



CORPUS CHRISTI PARISH South Tuggeranong



Holy Family Church (HFC) and Office 167
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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/>

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Sunday 25th May 2025—6th Sunday of Easter What is happening this week?



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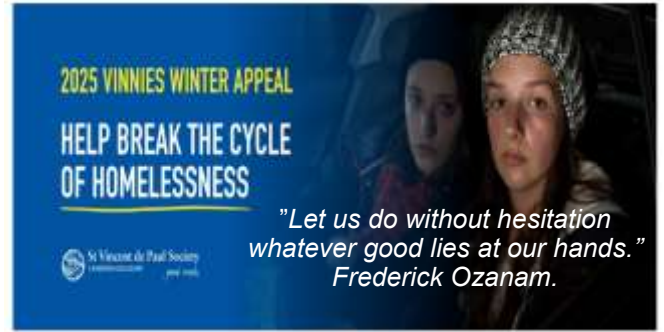
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Fri 23rd May	01:00pm 05:00pm 06:00pm 06:00-08:00pm	HFC HFC HFC Parish Centre	Funeral Mass Alain Gilsoul Adoration Mass Trend Setters Youth Group
Sat 24th May	09:00am 10:00am 01:00pm 05:00-05:30pm 06:00pm	SHC HFC Parish Centre HFC HFC	Mass Reconciliation Christian Life Program Reconciliation Vigil Mass
Sun 25th May 6th Sunday of Easter	08:00am 09:00-11:00 11:00 10:00am 11:30am 12:15pm 05:00-05:30pm 06:00pm	HFC Parish Centre Parish Centre HFC HFC HFC HFC HFC	Confirmation Commitment Mass for HFS & SCA Youth Group Young Adventures-Jedi Dodgeball Families Gathering Confirmation Commitment Mass for HFS & SCA (livestreamed) Older Child's Baptisms Older Child's Baptisms Reconciliation Confirmation Commitment Mass for HFS & SCA
Mon 26th May	7:00pm	Assisi Room	SVDP Calwell
Office closed			
Tues 27th May	08:30am-03:00pm 04:30pm 05:30pm 06:00-08:00pm 06:30-07:30pm	HFC HFC HFC Grill'd Manuka HFC	Confirmation Retreat Day for PSoR, Marist and SCA. Adoration Mass Youth Group Trend Setters-Grill'd and God Parish School of Religion
Wed 28th May	08:30am-03:00pm 09:30am 05:30pm 07:00pm	HFC SHC HFC HFC	Confirmation Retreat Day for SFA Mass Novena with Nestor RCIA
Thurs 29th May	08:30am-03:00pm 07:00am	HFC HFC	Confirmation Retreat Day for HFS Mass
Fri 30th May	10:00 10:30-11:30am 5:00-06:00pm 06:00pm	HFC HFC HFC HFC	Healing Mass Australia's Biggest Morning Tea and Auction Adoration Mass

CORPUS CHRISTI PARISH NOTICES



Open Day
Please join us at the Farm
The day will provide an opportunity to tour the building and grounds, to listen to client presentations, and to have lunch. We look forward to showcasing the development of the Farm and the progress of the clients
When: Saturday 24th May, 11.00 am to 3.00 pm
Where: The Farm, 37 Ryan Street Galong NSW
RSVP to:
P: 02 6386 7275
M: 0404 112 428
Kate.cleary@galongfarm.org
A small donation towards costs would be appreciated:
BSB: 633-000
Account number: 165 751 173



Corpus Christi Parish Vinnies 2025 Winter Appeal and food drive May 31-June 1

The Vinnies Winter Appeal is a national appeal that occurs from May to August each year. The theme of this year's Winter Appeal is 'No one chooses to be homeless'. It focuses on the harsh reality of homelessness and highlights the underlying causes that lead to it. It also stresses the vital support needed to help individuals regain stability and rebuild their lives.

For this Winter Appeal, the Canberra- Goulburn St Vincent de Paul Society is aiming to raise \$450,000 to support vulnerable people in the ACT & surrounding regions. Funds raised through the Winter Appeal will be used to fund our core programs including supporting people experiencing or at risk of homelessness, and people struggling with poverty and cost-of-living pressures.

