

St Lawrence and Mary Immaculate Church (Balcatta) and St Theresa Church (Gwelup)

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St Lawrence and Mary Immaculate Church 392 Albert Street Balcatta WA 6021

Masses Mon to Sat 9am, Fri 7.30pm, Sat 6pm (Vigil), Sun 8.30am, 10am (Italian), 12pm (Croatian) & 5.30pm

Reconciliation (also by appointment)

Tue to Fri 8.40am-8.55am, Sat 5.15pm-5.50pm 1st Friday 8.30am-8.55am & 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 for 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

Liturgical Calendar

Mon 5 Feb St Agatha—Memorial

Tues 6 Feb St Paul Miki and companions—*Memorial*

Sat 10 Feb St Scholastica—Memorial

Parish Meetings From Mon 5th February

Mon 9.30am Catholic Meditation Group
Tue 9.30am Padre Pio Prayer Group (Italian)

Tue 7.30pm St Vincent De Paul
Tue 7.30pm English Choir Practice
Wed 10.00am Healing Prayers (in Chapel)

Wed 7.00pm Personal Advocacy

Thur 10.00am Incontro con Gesù e Maria (Italian)

Thur 7.30pm Legion of Mary

Fri 5.00pm Rosary League (Malayalam/English)

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Parish Office Hours for February

The Parish Office is **OPEN** next week on Tues 6th, Wed 7th and Fri 9th February

For urgent matters, please leave a message for the priests on the answering machine on 9344 7066.

Our Lady of Lourdes Feast 9 day Novena Fri 2nd to Sun 11th Feb

Emeritus Bishop Justin Bianchini will be celebrating the Feast Day Mass on Sunday 11th February at 5:30pm at All Saints Church, Greenwood. Please see the poster in the church fover for more details.

Pilgrimage to celebrate 50th death anniversary of St Padre Pio and 100th death anniversary of Fr Francis Jordan Travelling to Italy, Switzerland and Germany 24 Aug—11 Sept 2018

Highlights of the tour include Italy: Rome, Monte



Cassino, Castelpetroso, Pietrelcina, San Giovanni Rotondo, Assisi, Lanciano, Cascia, Manoppello, Greccio, La Verna, Bologna, Padua, Modena, Reggio Emilia, Bergamo and Lake Como. **Switzerland:** Einsiedein, Lucerne, Tafers. **Germany**: Gurtweil.

The cost of the pilgrimage is \$6580 p/p (twin share) Includes return airfares, accommodation in mostly 4 star hotels, daily breakfast and dinner, all entrance fees, tips for local guides and driver.

If you are seriously considering in joining the Pilgrimage, please contact Judy David 0423 167 583 or Fr Emil Ciecierega 0408 447 062 prior to 5th February, as bookings need to be done by mid February. A detailed itinerary can also be obtained from Judy David or Fr



Perpetual Adoration Chapel Open 24hrs (Contact Parish Office 9344 7066 for access anytime) Please join the roster and commit to a Holy Hour with Jesus every week:

Vacant time slots this week: **\$un**: 12am-2am, 5am-7am, 5pm-6pm, 7pm-8pm **Mon**: 12am-4am, 6am-7am, 5pm-6pm, 7pm-8pm, 9pm-10pm **Tue**: 4pm-5pm, 8pm-9pm, 11pm-12am **Wed**: 12am-2am, 4am-5am, 3pm-5pm, 7pm-8pm **Thur**: 4am-5am, 6pm-7pm, 9pm-10pm **Fri**: 1am-3am, 12pm-2pm, 4pm,-5pm, 6pm-7pm, 11pm-12am **\$at** 12am-1am, 12pm-1pm, 7pm-8pm, 10pm-12am.

Alpha—An Invitation to Come and See



Alpha is an effective tool for evangelisation which has been used by thousands of Catholic Parishes around the world to grow people's faith and welcome people into the Parish community. Alpha presents the core of the

Christian faith, the Kerygma, in a welcoming and friendly way which appeals to millennials, and which seeks to address their questions and concerns. You are invited to attend an Alpha 'Come and See' Information Session. This will help you understand what Alpha is and to evaluate its possible effectiveness for your Parish.

