



Holy Family Church (HFC) 167 Bugden Avenue, Gowrie ACT 2904
Sacred Heart Church (SHC) 100 Casey Cres, Calwell ACT 2905

Parish Suburbs: Banks, Calwell, Chisholm, Conder, Fadden, Gilmore, Gordon, Gowrie, Isabella Plains, Macarthur, Richardson, Theodore, Tharwa & rural surrounds in ACT.

Parish Schools: St Clare of Assisi, Conder; St Francis of Assisi, Calwell; Early Learning Centre -SFA, Holy Family School, Gowrie; Early Learning Centre - HFS, St Mary Mackillop College - Isabella and Wanniasa Campuses.

Website: <https://ccparish.org.au/>

Read our Parish Bulletins here: <https://ccparish.org.au/about-us/bulletin/>

Mass Sunday Livestream: <https://www.youtube.com/@corpuschristisouthtuggeranong8526/streams>

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Sunday 9th March 2025—1st Sunday of Lent
What is happening this week?

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PARISH SCHOOLS

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 ISABELLA PLAINS & WANNIASSA**

Michael Lee (Principal)
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Fri 7th March 2025	5:00pm	HFC	Adoration
	5:30pm	HFC	Stations of the Cross
Sat 8th March	6:00pm	HFC	Mass
	9:00am	SHC	Mass followed by Rosary
	10:00am	HFC	1st Rite Reconciliation
Sun 9th Mar <i>1st Sunday of Lent</i>	5-5:30pm	HFC	1st Rite Reconciliation
	6:00pm	HFC	Vigil Mass
	8:00am	HFC	Mass
	10:00am	HFC	Mass (livestreamed)
Mon 10th Mar	11:30am	HFC	Baptisms
	5-5:30pm	HFC	1st Rite Reconciliation
	6:00pm	HFC	Mass
	Office closed.		
	7:00pm	Parish Centre	SVDP Gowrie Confrence
Tues 11th Mar	7:00pm	HFC	Lenten Program
			“Metanoia”
Wed 12th Mar	5:30pm	HFC	Mass
	6:30—7:30	HFC	Parish School of Religion
Thur 13th Mar	9:30am	SHC	Mass
	5:30-6:00pm	HFC	Novena with Nestor
	7:00pm	Parish Centre	RCIA
Fri 14th Mar	7:00am	HFC	Mass
	5:00pm	HFC	Adoration
	5:30PM	HFC	Station of the Cross
	6:00pm	HFC	Mass

CORPUS CHRISTI PARISH NOTICES.

2025 ENROLMENTS for SACRAMENTS - Reconciliation, Eucharist and Confirmation

If you want your child to receive a sacrament this year, you are requested to enrol them by 4th April please. There will be a small window available for late enrolments, but for organisation reasons, we prefer it now.

Enrolments are open via QKR!.

Year 4 Reconciliation

Year 5 First Communion (Eucharist)

Year 6 Confirmation



Enrolments close on Thursday, 4th April.

QKR! Enrolments for the Sacraments are done online using Qkr!

Either on your **home computer**:

- Go to <https://qkr.mastercard.com/store/#/home> and sign up.

Or the QKR! App on your **mobile device**/smartphone

- Search for Qkr! in your app store and download / install.
- Search for South Tuggeranong (our parish logo will show).
- Create a profile (name, credit / debit card). You will then be able to see the menu for enrolment. Your child's enrolment is complete when you receive an acknowledgement email.

On Fridays During Lent at Holy Family Church

- * **5pm ADORATION**
- * **5:30pm STATIONS OF THE CROSS**
- * **6:00pm MASS at 6pm**

All are Welcome

Natural Fertility Management

Local health professionals and qualified instructors are available help you understand and manage your fertility in an effective and non-invasive manner. Achieve or avoid pregnancy naturally. Address reproductive health issues holistically.

See Fertility Awareness Methods at www.marriagefamily.org.au

Fertility Awareness Methods



Archdiocese of
Canberra Goulburn

You are warmly invited
WOMENS RETREAT

22 March 2025 Journeying with the Spirit

Women's Day retreat "Journeying with the Holy Spirit organised by Call to Connect catholic women's ministry and will be led by the MGL Sisters. Come along and enjoy a day of talks, prayer, discussion groups and more

For all details go to <https://events.humanitix.com/journeying-with-the-holy-spirit>

Further information please contact Anne
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SCRIPTURAL CONTEXT

The temptations

The three temptations Jesus faces all focus upon the nature of his mission and ministry. The first temptation is to miraculously feed himself - is his ministry to be about himself or others? The second is to take power and authority over all the world - to fulfil the human expectations of what a Messiah ought to be or fulfil God's plan of service, rather than domination? The third temptation is about grandstanding - to make a spectacular declaration of his arrival or to minister to the lowly and reveal himself in that way?

