

# 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

Reconciliation (also by appointment)

Friday 8.40am-8.55am

Saturday after 9am Mass, Saturday 5.15pm-5.50pm

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 3rd July

Mon 3.30pm Parish Line Dancing Padre Pio Prayer Group (Italian) Tues 9.30am

Wed 9.30am Healing Pravers in Chapel Wed 7.00pm Personal Advocacy

Incontro con Gesù e Maria (Italian) Thur 10.00am

Thur 2.00pm Legion of Mary Thur 8.00pm Italian Committee

Secular Franciscan WA Regional Council Sat 2.00pm 10.00am Rosary League (Malayalam/English) Sun

#### 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

## PARISH NEWS 2—9 July

**Liturgical Calendar** 

Mon 3 July

St Thomas—Feast

#### St Lawrence Feast Dinner

On Friday 11th August at 6pm we will be holding the St Lawrence Dinner in the Alverna Hall to celebrate the Feast of St Lawrence. Tickets are \$50 per adult for a catered dinner with wine and soft drinks included. Buy your tickets from



the Parish Social Committee: Marie B 9244 9212, Nancy B 9349 1020, Anna D 9345 5271, Maria M 9349 6374 and John D 9349 7361. Join us for this special parish event!

#### St Lawrence Feast Day Mass

On Sunday 13th August at 9.30am join us for a Multicultural Mass to celebrate the Feast of St Lawrence. Following Mass there will be a Eucharistic Procession on the streets near the church. This is a great way to demonstrate our faith publicly by walking



with the Blessed Sacrament, praying and singing together. After the procession we will gather for a light shared lunch at about 11am in the Alverna hall. Please bring a plate of food of your country's cuisine to share.

#### **Pilgrim Statue**

If you are interested in hosting the Statue of Our Lady, please put your name on the list and make a note of the date. The roster in the church fover has the dates for all those who have signed up. Collection is on Saturday at 9.30am and the return of the statue the following Saturday at 9am from the table in the parish library.

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



Children's Liturgy is an important ministry. The purpose is to present the Gospel message for the Sunday Mass in a way that children can understand. Your help is needed to help us resume the Children's Liturgy Program on Sundays at 5pm Mass. We especially need new

team members to assist with supervising the children. Training is provided. No experience needed! If you can help,

please call or email the parish office.

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

#### 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, 5.30-11am, 1-3pm, 4-5pm, 6-7pm **Tue**: 6am-7am, 11am-12pm, 5-8pm, 9pm-12am

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

\$at: 12am-2am, 6-7am, 9-10am, 11am-3pm, 4pm-12am

Catholic Mission Appeal—This Weekend

This weekend we extend a warm welcome to guest speaker Francis Leong and ask for your prayers and donations for this year's Catholic Mission Appeal. You will be helping our medical missionaries provide lifesaving healthcare to the vulnerable in East Timor and throughout the world. Please give generously using

the appeal envelopes provided on the pews. You can also donate online at www.catholicmission.org.au/timor or by scanning the QR code. If you are keen to know what is involved in becoming a volunteer for Catholic Mission please email Francis at director.cm@perthcatholic.org.au.



#### RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)



For those thinking about joining or rejoining the Catholic Church. RCIA will commence with an inquiry night in the Alverna Parish Centre meeting room on Monday 10th July at 7.30pm. Please call Jo on 0416 509 685 for further information.

#### Planned Giving Program

The parish Planned Giving envelopes for the new Fivelopes financial year are ready for collection from the church foyer. Please look for your surname as your number may have changed.

The weekly envelopes allow parishioners to prepare their contributions before coming to Mass. The blue print envelopes (1st Collection) are for the support of the Salvatorian Priests serving in the Parish and formation of new priests. It also provides support for the local bishops and priests in small parishes.

The red print envelope offerings (2nd Collection) help the parish to meet its running costs for insurance, electricity, water, council rates etc and to budget for future expenses. We greatly appreciate your on-going financial support!

Weekly offerings can also be made by direct debit. You can make arrangements for direct debit with your bank or through the parish office. You will find the parish bank account details on the bottom left corner of this bulletin. If you would like to join our Planned Giving Program please call the parish office for more information.

#### Adult Faith Formation Seminars at St Lawrence Sacraments of Healing: Entering into Communion with God and the Church

ON: Every Thursday until 29th June **FROM:** 7:30pm—8:30pm (2 sessions)

WITH: Dr Carmel Stuart **VENUE:** St Lawrence Church

SUGGESTED DONATION: \$5 per session

The experiences of sin, suffering, illness and death are fundamental to every human life. The Church responds to these experiences by offering healing and reconciliation through Jesus Christ, the true healer of our souls and bodies. There are two Sacraments of healing in Catholic sacramental life: Reconciliation (Penance) and the Anointing of the Sick. This course will explore the Biblical origins and the historical development of these sacraments.



Offering

#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

#### Saturday 1 July

9am 6pm +Ivan and Anthony Rokic PR: +Giuseppe lerace

Sunday 2 July

8.30am +Eileen Hart 10am (Italian) **11.30am** (Gwelup)

5pm +Emilio and Domenica Bernadini

#### Monday 3 July

9am +Umberto and Maria Tutolo and all deceased children

Tuesday 4 July 9am God's blessing for the Padre Pio Prayer Group

#### Wednesday 5 July

9am +Donato and Anna Salomone 10.30am (Gwelup)

#### Thursday 6 July

7pm +Giuseppe Mammoliti 10th anniversary

Friday 7 July

9am God's blessing for Julia Bajuk

#### Saturday 8 July

9am

6pm +Joseph and Claudina Fernandes

#### Sunday 9 July

**10am** (Italian) +Sandro Monastra 1st anniversary 11.30am (Gwelup) God's blessing for Winnie Ùzaraga on her birthday

5pm

#### NOTIZIARIO ITALIANO

#### Incontri della Settimana

**Mar** 9.30 Padre Pio

**Gio** 10.00 Incontro con Gesù e Maria

Gio 20.00 Comitato Italiano

### Calendario Liturgico

Lun 3/7 S. Tommaso

## July School Holiday Office Hours



The parish office will be open on Wednesdays and Fridays from 9am-12pm during the school holidays 3rd-14th July.

## Deepest Condolences

To the family and friends of Lidia Dell'Acqua on her passing. Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord.



#### Christian Life Program

Everyone is invited to a series of inspiring talks about living in the Christian faith. This is for everyone seeking a deeper relationship with



Jesus Christ. On Saturday 8th July at 2.15pm in the Alverna Centre. All welcome!

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. <u>Please pray for our sick parishioners</u>: 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, Jenny Simons, Maureen T and Peter Gradisen.