

# 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: 7pm

#### 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 19th July

Wed 9.30am **Healing Prayers in Chapel** Wed 7.30pm Personal Advocacy

Incontro con Gesù and Maria Thur 10.00am

Thur 2.00pm Legion of Mary

Thur 7.30pm Parish Pastoral Council

10.00am Rosary League (Malayalam/English) Sun

Sun 2.00pm Christian Life Program

#### **ALL PARISH DONATIONS INCLUDING FOR PLANNED GIVING CAN BE MADE VIA DIRECT DEBIT TO THE BANK ACCOUNTS BELOW:**

1st Collection: Fr Emil Ciecierega

BSB: 086 006, Account No: 687 813 269

2nd Collection: St Lawrence Church

BSB: 086 006, Account No: 665 794 749

# PARISH NEWS 18—25 July

**Liturgical Calendar** 

Thurs 22 July St Mary Magdalene—Feast



## **Archdiocesan Marriage Mass**

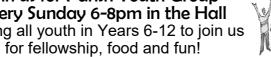
Parishioners are warmly invited to attend the annual Archdiocesan Marriage Mass on Saturday 28th August at 10am at

St Mary's Cathedral, Perth. A blessing will be bestowed on ALL married couples who attend. For couples celebrating a special anniversary such as 10, 25, 30 years, the Bishops would like to present these couples with a commemorative certificate as part of the celebration. Couples can register online for a milestone anniversary certificate at https://bit.ly/marriagemass2021

## **Children's Liturgy Volunteers Needed**

Calling all university students studying education, teachers, teacher's assistants and parishioners! Your help is needed to help us resume the Children's Liturgy Program on Sundays at 5pm Mass. We also need helpers to assist with supervising the children in the hall during the first half of the Mass. If you can help please call or email the parish office. Training provided. No experience needed!

### Join us for Parish Youth Group Every Sunday 6-8pm in the Hall Inviting all youth in Years 6-12 to join us





# Special Ministers of Communion for Gwelup

More Special Ministers are needed to give communion to some residents at Mt La Verna Retirement Village. Your rostered commitment will be once every 6 weeks for an hour on a Sunday morning. Please call Keith Gerrans on 9349 3296 if you can assist our community.

Parish Line Dancing Join us on Mondays 3.30-4.30pm in the Parish Hall.

## 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:

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



# **Special Events for St Lawrence Feast Day and 60th Anniversary** of Balcatta Parish

This year is a very special one as Balcatta Parish celebrates its 60th anniversary. The following events have been planned in honour of this milestone.

On Friday 6th August the St Lawrence Dinner Dance will be held in the Alverna Hall at 7pm to celebrate both the Feast of St Lawrence and the 60th anniversary of the Parish. Tickets are \$45 per adult (wine and soft drinks included) and are available from the 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 and John D 9349 7361.

On Sunday 8th August for the Feast of St Lawrence there will be a Multicultural Mass at 9.30am followed by a procession.

On Sunday 17th October for the 60th Anniversary of the Parish there will be a Multicultural Mass at 10am followed by a picnic for all parishioners.

Please join us for these special events of thanksgiving for the whole parish community.



### Feast Day of Blessed Fr Francis Jordan

Wednesday 21st July has been assigned in the church calendar as the Feast Day of Blessed Fr Francis Jordan. To celebrate this special occasion for the Salvatorians we will have a morning tea in the Alverna Hall on Wednesday 21st July after 9am Mass. Everyone is welcome to join us!

# Parish Planned Giving Program

The Parish Planned Giving envelopes for the 2021/22 financial year are ready for collection from the church foyer. Please look for your surname as your number may have changed. **Direct Payments:** Over the past year a number of parishioners have decided to make their weekly offerings by direct deposit into the parish bank accounts using the account numbers listed on the bottom left corner of this bulletin. For this reason you may have noticed many people not placing an offering in the collection bags during Mass. You can make arrangements for Direct Debit with your bank or this can be arranged with the parish office. New Members: If you are not currently part of this program and would like to join please contact the Parish Office on 9344 7066. The weekly envelopes allow parishioners to prepare their contributions before coming to Mass. Your offerings help the Parish to meet its running costs for electricity, water, rates and insurance etc and to budget for future expenses. We greatly appreciate everyone's on-going support and look forward to more parishioners using the envelope system.

#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

Sat 17 July

6pm God's blessing for good health and long life for Kath Girando on her birthday

Sun 18July

8.30am +Domenic Ciffolillo 1 month, Anna Ciffolillo, Michelina Marchesani and Gino Pracilio 10am (Italian) +Cono Civello 15th anniversary **11.30am** (Gwelup) 5pm

Mon 19 July

9am +Nicoletta and Vincenzo Tutolo

Tues 20 July

Wed 21 July

9am +Antonio Rosario and Bernadina Saldanha 10.30am (Gwelup)

Thurs 22 July

9am

Fri 23 July

9am +Adriano and Nella Biagioni

Sat 24 July

6pm +Michele and Caterina Furfaro and all deceased family members

Sun 25 July

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

10am (Italian) + Giuseppe Santoro 2nd anniversary **11.30am** (Gwelup)

**5pm +** Joe Cianfagna

#### NOTIZIARIO ITALIANO

Incontri della Settimana

Gio 10.00 Incontro con Gesù e Maria

Calendario Liturgico

Gio 22 S. Maria Maddalena

**COUPLES FOR CHRIST—Balcatta Parish** 

Couples For Christ Australia invites you to join their Christian Life Program on Sundays at 2pm in the Parish Hall. This is a FREE opportunity for the entire family. Activities for the kids and afternoon tea are provided. Oueries call Mike on 0419 962755.

Deepest Condolences to the

Family and friends of Giuseppe Catalucci on his passing. Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord.

Baptism Prayers

We pray for Sebastian Pope, Hazel Bryant and Julian Conte who receive the Sacrament of Baptism this weekend.

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: Sandra Vilardi, 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 Rodriques, Colleen Player and all the sick.