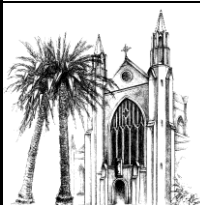


# THE PARTNERED PARISHES OF



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**Parish Priest** - Fr. Hien Vu  
**Priest in Residence** – Fr Vioth Santiago

**Parish Administrator** Mei Lawson  
**Secretary** Jo McEwen  
**Sacrament Coordinator** Yvette Oswald  
**Parish House** 35 Gower Street (Opposite Church)  
**School** 9376 9455 (Christine Shaw)  
**MASS TIMES** Saturday (Vigil) 5.30pm  
 Sunday 9.00am  
**WEEKDAY** Wednesday 9.15am  
 Friday 9.15am  
**BAPTISMS** 1st & 3rd Sunday at 12.00pm  
**WEDDINGS** Contact Parish Office

**Parish Administrator** Mei Lawson  
**Secretary** Sharon Kane  
**Parish House** 103 Wellington Street Flemington 3031  
**School Kindergarten** 9376 0249 (Peter Hayes)  
 9376 6305 (Eevon Tey)  
**MASS TIMES** Saturday (Vigil) 6.00pm  
 Sunday 10.30am  
 (Coptic Mass 1.00pm)  
**WEEKDAY** – Mon, Wed & Fri – 9.15am Communion Service  
 Tues, Thurs & Sat – 9.15am Mass  
**BAPTISMS** 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday at 12.00pm  
**WEDDINGS** Contact Parish Office  
**RECONCILIATION** Saturday 9.45am  
**EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**  
 Saturday 9.45am – 10.45am (after Mass)  
 1st Friday of each month 9.45am – 10.45am

### ROSTER - SUNDAY 11 FEBRUARY 2018

	Lector/Commentator	Minister of Communion		Lector/Commentator	Minister of Communion
5.30pm	Andrea Clayburn Anna Dare	Russell Clayburn	6.00pm		
10.00am	Johann Posso Max Stephens	Y-Anh Le Pham Dianna PLummer	10.30am		
<b>Children's Liturgy of the Word</b>		Sarah Mason	<b>No Children's Liturgy of the Word</b>		

### Recent Deaths:

### Anniversaries:

### FINANCES

#### HOLY ROSARY

THANKSGIVING: \$ 352.00  
 PRESBYTERY: \$ 61.00  
 LOOSE: \$ 297.60

#### ST. BRENDAN'S

THANKSGIVING: \$ 450.00  
 PRESBYTERY: \$ 130.00  
 LOOSE: \$ 215.55

Thanksgiving total does not include monthly contributions made via credit card & direct debit.

## 2018 RCIC – Rite of Christian Initiation of Children, Program

This is a journey for children school-age,  
 not attending our parish schools, for the Sacraments of  
 Baptism, Reconciliation, First Holy Communion & Confirmation.

### Parent's Information night

Parents are warmly invited to attend an information night to support you and your child in the preparation of the Sacraments of Baptism, Reconciliation, First Holy Communion and Confirmation.

This is an important session for parents and sponsors to be held in St Brendan's Church **Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> February 2018 at 7.00pm**. It is an expectation that one or both parents if possible, attend this formation evening. Fr Hien will guide parents to talk to their child about the Sacraments.

Classes will be begin **Wednesday 7 March at 4pm**.

For further information about the 2018 RCIC Program or to confirm your attendance at the Information evening please contact Sharon Kane at [flemington@cam.org.au](mailto:flemington@cam.org.au) or 9376 7378

### MASS TIMES THIS WEEK

**HOLY ROSARY** - WED, FRI - 9.15 Mass  
**ST. BRENDAN'S** - TUE, THU & SAT - 9.15am Mass

### IL GRUPPO IN CAMMINO CON MARIA VERSO GESU

Avvisa a tutti i parocchiani, che la devozione del Santo Rosario Della Madonna Di Pompei, si recita ogni 7 di ogni Mese alle ore 9,45 AM .  
Per informazione : PH: 93751339

### OUR COMMITMENT TO CHILD SAFETY

The work involved in creating a Child Safe Parish is dynamic, multi-faceted and ongoing process of learning, monitoring and reviewing.

A Child Safe Environment:

- Doesn't just rely on any one component of the standards
- Is child-centred and aims to protect children from all forms of harm.
- Respects diversity but recognised that differences in child rearing due to cultural and religious beliefs does not reduce a child's right to be safe.

### HOLY ROSARY PARISH WELCOME SUNDAY – 4<sup>th</sup> FEB 2018

Attending Mass this morning are our families who will be presenting their children for Baptism. Please welcome Dominic & Heidi Wursthorn, their parents and godparents into our community.  
We ask for God's continued blessings on these children, their parents and godparents.



### ST BRENDAN'S & HOLY ROSARY'S HOUSE-BOUND PARISHIONERS

If you know a Parishioner of either Parish who would like a visit and/or Communion at home, please contact either Parish office (e-mail addresses and phone numbers on this bulletin) and leave details.

**Please join us for morning tea after the 9am Mass at today for a cuppa and a warm welcome to Sr. Pat.**



### "Thoughts on Giving"

*"Rising very early before dawn, he left and went off to a deserted place, where he prayed...He told them, 'Let us go on to the nearby villages that I may preach there also. For this purpose have I come.'" - Mark 1:35, 38*

In today's Gospel reading we see a perfect example of stewardship. Jesus gives His time to do all that God wishes - healing the sick and preaching. But before He begins, Jesus makes time to be alone with God in prayer. It is through prayer, spending time with God, that we find the strength to do what He wishes us to do. Be sure to find time every day to be with God.

### TENTON

#### "What is it?" I hear you ask!

It was started by self-proclaimed 'money dame' parishioner Joan Hines, as a means to raise funds to repair the church spires in the 1970s (sound familiar??!!). Since then it has raised on average \$4-5,000 for the parish each year.

#### How does it work?

It costs \$5 a week for twenty weeks before a major prize draw is held in June (first prize being \$1,000).....And then it starts all over again in July!

A number is randomly assigned to you and if your number is pulled out in the weekly draw – you win \$50! You will be notified and your name appears in the weekly bulletin.

#### How do I sign up?

You can 'share' a number with another family: share the outlay, share the profit! See Mary Reilly or Maureen Treacy after mass or call and leave a message at the parish house that you would like to join. The parish benefits hugely from this fundraising activity. Please consider joining in the fun and excitement.

1<sup>st</sup> draw for 2018 will be held on the 14<sup>th</sup> of February.



Dublin, Ireland, has been chosen by Pope Francis to host the next World Meeting of Families from 21-26 August 2018, guided by the theme "The Gospel of the Family: Joy for the World".

May each family rediscover family prayer, which helps to bring about mutual understanding and forgiveness. (Pope Francis)