

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



Mon 9.30am

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

Masses at Nursing Homes

Thursday 9th Aug 10am Baptistcare, Gwelup Friday 10th Aug 10am St Andrew's, Balcatta

Catholic Meditation Group

Parish Meetings From Mon 6th August

Mon	1.00pm	Italian Choir Practice
Mon	3.30pm	Parish Line Dancing
Tue	9.30am	Padre Pio Prayer Group (Italian)
Tue	4.00pm	PREP (in Church/Hall)
Tue	7.30pm	English Choir Practice
Tue	7.30pm	St Vincent De Paul
Wed	10.00am	Healing Prayers (in Chapel)
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
Thur	8.00pm	Italian Committee
Sun	10.00am	Rosary League—Malayalam/English

Liturgical Calendar

Mon 6 Aug The Transfiguration of the Lord—Feast St Mary of the Cross—Solemnity Wed 8 Aug Fri 10 Aug St Lawrence—Feast St Clare—Memorial Sat 11 Aug

PARISH NEWS 5—12 August

Welcome back to Fr Leonard who has been overseas for the past several weeks. We hope you had a relaxing break with your family.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend

The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is scheduled for 12-14 October. This is an opportunity to take time out of your busy schedule, to invest in your most precious asset—your marriage! For more information or to book please contact Valerie and Brendon on 0424 220 625 or visit the website www.wwme.org.au.

Seeking Acrylic Wool Donations

To make blankets for Brother Ollie's Wheelchairs for Kids. All acrylic wool donations (incuding leftover wool) can be handed to the Piety Shop, the Parish Office or St Theresa's.



Volunteers Required for New Vinnies Shop

Opening soon in Stirling at Unit 1, 7 Erindale Rd. Please contact Sue on 6323 7500 if you can assist.

New Prayer Group

For prayers to receive a gift of liberation and healing, please call 9345 1035/9349 6578.

Holy Hour for Vocations—Sun 12th Aug at 3pm Pray for vocations at St Mary's Cathedral.

'Do everything as if you really saw God before you. This is a sure way to make grat progress in virtue.' Fr Francis Jordan, Salvatorian Founder



Perpetual Adoration Chapel Open 24hrs 'Are You Not Able to Stay With Me One Hour?' Please ioin the roster and commit to a Holy Hour with Jesus every week. Vacant time slots are: \$un: 12am-2am, 5.30am-7am, 1pm-2pm, 5pm-6pm, 7pm-8pm Mon: 12am-4am, 11am-12pm, 1pm-2pm, 5pm-6pm **Tue**: 11am-12pm, 4pm-5pm, 11pm-12am **Wed**: 12am-2am, 4am-5am, 3pm-7pm Thur: 10am-11am, 4am-5am, 12pm-1pm, 3pm-4pm Fri: 1am-3am, 12pm-2pm, 4pm-5pm, 6pm-7pm, 11pm-12am **\$at** 12am-1am, 11am-1pm, 2pm-3pm, 4pm-5pm, 7pm-8pm, 10pm-12am.



return home.

St Lawrence Feast Day Whole School Mass Friday 10th August at 11.40am There will be no Mass at 9am. All parishioners are invited to join the school for this special Mass.

Fr Emil's Time Away

I will be away for the next five weeks. Half of that time I will spend with my family in Poland and the remainder I will be leading a Pilgrimage to Italy and Switzerland. There are 24 people in our pilgrimage group and almost half of them are our parishioners. We will be visiting a number of interesting and holy places in Italy and Switzerland where we will also attend a special celebration for the 100th anniversary of the death of Fr Francis Jordan, the founder of the Salvatorians. We promise to pray for you during our

Volunteers required for Parish Finance Committee

pilgrimage and we ask you to pray for us and for our safe

Fr Emil

We are looking for two new members for the Finance Committee which meets every second month. Ideally, one of these persons would have an accounting or business background who will assist in oversight of the parish financial records and to present this data to the Committee. If you would like to assist, please contact the parish office for more information.

Urgent Action Required to Stop Euthanasia Legislation

The Federal Parliament will be debating the issue of euthanasia starting on 14 Aug 2018. The aim of the debate is to legalise euthanasia in the ACT and NT. If this new legislation is passed, other states are likely to follow and legalise physician assisted suicide. Please contact ALL of the following Senators and members of the House of Representatives to voice your opposition to the Restoring Territory Rights (Assisted Suicide legislation) Bill 2015.

- Hon Michael Kennan MP 9344 2373 1.
- Dr Anne Aly MP 9409 4517
- lan Goodenough MP 9300 2244
- Madeleine King MP 9527 9377 Sen. the Hon Michaelia Cash 9226 2000
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- Sen. the Hon Mathias Cormann 9325 4227
- Sen. Susan Lines 9481 4844 7.
- 8. Sen. Glenn Sterle 9455 1420

For more information please see brochure in the church foyer or visit www.righttolife.com.au

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat 4 August

9am +Fr Magni

6pm +Yollanda and Magda Khanjian

Sun 5 August

9.30am For the whole Parish Community 11.30am (Gwelup) +Jan Fortalski 13th anniversary **5.30pm** +Camillo Zinni 3rd anniversary

Tue 7 August

9am For members of the Padre Pio prayer group

Wed 8 August

9am +Bruce John Brennan 38th anniversary

Thur 9 August

9am +Fr Bogoni

7pm +Domenico De Laurentis 1st anniversary

Fri 10 August

7.30pm +Sarah and Marcos D'Costa

Sat 11 August

9am God's blessing for Rita Rose Kirk on her 6th Birthday and for FOSS

6pm +Elena Di Camillo 1st anniversary

Sun 12 August

8.30am God's blessing, guidance and protection for Joseph Frank Wilson on his birthday 10am (Italian) +Francesco and Benedetta Bassetti, Antonio and Carmela Scarvaci, and Maria Di Cesare

5.30pm +Basilisa Yungco

NOTIZIARIO ITALIANO

Calendario Liturgico

Trasfigurazione del Signore Lun 6 S. Maria della Croce Mer 8

Ven 10 S. Lorenzo S. Chiara Sab 11

Incontri di Questa Settimana

13.00 Coro italiano Lun Mar Padre Pio 9.30

Gio 10.00 Incontro con Gesù e Maria Gio 20.00 Comitato italiano



Baptism Prayers

We pray for Francis Maguire, Xavier Della Vecchia and Alexander Riebeling who will be baptised this weekend. We also pray for their

familes and welcome them all to our Parish.

Sincere Condolences

To the family and friends of Maria Fasolo and Scarlet Rose Terranova on their passing. Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord.



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: Lita Favazzi, Mariella Caroe, Lily Comande, Maria Gotti, Patricia Lewin, Bayley Starr, Ric Jarvis, Roger Pipe, Linda Callisto, Dorothy Lewin, Robyn Dodds, Maria D'Alonzo, Tennille Stokes, Anna, Mona Bullock, Shirley Tully, Belinda Forster, Barbara McConnin, John Glamuzina, Terry Scoby-Smith. Michelle Glover, Zoe Dawson and all the sick in need of our prayers.