



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; Sat 6pm (Vigil);
Sun 8.30am, 10am (Italian), 12pm (Croatian) and 5pm
1st Fri of Month: 7.30pm

Reconciliation (also by appointment)

Tue to Sat 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 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 13th July

Mon 9.30am	Catholic Meditation Group
Mon 1.00pm	Italian Choir Practice
Mon 3.30pm	Parish Line Dancing
Tue 5.30pm	St Vincent De Paul
Tue 7.30pm	English Choir Practice
Wed 9.30am	Healing Prayers in Chapel
Wed 7.00pm	Personal Advocacy
Thur 10.00am	Incontro con Gesù e Maria (Italian)
Thur 7.30pm	Legion of Mary
Thur 8.00pm	Parish Council Meeting
Sun 10.00am	Rosary League (Malayalam/English)
Sun 2.30pm	Secular Franciscan Balcatta Fraternity

Project Compassion 2020

If you haven't already done so, please return your Project Compassion boxes and envelopes as soon as possible. Thank you for your generous support of Caritas Australia.

PARISH NEWS 12—19 July

Liturgical Calendar

Wed 15 July St Bonaventure—Memorial



Join us for Youth Group every Sunday 6-8pm in the Parish Hall

Inviting all youth in Years 6-12 to join us for fellowship, food and fun in the Hall after the 5pm Mass each Sunday.

For queries please contact Stephen on 0456 821 749 or Cassandra on 0432 938 704. See you soon!

St Vincent de Paul Balcatta Needs Your Help

The Balcatta Conference members are very busy helping people in need in our local community especially during this difficult Covid-19 period. They urgently need more volunteers to join them. If you would like to assist please contact Barbara on 9446 5324 for more information.

Parish Line Dancing Has Resumed!



Monday, 3.30-4.30pm in the Alverna Hall. Beginners welcome.

Lots of fun! For queries call Genevieve 0400 776 681.

Acolytes & Special Ministers

A new roster is available in the church foyer. For St Lawrence Church weekend Masses, one Special Minister has been rostered to distribute Communion. The Special Minister should mark themselves as present on the roster in the sacristy at least 5 minutes before the beginning of Mass. On entering the Sanctuary hands are to be sanitised. *John Harris, Coordinator*

Prayer Group

For prayers to receive a gift of liberation and healing, call 0417 911 005 or 9349 6578.



Parish Planned Giving Envelopes

The Parish Planned Giving Envelope Program allows parishioners to pledge a weekly donation which assists the Parish to budget its financial obligations and plan for future expenses.

New Members Welcome! Please contact the Parish Office on 9344 7066 to join the program or for more information. Envelope boxes can be obtained from the office.

For Existing Members: Your new box of envelopes for this financial year is ready for collection from the church foyer. **Please look for your name as your number may have changed.** We would like to take this opportunity to thank you sincerely for your continued commitment to our Parish.

Note: Direct Debit is also available. Please contact the parish office if you prefer to contribute automatically from your bank account instead of using envelopes.

New Air Conditioning at St Lawrence Church

A few weeks ago a reverse cycle air conditioning system was installed. Total cost is \$43,000. We have received \$7100 as a special collection towards this project. Thank you very much to those who have donated some money to pay for this new air conditioning. It is not too late to make a special contribution towards the project, which will benefit all of us. *Fr Emil*

Balcatta Personal Advocacy Service is looking for YOU!

The Balcatta Wednesday Evening Personal Advocacy Group is seeking 2 individuals to volunteer their time to be a companion to our friends with an intellectual disability. Weekly sessions are held in the Alverna Hall at 7pm during school term. NO experience is necessary. Please contact Lorraine on 0419 801 545 or visit www.paswa.org.au for more information.



Pope's Prayer Intention for July

Our Families: We pray that today's families may be accompanied with love, respect and guidance.

Baptism Prayers

We pray for Navy Mitchell who receives the Sacrament of Baptism this weekend and for his family. We welcome Navy to our Parish Community.



Parish Religious Education Program—PREP

Offers a comprehensive Religious Education program for children who attend a government school in years 2-6. Incorporated into the program are the Sacraments of Reconciliation, Eucharist and Confirmation. **Classes are held on Tuesdays from 4-5.15pm at St Lawrence Parish** during school term by fully trained catechists. Please call the Parish Office on 9344 7066 for 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, Joseph, Frances Morley, Jude, Joclyn D'Silva, Bevan, Richard M and all the sick in need of our prayers.



MASS INTENTIONS

Sat 11 July

9am God's blessing for Zeljko Bajuk
6pm +Mr McGregor and God's blessing for Luciano Guglielmana on his 58th birthday

Sun 12 July

8.30am +Joseph Musca
10am (Italian) +Michele Ferrante 1st anniversary
5pm +Nick Di Virgilio

Thur 16 July

9am +Alberina Santella, Viviana Pitassi and Maria Demasi

Fri 17 July

10.30am (Memorial Mass) +Pasquale Ottobriano

Sat 18 July

6pm +Giuseppe Cosentino 14th anniversary

Sun 19 July

8.30am God's blessing for good health and long life for Kath Girando on her birthday
10am (Italian) +Cono, Calogero, Rosaria and Pappina Civello
5pm +Lita Favazzi

NOTIZIARIO ITALIANO

Incontri di Questa Settimana

Lun 13.00 Coro Italiano
Gio 10.00 Incontro con Gesù e Maria

Calendario Liturgico

Mer 15 S. Bonaventura

Sincere Condolences

To the family and friends of all our parishioners who have recently passed including Giuseppe Gallizzi and Restituta Valentini.



Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

“As long as the Queen of heaven and earth is not everywhere praised, you dare not allow yourself a moment's rest.” *Fr Francis Jordan, Salvatorian Founder*

July School Holidays

Office Hours

The Parish Office will be open
Tue 14 and Thurs 16 July
from 9.30 to 12.30am only

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



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, 5.30-7am, 1-3pm, 4-6pm, 10-11pm **Mon:** 2-4am, 6-7am, 10-12pm, 1-2pm, 4-6pm, 10pm-12am
Tue: 6-7am, 10am-12pm, 11pm-12am **Wed:** 12am-1am, 2am-3am, 12pm-1pm
Thur: 4-5am, 7-8am, 12-1pm, 2-5pm, 6-9pm **Fri:** 2am-3am, 12pm-1pm, 10pm-12am
Sat: 12-2am, 9-10am, 11am-3pm, 4-6pm, 7-8pm, 10pm-12am