

Marriages at St Mary's Church Thornbury.

St. Mary's Parish offers the Sacrament of marriage to parishioners who wish to use the parish church.

People outside the parish are welcome to use the church; however, they must arrange their own priest to celebrate the wedding.

At least six-month prior notice is required.

For details, contact the parish office on 9484 2907 from 9am to 12pm pm Tuesday & Wednesday and Thursday 9- 5pm.

All couples are encouraged to do the pre - nuptial preparation program.

The latest time for commencing a Saturday or Sunday wedding is 3.30pm. Weekday weddings are available after 10am.

Flowers: If flowers are desired couples are responsible for ordering and having flower arrangements delivered. 2 large and 2 small arrangements are necessary.

Music: Couples are reminded that the church celebrates the sacrament of marriage, thus the music should reflect the liturgy. Secular music not suitable.

Organ: The church has a very fine organ and is available to be played by a competent organist.

Audio: Data projector (with VGA input to laptop) is available with your own laptop

Bells: Electronic church bells are available at the commencement and conclusion of the wedding ceremony.

Please note no confetti, flowers, rice or other such material is allowed to be thrown inside or outside the church.

Completion of all forms and documents, required by the Church and State, is the responsibility of the officiating priest. All church documents remain at St Mary's church.

The fee for hiring the church is \$600 payable on booking.

Cheques should be made payable to: **St Mary's Parish Thornbury.**

Postal address:

**St Mary's Parish
P.O.Box 1010
Thornbury Vic 3071**

**Or Bank transfer to: St Mary's Parish Thornbury.
BSB: 083- 347 A/c No. 557931064
Ref. Wedding + (your surname)
Please email a copy of your receipt to: thornbury@cam.org.au**

Offering for the Celebrant is \$350 (or as arranged with the visiting celebrant.) payable at rehearsal or prior to the wedding.