



Floreat Wembley Catholic Parish

Community - Conversion - Mission

St Cecilia's Church, Floreat

Our Lady of Victories' Church, Wembley

BULLETIN

**The Feast of the Dedication of the
Lateran Basilica - Year C**
8th & 9th 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.



The ARCHBISHOP'S CHRISTMAS APPEAL FOR LIFELINK is being held this weekend throughout the Archdiocese.

If you have not already collected the Archbishop's Appeal Letter, please do so today - **OR** use one of the **special giving envelopes** now available from the church.

We urge you to give generously to help the work of our Archdiocesan agencies which reach out to care for our brothers and sisters who are struggling.

Please mail your gift in the reply-paid envelope provided **OR** return your envelope and donation to the parish at any time over the coming weeks. You may also donate (securely) online: www.lifelink.com.au.



LifeLink
Catholic Caring Agencies



MORNING TEA @ ST CECILIA'S

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

PARISH GARDENING CREW

Sincere thanks once again to all our gardening volunteers. If you are able, please join Tony **next Sunday**, 16th November, from 2pm - 4pm at St Cecilia's. Thank you!



Hymns for OLV - Sunday, 9th November 2025

AOV1: 74 - 81 - Pilgrims of Hope (sheet) - 94

**What's on in our parish from
10th - 16th November 2025**

Monday	10	MASS 8.00am OLV CENACLE 8.30am OLV
Tuesday	11	REMEMBRANCE DAY MASS 6.45am St Cecilia's PAS MEETING 7.00pm Parish Hall SVDP MEETING 7.00pm Parish Meeting Room
Wednesday	12	MASS 6.45am OLV
Thursday	13	MASS 6.45am St Cecilia's
Friday	14	MASS 6.45am OLV
Saturday	15	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	16	WORLD DAY OF THE POOR & SVDP CHRISTMAS APPEAL MASS 7.30am OLV & 9.30am St Cecilia's PARISH AGM 10.30am Parish Hall ST CECILIA'S GARDEN CREW 2.00pm Parish Grounds



Next week's readings:
Thirty-Third Sunday of OT - Year C
1st Reading: Malachi 3:19-20
2nd Reading: 2 Thessalonians 3:7-12
Gospel: Luke 21:5-19

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	08	Peter Seaman
Nov	09	Donna Whitely
Nov	10	Joyce Serpanchy
Nov	11	Gloria Cox, Charlie McCarthy
Nov	12	Marjorie McDermott, Eileen van Wees
Nov	13	Norma Jones, Eileen Keating, Josephine Keyser, Jim Mazza
Nov	14	Win Devereux, Millie Mulcahy



NOVEMBER MASS INTENTIONS

Envelopes dedicated to praying for souls departed can be found in the church.

PARISH AGM - NEXT WEEK

All parishioners are invited to attend our **Annual General Meeting** next **Sunday, 16th November** after the **9.30am Mass** in the Parish Hall.

* Nominations to join the Parish Council welcome! *



ADVENT REFLECTION MATERIALS

The first Sunday of Advent is 30th November.

There are a number of resources available for anyone interested in following a program of daily or weekly reflections. These include, *The Promise* by the [Diocese of Wollongong](#) & *In Holy Stillness* by the [Archdiocese of Brisbane](#). The [Centre for Faith Enrichment](#),

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](#) 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.



MIRACLE PRAYERS HEALING SERVICE

WED, 12TH NOVEMBER, 7.30PM, 67 HOWE ST, OSBORNE PARK

Come join us to receive prayer for healing and personal intentions and to hear Henrietta Brennan speak on the topic: "The Joy of the Lord is my strength."

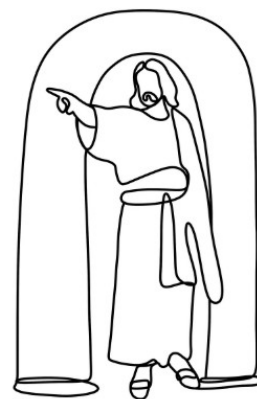
All welcome. For more information, go to: www.youtube.com/@miracleprayersperth or call 0468 306 301.

THE TEMPLE OF GOD

We don't often celebrate the feast of the dedication of a church. However, the basilica of Saint John Lateran is a special church...The Basilica is the church of the Pope in his role as Bishop of Rome. For this reason, this particular church has been given a rather long title, 'Mother and Head of all the churches of the city and of the world'. The present Basilica retains the plan given to it by the Emperor Constantine but it has been rebuilt and restored over the centuries...

Of the three readings for this feast, only the first reading focuses on an actual building, the Temple in the city of Jerusalem, understood as the place of God's living presence in the world. When Paul was writing to the church in Corinth in today's second reading, there were no Christian buildings in existence. Paul's focus in that reading is not on a building but on the community of faith, the church. He says to them, 'You are God's building...you are God's Temple'. In the gospel reading, even though Jesus is present in the Temple in Jerusalem, he places the focus not on the building but on himself. Speaking of himself, he says, 'Destroy this sanctuary (this temple) and in three days I will raise it up'. Jesus is saying that he is the place where God is truly present in the world, not some building, no matter how sacred. Paul says that the Christian community, the body of Christ, is the place where God is truly present in the world. The church is a spiritual temple. Elsewhere, Paul says that we are all spiritual stones in that temple. If Jesus was the supreme expression of God's presence in the world, we are each called in our own way to be living expressions of God's loving presence in our world today. The Lord, now risen, continues to be God's presence in the world today through each one of us in all our diversity.

(Taken from a reflection by Fr Martin Hogan on John 2:13-22 for the Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica: 'Stop turning my Father's house into a market'. 9 November 2025; www.tumblr.com/frmartinshomiliesandreflections/179896263356/9th-november-fr-martins-gospel-reflections.)



