



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 7th Sept

Mon 9.30am	Catholic Meditation Group
Mon 1.00pm	Italian Choir Practice
Mon 3.30pm	Parish Line Dancing
Tue 4.00pm	PREP (in church/hall)
Tue 7.30pm	English Choir Practice
Wed 9.30am	Healing Prayers in Chapel
Wed 4.00pm	St Vincent De Paul Meeting
Wed 6.30pm	Baptism Preparation Meeting
Wed 7.30pm	Personal Advocacy
Thur 10.00am	Incontro con Gesù e Maria (Italian)
Thur 7.30pm	Legion of Mary
Sun 10.00am	Rosary League (Malayalam/English)

Parish Line Dancing

Mondays 3.30-4.30pm in the Alverna Hall.
Beginners welcome. Lots of fun!
For queries call Genevieve 0400 776 681.

PARISH NEWS 6—13 Sept

Liturgical Calendar

Tue 8 Sept The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary—Feast



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. See you soon!



Child Protection Week Competition

You can vote for the winning video entry on 8-9 Sept on

www.perthcatholic.org.au/safeguarding.

St Vincent de Paul Balcatta Needs Your Help

All donations collected from St Lawrence and St Theresa's Church support those in need in our parish.
The Balcatta Conference members are very busy helping people 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 call Barbara on 9446 5324 for details.

RITE of CHRISTIAN INITIATION of ADULTS (R.C.I.A.)

For adults who would like to join the Catholic Church or learn more about becoming a Catholic, please contact Jo 0416 509 685 or Bronwyn 0400 248 902.

New email address for St Lawrence Parish

balcatta@perthcatholic.org.au
Please resend emails to this new address if you have not received a reply for any emails sent to our old address. Thank you!



Celebrating Fatherhood! There will be a special blessing for all Fathers at Masses this Weekend!

God our Father, in your wisdom and love you made all things. Bless these men, that they may be strengthened as Christian fathers. Let the example of their faith and love shine forth. Grant that we, their sons and daughters, may honour them always with a spirit of profound respect. Grant this through Christ our Lord. Amen

Feast of Sts Cosmas & Damian Sunday 27th Sept

Beginning with a Prayer Evening in Italian on Friday 25th Sept at 7pm. Feast Day celebrations on Sunday 27th Sept start at 10am with Italian Mass and procession at 2.30pm.

Festa dei Ss. Cosma e Damiano Domenica 27 Settembre ore 10am

Serata di Preghiera Venerdì 25 Settembre ore 19.00 con Rosario, Confessioni, S. Messa e Benedizione degli ammalati. **Festa Domenica 27 Settembre** con S. Messa ore 10, processione ore 14.30, Benedizione Eucaristica e Panegirico. Fedeli dei Ss. Cosma e Damiano siete tutti invitati a partecipare a questa Sacra Liturgia.

St Theresa Feast Day—Sun 4th October
Celebrations at St Theresa Church, Gwelup will start with Rosary at 11am and Mass at 11.30am. Please join us for this special Parish event!



48 hour Perpetual Rosary Bouquet Sat 5th Sept 6pm—Mon 7th Sept 6pm

Parishioners are invited to join in our gift to Our Lady for her birthday. Please add your name to the ROSARY ROSTER in the church foyer. The Rosary Scroll will be presented at Mass on **Tues 8th Sept at St Mary's Cathedral at 12.10pm**. Rosary will be prayed before Mass at 11.30am.



Public Square Rosary Sat 10th October 2pm

Australia is in need of public prayer, repentance and conversion. Join us for this nationwide Public Rosary chain to pray for the intercession of Our Lady of Fatima. All parishioners are invited to **meet at the Grotto at St Lawrence Church** for this opportunity to pray together.

New Air Conditioning at St Lawrence Church

A reverse cycle air conditioning system was recently installed in church. Total cost was \$43,000. So far we have received donations of \$11,320 towards this project. Please consider making a contribution. Thank you! *Fr Emil*

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, Bernadine Rodrigues, Colleen Player and all the sick in need of our prayers.

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat 5 Sept 9am +Elizabeth Tana 1st anniversary 6pm +Jack Skeet	Sun 6 Sept 8.30am +Maria and Bortolo Velella, Maria and Alfredo Tomerini 10am (Italian) +Gaetano Mannella 17th anniversary
Mon 7 Sept 9am +Maria and Umberto Tutolo	Tue 8 Sept 9am +Mary Brennan 2nd anniversary
Wed 9 Sept 9am +Liguori and Josephine Lobo and deceased family members 10.30am (Gwelup)	Thurs 10 Sept 9am
Fri 11 Sept 9am +Vincenzo Macri	Sat 12 Sept 9am +Michele and Maria Assunta Canfora
Sun 13 Sept 8.30am +Mohini Dohnt (Bessie Coutinho's daughter) 10am (Italian) +Peppino Scurria 11.30am (Gwelup) +Nicoletta Benedetti 1 month 5pm +Virgilia Petrilli 4th anniversary	

NOTIZIARIO ITALIANO

Incontri di Questa Settimana

Lun 13.00	Coro Italiano
Gio 10.00	Incontro con Gesù e Maria

Calendario Liturgico

Mar 8	Natività della Beata Vergine Maria
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Parish Planned Giving Envelopes

Offering Envelopes
Allow parishioners to pledge a weekly donation which assists the Parish to budget and plan for future expenses. Please contact the Parish Office on 9344 7066 if you would like to join the program or for more information. **Note:** Direct Debit is also available.



Deepest Condolences

To the family and friends of Stipe Santic on his passing. Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord.

Pope's Prayer Intention for September

We pray that the planet's resources will not be plundered, but shared in a just and respectful manner.



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