You can support the work of the Society and help our companions rebuild their lives by giving generously to the Winter Appeal. Envelopes are available in the foyer for you to make your donations anytime throughout the appeal, but the weekend of May 31 to June 1 has been designated as the parish Winter appeal. Our volunteers will be available before and after all masses to collect your donations (cash or EFTPOS) and to discuss our conference work. You can also make a tax-deductible donation before EOFY, by visiting: <https://vinnies.link/gtt1ga>

Winter Food drive May 31-June 1

Thank you to our generous parishioners who regularly donate pantry food, cash, or other thoughtful donations to assist our two Vinnies conferences to keep our food pantries stocked. To coincide with the Parish Winter Appeal on May 31-June 1, we would also encourage parishioners to contribute to a winter food drive on the same weekend. We would appreciate donations of "winter warmer" pantry food that we can give out in our food hampers. Pantry items such as tinned and packet soups, tinned tomatoes and other vegetables, pasta sauces, pasta, tea, coffee, milo/ cocoa, long life milk, porridge, instant noodles etc would be greatly appreciated. Bring your donations along to any of the masses across the weekend of May 31-June 1 and leave them in the baskets in the church foyer. Please make sure that all **donations are within the "best before date"**. Thank you in advance for your support of Vinnies. Fran Neuss (Calwell Conference President) and Paula Bounds (Gowrie Conference President)

CONFIRMATION COMMITMENTS

Are being made at all Masses this weekend. Students will hand out their prayer card in the foyer after Mass, asking you to pray for them.



Letters of concern

If you have a concern please complete a letter and post it in the Safeguarding letter box for one of the Safeguarding Officers to action. The letters of concern can be about the following:

- Safeguarding for children and vulnerable adults
- Work Health and Safety (WHS) to help prevent harm and injury in the parish
- Other safety concerns



Youth Group



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 center 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 Maria Hicks, Manager for the Archdiocese's Institute for Professional Standards & Safeguarding (IPSS) by emailing ipss@cg.org.au or phone 02 6239 9806.



ARCHDIOCESE EVENT NOTICES

24 May | Feast Day of Our Lady Help of Christians Pilgrimage Place
MHOc Parish South Woden becomes an official pilgrimage place for the Jubilee year on May 24, the Feast Day of Our Lady Help of Christians. To celebrate Fr Emil will give a special blessing & anointing prayer after the Saturday and Sunday Masses and two events have been planned for the weekend

25 May – 15 June | **St Benedict's** – New Life in the Spirit | 7:30pm – 9:00pm

St Benedict's, Narrabundah invites you to a *New Life in the Spirit* seminar a time of spiritual renewal, prayer, and deepening of faith. Held after the Sunday 6pm Mass at the Parish Centre, all are welcome to attend.

Dates: 25 May; 1 June, 8 June, 15 June Time: 7:30pm – 9:00pm

Location: St Benedict's Parish Centre, Narrabundah

1 June | Marriage & Family Sunday EVENT at the Cathedral
For the celebration of the Jubilee of Families, Children, Grandparents & the Elderly.—11am Mass at St Christopher's followed by EVENT at 12pm in the Haydon Hall, Manuka. The Archbishop will be available to bless your family. Light refreshments provided – but you must register online here:
<http://www.bit.ly/MFR2025>.



Corpus Christi Parish Trivia Night

Date: Fri 20 June 2025

Where: St Francis of Assisi School Hall, Calwell

Time: 6.45pm for 7pm start

BYO food and drinks

Tickets available on Qkr! from next week

Tickets \$25ea

Purchase 1-9 tickets @ \$25ea or Table of 10 and get one ticket free

We would love to hear from individuals and businesses in our community who would like to donate goods, discount vouchers or services as prizes. Contact:

leanne.boyd@bigpond.com or
tuggeranongsouth@cg.org.au

➡ Extended 2025 Good Shepherd Appeal ⬅

Your generosity plays a vital role in supporting seminarians.

To make a non-deductible contribution use the provided payment slip, Give online <https://bit.ly/3Lm9Hr4> -

Use the qr code or Call (02) 6239 9876

Thank you for your ongoing support.



