



# HOLY REDEEMER PARISH

796 Eyer Drive, Pickering, Ontario L1W 3C2

905-839-9774

website: [holyredeemerPI.archtoronto.org](http://holyredeemerPI.archtoronto.org)

## SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil at 5:00 pm

Sunday at 9:00 am, 11:00 am & 5:00 pm

## CONFESSIONS

Saturdays from 4:00 pm - 4:45 pm or by appointment.

From 4:45 to 5:00 pm the Sacristy is used for the preparation with the ministers.

## SACRAMENT INFORMATION

Please Contact the Parish Office.

## CLERGY

**Pastor:** Rev. Colman Mruma

[holyredeemerpi@archtoronto.org](mailto:holyredeemerpi@archtoronto.org)

**Deacon Assistant:** Deacon Nicholas Daunt

[dcndaunt@gmail.com](mailto:dcndaunt@gmail.com)

## WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday Mass at 8:30 am

Wednesday at 6:30 pm Holy Hour, Mass 7:30 pm

## PARISH STAFF

**Parish Office Administrator:** Nicolette Alfonso

[holyredeemerpi@archtoronto.org](mailto:holyredeemerpi@archtoronto.org)

**Youth Minister:** Krista Holder [youthhrp@gmail.com](mailto:youthhrp@gmail.com)

**Bookkeeper:** Rene Ng [hrpfinance@gmail.com](mailto:hrpfinance@gmail.com)

## OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday: 8:00 am to 4:00 pm

Closed for lunch from 12:00 pm to 1:00 pm

Holidays, Saturday & Sunday: Office is closed

## SCHOOLS

<b>Fr. Fénelon Catholic Elementary School</b>	795 Eyer Drive, Pickering, ON L1W 2K2	905-839-5409
<b>St. Monica Catholic Elementary School</b>	275 Twyn River Drive, Pickering ON L1V 1E3	905-509-6691
<b>St. Mary Catholic Secondary School</b>	1918 Whites Road, Pickering ON L1V 1R9	905-420-7166

## MINISTRIES AND SERVICES IN OUR PARISH

Pastoral Council	Parish Office	905-839-9774	<b>STEWARDSHIP</b>		
<b>Liturgical</b>			Finance Committee	Gerry Lee	647-998-0738
Hospitality (Greeters & Ushers)	Simone Petty	416-451-9039	Property Committee	Greg David	905-831-4963
Lectors	Angela Kirby	905-839-9774	Volunteer Screening Committee	Anne O'Brien	905-839-9774
Eucharistic Ministers			Collection Counters	Angela Kirby	905-839-9774
Children's Liturgy		905-839-9774	Gardens & Flowers	Anne-Marie Pawelski & Debbie Alfaro	905-839-9774
Sacristans	Myrtle Noonan (Saturday 5 p.m.)	905-839-9774	Gift Shop	Lear Cardoz & Heather Di Stefano	905-839-9774
	Dorothea Ritchie (Sunday 9 a.m.)		<b>APOSTOLATES</b>		
	Rose Ann Dalawanbayan (Sunday 11 a.m.)		Knights of Columbus	Mark De Souza	289 314 5208
Altar Servers	Dorothea Ritchie	905-509-2776	Catholic Women's Guild	Simone Petty	416 451 9039
	Hugh Fulton	905-831-6381	Legion of Mary	Inga Spinoti	416-880-1252
Church Decoration Team	Ruvi De Alwis	416 847 9749	St. Vincent de Paul Society	Alan Berlie	905-839-9774
	Sherry Rodrigo	905 839 4120	Prayer Shawl Ministry	Anna Crosthwaite	905-839-3657
Altar Linens	Mary David & Virginia Beasley	905-839-9774		Angela Kirby	905-839-5264
Church Choirs	Melroy Menezes ( <i>Youth Choir- Saturday 5 p.m.</i> )	647-457-1107	Provide-a-Meal (P.A.M.)	Stephanie Newitt	905-831-6525
	Tatjana Smrekar ( <i>Senior Choir- Sunday 11 a.m.</i> )	416-333-9641	St. Vincent Palotti's Kitchen		905 839 9774
<b>FAITH FORMATION</b>			<b>MOVEMENTS</b>		
Rite of Christian Initiation of			Couples for Christ (CFC)	Toto Diaz	289 314 5873
Adults (RCIA)	Rick Hemingway	416 268 9255	Couples for Christ (Youth)	Adel Bautista	416 949 2641
First Communion/Confirmation	Dorothea Ritchie	905-509-2776	Cursillo	Shona O'Brien	647-529-5992
Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (Atrium)			Foundations for Family Life	Jun Almeida	905-428-3352

**New Parishioners Welcome:** Please introduce yourself to the Priest and complete a registration form available on our parish website and at the back of the Church.

*Prayer for Our Retired Priests*

Eternal God,  
 Jesus Christ is the Eternal Priest,  
 who continually breathes new life into your Church.  
 For the faithful service  
 that our brothers have offered our diocese,  
 we offer our gratitude  
 and we pray that you watch over them in their retirement.  
 As they offer us an example of aging with dignity,  
 we trust that their example and prayers,  
 inspire countless others to serve your people  
 with fidelity and courage.  
 Enlivened by your Spirit,  
 help us to proclaim your presence as we make your reign known,  
 where you live as one God,  
 forever and ever.  
 Amen.



