



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

Masses at Nursing Homes

Thursday 16th Aug 10am Bethanie, Gwelup

Parish Meetings From Mon 13th August

Mon	9.30am	Catholic Meditation Group
Mon	1.00pm	Italian Choir Practice
Mon	3.30pm	Parish Line Dancing
Tue	4.00pm	PREP (in Church/Hall)
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
Sun	10.00am	Rosary League—Malayalam/English
Sun	2.00pm	Secular Franciscan Regional Council
Sun	3.00pm	Secular Franciscan Balcatta Fraternity

Liturgical Calendar

Tue 14 Aug	St Maximilian Mary Kolbe—Memorial
Wed 15 Aug	The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary—Solemnity

PARISH NEWS 12—19 August

24:7 SERVE YOUTH GROUP WILL BE at THE NEXT YOUTH MASS at St LAWRENCE on SUNDAY 19th AUG at 5.30PM!

The Youth Group also invites all young people in grades 6-12 to come along to their Friday afternoon gatherings at Servite College Chapel, 134 Cape St, Tuart Hill. Join in for fellowship, food and games. Contact Aloyse on 0401 348 508 for details.

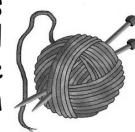
Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend

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 8ply Wool Donations

To make blankets for Brother Ollie's 'Wheelchairs for Kids'. All acrylic wool donations (including 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.

Our Lady's Assumption—Holy Day of Obligation Wednesday 15th August Masses at St Lawrence 9am and 7.30pm and at St Theresa 10.30am



International Centennial Pilgrim Image of Our Lady of Fatima

Will be visiting St Lawrence Church on **Tuesday 14th August from 9am-1pm**. There will be Holy Mass, Consecration of the parish, individuals and families, Imposition of the Brown Scapular, Rosary, Adoration and a talk by a Missionary. All parishioners are encouraged to join in this special event at our Parish.

Please bring flowers for Our Lady.

St Lawrence Feast Celebrations—Thank You!

A big THANK YOU to everyone who helped make our celebration of St Lawrence Feast Day a very special and meaningful occasion. Thank you to everyone who attended our St Lawrence Feast Parish Dinner and to our dedicated Social Committee for organising this fantastic evening. Many thanks also to all who helped prepare the church and the liturgy for the Multicultural Mass celebration as well as everyone who attended and contributed to our parish shared lunch following the procession. It was truly a wonderful parish celebration. As well as building and nurturing our parish community, we also raised \$3930 from the dinner and \$654 was collected from the statue of St Lawrence. THANK YOU!



Child Protection Week

The Catholic Church has introduced the **Safeguarding Project** which is driven by the belief that all children have a fundamental right to physical, emotional and psychological safety at all times. As part of this initiative, the Perth Archdiocese invites everyone to the **Child Protection Week Breakfast on Tues 4th Sept at 7.30am** at the Duxton Hotel. Cost \$49pp. Please see flyer in the foyer for details and RSVP to the Safeguarding Office on 9221 7763. There is also a **competition for children** to enter with the first prize of a **\$500 gift voucher**. Please take an entry form from the church foyer. All entries will go into the major draw. Good luck!

Volunteers required for Parish Finance Committee

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.

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, John Glamuzina, Terry Scoby-Smith, Michelle Glover, Zoe Dawson and all the sick in need of our prayers.



MASS INTENTIONS

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

11.30am (Gwelup) God's blessing for Geraldine Abreu

5.30pm +Basilisa Yungco

Mon 13 August

9am +Leon Musca

Tue 14 August

9am +Fred Preshaw 1month

Wed 15 August

9am +Anna and Sebastiano Della Gatta

Thur 16 August

9am +Michael Benson 12th anniversary

Fri 17 August

9am +Giuseppe Famiano 5th anniversary

7.30pm +Francesco Conte 1 month

Sat 18 August

9am +Fr Tarditi

6pm +Georges and Ginette Coiffic and Jean Siou

Sun 19 August

8.30am Fortunato and Elisabetta Tassone and Antonio Lombardo

10am (Italian) +Carmine and Giovina Di Loreto and Maria Di Nardo

11.30am (Gwelup) +Roy Hopkins and all deceased family members

5.30pm +Raymundo Yray

NOTIZIARIO ITALIANO

Calendario Liturgico

Mar 14	S. Massimiliano Maria Kolbe
Mer 15	Assunzione di Maria

Incontri di Questa Settimana

Lun	13.00	Coro italiano
Gio	10.00	Incontro con Gesù e Maria



Baptism Prayers

We pray for Nixon Benedetti and Ariana Napoli who will be baptised this weekend. We also pray for their families and welcome them all to our Parish.

Sincere Condolences to the

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



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, 5.30am-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 **Sat:** 12am-1am, 11am-1pm, 2pm-3pm, 4pm-5pm, 7pm-8pm, 10pm-12am.