1000 Voices for Reconciliation

Please join us to celebrate in Canberra- 1000 Voices for Reconciliation

A Yarning in Song is a landmark historic national event being held in National Reconciliation Week 2025, responding to this year's theme: "Bridging Now to Next." Through the powerful medium of choral music and storytelling, over 1,000 voices — Indigenous and non-Indigenous, young and old — will join together to remember, reflect, and reimagine. This event is a bridge between generations and cultures, grounded in truth and lifted by hope. Further details and booking information online here
<https://events.humanitix.com/1000-voices-for-reconciliation-a-yarning-in->

National Reconciliation Week - Reconciliation Australia



We acknowledge the Ngunnawal peoples, Aboriginal peoples and Torres Strait Islander peoples, who are the traditional custodians and first peoples of this land. We pay respect to their elders past and present and to the memory of their ancestors. We acknowledge that they have occupied and cared for this land over countless generations and we celebrate their continuing contribution to the life of our city and of this region. We also extend our respect to all Aboriginal peoples living in our community.

BAPTISM: We welcome Francis, Violet, Veronica, Kira, Aria, Zachary and Sienna into our Parish Community as they celebrate the sacrament of Baptism this weekend.

RECENTLY DECEASED: Kevin Tonna (husband of Robyn) Alain Gilsoul, Krystyna Twiss, Doug Rankin, Pope Francis, Chris Thorne, Fr Michael Fallon MSC, Lorraine Sarkis, Therese Neal, Kylie O’Rourke, Judith Huthnance, Damian Maher, Anne Tonkin , Mark Freeman, Fr Kevin Flynn, Br.Matt McKeon, Effin Maodus, Fr. John Ryan, Sr. Dawn Carey, Antonio Santiago, *May they rest in peace.*

SICK: *We pray for...***Maverick Tracey, Dennis Tarbuck, Christine Hall Alan Johnston, Sarah Robinson, 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 May we remember ..*Joan Chaston, Martin Hardman, Elizabeth Archer , Martin Hardman, José Lopera, Edward Dunley, Elena Perlibachas, Michelle-Anne da Roza, Audrey Vanderburgh, Hyacinth Anastasius, Joseph Veerasingam, Christine Lawley, Ivan Obsivac, Francesco Maiuto, Eliezer Casas, Nicholas Beasley, Eppo Costmeyer, William Leahey, Bro Donald Gallagher, Nobby Noronha, Carmel De Cruz, Ernest Stramec, Frank Doherty, David Hudson, Antony Arulanandam, Catherina Arulanandam, Sheila Cleary, Richard Bale Snr. , Felicity Herron, Rita Heffernan, Leslie Barker, Tess Hogan, Lotte Garvan, Heather Roberts, Kathy Reid, Mike Sandford, John Madigan, Lino Rossi, Leroy Serisier, Joven Ortiz, Len Tarlinton, Francisco Santos, Alice Sloan *and all of our loved ones who have gone before us marked with the sign of faith.*

Roster 24th and 25th May 2025-4th Sunday of the Month				
	Saturday 6pm	Sunday 8am	Sunday 10am	Sunday 6pm
Acolyte/ Senior Server	Eugene V	Val B	Max S	Claudia Mc
Altar Servers	Kane V Jed C	Riley L Amy L Patrick M	Elise S Scarlett C	Joe P Max P
Readers	Suzanne M Megan B	Peggy R Kerry W	James M Monique E	Paddy Mc Lisa C
Music/DPO	Couples for Christ Ester D DPO Rudy S	Lorna G Jim R DPO Angus T	Chiarra and the Youth Group DPO Tom B	Gerard H Brigita O DPO Volunteer needed
Offertory Procession	Cruz Family	Erica DS Volunteer needed	Amy S Annabelle S	Pond Family
Eucharistic Ministers	Ann R Anne G	Angie N Gerry K	Denise M Peter D	Bob C Jane Mc
Children’s Liturgy	Vacant	Vacant	Amy S Jesse W	Vacant
Cuppas	Vacant	Laura Chloe	Marian Ian	Vacant
Collector bags & clear boxes	Edna S	Gerard B	Geoff S	Ophelia DC
Sanigun after Mass	Vacant	Vacant	Geoff	vacant

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 he 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.*