

St Lawrence and Mary Immaculate Parish, Balcatta

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St Lawrence and Mary Immaculate Church 392 Albert Street Balcatta WA 6021

Masses Mon to Sat 9am; First Fri of Month 7.30pm; Sat 6pm (Vigil); Sun 8.30am, 10am (Italian), 12pm (Croatian) and 5pm

Reconciliation (also by appointment)

Tue to Fri 8.40am-8.55am, Sat 5.15pm-5.50pm 1st Friday 8.30am-8.55am and 7.10pm-7.25pm

Rosary prayed at St Lawrence Mon to Sat 9.30am **Perpetual Adoration Chapel** 24hr access contact office **Piety Shop & Parish Library** for lovely gifts & resources



St Theresa Church 678 North Beach Road Gwelup WA 6018

(In Mt La Verna Retirement Village)

Masses Wed 10.30am & Sun 11.30am
Reconciliation After Sun 11.30am Mass
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Wed 11am-12pm,
1st Sunday of the month 11am-11.30am
Rosary prayed at St Theresa Mon to Sat 4.15pm

Parish Meetings From Monday 15th July

Mon	9.30am	Catholic Meditation Group
Mon	1.00pm	Italian Choir Practice
Mon	3.30pm	Parish Line Dancing
Tue	7.00pm	Alpha Course
Tue	7.30pm	English Choir Practice
Wed	10.00am	Healing Prayers (in Chapel)
Wed	7.00pm	Personal Advocacy
Wed	7.30pm	Finance Committee Meeting
Thur	7.30pm	Legion of Mary
Sun	10.00am	Rosary League (Malayalam/English)
Sun	2.00pm	Secular Franciscan Balcatta Fraternity

Masses at Nursing Homes

Thurs 18 July 10.15am Bethanie, Gwelup

PARISH NEWS 14-21 July

Liturgical Calendar

Mon 15 July

St Bonaventure— Memorial



24/7 St Lawrence Youth Group Every Sunday 6-8pm

All youth are invited to join us after the 5pm Mass!

Our next Children's Mass will be held on Sunday 28th July at 5pm. Children's Liturgy will resume the following Sunday 4th August.



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Experience ACYF with the Salvatorians

If you would like to join the Salvatorian group of



youths coming to Perth from around Australia for the ACYF and join in the pre-festival experience with sightseeing, workshops and worship, for more details visit www.trybooking.com/519504 and book before the end of July. Don't miss this amazing event!

Salvatorian Collaborators Meeting Saturday 20th July



Beginning with Holy Mass at 9am followed by morning tea in the Alverna Centre. All parishioners are welcome to join us to learn more about the Salvatorian Order.

Busy Bee—Sat 27th July at 8am

Please help us tidy the church and grounds in preparation for our special St Lawrence Feast Day celebration. Morning tea will be provided.

Preparation for Feast Day of St Lawrence

People who would like to help and be involved in the Liturgy of the Feast Day Mass of St Lawrence 11th August 2019, please come along to a meeting on Thursday 18th July 2019 at 7.30pm at the Alverna Centre

Perpetual Adoration Chapel Open 24hrs 'Are You Not Able to Stay With Me One Hour?' Please join the roster and commit to a Holy Hour with Jesus every week. Vacant time slots are:

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Thur: 4-5am, 7-8am, 11-1pm, 2-4pm, 6-7pm

Mon: 12-4am, 11-12pm, 1-2pm, 4-6pm, 11pm-12am **Wed**: 12-2am, 4-5am, 12pm-1pm, 6-7pm **Fri**: 1-3am, 12pm-1pm, 7-8pm, 10pm-12am

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ALPHA COURSE 2019

The 2019 Parish Alpha Course for new participants who have not attended previously began last week and will continue on **Tuesday evenings** over the next 9 weeks from **7-9pm**. Alpha involves sharing a meal together, watching a video presentation and exploring questions and ideas in a welcoming and friendly environment. It has been used by thousands of parishes around the world to address questions and concerns people have regarding their faith.

St Lawrence Feast Day Dinner Friday 9th August 7pm

Please mark your diary and join us to celebrate our Patron Saint's Feast Day! We will begin our celebration with the Parish Dinner with homemade wine tasting competition on Friday 9th August at 7pm in the Alverna Hall. Join us for a great night of delicious food and fellowship to build a friendly and St Lawrence parish community together!

Cost: \$45 Adult (wine and soft drink included)

Tickets available from our Parish Social Committee:

Marie B 9244 9212, Mary L 9446 9816, Anna D 9345 5271, Nancy B 9349 1020, Maria M 9349 6374, Kath G 9349 5028.

St Lawrence Feast Day Sunday 11th August 9.30am Multicultural Mass followed by

Procession and Shared Lunch

The Feast of St Lawrence is a very special occasion in the life of our parish community.

Beginning with a Multicultural Mass at 9.30am (instead of the 3 regular Sunday morning Masses), Followed by a Eucharistic procession on the streets near the church. This is a great way to demonstrate our faith publicly by walking with the Blessed Sacrament, praying and singing together, finishing with a light shared lunch at about 11am in the Alverna hall. Everyone is welcome to come along and bring a plate of some tradional food from your country of origin to share,if you can. Please join us for this very special parish celebration

Archdiocesan Marriage Mass Sat 10th August 10am at St Mary's Cathedral

All parishioners are warmly invited to attend this special Mass for all married couples and those who support marriage. The Mass will be celebrated by Archbishop Timothy Costelloe. As a part of this occasion, the Archdiocese would like to acknowledge couples celebrating a significant anniversary this year (specifically 25, 30, 40, 50, 60 or 70 yrs) by presenting them with a commemorative certificate at the Mass. Visit www.brushfire.com/marriage-mass/455691 to register for a certificate. Certificate requests must be received before 1st August. A blessing will be bestowed on all married couples at the Mass.

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat 13 July

9am God's blessing for Zeljko Bajuk on his birthday **6pm** +Julia Protti 2nd anniversary

Sun 14 July

8.30am +Fortunato and Elisabetta Tassone and Antonio Lombardo

10am (Italian) +Cono Civello 13th anniversary **11.30am** (Gwelup) Healing for Peter Vlahov **5pm** +Anne Benson 13th anniversary

Mon 15 July

9am +Dina Soresi

Tues 16 July

9am +Andra Vlahov

Wed 17 July

9am +Vince and Nicoletta Tutolo 10.30am (Gwelup)

Thurs 18 July

9am God's blessing, good health and long life for Kath Girando on her birthday

Fri 19 July

9am +Vincenzo Macri

Sat 20 July

9am

6pm +Francesco Pizzino

Sun 21 July

8.30am God's blessing, good health and long life for Peter James on his birthday

10am (Italian) +Francesco Conte 1st anniversary **11.30am** (Gwelup)

5pm +Lita Favazzi

NOTIZIARIO ITALIANO

Incontri di Questa Settimana Lun 13.00 Coro Italiano

Calendario Liturgico

Lun 15 S. Bonaventura

Quote of the Week

'The same Lord is over all; He bestows riches on all who call upon Him.'



Fr Francis Jordan, Salvatorian Founder

July School Holidays Office Hours



The Parish Office will be open Tue 16 and Thurs 18 July From 9.30 to 11.30am only

For urgent matters please leave a message on the answering machine for Fr Emil or call him on 0408 447 062.

NO CROATIAN MASS NEXT SUN 28 JULY

Pastoral care of the sick: Contact the Parish office if you know anyone who would like to be included in the bulletin for our prayers during Mass or if they would like a priest to visit them at home or hospital.



