



## 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 18th November

Mon	9.30am	Catholic Meditation Group
Mon	1.00pm	Italian Choir Practice
Mon	3.30pm	Parish Line Dancing
Tues	4.00pm	PREP (hall/church)
Tues	7.00pm	Plenary Council 2nd Stage
Tues	7.30pm	English Choir Practice
Wed	10.00am	Healing Prayers (in Chapel)
Wed	7.00pm	Personal Advocacy
Thur	10.00am	Incontro con Gesù e Maria (Italian)
Thur	7.30pm	Legion of Mary
Sun	10.00am	Rosary League (Malayalam/English)

### Masses at Nursing Homes

Thurs 21 Nov 10.15am Bethanie, Gwelup

### Baptism Prayers

We pray for Brando Vivarelli who will be baptised  
this weekend and for his family. We welcome  
them to our Parish Community.



## PARISH NEWS 17—24 Nov

### Liturgical Calendar

Thurs 21 Nov	Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary— <i>Memorial</i>
Fri 22 Nov	St Cecilia— <i>Memorial</i>
Sun 24 Nov	Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe— <i>Solemnity</i>

### Children's Mass followed by End of Liturgical Year Party next Sun 24 Nov 5pm

Next Sun 24th Nov is the final Children's Mass for the year. Please encourage your children to join us near the choir area before Mass begins to participate in the singing and reading the prayers of the faithful.

After Mass we will have our annual **FREE 'New Year Party' in the Alverna Hall** to mark the end of the liturgical year. Join us for food, drinks, dancing and piñata fun. **The evening concludes at 8pm.** Parents are welcome to stay or collect their children at 8pm. We hope to see all the children of our Parish at the party!

### Special Visit of Fr Rozo Palic Sun 24th Nov

Fr Palic, renowned healing priest and spiritual assistant of Croats in Trieste, Italy will be at St Lawrence Church for Croatian Mass on Sun 24 Nov at 12pm. Healing services at Glendalough Parish on Tues 26 Nov and Tues 3 Dec at 10.30am and 7.30pm.

### Advent Scripture Reflection

Starting **Wed 27th Nov at 7.30pm**, weekly sessions will be held in the Alverna meeting room as preparation for Christmas. Bring your Missal or Bible. Contact Anne-Marie on 9207 3691 for any queries. All welcome!

### Oberammergau—Medjugorje Pilgrimage

7<sup>th</sup>-24<sup>th</sup> Sept 2020 Cost: \$6,680 (twin share)

Cost includes: Return economy airfares, accommodation in superior hotels, daily breakfast and dinner, all entrances and tipping of guides/bus driver. Come journey with us as we visit sacred places in Germany, Slovenia, Croatia and Bosnia. Experience the world-famous Passion Play held every ten years in the village of Oberammergau, Germany and Medjugorje, a place of peace and prayer. Limited seats available. For more information please take a flyer from the church foyer and call Judy David for a detailed itinerary on 0423 167 583 or email j.david494@gmail.com.

**Archbishop's Christmas Appeal**  
will take place this weekend. Please give generously.

### Salvatorian Spirituality Centre Opening Celebrations—Thurs 21st Nov 6.30pm



All parishioners are warmly invited to the **Opening Mass and Blessing of the new Salvatorian Spirituality Centre at 2 Caledonia Ave, Currambine followed by a light supper.** This purpose-built centre will be used to run seminars and retreat programs for clergy and the public with on-site accommodation in a lovely tranquil environment. Archbishop Timothy Costelloe will be presiding at the Opening Mass and we will also be celebrating the Salvatorian Foundation Day on this evening. Please RSVP to the parish office on 93447066 for catering purposes as soon as possible.

### NO Parish Cuppa at St Lawrence on Sun 24th Nov. Cuppa available after 11.30am Gwelup Mass only.

### Feast of Christ the King Celebration and Procession Sunday 24th November at 2.30pm

All parishioners are invited to celebrate the Feast of Christ the King starting with a procession lead by Bishop Justin Bianchini at 2.30pm from St Lawrence Church. The procession through the streets of Balcatta will be followed by a Homily and Benediction. This is a great way to demonstrate our faith in public by walking with the Blessed Sacrament, praying and singing together. At the end of the procession we will have light refreshments in the Parish Hall, please bring a plate to share.



