



## 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 6.40-6.55pm

**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 30th January

Mon 3.30pm	Parish Line Dancing
Wed 9.30am	Healing Prayers in Chapel
Wed 7.00pm	Personal Advocacy
Thur 2.00pm	Legion of Mary
Sun 10.00am	Rosary League (Malayalam/English)

### ALL PARISH DONATIONS INCLUDING FOR PLANNED GIVING CAN BE MADE THROUGH DIRECT TRANSFER 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

**Please take a free copy of The Record magazine from the church foyer.**



### 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, 5.30-11am, 1-3pm, 4-5pm, 6-7pm

**Tue:** 6am-7am, 11am-12pm, 5-8pm, 9pm-12am

**Thur:** 12am-4am, 8-9am, 12pm-1pm, 4-6pm

**Sat:** 12am-2am, 6-7am, 9-10am, 11am-3pm, 4pm-12am

**Mon:** 12am-2am, 4-7am, 11am-1pm, 4-5pm, 10-11pm

**Wed:** 12am-5am, 6-7am, 3-7pm, 10pm-12am

**Fri:** 1-2am, 4-8am, 12pm - 1pm, 3-4pm, 5-7pm, 9pm-12am

## PARISH NEWS 29 Jan—5 Feb

### Liturgical Calendar

Tue 31 Jan	St John Bosco—Memorial
Thu 2 Feb	The Presentation of the Lord—Feast

### Parish Office Hours

Normal parish office hours resume this  
Tuesday 31st January from 9am—2.30pm.

For urgent matters call 0408 447 062.



### Pope's Prayer Intention for February

We pray that parishes, placing communion at the centre, may increasingly become communities of faith, fraternity and welcome towards those most in need.



### Salvatorian Pilgrimage to World Youth Day

For details about the World Youth Day Salvatorian Pilgrimage to Lisbon, Portugal from 27 July–11 Aug 2023, register your interest by emailing [greg@sdsau.com](mailto:greg@sdsau.com). The pilgrimage is open to all young people aged 18-35 years. Join in this life-changing event!

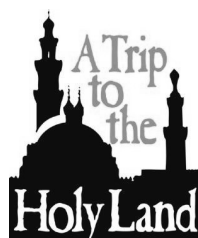
### \* Prayer Group \*

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



### Holy Spirit Pilgrimage 2023

Join in this pilgrimage to the Holy Land and/or Italy organised by Fr Emmanuel at Holy Spirit Parish, City Beach. Visit the Holy Land and Italy (23 days) 28 Aug to 19 Sept; Italy Only (14 days) 5 Sept to 19 Sept; Holy Land Only (8 days) 28 Aug to 6 Sept. Contact Dax on 0420 643 949 or Didith on 0473 246 029 to obtain a copy of the itineraries.



### Taizé Prayer Evening

Parishioners are invited to the Taizé Prayer Evening at St Lawrence Church this **Sunday 29th January at 6pm** following the 5pm evening Mass. The theme for this evening will be 'God's Love'. All welcome!

### St Vincent de Paul Society—Balcatta

The Balcatta team remains in **urgent need** of members to continue helping people in the local area. The team is at risk of closing without your support. If you can give one to two hours a week to help those less fortunate, please contact Barbara on 0488 100 799 for more information. Thank you.



### Special Ministers for Gwelup

More special ministers are needed to give holy communion



to some residents at St Francis Hostel, Gwelup on Sunday mornings. You will only be rostered every 4-5 weeks. If you can assist please call Keith Gerrans on 9349 3296.

### Schoenstatt Mother Daughter Group Daughters of Mary



You are invited to join us for a monthly formation as we journey together as mothers and daughters in relationship with Mary towards Christ. With Mary as our Mother and Educator we hope to be able to grow in her virtues to be daily followers of Christ.

**Daughters Age Group:** 10-14 years old

**Time:** 3pm-4.30pm

**When:** Every 3rd Saturday of the month including afternoon tea from February to August; optional school holiday activities

**Address:** Schoenstatt Shrine, 9 Talus Drive, Mt Richon

**RSVP:** Marissa Yang on 0448 966 998 by 4th February

### Deepest Condolences

To the family and friends of Rosa Corica on her passing.  
Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord.



### Youth Group Sundays 6-8pm

Inviting all youth in Years 6-12 to join us next Sunday for spiritual enrichment, fellowship, food and fun in the Alverna hall after 5pm Mass. Queries to Stephen on 0456 821 749.

## MASS INTENTIONS

**Saturday 28 Jan**

9am  
6pm +Camillo Persichitti 4th anniversary

**Sunday 29 Jan**

8.30am  
10am (Italian) +Pier Luigi Biagioni 1 month  
11.30am (Gwelup) +Margerita Rose Valerio 2nd anniversary

5pm +Rob Langdon

**Monday 30 Jan**

9am  
9am  
7pm +Giuseppe Mesiti 1st anniversary

**Tuesday 31 Jan**

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

**Wednesday 1 Feb**

9am God's blessing for Angeline and Shannon on their 10th wedding anniversary

**Thursday 2 Feb**

9am +Rosa Macri  
7pm +Sarah and Marcos D'Costa

**Friday 3 Feb**

9am +Katica and Ante Matijevec  
6pm +Yolanda and Vincenzo Luglio

**Saturday 4 Feb**

8.30am  
10am  
11.30am (Gwelup)  
5pm

**Sunday 5 Feb**

### NOTIZIARIO ITALIANO

**Incontri della Settimana**

Gio 10.00am	Incontro con Gesù e Maria
Gio 8.00pm	Comitato Italiano

**Calendario Liturgico**

Mar 31/1	S. Giovanni Bosco
Gio 2/2	Presentazione del Signore

### Piety Shop—Open on Sundays

**at St Lawrence 8am-10am**

New stock available including Columban calendars and small gifts. (Also available at St Theresa Church, Gwelup)



### Archbishop's LifeLink Appeal

Please support the Archbishop's Christmas Appeal and return your donation in the special envelope or make a contribution by credit card at [www.lifelink.org.au](http://www.lifelink.org.au) by 31st January.



### Free Music Recital at St Mary's Cathedral

Every Thursday at 1.05pm for half an hour!

**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, in hospital or on the First Friday.  
**Please pray for our sick parishioners:** Maria Antoniazzi, Sandra Vilardi, Lily Comande, Roger Pipe, Joanne Di Loreto, Ada, Maria Gotti, Patricia Lewin, Bayley Starr, Ric Jarvis, Dorothy Lewin, Robyn Dodd, Tennille Stokes, Anna, Belinda Forster, John Glamuzina, Terry Scoby-Smith, Zoe Dawson, Michelle Glover, Joseph, Frances Morley, Jude, Bevan, Joclyn D'Silva, Richard M, Colleen Player, Maureen, Edgardo Rivera and Jenny Simons.