to be reconciled with the Lord prior to the celebration of Easter, and I am most happy to assist people in this way.

It is a while since I offered a progress report of our Parish's current RCIA Program. The Parish began this program, its third in 2024, with six Candidates. Then during the Christmas recess that ran through to the beginning of the 2025 school year, four Candidates (two couples) dropped out, but one new Candidate joined the Program. The current net position is that we have three Candidates, two of who will receive all three initiation Sacraments, the third, who was previously baptised in another faith, will receive the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist. Parishioners who attend the 9:30am Sunday Mass at Nundah have been journeying with these three Candidates as they were enrolled in the Book of the Elect, then making their three Scrutinies (the third and final one of these being today), So, Lyndal, David and Sophia are not complete strangers to our Parish community. The trio, along with their Sponsors and catechists, have three group meetings to go, before they will be received into the Church during the Easter Vigil service. Please continue to ask the Holy Spirit in your prayers, to guide the hearts and minds of these Candidates as they continue their spiritual journey of discovery into our Catholic Faith tradition.

I offer one final written reminder to all those who have recently offered their names as volunteer Readers or Communion Ministers. The correct title of these particular ministries are Extraordinary Minister of the Word and Extraordinary Minister of Communion. I have scheduled a training session on Thursday night of this week for 7:00pm in the Holy Trinity Church, Banyo. Because there is a certain degree of overlap in some areas of these ministries, I plan to run through those common denominators before addressing the specific areas that pertain to each ministry. Some volunteers have offered to serve in both ministries. The training in mandatory. It must be completed before a person can be commissioned by me to serve in those capacities. I expect that the duration of the training will run about 30 to 35 minutes. Because this training follows immediately on from 6:30pm weekday Mass, those coming for the training might give favourable consideration to also attend the Mass. Thank you again for volunteering your services to the Parish; I look forward to working more closely with you in our Parish liturgies.

God bless you all, and may the Lord once again, protect you throughout the week ahead.

Fr Dan, Parish Priest.

Please Pray for

Those who are sick:

Justin Carr, Julie Cusack, Doug Desouza,
Barbara Kolosowski, Philomena L’Huillier,
Paul Martin, Maria Moltmann.



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

FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

*“No longer was there manna for the
Israelites, who that year ate of the yield
of the land of Canaan.” - JOSHUA 5:12*



Over the forty years that the Israelites journeyed through the desert, God provided them with manna to eat. As soon as they were able to enjoy the fruits of the Promised Land the manna ceased. Likewise, God’s blessings to us may change over the years but it is important to trust that God will always provide us with all that we need.

A VOCATION VIEW

FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

God welcomes us home with extravagant love. Let the call to holiness draw you home into a deeper relationship with God. *(Luke 15:1-3, 11-32)*



LENTEN TALK

Topic: Celebrating the Joy of the Paschal Triduum

Speaker: Sr Ursula O’Rourke sgs

**St Paschal’s — 30 Warraba Avenue,
Wavell Heights –**

Thursday 3 April at 7pm

**St Gerard Majella — 146 Maundrell
Terrace, Chermside West – Friday 4
April at 10am**



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Safeguarding Survey 2025



The protection and wellbeing of children and adults-at-risk is at the core of Church mission, and setting the right approach to safeguarding is important.

Please help us keep everyone safe by completing one of the below surveys.

Child Safeguarding Survey
(Children 5-12 yrs)

Youth Safeguarding Survey
(Children 13-17 yrs)

Parental consent required.

Parental consent required.



Parish Safeguarding Survey
(Adult)



We value your feedback!

CALLING ALL SINGERS

All welcome to join the respective choirs for the Easter Triduum.

Come to a practice at:

Corpus Christi Church

Wednesdays 2nd & 9th April at 6pm for Good Friday and Easter Vigil

Holy Trinity Church

Mondays 31st March & 14th April at 7pm for Holy Thursday and Easter Sunday.

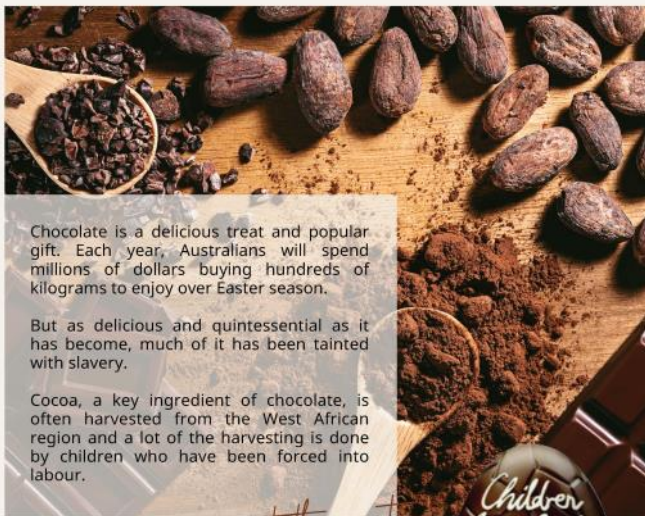


Acknowledgement of Country

‘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.

