



Holy Family Church (HFC) and Office
167 Bugden Avenue, Gowrie ACT 2904

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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/>  <https://www.facebook.com/CCPTuggeranongSouth/>
Read our Parish Bulletins here: <https://ccparish.org.au/about-us/bulletin/>
Mass Sunday Livestream: <https://www.youtube.com/@corpuschristisouthtuggeran8526/streams>

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6 & 7 September 2025—23rd Sunday Ordinary Time

This week: First Holy Communions and Father's Day!

Fri 5th Sept St Teresa of Calcutta	9:30am 5:00-06:00pm 06:00pm	HFC HFC HFC	Anointing/Healing Mass and cuppa Adoration Mass
Sat 6th Sept	09:00am 09:30am 10:00am 01:30 02:00pm 05:00-05:30pm 06:00pm	SHC HFC HFC SHC HFC HFC HFC	Mass and 1st Sunday Adoration Social Gardening Group Reconciliation Memorial Service for Fran Martin Marriage of Bethany-Ann Barclay and Thomas Brewer Reconciliation Vigil Mass (First Eucharist)
Sun 7th Sept <i>23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> Father's Day	08:00am 10:00am 11:30am 05:00-05:30pm 6:00pm	HFC HFC HFC HFC HFC	Mass (First Eucharist) Mass (First Eucharist) (livestreamed) Baptisms Reconciliation Mass (First Eucharist)
Mon 8th Sept Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary	Office closed. 9:00am 7:00pm	Parish Centre Parish Centre	RCIA SVdP Gowrie Conference
Tues 9th Sept	9:30—11:30am 05:30pm 06:30pm	Parish Centre HFC HFC	Playgroup Mass Parish School of Religion
Wed 10th Sept	9:30am 05:30pm 07:00pm	SHC HFC Parish Centre	Mass followed by Rosary Novena with Nestor RCIA
Thurs 11th Sept	07:00am 07:30am 10:30am	HFC Common Grounds Café Gowrie Warrigal	Mass Morning Beans Mass
Fri 12th Sept	5:00-06:00pm 06:00pm	HFC HFC	Adoration Mass



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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.



Congratulations

To our candidates who are receiving their First Eucharist this weekend. The Parish Community will keep you in our prayers and support you on this important milestone of your journey of faith.



Dear God,
 bless all the fathers
 in the world.
 Guide them to be
 good role models
 and loving to all
 their children.
 Help them to be a
 father like You are.
 Give them grace and
 patience to handle
 situations in a
 loving way.
 Amen.

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

The above book-
 mark and others
 are available in the
 Church foyer!

POSITION VACANT

People are invited to apply for the position of **Parish Officer Corpus Christi Parish, South Tuggeranong**. This is a permanent part time position of **15.2 hours a week**.

Employment conditions are subject to Clerks Award. For a copy of the Duty Statement please email the Parish Office tuggeranongsouth@cg.org.au

Applications addressing the Selection Criteria and current CV to be sent to Fr Simon Falk, Parish Priest simon.falk@cg.org.au by **CoB 5 Sept 2025**.

FATHER'S DAY APPEAL

Collection for our retired priests:

Please give generously to the Father's Day Appeal conducted at all Masses this weekend. Special envelopes are provided in the church foyer and donors will be issued with a tax deductible receipt. Doations can also be made via the Qkr! App or at www.cgatholic.org.au/donate Or you could call Financial Services on 6239 9876 to make a donation over the phone. Thankyou.



Serra Club of Canberra Seminary visit 2025

In August the Serra Club of Canberra visited the seminarians of the Canberra-Goulburn Archdiocese to offer support and friendship to the men studying for the priesthood. The club took the Canberra-Goulburn seminarians to dinner on Saturday night, attended the Morning Prayer and Mass at the seminary on Sunday followed by a lunch with all of the seminarians.

Our Archdiocese has 6 men studying at the seminary. They are: Bran Grgic [4th year], Cinnil Thomas [3rd year], Nicholas Barry [2nd year], Dylan House, Isaac de Raadt and Jeremy Cains, [First year]. Please keep these seminarians in your prayers. If you would like to join the Serra Club in supporting vocations contact Max Spencer on 0417 650 482 or John Brewer on 0430 159 083



A good way to become involved in our Community and get to know other people is to volunteer. We have many small and large tasks which you can choose from. In particular, we currently need more Readers, Eucharistic Ministers, Data Projector Operators, Flower Arrangers and cleaners.

You will find some forms in the foyer. Please take one.

All volunteers need to read our Code of Conduct and sign the Acknowledgement form. Some volunteers need a Working with Vulnerable People's card., which is easily applied for.

Ozanam Appeal



The St Vincent de Paul Calwell and Gowrie Conferences annual Ozanam Appeal will be conducted at all Corpus Christi Parish Masses on the weekend of 20th and 21st September. Our conferences are twinned with the overseas conferences of St Yohanis Maria Viani in Indonesia, and St. Luis-Marie and St. Joseph in Thailand. The Vinnies volunteers of these three conferences often have to travel many kilometres to help the very poor communities within their regions. Your donations will make such a difference to these remote and underprivileged people.

