



Floreat Wembley Catholic Parish

Community - Conversion - Mission

St Cecilia's Church, Floreat

Our Lady of Victories' Church, Wembley

BULLETIN

The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed - Year C

1st & 2nd November 2025

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MASS TIMES

We celebrate Mass at both

St Cecilia's Church (St C)

47 Peebles Rd, Floreat

&

Our Lady of Victories Church (OLV)

364 Cambridge St, Wembley

Monday: 8.00am - OLV

Tuesday: 6.45am - St C

Wednesday: 6.45am - OLV

Thursday: 6.45am - St C

Friday: 6.45am - OLV

Saturday: 8.00am - St C

Saturday Vigil: 6.00pm - St C

Sunday: 7.30am - OLV

& 9.30am - St C

RECONCILIATION

Saturdays at St Cecilia's only

8.30 - 9.00 am and 5.00 - 5.30 pm



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COME, LET US WORSHIP THE LORD

TOGETHER

We would like to remind everyone to please maintain a respectful silence whilst in the Church. We appreciate your cooperation in creating a reverent and peaceful environment for prayer and reflection. Thank you!



WELCOME EVERYONE!

We are so pleased you could join us today. If you are new, please introduce yourself to those seated nearby; we'd love to get to know you! Please also take a membership form from the back of the church, complete and return it to the Parish Office, or pop it into next week's collection basket. Thank you.

NOVEMBER MASSES: PRAYING FOR THE DEAD

Our Masses in November are dedicated to praying for souls departed. **Please use the special envelopes in the church to include your loved ones in our prayers.**



"It is a holy and wholesome thought to pray for the dead that they may be loosed from their sins." - 2 Maccabees 12:46.

The ARCHBISHOP'S CHRISTMAS APPEAL FOR LIFELINK will be held next weekend on 8/9 November 2025.

Please collect a copy of the Archbishop's Appeal Letter after Mass this weekend, read his message and give generously to support the valuable work of the Church's welfare agencies.

You may mail your gift in the reply-paid envelope provided or return your envelope and donation for a Special Collection which will be held at Mass next weekend.

You may also donate (securely) online: www.lifelink.com.au.



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PARISH OFFICE - DAYS OPEN NEXT WEEK

Next week the Parish Office will be open Monday to Friday. If you would like to speak to Rita, she will be in the office on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday, 9.30am - 3pm.

Hymns for OLV - Sunday, 2nd November 2025

AOV1: 184 - 185 - Pilgrims of Hope (sheet) - 63

**What's on in our parish from
3rd - 9th November 2025**

Monday	03	MASS 8.00am OLV CENACLE 8.30am OLV SEWING & CRAFT GROUP 1.00pm Parish Meeting Room
Tuesday	04	MASS 6.45am St Cecilia's PAS - INTEGRATED SESSION (10) 7.00pm Parish Hall
Wednesday	05	MASS 6.45am OLV
Thursday	06	MASS 6.45am St Cecilia's EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION 7.00pm OLV
Friday	07	MASS 6.45am OLV
Saturday	08	MASS 8.00am St Cecilia's RECONCILIATION 8.30am & 5.00pm St Cecilia's CHRISTIAN MEDITATION GROUP 9.30am Parish Hall VIGIL MASS 6.00pm St Cecilia's
Sunday	09	LIFELINK APPEAL (ALSO: PRISON SUNDAY) MASS 7.30am OLV & 9.30am St Cecilia's PARISH MORNING TEA 10.30am Parish Hall



**Next week's readings:
The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica
- Year C**

1st Reading: Ezekiel 47:1-2, 8-9, 12
2nd Reading: 1 Cor 3:9-11, 16-17
Gospel: John 2:13-22

FINANCIAL SUPPORT - UPDATE

Parish finances for the June 2025 financial year were much improved compared to recent years. Thank you for your ongoing support, including the greatly appreciated volunteering efforts.

We continue to appeal for your assistance to increase the second collection by 13% from \$2,880 weekly to \$3,250. This is to ensure the parish (both churches) is viable in the longer term and remains on a sustainable footing.

You can continue to contribute via the collection tray and by setting up weekly or monthly online bank transfers (*please include your full name or Contributor/Envelope Number in the Payee line*);

1. First Collection (for priest) -
Floreat Wembley Presbytery Account:
BSB: 086-006, Acct #: 67019 7762
2. Second Collection (for parish) -
Floreat Wembley Parish Account:
BSB: 086-006, Acct #: 67019 7607

Thank you for your generosity!

