

Weddings at Gartrell

Your wedding is wonderful occasion and one of the most significant milestones in your life. The Christian celebration of marriage is an act of worship, an expression of the Church's offering of the whole of life to God. We would be delighted to share it with you.

Gartrell Church is an elegant heritage-listed building with a classic charm and a real sense of warmth and intimacy, and located at the corner of two tree-lined boulevards in Rose Park.

It seats up to 200 people. There are two doors into the foyer and the sanctuary has two aisles.

Our Minister is the officiating minister for weddings in the church. If you attend another church, you may request that your Minister conduct the ceremony.

The planning process

The Minister will talk you through the planning of your wedding.

A booking is confirmed with the payment of a non-refundable deposit of \$200.

Usually, our Minister meets with you approximately three months prior to your wedding. The Minister will spend time getting to know you in order to help you plan a day that is unique to you. The Minister will also explain the procedure leading to your wedding day.

Discussions include your participation in pre-marriage counselling, legal requirements and specific arrangements for your wedding ceremony including readings, choice of vows, declarations, orders of service and music.

An organist and the use of our beautiful pipe organ are included in your wedding package. Live music is also permitted in consultation with the Minister.

A rehearsal is usually held in the week before the

ceremony and we recommend that wherever possible, all members of the wedding party attend to familiarise themselves with the church and the ceremony.

Cost

The cost is \$800 for a weekday or Saturday wedding and \$850 for a Sunday wedding (available after 1 pm). The package includes:

- Use of the church building for your rehearsal, and ceremony.
- All meetings with the Minister and conduct of the wedding ceremony.
- An organist to play music of your choice.
- Sound/data operator.
- Completion of legal requirements.
- Wedding certificate.
- Pre-marriage counselling.
- Pew decorations supplied by us or you may use your own (attached only with hat elastic or similar).
- Preparation of the church for your wedding.

The wedding fee is fixed and does not vary if you choose not to have any of these items. Payment in full is required prior to the ceremony day.

To discuss your wedding and for more information, contact the minister.

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