



# 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: [A0B@stopinereport.com](mailto:A0B@stopinereport.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

## The Fifth Sunday of Lent

6<sup>th</sup> April, 2025 — Year C

Dear Parishioners,

I begin by reminding everyone that next Sunday we celebrate Palm Sunday which marks our entrance as a Church into Holy Week. Already, as a Parish, we are preparing for the celebration of these sacred liturgies, particularly the Easter Triduum. Our three RCIA candidates are zeroing in on these events too, with a spirit of expectancy that is driving them forwards towards their reception into our Church and Parish communities. Please continue to pray for our RCIA candidates, Lyndal Dashwood, Sophia Lynch and David Gittens, and their sponsors.

Our State's schools begin their fortnight-long mid-semester (Easter) vacations from this weekend. The school second term will commence on Easter Tuesday. The school holidays, coupled with torrential rains causing major and minor flooding in Queensland's far west, far north and south east could mean that holiday makers travelling by car could face some disruptions to their travelling plans. As always, I am concerned about road users safety whenever school vacations occur, so I would again urge all who will be travelling anywhere over the next fortnight to be especially careful when you use our roads and highways. I will never forget my father's sage advice to me as he taught me to drive, and that has served me well for nearly five decades: **Always give way to the right, but don't forget the left either.**

The Archdiocese's Annual Chrism Mass in St Stephen's Cathedral is occurring on Thursday Night of this week. I shall be attending the Mass along with my brother priests. The Archbishop extends an open invitation for the People of God to attend this important Mass too. The Mass begins at 7:00pm. Because I shall be attending this Mass, it necessitates the cancellation of our own Thursday 6:30pm Mass. I apologise for any inconvenience the cancellation of our Parish Mass may cause to Parishioners.

The cut-off date for Parishioners to respond to my invitation to register your preference for how Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament might proceed in our Parish is Monday. There were two options:

1. Daytime adoration in the Corpus Christi Church, Nundah, between 9:00am and 4:00pm on either a Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday, in accordance with all the previously specified preconditions, or,
2. A Holy Hour of Exposition and Adoration before concluding with Benediction in the Holy Trinity Church, Banyo, on a Thursday evening from 7:00pm to 8:00pm (this would follow-on immediately after the conclusion of the weekly 6:30pm Mass).

I will advise Parishioners of the result of this survey in next weekend's Parish Newsletter Message.

May God bless you all and keep you in his loving embrace.

Fr Dan, Parish Priest.

### Please Pray for

#### Those who are sick:

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



### Recently Deceased

Suzanne Fernando

### Anniversary

Ebert Fonseka

#### **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 OF LENT

*"...For his sake I have accepted the loss of all things and I consider them so much rubbish, that I may gain Christ..."*



(PHILIPPIANS 3:8)

The first commandment says that we should not put other gods before the Lord. Sharing all of our gifts - our time in prayer, our talent in charitable works, and our treasure to support the Church helps us keep God first in everything. It helps us from putting other gods before God. It helps us from becoming a slave to our possessions. It helps us to use our gifts for the glory of God and not for the glory of ourselves.

### A VOCATION VIEW

#### FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

God continues to open a way for us. How is God doing something new in your life? Perhaps God is inviting you to be a priest or religious.

(Isaiah 43:16-21)



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### STATIONS OF THE CROSS

✠ Holy Trinity, Wednesday nights at 6.30pm from March 12<sup>th</sup> to April 16<sup>th</sup>

### LENTEN REFLECTION GROUP

✠ Meets after Stations of the Cross under the Parish House

Booklets will be provided for the stations.

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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!

## What will you do throughout Lent and Easter?

**"The knowledge about what we buy is the first act in not being complicit. Look at where those products come from." — Pope Francis**



As consumers we are able to play a part in combating slavery in chocolate supply chains. By choosing to buy from companies with transparent and ethical sourcing practices, and supporting advocacy efforts to hold the industry accountable, we can help.