Collections will be taken following each Mass. We will be accepting both cash and EFT Payments.

ARCHDIOCESE EVENT NOTICES

13 September | ACU Canberra Open Day | 11:00am Join us at the Australian Catholic University - Canberra campus for Open Day: 11.00am - 2.00pm, Saturday 13 September. For more information, go to <https://openday.acu.edu.au/> or contact futurestudy.CBR@acu.edu.au

27 September | 2025 Canberra Catholic Ball | 7:00pm
Step back into the Golden Age of Hollywood at this year's Catholic Ball! Young adults (18-35) are invited to dazzle us with the glitter and gleam of old. It will be held at The Marion on Saturday September the 27th, at 7pm. Expect drinks, canapes, music, dancing and laughter with friends old and new. Please see Facebook *2025 Canberra Catholic Ball* for more information on tickets.

Planning to marry in the Catholic Church? Go to the Archdiocesan marriage and family webpage (without delay) for information and to choose a marriage preparation program that suits at www.marriagefamily.org.au. For enquiries email marriagepreparation@cg.org.au or text Helena on 0405 440 463.

20 September | Magnificat Voices of Springtime | 1:00pm – 4:00pm Chambers Pavilion, Australian Centre for Christianity and Culture, 15 Blackall St, Barton ACT 2600. Guest presenter Michael Green is a Marist brother with an interest in the Church's ongoing renewal and recontextualising. Jeni Miller is passionate about empowering people to protect God's beautiful creation. A time of shared ecumenical, spiritual conversations and prayer fuelled by Magnificat wisdom. Why don't you join us? Registration fee \$20 brendanbergin@mcc.act.edu.au

27 September | The Australian Catholic Medical Association | 9:00am The Australian Catholic Medical Association, which, has branches in the Northern Territory and other Australian States, is in the process of establishing a branch in the ACT. Membership is open to Catholic doctors, nurses, allied health professionals and medical students. People who might be eligible to join the association are welcome to attend the next healing Mass at St Christopher's Cathedral at 9am on Saturday 27 September. Following Mass, there will be an opportunity to express interest in becoming a new member at a brief gathering in the Haydon Hall adjacent the Cathedral. Tea & coffee available. For more information, visit the Australian Catholic Medical Association website <https://catholicmedicine.org/>, or contact Dr Paul Burt: dendritepb@icloud.com

KAIROS PRISON MINISTRY AUSTRALIA

Is an interdenominational Christian ministry helping those impacted by incarceration, through the love, hope and faith found in Jesus Christ. Kairos Inside is for inmates and Kairos Outside supports the female relatives and friends of the those who are or have been incarcerated. Participants of these programs witness Christ's love through the service of Christian volunteers. This is done through talks, meditations, discussions, fun activities, and music. A Kairos Outside weekend is being planned for October 2025 and is looking for eligible guests to attend.

For more information go to the Kairos website: Kairos.org.au or email: info@kairos.org.au

The Synodal Evangelisation Team Update

They have produced a Bulletin which is on the noticeboard.. It will keep you "in the know" with what is happening and sharing the incredible fruit across our Archdiocese.

Upcoming events include:

Synodal Formation Series

What: Explore what synodality, evangelisation and charisms actually mean through input from Archbishop Christopher, panel of practitioners and Conversation in the Spirit.

When:

Session 1: Synodality | How can I grow in practicing synodality and share this with my community?

18th September 5:30 – 8:30pm

Session 2: Evangelisation | How do we approach evangelisation in a synodal way?

21st October 5:30 – 8:30pm

Session 3: Charisms | How can I grow as a missionary disciple, living and leading through my charisms?

20th November 5:30 – 8:30pm

Register for each session via the link:

www.cgevangelisation.org.au/events/series

Guinness and God

What: A space for young adults aged 18-29, to bring their 'big questions' with 'no pressure'. Anyone can come along (faith or no faith).

When: Wed, September 10, 6:30pm – 9pm | Verity Lane, (Juliet Hall), 50 Northbourne Avenue.

Finally, the *Archdiocesan Interim Discernment Council* invites all who are interested to attend the final meetings of the year. These are scheduled at 5:00pm on the 10 September, 15 October, 19 November and 10 December. Whilst the invitation to join is open, please contact Patrick McArdle if there are people interested in attending as we need to track RSVPs. Patrick.Mcardle@cg.org.au

FAMILY BUSH DANCE

Saturday, 13th Sept at 7pm

In St Thomas School Hall, Boddington Cres. Kambah

Fundraiser for *Kairos Prison Ministry*

Bring the kids. Dances for the young and the not-so-young.

\$10 single, \$25 family—Pay at the Door

Early Bird \$20 family by 1st Sept to Sandy 0421311626

Sausage sizzle \$3, Pumpkin Soup and roll \$3.50, Ice Cream \$3

- ◆ Bring lots of coins to play games
- ◆ Buy at the Gift Stall
- ◆ Best Bush Dance Outfit Prize
- ◆ Photo Opportunity



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 at:

<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.

