

Memorandum

Date: 10 July 2018
To: Parish Secretaries, Parish Treasurers and Diocesan Finance
From: Parish Services
Subject: Parish Assessments 2018
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Dear Parish Secretary / Parish Treasurer / Incumbent:

Please find below some information regarding Parish Assessments.

Parish Assessments 2018

The Diocesan Council has confirmed that the following exemptions are approved for purposes of the Parish Assessment in accordance with Part 9 of the Administration of Parishes Ordinance 2010:

1. Diocesan missions
2. Bequests (capital received in 1st year)
3. Government grants
4. GST Refunds
5. Interest earned on ASDF accounts
6. Mission monies raised for the Samaritans Foundation
7. Monies raised by Mothers Union in pursuit of Mothers Union objectives
8. Contributions from parishioners towards farewell and retirement gifts for clergy
9. Cathedral Foundation and Cathedral Board Fundraising account
10. Insurance claims monies
11. Retirement Village income to be assessed on the basis of contribution to parish
12. Parish Aid and Assistance Grants
13. Monies remitted from the Long Service Leave Fund
14. Any contributions raised by the Parish towards a donation to the diocese for redress.
15. Any contribution by the parish towards the purchase of the boat for the Diocese of Guadalcanal

This memorandum serves as an official response to individual Parish submissions received by the Diocesan Office regarding their 2018 Parish Assessments that required a determination from the Diocesan Council.

Kind regards



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