



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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**1st & 2nd November 2025—31st Sunday Ordinary Time  
& All Souls Day. First Reconciliation Commitment Weekend**

<b>Fri 31st Oct</b>	5:00-06:00pm 06:00pm	HFC HFC	Adoration Mass
<b>Sat 1st Nov</b> <i>All Saints Day</i>	09:00am 09:00am 10:00am 05:00-05:30pm 06:00pm	<b>HFC</b> HFC HFC HFC HFC	Mass Social Gardening Group Reconciliation Reconciliation Vigil Mass
<b>Sun 2nd Nov</b> <i>31st Sunday in Ordinary Time All Souls Day</i>	08:00am 10:00am 11:30am 05:00-05:30pm 06:00pm	HFC HFC HFC HFC HFC	Mass Mass (livestreamed) Baptisms Reconciliation Mass
<b>Mon 3rd Nov</b> <i>St Martin de Porres</i>	Office closed. 09:00am 06:00pm	Parish Centre Parish Centre	RCIA SVdP Gowrie Conference
<b>Tues 4th Nov</b> <i>St Charles Borromeo</i>	09:30am 05:30pm 06:30pm 07:00pm	Parish Centre HFC HFC Parish Centre	Parent Support Group Playgroup Mass Parish School of Religion Baptism Preparation Night
<b>Wed 5th Nov</b>	09:30am <b>0200pm</b> 05:30pm 07:00pm	<b>SHC</b> <b>Vikings Erindale</b> HFC Parish Centre	Mass then Rosary Cancer Support Group Novena with Nestor RCIA
<b>Thurs 6th Nov</b>	07:00am 07:30am Common Grounds	HFC Gowrie	Mass Morning Beans
<b>Fri 7th Nov</b>	04:00pm  5:00-06:00pm 06:00pm	HFC  HFC HFC	Wedding of Cate Brewer and Patrick Piani Adoration Mass



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**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](mailto:ipss@cg.org.au) or phone 02 6239 9806.

## The 2025 First Reconciliation Commitment Weekend

is happening at all Masses this weekend, The children, with the support of their families, will be invited to present their Commitment Cards at Mass and make their commitment to learn about and participate in their First Reconciliation later on. Retreat Days will be held on November 11, 12 & 13.

### NOVEMBER REMEMBRANCES

This weekend marks the beginning of November, during which we celebrate All Saints' Day and All Souls' Day.

As part of our Church tradition throughout November, we pray for the souls of those who have passed away. In our Parish, **you are invited to place a white cross on the prayer focus** as a symbol of our communal prayers for our deceased family members, parishioners, and friends. You can do this act of remembrance before or after any of the Masses.

Additionally, **you may write the names of your loved ones in the November Prayer Book**, which will be available on the Offertory gift table at the back of the church.

"Eternal rest grant to them, O Lord."

### November 9th, 16th, 23rd & 30th

#### Young Adventurers: 9 - 10am

Are you in Years 4-7 and looking for fun, friendship, and a chance to learn more about God? Come along to our youth group where we play games, listen to inspiring stories, making crafts, and explore how God's love can make a difference in our lives. Everyone is welcome — let's grow together in faith and have a great time! Join us at 9 am before mass in the Parish Centre.

#### Trendsetters: 7 - 8:30pm

Are you a high school student looking for friendship, fun, and a deeper connection with your faith? Come along to our youth group for Years 8-12! Each week we share conversation, games, and reflection as we explore how God is present in our everyday lives. Everyone is welcome — bring a friend and join us from 7:00-8:30 pm in the Parish Centre.

### PARISH ADVENT PROGRAM

will commence on Monday 24 November, 7pm-8.15pm in Holy Family Church and continue on 1, 8 and 15 December. We will be using the Brisbane Archdiocesan Ministries booklet, *In Holy Stillness*. A donation of \$5 would be appreciated. Please sign up in the foyer so we can get enough resources. Each night will offer Scripture reading, quiet reflection, shared discussion in small groups and finish with a cuppa. We hope this offering will be an opportunity for your spiritual growth during the Advent season as well as meeting other parishioners. Enquiries to the Parish Office or [Sharon Brewer](mailto:shabrew@internode.on.net). shabrew@internode.on.net

### CONTEMPLATIVE PRAYER GROUP

Thank you to all those who have enriched our parish prayer by participating in the recent Contemplative Prayer sessions. You are invited to attend the final session for 2025 will be held on **MONDAY 10<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER** IN HF Church at 7pm. The theme will be **'Lost & Found'**, reflecting on scripture using sacred art images followed by Christian Meditation.

### Vinnies celebrates over 100 years in our region.



**In 2025, the St Vincent de Paul Society Canberra/Goulburn** is celebrating 130 years since the establishment of its first conference in our region in 1895. That conference began in Goulburn, marking the start of a long tradition of members and volunteers working together to support people who are experiencing hardship.

You are invited to join our St Frances of Assisi Calwell and Holy Family Gowrie conference members at a special morning tea **after the 10am Mass on Sunday 9 November** to thank you for your support of our Good Works.