ARCHDIOCESAN NOTICES

19th March 2025 Bishop-Elect Tony Percy farewell 5:00PM

You are warmly invited to join Archbishop Christopher and the Archdiocese for a special farewell Mass for Fr Tony Percy. This will take place at 5.00pm on the Solemnity of St Joseph, Wednesday 19 March 2025, at St Christopher's Cathedral, Forrest ACT. Following the Mass, light refreshments will be served in Haydon Hall at 6.00pm.

12 March 2025 | The Magic of Baroque Music | 7:00pm

The Australian Brandenburg Orchestra is delighted to bring the timeless beauty of Baroque music to your doorstep as part of our 2025 Regional New South Wales tour. Join us for an intimate evening as a small ensemble of the Brandenburg's finest musicians perform a selection of enchanting works from the Baroque era on Period instruments.

<https://www.brandenburg.com.au/live-concerts/events/regional>

13 March 2025 International Women's Day Breakfast | 7:30 AM- 9.00 AM

Join the Catholic Women's Taskforce of the Archdiocese of Canberra and Goulburn for a special breakfast event in celebration of International Women's Day! Venue: Ainslie Football Club, 52 Wakefield Ave, Ainslie ACT. Cost: \$40 per head This year's breakfast features a keynote address by Dr. Trudy Dantis, a distinguished leader in Catholic research and pastoral studies. Dr. Dantis, Director of the National Centre for Pastoral Research.

13 March 2025—6:00PM Vocations Dinner at Archbishop's house.

For men interested in discerning a call to the Priesthood. A hearty meal provided with insightful discussions & prayer. To rsvp please contact Vocations Director Fr Emil emil.milat@cg.org.au 0414 523 036.



18 March 2025 Ancient Spark, New Fires | 7:00AM – 9:00AM

Join Jill Weber, a global leader in the 24-7 Prayer movement, for a morning of inspiration and practical insight hosted by Youth With A Mission in collaboration with the Catholic Archdiocese of Canberra and Goulburn. RSVP by 14 March 2025 to: refresh@ywamcanberra.org

18 March 2025 Rhythms of Grace | 2:30PM – 5:00PM

A growing number of churches and faith communities all around the world are rediscovering the power of ancient prayer practices and shared rules of life. Come join in this afternoon seminar hosted by the Catholic Archdiocese of Canberra & Goulburn in partnership with YWAM Canberra, where Jill Weber will explore how these rhythms—rooted in monastic traditions—are shaping spiritual renewal today and fostering deeper unity across the body of Christ. RSVP by 14 March 2025 to: elc@cg.org.au

50th Reunion - Class of 1975. A reunion will be held on the weekend of 18 October 2025 for students from **Catholic Girls High School Braddon** and **Daramalan College**, who finished Year 12 in 1975 (including those from that group who finished before Year 12).

Several activities are planned over the weekend, with the main event on Saturday evening 18th. To RSVP, please use one of the event channels:

Email: CGHS.Dara1975@gmail.com or

Facebook: Daramalan College Alumni group; Merici College Alumni group; or Dara - Braddon 1975 group

Spread the word to your classmates!

Cursillo Retreat, Fri 4 – Sun 6 April, St Clement's, Galong



A Cursillo is a short course in Christian living. In a series of talks and meditations, we will explore and reflect on faith and its relevance in today's world. The three days grow into a personal experience, as we encounter faith in relation to self, Christ and others.

Contact Michael and Erica michaelderaadt@gmail.com. More information is available at <https://bit.ly/cursillo2025>



BAPTISM: We welcome Chiara, Ari, Billie, Daisy-Lou and Zayden into our Parish Community as they celebrate the sacrament of Baptism this weekend.

