

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 17th July

Mon 3.30pm Parish Line Dancing Wed 9.30am Healing Prayers in Chapel Wed 7.00pm Personal Advocacy Thur 10.00am Incontro con Gesù e Maria

Thur 2.00pm Legion of Mary

Rosary League (Malayalam/English) Sun 10.00am

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

Baptism Prayers

We pray for Brooklyn and Darcy Barnard-Motherway who are baptised this weekend and for their family. We welcome them to our parish community.



Liturgical Calendar St Mary Magdalene—Feast Sat 22 July

PARISH NEWS 16—23 July

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. This dinner is a major fundraiser for our parish. We encourage everyone to join us for this special event

and support the hard work of our Social Committee.

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



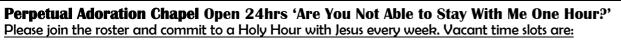
with the Blessed Sacrament, praying and singing together. After the procession we will gather for a light shared lunch at about 11am in the Alverna hall. Please bring a plate of food of your country's cuisine to share.

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 foyer 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 so we can resume the Program on Sundays at 5pm Mass. We especially need new team members to assist with supervising the children. No experience needed! Training is provided. If you can help, please call the parish office.



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

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 - 1 pm, 3-4pm, 5-7pm, 9pm-12am

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St Vincent De Paul Winter Appeal Next Weekend 22/23 July Help end the homelessness crisis that is

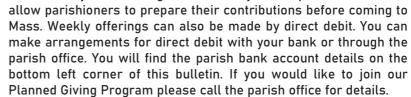
devastating older women in our local community. Your donation will give food, housing and winter clothing to homeless women over 55 so they have the basics to survive the cold weather this year. Please give generously next weekend and help support the very important work of our parish St Vincent De Paul group.

St Vincent de Paul-Volunteers Needed

The Balcatta team remains in urgent need of volunteers to help people in the local area. They have only been able to continue operating due to the help given by other parishes. We need the support of our parishioners and urge you to consider giving one to two hours a week to help those less fortunate in our community. Please contact Janine on 0448 067 682 for more information. We look forward to your positive response!

Planned Giving Program

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



Catholic Youth Ministry—UNITE

Catholic Youth Ministry will be holding a major event on **25th August** called UNITE. All youth are invited to attend and experience the energy and joy

of World Youth Day here in Perth! There will be live music, testimonials from WYD pilgrims, food trucks and expo stands. For more information see the flyer in the church fover or visit www.unite.cym.com.au. This is an all-ages event, a celebration for young people that will ignite your heart. Please pray for the pilgrims who will be travelling to Lisbon, Portugal for World Youth Day from 1st—6th August.

Archdiocesan Marriage Mass—St Mary's Cathedral



Bishop Don Sproxton will celebrate the annual Archdiocesan Marriage Mass on Saturday 19th August at 10am at St Mary's Cathedral. This special occasion is a celebration for all married couples and those who support marriage. A blessing will be

bestowed on all married couples who attend. In addition, for couples celebrating a milestone anniversary ie. 10th, 25th, 30th, 50th etc, the Archdiocese would like to present these couples with a special commemorative certificate as part of the Mass. Please register for a milestone anniversary certificate by Thursday 10th August at https://bit.ly/marriagemass2023. All parishioners are warmly invited to attend this special Mass.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday 15 July

9am +Edmund Perreau 17th anniversary 6pm

Sunday 16 July

8.30am +Rob Hart

10am (Italian) +Michele Ferrante 4th anniversary 11.30am (Gwelup) +Anne Busby 1 month

Monday 17 July

9am For all Totaro, Travaglini and Donatelle deceased family members

Tuesday 18 July

9am +Lorenzo, Biagio and Paolina Truncale

Wednesday 19 July

9am +Balthazar and Christine D'Souza and deceased family members PR: +Andra Vlahov

10.30am (Gwelup) +Francesca and Domenico Trinci PR: +Jáck Cullen 4th anniversary

Thursday 20 July

9am God's blessing for Paolo Di Bucci on his 32nd birthday

6pm +Giuseppe Cosentino 17th anniversary

Friday 21 July

9am

Offering

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Saturday 22 July

9am

Sunday 23 July

8.30am God's blessing, good health and long life for Peter James on his birthday

10am (Italian) Thanksgiving for all the prayers and support of parishioners shown to Nicola Spadaccini and family

11.30am (Gwelup) +Maurice Anghie 4th anniversary 5pm +Lita Favazzi

NOTIZIARIO ITALIANO

Incontri della Settimana

Gio 10.00 Incontro con Gesù e Maria

Calendario Liturgico

S. Maria Maddalena Sab 22

Festa di S. Lorenzo—Cena Venerdì 11 Agosto ore 6pm

Nella Sala Alverna. Biglietti \$50 per un a cena con molte portate incluso vino e bibite gassate. Comprate i biglietti dal Comitato Sociale: Marie B 9244 9212, Nancy B 9349 1020, Anna D 9345 5271, Maria M 9349 6374 and John D 9349 7361. Questa è una grande raccolta fondi per la parrocchia. Siete tutti invitati!

Festa di S. Lorenzo-Messa Domenica 13 Agosto ore 9.30am seguita da processione e rinfresco nella sala. Per piacere portate un piatto di

cibo per condividere.



Deepest Condolences

To the family and friends of Colleen Place and Franka Petrinovich 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, 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.