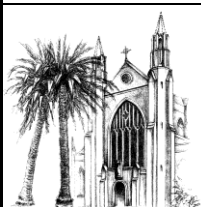


THE PARTNERED PARISHES OF



Holy Rosary Parish

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St. Brendan's Parish

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Parish Priest - Fr. Max Vodola
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Pastoral Associate	Sr. Pat Dimeck CSB	Pastoral Associate	Carol Harris
Secretary	Jo McEwen	Secretary	Sharon Kane
Sacrament Coordinator	Yvette Oswald	Parish House	103 Wellington Street Flemington 3031
Parish Administration	Sharon Kane	School	9376 0249 (Peter Hayes)
Parish House	35 Gower Street (Opposite Church)	Kindergarten	9376 6305 (Eevon Tey)
School	9376 9455 (Amanda Smith)	MASS TIMES	Saturday (Vigil) 6.00pm Sunday 10.30am (Coptic Mass 1.00pm)
MASS TIMES	Saturday (Vigil) 5.30pm Sunday 9.00am	WEEKDAY	Tuesday – Saturday 9.15am
WEEKDAY	Wednesday 9.15am Friday 9.15am	BAPTISMS	1st Sunday during 10.30am Mass 3rd Sunday at 12.00pm Contact Parish Office
BAPTISMS	2nd & 4th Sunday at 12.00pm Contact Parish Office	WEDDINGS	Contact Parish Office Saturday 9.45am
WEDDINGS		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 24 May 2015

	Lector/Commentator	Minister of Communion		Lector/Commentator	Minister of Communion
5.30pm	Andrea Clayburn Yvette Oswald	Russell Clayburn	6.00pm	Kathereen Cabreros	
9.00am	David Hegan Bernadette White	Elizabeth Grieve Liz Hall	10.30am	Anthony Ficus Maria Pavone Jacqui Ficus Giuseppina Tafuro	Silvana Carrello
Children's Liturgy of the Word		Sharon O'Neill	Children's Liturgy of the Word		Katrina White Bert Fasoli Declan O'Toole
Counters			Counters		

RECENT DEATHS AND ANNIVERSARIES

Recent Deaths: Jane Zammit	Recent Deaths: Mickey Tohill (in Ireland), Fr Noel Kierce OCarm
Anniversaries:	Anniversaries: Maria Rosa Raffaele, Charles Said, Guza & Christino Azzopardi, Joseph Catania

FINANCES

HOLY ROSARY	ST. BRENDAN'S
THANKSGIVING: \$ 337.20	THANKSGIVING: \$ 1225.00 (weekly pledge \$1,858)
PRESBYTERY \$ 49.15	PRESBYTERY: \$ 182.00
LOOSE \$ 252.90	LOOSE: \$ 407.00
(Includes Credit Cards, EFT & Weekly Thanksgiving Envelopes)	

HOLY ROSARY - Ten Ton - Week 14 – Andrea Clayburn

WEEKDAY MASSES - HOLY ROSARY
 Wednesday 20th May 9.15am Mass
 Friday 22nd May 9.15a.m Mass

THANK YOU for your generous donations to **Project Compassion 2015**. Total received - Holy Rosary - \$1,361.20 and St Brendan's - \$1,071.60. Thanks again.

Chaplaincy Sunday Appeal 2015 – is next weekend. The Melbourne Archbishop's Charitable Fund will conduct the annual Chaplaincy Sunday Appeal in parishes to support the vital work of Catholic Chaplains in hospitals, prisons, youth detention centres and seafarers. The Appeal will be held in parishes on or around Sunday 17 May. Parishioners are encouraged to offer prayers and a financial donation to assist chaplains to provide hope to those suffering from loneliness, physical illness and HIV/AIDS.

ST. ALOYSIUS COLLEGE – NORTH MELBOURE – YEAR 9 SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE FOR 2016
 Scholarship Testing Day – Saturday June 13th, 9.30am Applicants please register online at www.aloysius.vic.edu.au

GRASS ROOTS DIALOGUE PROJECT



Since its establishment 30 years ago the Victorian Council of Christians and Jews (CCJ) has been at the forefront of interfaith dialogue in Melbourne. The Grass Roots Dialogue Project is the latest program initiated by the CCJ to promote engagement between Christians and Jews. We hope the project will contribute towards the ongoing work of creating a spirit of respect between religious traditions.

On Sunday 7 June the Grass Roots Dialogue Project will be visiting Holy Rosary Parish for the 9.00am Mass. The presenters will be Sue Mendelson from the Jewish tradition and Nick Mattiske from the Lutheran tradition. They will speak during the 9.00am Mass about this important initiative. After the 9.00am Mass there will be a cuppa and our guests will make themselves available for a 'question and answer' session. We extend a very warm welcome to our guests and invite as many parishioners as possible to participate on Sunday 7 June at 9.00am at Holy Rosary, Kensington.