In our Parish Book of Remembrance

We pray for all those who have died recently and for those whose anniversaries occur around this time.

May the Lord grant them eternal rest.



Nov	01	Joseph Parks
Nov	02	Bernie Bawden, Olga Bettini, Ilona Gerlei
Nov	04	Rosina O'Hare, Mary Staples
Nov	05	Gordon Bowering, Natalie Gaynor
Nov	07	Mary Gjakin, Michael O'Sullivan

SEWING & CRAFT GROUP

Our friendly group of ladies will meet on **Monday, 3rd November from 1pm in the Parish Meeting Room**. New members are always welcome to join them.



**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION
& BENEDICTION**

Come and spend an hour in adoration of the Lord.

**Thursday, 6th November
7.00 - 8.00pm
at Our Lady of Victories
Church.**

All are welcome.

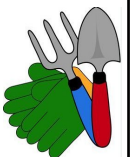
MORNING TEA @ ST CECILIA'S

**Join us for a cuppa next Sunday,
9th November after the 9.30am Mass
in the Parish Hall. All welcome!**



SEEKING NEW GARDENER FOR ST CECILIA'S

After years of tending the gardens around St Cecilia's, Denise and Nathan from Gemini Garden Services are moving on. The Parish is now looking for recommendations on a new gardener able to perform pruning and general maintenance of the garden beds and paved areas. If you can help or have a suggestion, please see Fr Kaz.



THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS DONATIONS!



Wheelchairs for Kids is run by an army of enthusiastic volunteers, mostly retirees, from all walks of life and professions. This ensures that your entire donation is used to manufacture wheelchairs. **Thank you for the \$2,133.74 your parish raised for us this year.** This means we can continue to provide All Terrain wheelchairs to disabled children in rugged areas of developing countries around the world.

JESUS OUR LIFEGIVER

The Gospel of today (Luke 7:11-17) presents the story of a widow from Nain whose only son died. There was nothing she could do than to cry bitterly. The death of her son was the death of her voice in her community. It was the death of her only source of hope, strength and protection. The story of the Wicked Judge (Luke 18:1-5) shows that widows were vulnerable in ancient Jewish society as they could be targeted by wicked people. In the absence of their husbands, their sons became their hope for protection.

Jesus understood the helpless condition [of] this widow. Although it would make him ceremonially unclean, Jesus [was] moved to touch the coffin carrying the dead [man] and, He who is life and [the] source of life, restored him to life.

Right now maybe you are going through a very difficult time in life and actually doubting the presence of God and His love. Your marriage, career, business, [health]... your only source of strength may be dead. All you need is a touch of the Lifegiver. Nobody knew that He was visiting Nain that day... Psalm 46:1 says, "God is our refuge and strength, an ever-present help in trouble." [The people of Nain were astounded by the miracle wrought before their very eyes and responded], "God has visited His people." You will also be a witness to glorious things. God is still on the throne... May God revive us, restore us, and give us life through Christ, Our Lord Amen.

(Taken from a homily by Fr Karabari Paul for Tuesday, 24th Week of Ordinary Time, Cycle II, 13 September 2022. Theme: Jesus our Lifegiver. Copyright © Catholic For Life 2020. www.catholicforlife.com/homily-for-tuesday-of-the-24th-week-in-ordinary-time-cycle-ii-2.)



PARISH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

**SUNDAY, 16TH NOVEMBER,
AFTER 9.30AM MASS**

Current Parish Councillors are;

Paul Davidson (Chairperson),
Tricia Hoffman (Secretary),
Eric Heenan, Mark Vernon and
Fr Kaz (Parish Priest).

**We encourage more people to join
the Parish Pastoral Council.**

Councillors work on events and initiatives that enhance and support the parish community. Nominations can be accepted at the AGM.

**All groups within the parish are
asked to submit a typed report** (up to one A4 page) to include in the larger AGM document. This enables us to better capture parish life over the past twelve months. Please email reports to: floreat@perthcatholic.org.au or hand them into the Parish Office **by Wednesday, 5th November.**

To submit a topic for discussion at the AGM, please email it through to the Parish Office before Wed, 5th November. Matters raised without notice may be discussed with the approval of the meeting. Thank you.



ST CECILIA'S FEAST DAY CELEBRATIONS

FRIDAY, 21ST NOVEMBER

6PM CONCERT OF SACRED MUSIC

BY CAMERATA DE IMMACULATA CHOIR

AT ST CECILIA'S CHURCH

A LIGHT SUPPER IN THE PARISH HALL WILL FOLLOW.