The Information Session will be held on **Tuesday 13th February at Infant Jesus Parish**, 47 Wellington St, Morley from 7pm-9.15pm (includes dinner). If you are interested in learning more about Alpha and would like to get involved in organising the Alpha Program in our Parish, please let the Parish Office know as soon as possible.

Enrolment Night for PREP and Sacraments This Monday 5th February at 7pm

A meeting will be held in the Alverna Hall for all children who will be attending PREP classes in 2018 and also for children who will be receiving a Sacrament at our Parish but do not attend St Lawrence Primary School. Attendance by parents is compulsory. New students need to bring certificates of any previous Sacraments. PREP classes start on Tues 13th Feb 4pm-5.15pm. Please contact the Parish Office for further information.

Volunteers Lunch Sun 11th Feb 1pm and Parish AGM at 2pm



Please join us for a social get-together for all volunteers together with the Parish AGM.

The Parish Council invites the many parishioners who support and are actively involved in the life of the Parish to a Thank You

Lunch at the Alverna Hall. Please add your name to the RSVP list in the church foyer for catering purposes.

The AGM will commence at 2pm and everyone is welcome. Nominations for Parish Council can be made using the Nomination forms which you will find at the back of the Church. Return completed forms to one of the priests or to the Parish Office. Leaders of the various parish groups are asked to prepare a short report which will be placed on the noticeboard for parishioners to read on the day of AGM. Reports should be on A4 Paper in 14 or 16 font size. Thank you for all that you do for our Parish Community. Enquiries to Anne-Marie Langdon on 9207 3691.

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat 3 February

Sun 4 February

8.30am God's blessing for Lucy Antonia Kirk on her birthday and for FOSS
10am (Italian) +Sam Sansalone
5.30pm +Ante and Katica Matijevic

Mon 5 February

9am Special intention for a family in need

Tues 6 February

9am +Elisabetta Di Toro and members of the Padre Pio Prayer Group
6.30pm +Antonio Topini 5th anniversary and

Wed 7 February

+Yolanda Topini 4th anniversary

9am God's blessing for all of Jith's friends

Thurs 8 February

7.30pm +Vincenzo Rigoli 1st anniversary

Fri 9 February

7.30pm +Antonio Staltari 1 month

Sat 10 February

6pm +Tranquillo and Maria Della Bosca

Sun 11 February

8.30am +Ivo Pavicic

10am (Italian) +Orlando Catenacci

5.30pm +Domenico Pugliese and all deceased members of the Pugliese family

NOTIZIARIO ITALIANO

Incontri di Questa Settimana

Lun 13.00 Coro italiano Mar 9.30 Padre Pio

Gio 10.00 Incontro con Gesù e Maria

Calendario Liturgico

Lun 5 S. Agata

Mar 6 S. Paolo Miki e compagni

Sat 10 S. Scolastica



Sincere Condolences

To the family and friends of Salvatore Sansalone. Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord.

40 Days for Life

40 Days for Life is a peaceful prayer vigil run during Lent in Midland. We pray together quietly and offer compassionate alternatives to women and couples attending the clinic. The vigil is supervised and orderly, and support is available to those who wish to pray with us. Please call Jo on 0439 657 597 for more details or visit www.40daysforlife.com/perth.

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: Lily Comande, Patricia Lewin, Bayley Starr, Ric Jarvis, Roger Pipe, Linda Callisto, Dorothy Lewin, Joe Bertoldo, Maria Santoro, Robyn Dodds, Mary Fortalski, Maria D'Alonzo, Mihelina Livnjakovic, Tennille Stokes, Mona Bullock, Shirley Tully, Genevieve Kelly, Belinda Forster, Barbara McConnin, Cody McManus, Anna, John Glamuzina, Terry Scoby-Smith and all sick people in need of our prayers.

