



The Partnered Parishes of St Brendan's and Holy Rosary

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PARISH BULLETIN

25th January 2026

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>> PARISH CALENDER <<

3rd WEEK in ORDINARY TIME

Sunday 25th January 2026
3rd SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME
*9.00am - Holy Rosary Mass
*10.30am - St Brendan's Mass
Wedding St. Brendan's
Congratulations!
Nathan and Natalie

Monday 26th January
Australia Day

Tuesday 27th January
9.15am - Communion Service
St Brendan's

Wednesday 28th January
St Thomas Aquinas, priest, doctor
No Mass
*10am - Funeral Holy Rosary -
Sebastiano Infantino

Thursday 29th January
No Mass

Friday 30th January
9.15am - Communion Service
Holy Rosary

*11am - Funeral St Brendan's -
Francesco Patti

Saturday 31st January
St John Bosco, Priest
5.30pm - St Brendan's Mass

From 26th - 30th January
No Weekday Masses at all.
Tuesday 27th - 9.15am St Brendan's
Communion Service

Friday 30th - 9.15am Holy Rosary
Communion Service

Mass will return to normal
from February 2026

'Canteen of Welcome' -
Supporting the Community
Closed all of January

REOPENING on 7th February 2026
Saturdays - From 8am - 10am

HOLY ROSARY CHURCH

22 Gower Street, Kensington Vic 3031
Saturday: * 5.30pm Mass

*Next Sat Mass Holy Rosary - 7th & 21st Feb 2026

Sunday: 9am
Wednesday & Friday 9:15am
School: 03 9376 9455 (Christine Shaw)
<https://www.hrkensington.catholic.edu.au/>

ST BRENDAN'S CHURCH

103 Wellington St, Flemington 3031
Saturday: * 5.30pm Mass

*Sat Mass St Brendan's - 24th & 31st Jan 26

Sunday: 10.30am
Tuesday & Thursday : 9:15am
School: 03 9376 0249 (Kellie Noonan)
<https://www.sbflemington.catholic.edu.au/>

PRAYERS OF THE COMMUNITY

Recent Deaths: Sebastiano Infantino, Francesco Patti
Anniversaries: Gerard English. Carman, John & Maria Buonopane.
Michael Haber. Pasqualina Sirianni. Marianne Hogan.

*** Important Notice for Mass ***

Fr Andrew will be away from 26th - 30th January inclusive
There is NO Weekday Masses at all during this time
Tue 27th Jan - Communion Service St Brendan's
Fri 30th Jan - Communion Service Holy Rosary
*** Weekly Mass will return to normal from February 2026 ***

*** Important Notice - Volunteer Roster - There is no Volunteer Roster during January ***
During January can READERS please volunteer their services before Mass on the day.
Next Roster published in next weeks Bulletin for the Sat 7th & Sun 8th Feb

**** Next ****

MORNING TEA at St Brendan's
Sunday 15th Feb 26
After 10.30 Mass

Please join us for a cuppa & chat.

On every 3rd Sunday of month

TEN TON

Ten Ton is a Fund Raiser for Holy Rosary Church.

The new draw begins soon.
Start date & details to be advised soon.

If you wish to join TEN TON the cost is
\$100 for 20 weeks (i.e. \$5 per week).

A Prize of \$50 is drawn each week.
At the end of the 20 weeks we have a Big Draw
consisting of 3 prizes,
1st \$1,000, 2nd \$350 and 3rd \$150.

To join or withdraw from TEN TON please contact
Pat Dimeck or the Parish Office
Maureen Treacy

**** Next ****

MORNING TEA at Holy Rosary
Sunday 22nd Feb 26
After 9am Mass

Coming Collection - Project Compassion

Also sign up for the Walk for Water

Caritas Aus is calling on individuals, schools,
parishes and community groups across the
country to sign up for the Long Walk for Water
challenge ahead of Lent and to walk in solidar-
ity with the 703 million people worldwide who
still live without safe drinking water.

For Details on the Walk go to the website at -

Click> [Sign up for 'The Long Walk for
Water' to support... | Melbourne Catholic](https://melbournecatholic.org/news/sign-up-for-the-long-walk-for-water-to-support-project-compassion-this-lent)

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Remembering GERARD ENGLISH 1st Anniversary

10th Nov 1942 - 27th Jan 2025

Gerards had lived in Kensington since 1993
and usually attended St. Brendan's Church.