### Taizé Prayer Evening

Next Sun 24th Nov at 6pm

Please join us on the Feast of Christ the King for an hour of music, short readings and intercession prayers following 5pm Mass.

### Plenary Council 2020—2nd Stage

In the second session to be held in the hall at each location, we are asked to Listen and Discern ways in which the local and national Church can be **Missionary and Evangelising.**

Balcatta: **Tues 19th Nov** at 6.45pm for 7pm start

Gwelup: **Thurs 21st Nov** at 10am

### Volunteers Needed

We need more people to increase the number of ushers and to help with serving cuppa on the last Sunday of the month. If you can help please ring the parish office on 9344 7066.

### Bean Bag & Milk Crate Appeal—Catholic Mission

If you are able to loan a bean bag or milk crate for the Catholic Youth Festival prayer lounge on 8-10 Dec, please call 9422 7933 and leave your contact details.

**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.

**Please pray for our sick parishioners:** Mariella Caroe, Lily Comande, Joanne Di Loreto, Ada, Maria Gotti, Patricia Lewin, Bayley Starr, Ric Jarvis, Roger Pipe, Linda Callisto, Dorothy Lewin, Robyn Dodd, Tennille Stokes, Anna, Mona Bullock, Belinda Forster, John Glamuzina, Terry Scoby-Smith, Zoe Dawson, Michelle Glover, Ricky Fogliani, Joseph, Frances Morley, Henrica Fogliani, Jude, Joclyn D'Silva, Bevan and all the sick in need of our prayers.



### November Masses for the Deceased

We will pray for the deceased by offering a Mass every day in November. Please write their names on the November Mass Offering envelopes available in the church foyer and place them in the basket on the Altar. An offering is welcome.

### MASS INTENTIONS

#### Sat 16 Nov

9am +November Mass

6pm God's blessing, guidance and protection for Andrea D'Souza on her birthday

#### Sun 17 Nov

8.30am +Giulia Delle Donne 12th anniversary

10am (Italian) For members of the Padre Pio Prayer Group

11.30am (Gwelup) +November Mass

5pm +Nicoletta and Giuseppe Mattiaccio

#### Mon 18 Nov

9am +November Mass

#### Tues 19 Nov

9am +November Mass

#### Wed 20 Nov

9am +Lita Favazzi

10.30am (Gwelup) +November Mass

#### Thurs 21 Nov

9am +November Mass

#### Fri 22 Nov

9am +November Mass

#### Sat 23 Nov

9am God's blessing for Julia Bajuk on her birthday

6pm +November Mass

#### Sun 24 Nov

8.30am +Vincenzo Mattioli 16th anniversary

10am (Italian) +Giuseppe Reale

11.30am (Gwelup) +November Mass

5pm +Francesco Petrilli 25th anniversary and Virgilia Petrilli 3rd anniversary

### NOTIZIARIO ITALIANO

#### Incontri di Questa Settimana

Lun	13.00	Coro Italiano
Gio	10.00	Incontro con Gesù e Maria

#### Calendario Liturgico

Gio 21	Presentazione della Beata Vergine Maria
Ven 22	S. Cecilia
Dom 24	Nostro Signore Gesù Cristo Re dell'universo



**The Way: Daily Advent and Christmas Reflections 2019** A full colour pocket-sized book containing short, spiritually rich daily reflections from the beginning of Advent through to the Baptism of the Lord and featuring beautiful religious artworks from the Masters with explanations—\$4.00 from the Piety Shop.



### 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:

**Sun:** 12am-2am, 5.30-8am, 1-3pm, 4-6pm

**Tue:** 6-7am, 11am-12pm, 8-9pm, 11pm-12am

**Thur:** 4-5am, 7-8am, 12-1pm, 2-4pm, 6-7pm

**Sat:** 12-1am, 9-10am, 11am-3pm, 4-6pm, 7-8pm, 10pm-12am

**Mon:** 4-6am, 10-12pm, 1-2pm, 4-6pm, 11pm-12am

**Wed:** 12am-1am, 4am-5am, 12pm-1pm

**Fri:** 12pm-1pm, 7pm-8pm, 10pm-12am