CATHEDRAL ORGAN RECITAL Saturday 30 May, 5-5.45pm

St Patrick's Cathedral, 1 Cathedral Pl, East Melbourne
The four-manual Cathedral organ built by George Fincham and Sons in Richmond celebrated its 50th birthday in November 2014. The organ was dedicated to those who made the supreme sacrifice for their country and Archbishop Mannix's 50th Anniversary of Episcopal Ordination on 6 October 1962.

To mark this anniversary and the Solemnities of Pentecost, Trinity and Corpus Christi, organ recitals will be offered in the Cathedral. The first of these will be on Saturday 30 May by Mr Dion Henman, Organist. Further recitals on 6 June by Mr Thomas Grubb and 13 June by Dr Paul Taylor.

Cost: \$10 (\$5 for Pensioners)

Details: music@cam.org.au

MENALIVE IN THE CITY Thursday 28 May, 6-7.45pm

St Joseph's Hall, 631 Bourke St, Melbourne (next St Augustine's Church. Mass at 5.30pm)

Manhood today: 'Searching for meaning and authenticity' is the topic of the next menALIVE in the City event, which provides an opportunity for Catholic men to get together and explore the things that matter.

Details: Michael Bohan 0439 172 465 or michael.bohan@menalive.org.au.

Prayer of St Brendan

Help me to journey beyond the familiar
and into the unknown.

Give me the faith to leave old ways
and break fresh ground with you.

Christ of the mysteries, I trust you
to be stronger than each storm within me.

I will trust in the darkness and know
that my times, even now, are in your hand

Tune my spirit to the music of heaven,
and somehow, make my obedience count for you.

Happy St Brendan's Day

ST BRENDAN'S SCHOOL ENROLMENTS are currently being taken for 2016. If you have a child who turns 5 years old before 30th April 2016, it is time to enrol. Please let your neighbours, friends and relatives know that enrolments are now being taken School Tours are available every Wednesday at 9.30am or by appointment



HOME VISITATION AND COMMUNION:

Do you know of any parishioners who are unable to come to Mass and they might like a visit and/or Communion please call or email Carol at the Office on 9376 7378 or carolharris@iprimus.com.au

ST BRENDAN'S - FIRST EUCHARIST - important events

Faith and Life: (workshop for parents & children) Thursday 21 May at 7.00p.m in St Brendan's School

Retreat Day (for children only) Wednesday 27 May in St Brendan's school from 9a.m to 3p.m. All candidates must attend.

JCMA 'MAINTAINING SOCIAL COHESION IN AUSTRALIA' FORUM Sunday 31 May, 2pm-6pm (registration from 1.30pm) Richmond Town Hall 333 Bridge Rd, Richmond

The 'Maintaining Social Cohesion in Australia' Forum, hosted by the Jewish Christian Muslim Association of Australia, aims to identify the challenges, the successes and the opportunities for new initiatives and programs that will support and maintain strong interfaith relationships in our Jewish, Christian and Muslim communities.

Cost: \$20, free for under 25s Bookings: <http://bit.ly/1FOJW8t>

Details: Ginette Everest, JCMA Executive Officer, 9287 5590 or executiveofficer@jcma.org.au



RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (R.C.I.A)

The RCIA is the Church's way of welcoming new members. The Rite offers a process through which Enquirers are helped to find out more about the Catholic faith, and to complete a period of formation leading to the reception of the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist at the Easter Vigil. It is a gradual process and takes place within the community of the faithful. We currently have two enquirers.

Team members from the parish meet with the enquirers and these sessions would begin with exploring the Sunday gospel, look at its links to life, and its connection to the Liturgical celebration. Discussion to explore the traditions and teachings of the Catholic Church which enables them to grow in understanding of the faith and to gradually become part of the parish community of faith and its way of life.

This is a wonderful ministry to be involved in. All the team members involved find that their own faith is renewed and refreshed by their engagement with the enquirers/catechumens. We would like the support of our parish community. We need team members who are willing to 'walk with the catechumens on their journey of faith'.

You are invited to attend the RCIA Regional Seminar 'The Parish as mission-oriented Community' at Treacy Centre 126 The Avenue Parkville Saturday 18 July 9.15am - 3pm

If you would like to be part of such a life-giving team journeying with potential new Catholics please contact Carol Harris at the presbytery on 9376 7378 or email carolharris@iprimus.com.au

FIRST EUCHARIST Please pray for the children of our Parish who are preparing to receive their First Communion on Saturday 30th May at 5.30pm Mass at Holy Rosary and Sunday 31st May at 10.30am Mass at St Brendan's.