*Make a change this year*

### DOWNLOAD THE CHOCOLATE SCORECARD BELOW



See which brands are working to eliminate child labour from their products.

### SPREAD THE WORD



Talk to friends and family about the issue and encourage them to be responsible consumers with you.

### LOOK FOR CERTIFICATION LOGOS

Purchase chocolate that has the Rainforest Alliance, Cocoa Horizons or Fairtrade certification logos. This means these companies are working to eliminate slavery in the cocoa industry.





## 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: 20<sup>th</sup> June

Penance: 2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup> August

First Holy Communion: 30/31<sup>st</sup> August



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

For all enquiries, contact Angela Greathead,  
Sacramental Coordinator

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## PREPARATION OF THE PALMS

In preparation for Palm Sunday, we will be  
cutting palms at 8am at Holy Trinity Church,  
Banyo next Saturday 12 April. Please bring  
some secateurs and help prepare for Palm  
Sunday. Many hands make light work.



## MEET YOUR CANDIDATE

In the lead-up to the Federal election, churches across  
Australia are hosting "meet the candidate" events for  
Christians in their electorate. These forums are being  
organized in collaboration with most major Christian  
denominations, and hosted by a wide range of churches.

### Brisbane Electorate Forum

St Paul's Presbyterian

Date to be confirmed

Details: <https://meetyourcandidates.org.au/forum?id=fed25-brisbane>

You can find a full list of the forums at:

<https://meetyourcandidates.org.au>

## SACRED PASCHAL TRIDUUM MASS TIMES

The Easter Triduum is fast approaching, mark your  
calendars now for which Masses and Celebrations you  
will be attending:

### Thursday 17 April — Thursday of the Lord's Supper (Holy Thursday)

7pm Holy Trinity Banyo Washing of the Feet

### Friday 18 April — Friday of the Passion of the Lord (Good Friday)

10am Stations of the cross

Holy Trinity Banyo, Led by Fr Dan

3pm Celebration of the Passion of the Lord

Corpus Christi Nundah

### Saturday 19 April — The Easter Vigil in the Holy Night

6pm Corpus Christi Nundah

Includes reception of RCIA candidates into the Church

### Sunday 20 April — Sunday of the Resurrection (Easter Sunday)

7.30am Holy Trinity Banyo

9.30am Corpus Christi Nundah

**NO** 5pm Holy Trinity Banyo Mass Easter Sunday

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

### 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.

## Mass Settings

**Penitential Rite:** Confiteor

### Responsorial Psalm

(R.) The Lord has done great things for us;  
We are filled with joy.

### Gospel Acclamation

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!  
With all your heart turn to me,  
for I am tender and compassionate.  
Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!

**Nicene Creed:** Prayed

**Preface of Lent:** 2

**Eucharistic Prayer:** 3

**Eucharistic Acclamation:** 3

**Final Blessing:** Fifth Sunday of Lent

**Readings: Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord**

First Reading Isaiah 43:16-21  
Second Reading Philippians 3:8-14  
Gospel Reading John 8:1-11



## PARISH MINISTRIES

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### Parish Computer Project

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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 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of the month  
Holy Trinity, Banyo on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of the month.



## Parish Events this Week

### Monday 7 April

7.00am Mass, Corpus Christi, Nundah

### Tuesday 8 April

### Wednesday 9 April

9.00am Mass, Holy Trinity, Banyo  
6.00pm Choir Practice - All Welcome  
Corpus Christi, Nundah  
6.30pm Stations of the Cross, Holy Trinity, Banyo

### Thursday 10 April

**NO** 6.30pm Mass Holy Trinity, Banyo tonight.  
7.00pm Chrism Mass, St Stephen's Cathedral

### Friday 11 April

9.00am Mass, Corpus Christi, Nundah

### Saturday 12 April

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

### Sunday 13 April — Palm Sunday

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



**Countdown until the  
Easter Bunny arrives!**



## Fifth Sunday of Lent 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> of April 2025

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**UNITE  
AGAINST  
POVERTY**  
this Lent

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