BAPTISM: We welcome Hudson, Bianca, Jamie and Lola into our Parish Community as they celebrate the sacrament of Baptism this weekend.

MARRIAGE: May God bless Bethany-Ann Barclay and Thomas Brewer as they celebrate the sacrament of Marriage this weekend.

RECENTLY DECEASED: Col Berryman (Jane Cuneen's father), Dr Neil Harrigan, Patricia Patterson, Ofelia Co, Anna Ivec, Dennis Tarbuck, Dennis Sleigh, David Haire, Teresa Maiuto, Steven Gleeson, Emmanuel Day, Giovanni Feltrin, Joy Huber, Ruth Faulder, Epifanio Bl Encina, Ann Pearson, Audrey Nair, Antonio Ballesteros Sr, Irene Micin, Giovanni Misal, Elisabeth Putorak, Kevin Tonna, 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 ; *May they rest in peace.*

SICK: *We pray for...* Patricia Davies (a.k.a. Dr.P. Hilton), Harold Palmer McCann, Monique Hall, Francis O'Brien (baby of Gabrielle & Llywellyn), Bob Curtis, Monica Nulley-Valdes, Christopher Price, Geoff Cobden, Judy Reid, Anthony Kelly, Ray Brown, Adrien Samuel, Shane Davie, Maureen King, Sue, Johanna, Cassandra, Maverick Tracey, Christine Hall, Sarah Robinson, Peter Maguire, Shona Johnstone, Brian Armstrong, Christopher Price, Karen Nixon, Francis Cheong, Maurice and Vivienne Muscat, Annie Chamberlain, 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, 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 September we remember* Kristine Anne Incher, Bevan Evans, Maud Evans, Eileen Brammall, Geoffery Smith, Thomas McDevitt, Luz Consuegra, Donna Jones, Joe Grima, Mollie Duffy, Kathleen Antoney, Teresa Le, Jane Lally, Antal Gracik, Gladys Conroy, Esperanza Corpus, Charito Cruz, Trientje Costmeyer, Helen Hore, Mary Camilleri, Anna Woznicki, Darren Clothier, Frances Critchlow, Roshan Rupasinghe, William Ferri, Betty Mills, Francesco Aloe, Betty Kropp, Mary Gallagher, Lalson Mulerikkal, Jack Ryan, Patricia Ryan, Scott McDonald, Valda McCabe, Pamela Hanlon, Frances Doyle, Francisco Tong, Albert Giljevic, Angelita H. Belardo, Paul Lapworth, Leo Galvin *and all of our loved ones who have gone before us marked with the sign of faith. If you wish to have your loved one entered into our Book of Remembrance and remembered each year, you will find a form in the foyer.*

Roster 6th & 7th September 2025— 1st Sunday of the Month					NEXT WEEK Roster 13th & 14th September— 2nd Sunday of the Month			
	Saturday 6pm	Sunday 8am	Sunday 10am	Sunday 6pm	Saturday 6pm	Sunday 8am	Sunday 10am	Sunday 6pm
Acolyte/ Senior Server	Roehl	Anne	David	John	Tom	Nestor	Geoff	George
Altar Servers	Hunter E Neriah V	Amy L Riley L	Kesiya C Kingston C	Ryan A Nicola A Elena N-V	Alan R Michael W	Quinn L-J Amy L Riley L	Hannah C Liam V	Lily & Edward Chwoy A Joshua D
Readers	Tom K Ann R	Angie N Gerry K	Helen J Zed S	Annabelle N	Anne G Megan B	Trudy D Mike K	volunteer Zed S	Bob C Beth L
Music/DPO	Pete S DPO Susanne	Lorna Gamble, Geoff DPO Angus	Jeremiah W DPO Samuel	Vacant	Couples for Christ—Esther DPO Rudy S	Lorna, Jim DPO Angus T	Matt & Gail W DPO Chloe W	Michelle W-G Brigita O DPO Volunteer
Offertory Procession	Edna S Tom K	Lucas family	Lovelock family	Volunteers please	Volunteers please	Agnes M	Velasco family	Beasley family
Eucharistic Ministers	Suzanne M Irene C	Gerard B Chris H	Ophelia D-C Denise M	Tiffany R Bob C	Roehl O Esther O	Gerry K Alwyn D	Volunteers please	Paddy M Bob C
Children's Liturgy	Kristy E	Vacant	Jo-Ann C Chloe M	Izzy J Amanda D	Susan S Amy S	Vacant	Vacant	Vacant
Cuppas	Vacant	Vacant	Morning Beans Youth	Jo Ann	Vacant	Andrea Val	Lavinia and family	Vacant
Collector bags & clear boxes	Christine O	Agnes M	Marian B	Penny O	Christine O	Angie N	Omar H, Maryanne	Brett L
Sanigun after Mass	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers

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.bpoin.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.*