

Welcome to all!

St. Brigid's Primary School started this year the Strategic Plan Goals for 2017–2019. Part of the plan is to build and strengthen the partnership of the School and the Parish, and to bring students and families into a deep relationship with Jesus as his disciples. This is a good venue where the parish and the school can closely work together to accomplish and fulfill this plan – knowing and nurturing one's faith, building the relationship among members of the community and building relationship with Jesus.

To begin, I would like to introduce myself for the benefit of those who are new in the school and in the community. I am Father Adolfo Bonghanoy. People and friends used to call me – Father Jaybee. I came from Cebu, Philippines. I was ordained to the priesthood on the 10th December 2005. I arrived Australia in January 2007, and stayed in Bunbury for eighteen months. I was transferred to Mandurah, and stayed there for three years. Then, after that, I was transferred and arrived Collie in July 2011. I stayed in Collie for more than six years now. I could not imagine, how time flies.

Working in the Parish as the Pastor and administrator is quite difficult. But I am grateful for those people who help me in doing and fulfilling my duties and responsibilities. In the parish, there are two groups of people who assist/help me in fulfilling my duties and responsibilities. These two groups are called Parish Pastoral Council and Finance Committee. The members of these groups are volunteers coming from the community, who offered their time, talents and efforts to do the task of helping the pastor/priest in planning and executing the possible actions that are beneficial to the community.

We are here to work for the community, but with your help. As we all know the body of the human person couldn't function well without the participation of the other parts of the body. So, as the community, the participation of all members is greatly needed. Now, I am asking your help and support so that this Strategic Goal plan will succeed. God bless us all!