Gerard took responsibility for opening and
closing the church, performing tasks around
the sacristy and many other jobs around the
church and presbytery, including Mass com-
mentating.

He was also a tower of strength in the local
St. Vincent de Paul Parish Conference,
each weekday fielding the calls for help from
central office and visiting countless families
and individuals in distress, especially in the
Debney Park high-rise towers.

Our Dear friend Gerard was very much loved
and appreciated for all the work and support
he did for both our churches.
May Gerard English rest in God's peace and
be given the eternal reward he so richly de-
serves.



Gerard receiving appreciation award 2024

In a spirit of reconciliation and thanksgiving we observe this Australia Day.

That our nation, which was known as
Great Southern Land of the Holy Spirit, will
be a people united peacefully in the Holy
Spirit.

A national day can be for us all a moment
of deeper reflection when we recognise
that Australia, with its many peoples, is
capable of great compassion and of a
wisdom that understands the truth. It can
be a day to recognise what this country
can be, a land where all are in fact equal
and can walk together into the future God is
preparing.



God of all peoples, Lord of the journey
who always walk with us,
in this land you have blessed us
with the first inhabitants of the land
who have loved it through the ages:
for them we give you thanks.
You have blessed us in the settlers
who made this land their home,
and forged a nation with their toil:
for them we give you thanks.
You have blessed us in the many peoples
of different languages and cultures
who have found a new home here:
for them we give you thanks.
We ask that you make a home among us,
so that justice and truth may flourish here
and all Australians may walk together
into the future you are preparing:
for that we give you thanks.
Through Christ our Lord.
Amen.

** Next ** Pastoral Finance Meeting
- Wednesday 11th February 2026 at 7pm -

** Next ** Pastoral Council Meeting
- Wednesday 11th March 2026 at 7pm -

Mass Roster 2026 5.30pm Sat Night Mass

DATE	CHURCH
Sat 3/01/2026	Holy Rosary
Sat 10/01/2026	St Brendan's
Sat 17/01/2026	Holy Rosary
Sat 24/01/2026	St Brendan's
Sat 31/01/2026	5th St Brendan's
Sat 7/02/2026	Holy Rosary
Sat 14/02/2026	St Brendan's
Sat 21/02/2026	Holy Rosary
Sat 28/02/2026	St Brendan's
Sat 7/03/2026	Holy Rosary
Sat 14/03/2026	St Brendan's
Sat 21/03/2026	Holy Rosary
Sat 28/03/2026	5th Holy Rosary
Sat 4/04/2026	Holy Rosary
Sat 11/04/2026	St Brendan's
Sat 18/04/2026	Holy Rosary
Sat 25/04/2026	St Brendan's
Sat 2/05/2026	Holy Rosary
Sat 9/05/2026	St Brendan's
Sat 16/05/2026	Holy Rosary
Sat 23/05/2026	St Brendan's
Sat 30/05/2026	5th St Brendan's
Sat 6/06/2026	Holy Rosary
Sat 13/06/2026	St Brendan's
Sat 20/06/2026	Holy Rosary
Sat 27/06/2026	St Brendan's
Sat 4/07/2026	Holy Rosary
Sat 11/07/2026	St Brendan's
Sat 18/07/2026	Holy Rosary
Sat 25/07/2026	St Brendan's
Sat 1/08/2026	Holy Rosary
Sat 8/08/2026	St Brendan's
Sat 15/08/2026	Holy Rosary
Sat 22/08/2026	St Brendan's
Sat 29/08/2026	5th Holy Rosary
Sat 5/09/2026	Holy Rosary
Sat 12/09/2026	St Brendan's
Sat 19/09/2026	Holy Rosary
Sat 26/09/2026	St Brendan's
Sat 3/10/2026	Holy Rosary
Sat 10/10/2026	St Brendan's
Sat 17/10/2026	Holy Rosary
Sat 24/10/2026	St Brendan's
Sat 31/10/2026	5th St Brendans
Sat 7/11/2026	Holy Rosary
Sat 14/11/2026	St Brendan's
Sat 21/11/2026	Holy Rosary
Sat 28/11/2026	St Brendan's
Sat 5/12/2026	Holy Rosary
Sat 12/12/2026	St Brendan's
Sat 19/12/2026	Holy Rosary
Sat 26/12/2026	St Brendan's