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# ST BRENDAN'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH



105 Wellington Street (1).JPG



Flemington &  
Kensington Conservation  
Study 1985

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## Location

89-103 WELLINGTON STREET, FLEMINGTON, MOONEE VALLEY CITY

## Municipality

MOONEE VALLEY CITY

## Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

## Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO125

## Heritage Listing

Moonee Valley City

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## Statement of Significance

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Architecturally, a skilfully massed Romanesque revival design by the style's arch practitioner, A.A. Fritsch, which is among his more successful works and also part of an important building group and streetscape: of metropolitan importance.

Historically, the religious centre for a large proportion of the area's church goers; of local importance.

Heritage Study/Consultant	Moonee Valley - Flemington and Kensington Conservation Study, City of Melbourne, 1985;
Construction dates	1923,
Architect/Designer	Fritsch & Fritsch, Fritsch, Augustus A.,
Hermes Number	23932
Property Number	

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## Physical Description 1

In the modern Italian Romanesque manner of the Middle Park Church, Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, this church is more confined by its site and has none of the other's extensive transepts. Otherwise, the tall red brick gable form with its candle snuffer turrets and multi-arched pedimented Romanesque entry, is similar. The asymmetrical placement of the square tower provides a variation to Fritsch's other work, despite the unfortunate addition at its base.

Generally original externally except for an addition at the base of the tower and possible removal of the front fence.

Relates to the adjoining school and opposing police station, court house complex also part of the notable Wellington Street streetscape and precinct and the object of distant views to the hill.

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