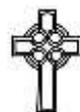
### Children's Liturgy

**Saturdays at 6:00 PM and Sundays at 10:00 AM Mass at Holy Family Church, Corpus Christi Parish**

Children's Liturgy is a special time for children in the parish to come together during Mass to:

- Understand the weekly Gospel readings
  - Make a craft or complete a worksheet
  - Unpack the readings with a Children's Liturgy Leader
- ☒ Note: Children's Liturgy does not run during school holidays.

When **Children's Liturgy** is not on, parents will find **worksheets for young children** in the Children's Liturgy Room off the church foyer each weekend. The folder will be opened at the sheet which relates to the Gospel for that weekend. There is a box next to the folder with pencils to borrow. You must supervise your child and please leave the area tidy.



A plaque has been donated and fixed to the fountain which is behind the altar, in the Columbarium, in memory of babies who did not have a chance to be born alive.

### The Cancer Support Group

**When:** This Wednesday at 02:30pm

**Where:** Vikings Club Erindale

Feel free to contact the Parish Office for more details.

## ARCHDIOCESE EVENT NOTICES



St Thomas the Apostle Fete -  
Sat 8th November. 10am - 3pm.  
Boddington Cres, Kambah.

Fun for the whole Family. Come along & support our Local Community.  
Heaps to win, Pick a Prize, Chocolate Wheel, Live & Silent Auctions.  
Loads to eat. BBQ, Indian & Tongan & Chip on a Stick, Gelato & Slushies, Cakes & Coffee, Bar & of course Fairy Floss  
Stuff to Buy. Handmade, Treasure Trove, Plants, Showbags, Side Show Alley.  
Activities to enjoy. Pony Rides, Petting Zoo, Reptile Zoo, Amusement Rides.

### Parish Officer Position

for Mary Help of Christian South Woden: a permanent part position of 24hrs (pref Tues- Fri) will suit someone who has experience in an office environment. The role requires strong communication, organisation & liaison skills, experience with database packages. Understanding and respect for the Catholic Church & its teaching. Salary subject to Clerks Award. If you are interested please contact Fr Emil on 0414 523 036 [emil.milat@cg.org.au](mailto:emil.milat@cg.org.au) for the selection criteria. Applications close Fri 28 Nov.

### 03 November | RALLY TO PROTECT THE VULNERABLE | 12:30pm – 1:30pm

Following the passage of the Voluntary Assisted Dying bill in June 2024, which comes into effect on 3 November 2025, ACT Right to Life invites you to a public rally. Join us as we call upon the ACT Government to ensure strong protections for the elderly, children, people with disabilities, people with mental illness, and objecting medical professionals.  
Location: Civic Square, in front of the ACT Legislative Assembly, 180 London Circuit, Canberra

### 08 November | Archbishop's Day of Teaching for the Renewal | 8:30am

Come to the 11th Archbishop's Day of Teaching for Charismatic Renewal on Saturday 8 November 2025, 8:30am to 4:00pm at St Peter Chanel's Church, Weston St, Yarralumla, ACT. Archbishop

Christopher Prowse invites you to a day of inspiring talks, praise and worship, Holy Mass, Reconciliation, healing prayer ministry, and fellowship – plus free morning tea and sausage sizzle lunch (a collection will be taken). Guest speaker: Brother Lalith Perera from CRL Colombo, Sri Lanka. To register go to Trybooking: <https://shorturl.at/6WK7C>, or call Maida 0423 658 326, or email: [canberra.ccr@gmail.com](mailto:canberra.ccr@gmail.com).

### 09 November | Br Michael Herry's Music Workshop | 2:00pm

BR MICHAEL HERRY will present a free music workshop on Sunday 9 November at 2pm at St Matthew's Catholic Church, 12 Chewings St, Page. Come for a wonderful and joyful time of prayer and music and explore Br Michael's beautiful music for Advent and Christmas, his Psalm settings, and the excellent free music resource of the Marist Music website. All welcome! Free admission! Enquiries to [belconnensouth@cg.org.au](mailto:belconnensouth@cg.org.au) or [Psalmist500@gmail.com](mailto:Psalmist500@gmail.com).

### 11 November | THE SUPERNATURAL POWER OF THE GOSPEL | 10am—4:00pm

THE SUPERNATURAL POWER OF THE GOSPEL, Lalith Perera, founder of the Risen Lord Community will be in Canberra for the following programs:

7th November Healing Service at St Brigid's Church Dickson at 6.30 pm – 8.30pm  
8th November Archbishop's Teaching Day St Peter Chanel's Church, Yarralumla 8.30am – 4.30pm  
9th November Day retreat at Mary Help of Christians Church, Pearce 10.00am – 4.00pm  
Entrance Free. Contact 0412310364/0402651269 for more information

### 14 - 15 November | Canberra Camino of St Joseph for Men | 8:00pm – 8:00am

from St Joseph's, O'Connor to Mary Help of Christians, Pearce. After the great success of the Sydney annual event and the pilgrimage in Spain come and join a vigil walk through the heart of Canberra to pray for our youth, stopping at six churches to pray.  
More info on this QR code link or call Mat on 0438 446 489.