ST CECILIA'S FEAST DAY CELEBRATIONS

**FRIDAY, 21ST NOVEMBER
6 - 7PM AT ST CECILIA'S CHURCH,
PROGRAM OF SACRED MUSIC BY
CAMERATA DE IMMACULATA CHOIR**



*** A LIGHT SUPPER WILL FOLLOW IN THE
PARISH HALL.**

*** PLEASE BRING A PLATE TO SHARE.**

**TICKETS FREE: WWW.TRYBOOKING.COM/
DHFMG OR USE THE QR CODE.**



**Everyone should be free to
love and serve the Lord,
but they're not!**



REMEMBER • PRAY • SUPPORT

**During November, Aid to the
Church in Need (ACN) invites
you to remember and pray for
our brothers and sisters who
suffer persecution for their faith.**

**To learn more, please go to:
<https://rednovember.org/home>**



NANO NAGLE CENTRE:- WELLNESS IN BODY, MIND & SPIRIT

**THURS, 13TH NOVEMBER, 9.30AM - 3PM,
NANO NAGLE CENTRE, 6 RESERVE ST, CLAREMONT.**

On this reflection day, you are invited to slow down,
look more deeply and listen more carefully....
Wellness in the wholeness of all that we are comes
from the sense of peace and connection in our
relationships with our deeper self, with God & others.

Guest Presenter: Dr Pina Ford. Cost: \$40.

Morning tea provided. BYO lunch.

RSVP via the booking form:

<https://www.nanonaglecentre.org.au/whats-on/>

email: nncperth@gmail.com or contact

Sr Catherine Warner pbvm, on 9385 0684.

GOOD SHEPHERD CENTRE - FORMATION IN CATECHESIS

**Weekend Formation
in Catechesis**

**Sat, 15th Nov &
Sun, 16th Nov
9am - 5pm
Good Shepherd
Centre,
27 Lalor St,
Scarborough.**

This unique
opportunity is
usually offered to
those who plan to
work with the
children in our
sacred space using
the method of
Catechesis of the
Good Shepherd.
This opportunity
offers personal faith
enrichment for all
adults and especially
parents and teachers
of young children.

**Usually \$150, this
time it is free.**

**RSVP by 10 Nov
via email:**

marie@cgsua.org.au.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL CHRISTMAS APPEAL - 15/16 Nov 2025

We will be launching our Christmas Appeal next week. Your continuing support is invaluable as we rely heavily on your generosity. Please take a Vinnies envelope from the church today and place it with your donation into the red boxes in the church from next week. Thank you!



Readings for Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica - Year C

FIRST READING Ezekiel 47:1-2, 8-9, 12

A reading from the prophet Ezekiel

The angel brought me to the entrance of the Temple, where a stream came out from under the Temple threshold and flowed eastwards, since the Temple faced east. The water flowed from under the right side of the Temple, south of the altar. He took me out by the north gate and led me right round outside as far as the outer east gate where the water flowed out on the right-hand side. He said, 'This water flows east down to the Arabah and to the sea; and flowing into the sea it makes its waters wholesome. Wherever the river flows, all living creatures teeming in it will live. Fish will be very plentiful, for wherever the water goes it brings health, and life teems wherever the river flows. Along the river, on either bank, will grow every kind of fruit tree with leaves that never wither and fruit that never fails; they will bear new fruit every month, because this water comes from the sanctuary. And their fruit will be good to eat and the leaves medicinal.'

The word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM 45:2-3, 5-6, 8-9

The waters of the river gladden the city of God.

R: The waters of the river gladden the city of God.

God is for us a refuge and strength,
a helper close at hand, in time of distress:
so we shall not fear though the earth should rock,
though the mountains fall into the depths of the sea.

R: The waters of the river gladden the city of God.

The waters of a river give joy to God's city,
the holy place where the Most High dwells.
God is within, it cannot be shaken;
God will help it at the dawning of the day.

R: The waters of the river gladden the city of God.

The Lord of hosts is with us:
the God of Jacob is our stronghold.
Come, consider the works of the Lord,
the redoubtable deeds he has done on the earth.

R: The waters of the river gladden the city of God.



SECOND READING 1 Cor 3:9-11, 16-17

A reading from the first letter of St Paul to the Corinthians

You are God's building. By the grace God gave me, I succeeded as an architect and laid the foundations, on which someone else is doing the building. Everyone doing the building must work carefully. For the foundation, nobody can lay any other than the one which has already been laid, that is Jesus Christ.

Didn't you realise that you were God's temple and that the Spirit of God was living among you? If anybody should destroy the temple of God, God will destroy him, because the temple of God is sacred; and you are that temple.

The word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION 2 Chronicles 7:16

Alleluia, alleluia!

I have chosen and sanctified this house, says the Lord, that my name may remain in it for all time.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL John 2:13-22

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John.

Just before the Jewish Passover Jesus went up to Jerusalem, and in the Temple he found people selling cattle and sheep and pigeons, and the money changers sitting at their counters there. Making a whip out of some cord, he drove them all out of the Temple, cattle and sheep as well, scattered the money changers' coins, knocked their tables over and said to the pigeon-sellers, 'Take all this out of here and stop turning my Father's house into a market'. Then his disciples remembered the words of scripture: Zeal for your house will devour me. The Jews intervened and said, 'What sign can you show us to justify what you have done?' Jesus answered, 'Destroy this sanctuary, and in three days I will raise it up'. The Jews replied, 'It has taken forty-six years to build this sanctuary: are you going to raise it up in three days?' But he was speaking of the sanctuary that was his body, and when Jesus rose from the dead, his disciples remembered that he had said this, and they believed the scripture and the words he had said.

The Gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.