PLEASE BRING A SHARE PLATE.

*** COST: FREE - BUT TICKETS REQUIRED. *DETAILS TO COME.**



ADVENT REFLECTION MATERIALS

The first Sunday of Advent is 30th November 2025.

There are a number of resources available for anyone interested in following a program of daily or weekly reflections.

They include *The Promise* by the [Diocese of Wollongong](http://www.dioceseofwollongong.com.au) & *In Holy Stillness* by the [Archdiocese of Brisbane](http://www.archdioceseofbrisbane.com.au).

The [Centre for Faith Enrichment](http://www.centreforfaithenrichment.com.au), Perth is offering the course *Advent: Hail, Full of Grace! A Study of the Blessed Virgin Mary* both in person and online.

Finally, Catholic apps like [Hallow](http://www.hallow.com.au) will have Advent materials and programs.

Anyone wanting to create an Advent Reflection Group and meet in the Parish Hall is most welcome to do so. Please contact us to book the space.



EARLY BIRD ANNOUNCEMENT

**Get ready for 5 Unforgettable Days of
Fun, Friends & Faith!**

**A CYM Summer Adventure for Teens
aged 12 - 15 years**

Cost? Early Bird Price: \$290 - [register online](http://www.cym.com.au) before 14th November!



DIOCESAN PASTORAL COUNCIL

The Archbishop invites you to learn about the Archdiocese of Perth Diocesan Pastoral Council (DPC) & consider joining. Information Sessions begin as early as next Saturday. Applicants must attend one session in conjunction with submission of an Expression of Interest form. More information available online: www.perthcatholic.org.au/dpc.htm.

Readings for The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed - Year C

FIRST READING Isaiah 25:6,7-9

A reading from the prophet Isaiah

On this mountain,
the Lord of hosts will prepare for all peoples
a banquet of rich food.

On this mountain he will remove
the mourning veil covering all peoples,
and the shroud enwrapping all nations,
he will destroy Death for ever.

The Lord God will wipe away
the tears from every cheek;
he will take away his people's shame
everywhere on earth,
for the Lord has said so.

That day, it will be said: See, this is our God
in whom we hoped for salvation;
the Lord is the one in whom we hoped.
We exult and we rejoice
that he has saved us.

The word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

SECOND READING Romans 5:5-11

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Romans

Hope is not deceptive, because the love of God has been poured into our hearts by the Holy Spirit which has been given us. We were still helpless when at his appointed moment Christ died for sinful men. It is not easy to die even for a good man - though of course for someone really worthy, a man might be prepared to die - but what proves that God loves us is that Christ died for us while we were still sinners. Having died to make us righteous, is it likely that he would now fail to save us from God's anger? When we were reconciled to God by the death of his Son, we were still enemies; now that we have been reconciled, surely we may count on being saved by the life of his Son? Not merely because we have been reconciled but because we are filled with joyful trust in God, through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have already gained our reconciliation.

The word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM 26

The Lord is my light and my salvation.

R: The Lord is my light and my salvation.

The Lord is my light and my help;
whom shall I fear?
The Lord is the stronghold of my life;
before whom shall I shrink?

R: The Lord is my light and my salvation.

There is one thing I ask of the Lord,
for this I long,
to live in the house of the Lord,
all the days of my life,
to savour the sweetness of the Lord,
to behold his temple.

R: The Lord is my light and my salvation.

O Lord, hear my voice when I call;
have mercy and answer.
It is your face, O Lord, that I seek;
hide not your face.

R: The Lord is my light and my salvation.

I am sure I shall see the Lord's goodness
in the land of the living.
Hope in him, hold firm and take heart.
Hope in the Lord!

R: The Lord is my light and my salvation.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION John 6:39

Alleluia, alleluia!

This is the will of my Father, says the Lord,
that I should lose nothing of all that he has given to me,
and that I should raise it up on the last day.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL Luke 7:11-17

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke.

Jesus went to a town called Nain, accompanied by his disciples and a great number of people. When he was near the gate of the town it happened that a dead man was being carried out for burial, the only son of his mother, and she was a widow. And a considerable number of the townspeople were with her. When the Lord saw her he felt sorry for her. 'Do not cry,' he said. Then he went up and put his hand on the bier and the bearers stood still, and he said, 'Young man, I tell you to get up'. And the dead man sat up and began to talk, and Jesus gave him to his mother. Everyone was filled with awe and praised God saying, 'A great prophet has appeared among us; God has visited his people'. And this opinion of him spread throughout Judaea and all over the countryside.



The Gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.