### 20 November | Vocations Discernment Dinner | 6:00pm

Vocations Discernment Dinner at Gungahlin Presbytery: Thursday 20 Nov 6pm. 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](mailto:emil.milat@cg.org.au) 0414 523 036.

### 24 November | Remembering lives lost to suicide | 6:00pm – 7:00pm

Join us in Canberra to remember precious lives lost and to support those impacted.  
If you've been impacted by the loss of a loved one to suicide, join a community who share the experience of bereavement. Counsellors will be present to offer support.  
The event will feature music, stories of lived experience and hope, and a sunflower ceremony. Attendees are welcome to bring a photo and share a personal tribute on our memorial wall.  
Wesley LifeForce Suicide Memorial Service, Old Parliament House -  
The Members' Dining Room 1, 18 King George Terrace  
6 - 7pm on Monday 24 November 2025

**BAPTISM:** We welcome Mariah, Isla, Blake, Noah, Regina and Elaina into our Parish Community as they celebrate the sacrament of Baptism this weekend.

**RECENTLY DECEASED:** Sr.Elizabeth “Liz” West, Patricia Andrew, Patricia Betts, Tony Sayer, Denis O’Brien, John Luan Nguyen, Matthew McGrail-Penca; Wade Lovekin, Bishop Pat Power, Debra Bayley, Col Berryman, 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 BI Encina, Ann Pearson, Audrey Nair, Antonio Ballesteros *May they rest in peace.*

**SICK:** *We pray for...* Alan Minjoot, Patricia Davies (a.k.a. Dr.P. Hilton), Harold Palmer McCann, Monique Hall, 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, Francis Cheong, Christine Hall, Sarah Robinson, Peter Maguire, Shona Johnstone, Brian Armstrong, Karen Nixon, Maurice and Vivienne Muscat, Annie Chamberlain, Perry Hardman, Jenny Keen, 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 November we remember* Sonia McDevitt, Lindie Madigan, Edna O’Connor, Tony Petrovic, Elaine Kazs, Maurice Linden, Rita Kinsella, Ruby Campos, Gwen McDonald, Matthew Riley, David Roberts, Estrellita Garcia, Doni Corpus, Felisa Paraan, Elizabeth Morgan, Paul Costmeyer, Sandra Stephenson, Maria Encina, Joseph Koster, Jacob Koster, Charles Winter, Sidney Critchlow, Ted Byrnes, Elizabeth Hall, Bill Wheeler, Maisie Dean, Joan Ryan, Mildred Rupasinghe, Terry Peisley, Marion Crowe, Alex Perera, Jeanette Dickman, Mary Trabinger, Michael Walsh, Annie Mitchell, Caroline McDonald, Vinko Osolnik, Teresa Kandiah, Vincent McCabe, Richard Lennon, John Lennon, Margaret Blake, John Carmichael, Egbert Fernandes *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 1st & 2nd November 2025— 1st Sunday of the Month					NEXT WEEK Roster 8th & 9th November— 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	Val	David	John	Tom	Nestor	Geoff	George
Altar Servers	Hunter E Neriah V	Amy L Riley L	Jacob K Chloe W Holly W	Ryan A Nicola A Elena N-V	Alan R Michael W	Quinn L-J Amy L Riley L	Hannah C Liam V	Lily M Edward M Chwoy A Joshua D
Readers	Megan B Mark P	Angie N Jennifer H	Helen J Monique E	Adeline P Jayden G	Anne G Megan B	Trudy D Mike K	Peter D Zed S	Bob C Beth L
Music/DPO	Pete S DPO/ Susanne S	Lorna Jim & the 8am Choir DPO /Han T	Des & Liz G	Chris B DPO/ Paula B	CfC Ester D DPO/ Rudy	Lorna Jim & the 8am Choir DPO /Michelle	Matt & Gail W DPO Chloe W	Michelle Brigita Graham DPO Vacant
Offertory Procession	Edna S Tom K	Lucas family	Lovelock Family	volunteers	Vacant	Agnes	Velasco family	Beasley family
Eucharistic Ministers	Suzanne M Irena C	Chris H Gerard B	Ophelia DC Denise M	Tiffany R Lisa C	Mark P Roehl O	Alwyn D		Paddy M
Children’s Liturgy	Kristy E	vacant	Jo-Ann C Chloe M	vacant	Susan S	vacant	Erin W Helen J	vacant
Cuppas	vacant	Andrea & Val	Morning Beans Group	Jo-Ann N	vacant	Andrea & Val	Marian and Paula	vacant
Collector bags & clear boxes	Christine O	Agnes M	Marian B	Penny O	Christine O	Angie N	Omar Maryanne	Brett L
Sanigun after Mass	volunteers needed	volunteers needed	Gayle	Gill	volunteers needed	volunteers needed	Omar Maryanne	volunteers needed

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.

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.bpoinc.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.*