RECENTLY DECEASED: Damian Maher (son of Maree), Anne Tonkin (sister of Gerard Bradshaw), Mark Freeman, Fr Kevin Flynn, Br. Matt McKeon, Effin Maodus, Fr. John Ryan, Sr. Dawn Carey, Antonio Santiago, Cheryl Hodgson, Rex McRee, Zakie Noja, Flora Arias, William Schofield, Sr Paulinus Croker, Margo Albers, Lurline Knee, Siham Yousif, Yoga Raphael, Shirley Fletcher, Yvonne DeMamiel, Mary Spandler, Dennis Chaston. *May they rest in peace.*

SICK: *We pray for...* Mrs Peter Maguire, Ann Pearson, Shona Johnstone, Brian Armstrong,, Christopher Price, Karen Nixon, Francis Cheong, Maurice and Vivienne Muscat, Annie Chamberlain, Doug Rankin, Perry Hardman, Jenny Keen, Bishop Pat Power, Wendy Roberts, Patrick Roberts, Harry Parvizi, Margaret Holberton, Gavin O'Brien, Flora Martone, June Lever, Hannah Thomas, Karen Nguyen, Delia Alexander, Jessica Bernadette Elena, Doug Rankin, Joan Brumby, Howard Murray, Diane Savage, Barbara Savage, Zenilda Gama, Ayla Haragli Judith & Werner Kley, Melvyn & Cheryl Nerva, Merle Shep, Dot Pestana, Margaret Latham, *and all our sick family members, friends and parishioners.*

BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE: *During March we remember* Gregory Quintanilla, Miguel Cruz, Peter Bryant, Emily Deidre Kelly, Theresia Schmidt, Emiliana Tagaza, Michael Herron, Julio Cruz, Peter Duffy, Wally Kulesza, Lilia Rocafort, Peter Duffy, Maria Vu, Joan Lawler, Gerlie Soriano, Charles Crossley, Harold Clegg, Jozo Mijoc, Alan Sirr, Norma Noonan, Margaret Richmond, Manuel Marquez, Will Lipscombe, Bro. Frank 'Barney' Garvan cfc, Matt Daly, Neil Carmichael, Dorothy Schultz, Michelle Rose, Kathleen Stevens, John Morgan, Peter Morgan, Kathleen Winter, Lester Blewitt, Heinz Schmidt, Peter Owen, Annesley Crowe, Frank Thomas, Roy Lapworth. *and all of our loved ones who have gone before us marked with the sign of faith.*

Roster 8th and 9th March, 2025—1st Sunday of the Month

	Saturday 6pm	Sunday 8am	Sunday 10am	Sunday 6pm
Acolyte/ Senior Server	Tom	Nestor	Max	John
Altar Servers	Alan Michael	Amy L Riley L	Hannah Liam Kesiya Kingson	Edward Chwoy Joshua
Readers	Maureen K Anne G	Trudy D Kerry W	Peter D Catherine D	Bob C Beth L
Music/DPO	Couples for Christ DPO Rudy	Lorna & Co DPO Angus	Matt & Gail W DPO Chloe W	Michelle
Offertory Procession	vacant	Agnes	Velasco family	Beasley family
Eucharistic Ministers	Mark Lorraine B	Gerry K Alwyn D	Angie K	Paddy M
Children's Liturgy	Susan Amy	vacant	vacant	Vacant
Cuppas	vacant	Val B Andrea L	Lavinia and family	vacant
Collector bags & clear boxes	Christine O	Angie N	Omar Maryanne	Brett
Sanigun after Mass	vacant	vacant	Omar Maryanne	Gill

If you wish to contribute monetarily to our parish we thank you. There is a number of ways that you can do it. via Direct Debit, you will find the forms at the entrance table in the foyer.

The blue Direct Debit Request is for the Central Presbytery Fund (1st Collection) and the Pink Direct Debit Request is for the Church (2nd Collection). By Credit-Card, the yellow form is for the Presbytery Fund (1st Collection) and the purple form is for the Church Account (2nd Collection).

Alternatively you can donate using your credit-card via Qkr! or use the tap machines in the foyer of the church,

On our website at <https://www.bpoint.com.au/payments/corpuschristiparish>

Or Cash donations are collected at the metal collection points and with collection bags during mass. *We are very grateful for your donation.*

Please note that donations are not tax-deductible.

Parish Safeguarding Commitment:

Corpus Christi Parish is committed to safeguarding and upholding the dignity and rights of all of our children and vulnerable people. We seek to empower children, their families and carers, and vulnerable people, to have a say, to be listened to, and to be protected. This approach is at the centre of all of our thinking and action. For more information, visit the Canberra Archdiocesan website on <https://cgcatholic.org.au/professional-standards/>.

Communicating Concerns: Parishioners are encouraged to raise any concerns they may have by emailing Fr Simon or the Parish Office. Alternately, please phone the Parish Office to organise a time to talk with Fr Simon. Specific **safeguarding issues** can also be emailed to the Parish Safeguarding Officers at Tuggeranongsouth.Safeguarding@cg.org.au. Parishioners are also welcome to contact Maria Hicks, Manager for the Archdiocese's Institute for Professional Standards & Safeguarding (IPSS) by emailing ipss@cg.org.au or phone 02 6239 9806.