Slavery Free Easter Chocolate

"Every person ought to have the awareness that purchasing is always a moral - and not simply an economic - act." — Pope Francis



Chocolate is a delicious treat and popular gift. Each year, Australians will spend millions of dollars buying hundreds of kilograms to enjoy over Easter season.

But as delicious and quintessential as it has become, much of it has been tainted with slavery.

Cocoa, a key ingredient of chocolate, is often harvested from the West African region and a lot of the harvesting is done by children who have been forced into labour.

Chocolate can come at the cost of a child's health, education, and sometimes even their freedom



EARTHCARE 2025

Lent 2025 Online Mission with Bruce Downes – The Catholic Guy



Experience spiritual renewal this Lent through an inspiring online Mission Event with Bruce Downes with people from all around the world.

Online and easy to access, this powerful resource is perfect for individuals, families, and parish groups.

Starts April 5, 2025. Registration required.

👉 Register now at: missionevent.thecatholicguy.com

Archbishop Mark Coleridge invites you to the annual
CHRISM MASS
Thursday 10th April 2025 @ 7:00pm
Cathedral of St Stephen
249 Elizabeth Street, Brisbane 4000
A CELEBRATION FOR THE ENTIRE ARCHDIOCESE
ALL WELCOME
CAR PARKING AVAILABLE FROM 6:00PM
A LIGHT SUPPER WILL BE SERVED FOLLOWING THE MASS



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

Sacramental Journey

The **Sacrament of Confirmation** in Banyo Nundah Parish will be held on Friday evening 20 June at Corpus Christ Church ONLY.



Parent Information Sessions of children in Year 3 or older who are eligible for Confirmation will be held on

- ⇒ Wednesday 2 April at 7pm or
 - ⇒ Thursday 3 April at 3.30pm
- at the Parish Office 136 Bage Street, Nundah.

Details of how to enrol and crucial dates for preparation will be outlined at the parent information sessions. For more information about the sacraments including the dates for Penance and Eucharist please email me sc.nundah@bne.catholic.net.au

Angela Greathead,
Banyo Nundah Parish, Sacramental Co-ordinator

Mass Settings

Penitential Rite: Confiteor

Responsorial Psalm

(R.) Taste and see the goodness of the Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Praise and honour to you, Lord Jesus Christ!

I will rise and go to my Father and tell him:

Father, I have sinned against heaven and against you.

Praise and honour to you, Lord Jesus Christ!

Third Scrutiny 9.30am Mass Nundah ONLY

Nicene Creed: Prayed

Preface of Lent: 2

Eucharistic Prayer: 2

Eucharistic Acclamation: 2

Final Blessing: Fourth Sunday of Lent

Readings: Fifth Sunday of Lent

First Reading Isaiah 43:16-21

Second Reading Philippians 3:8-14

Gospel Reading John 8:1-11



PARISH MINISTRIES

WHS Representative

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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 31 March

7.00am Mass Corpus Christi Nundah

Tuesday 1 April

April Fools Day

Wednesday 2 April

9.00am Mass Holy Trinity Banyo

6.30pm Stations of the Cross followed by Lenten

Reflection Group, Holy Trinity Banyo

7.00pm Sacramental Program Parent Information Session,
Parish Office, Nundah

Thursday 3 April

10.30 am Mass Zion Nursing Home, Nundah

3.30pm Sacramental Program Parent Information Session,
Parish Office Nundah

6.30pm Mass Holy Trinity Banyo

7.00pm New Ministers Training, Holy Trinity Banyo

Friday 4 April — First Friday

9.00am Mass Corpus Christi Nundah

Saturday 5 April

3.45pm Reconciliation, Holy Trinity Banyo

6.00pm Vigil Mass, Corpus Christi Nundah

Sunday 6 April

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

It's School Holidays!
Enjoy your break kids.



Fourth Sunday of Lent
29th and 30th of March 2025

Irene lives in the Kongolo Region in the Democratic Republic of the Congo (DRC) and faced immense challenges after losing her father to war and raising her children in poverty. With support from Caritas Australia, Irene received vocational training in sewing and farming and can now support her whole family.



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