Image from the Diocese of London Facebook post dated June 14<sup>th</sup>, 2019



**The Shepherds' Trust**  
 Caring for those who always cared for us

**2<sup>ND</sup> COLLECTION: THIS WEEKEND**

*Caring for those who always cared for us*

There will be a second collection today, for The Shepherds' Trust. The mission of The Shepherds' Trust is to help ensure that elderly and disabled priests are provided with sufficient financial resources to lead a dignified life after many years of ministry. Your generous gift will help our priests to maintain a modest but active and independent lifestyle in their retirement years. For priests who are ill or otherwise infirm, the Trust ensures they have access to nursing home facilities and medical care. Thank you for your support of this important work. *Parishioners requesting for tax receipts are reminded to mark their name and contact information on the front of the envelope.*

**MASS INTENTIONS AND VOTIVE CANDLES**  
 are offered as below for Nov. 18<sup>TH</sup> -26<sup>TH</sup>

THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME		
<b>Saturday, Nov. 18</b>	5 p.m.	+ MICHELLE LELANI DAIGLE
<b>Sunday, Nov. 19</b>	9 a.m.	+ ANTONIO & GIUSEPPINA VALERIO
	11 a.m.	MASS FOR THE PEOPLE
	5 p.m.	+ MARGARET GALANTE
<b>Monday, Nov. 20</b>	8:30 a.m.	+ KARL SCHNALZER JR.
<b>Tuesday, Nov. 21</b> <i>The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary</i>	8:30 a.m.	IN THANKSGIVING: IN HONOUR OF THE HOLY SPIRIT
<b>Wednesday, Nov. 22</b> <i>Saint Cecilia, Virgin, Martyr</i>	6:30 p.m.	HOLY HOUR
	7:30 p.m.	+ LOBO FAMILY
<b>Thursday, Nov. 23</b>	8:30 a.m.	+ DOROTHY DESOUZA
<b>Friday, Nov. 24</b> <i>Saint Andrew D'ung-Lac, Priest, &amp; companions, Martyrs</i>	8:30 a.m.	+ VALENTINE AND DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE KUMPREY FAMILY
OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE		
<b>Saturday, Nov. 25</b>	5 p.m.	+ VINCENZO DI STEFANO
<b>Sunday, Nov. 26</b>	9 a.m.	+ PERRY D'JOHN
	11 a.m.	MASS FOR THE PEOPLE
	5 p.m.	+ LIGAYA ROXAS

THE VOTIVE CANDLES are offered as below:



WEEK	SANCTUARY LAMP	OUR LADY OF FATIMA LAMP
Nov. 19-25	+ VARGHESE, RONI & SABU	INT. KATHY KUMPREY



**PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY**  
 NEXT MEETING



WEDNESDAY, NOV. 22<sup>ND</sup> AT 10 AM IN THE PARISH HALL  
*Our meetings are scheduled for the 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of the month.*

**ALL ARE WELCOME, COME OUT AND LEARN MORE.**  
 Please let us know when you or a family member is sick, mourning a loss or celebrating a life event...and we will be happy to make a shawl or lap throw for them.

*Catholic Women's Guild*

**SUNDAY MISSALS:** Missals will be on sale in the month of November, after all the Masses in the parish hall. *The cost is \$5.00 each.*

**C.W.G. MASS FOR DECEASED MEMBERS ELECTIONS & GENERAL MEETING**

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 27<sup>TH</sup> AT 7 PM



The parish office is currently accepting Mass intentions & Votive Candle Offerings for **January to July 2024.**

Kindly contact the parish office by phone or email.



**YOUTH MINISTRY**

**EDGE NIGHT:** Saturday, Nov. 25<sup>th</sup>  
 in the parish hall from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

**TEEN NIGHT:** Friday, December 1<sup>st</sup>  
 in the parish hall from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.

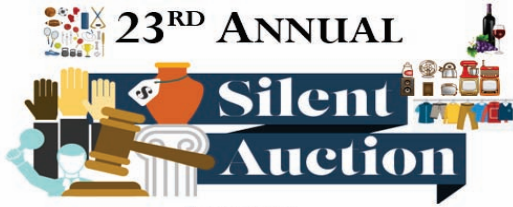


Visit our Parish Website for more information and events:  
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# HOLY REDEEMER KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS (COUNCIL 11729)



### LOCATION:

HOLY REDEEMER PARISH HALL (796 Eyer Drive, Pickering Ont.)

### VIEWING AND BIDDING TIMES:

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18<sup>TH</sup>: 4:30pm - 6:30pm

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 19<sup>TH</sup>: 9:00am - 12:45pm

AUCTION CLOSURES AND WINNERS ANNOUNCED AT 1:30 PM

## COATS FOR KIDS DELIVERY

Every year, the Holy Redeemer Knights of Columbus support less fortunate families through the “Coats for Kids” program.

On October 31<sup>st</sup> our brothers delivered “100” winter coats to “15” elementary schools (4 Catholic and 11 Public) in Pickering so that less fortunate boys and girls can have a warm coat this winter.

## REGISTRATION FOR THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION



On **Saturday, November 25 at 11:00 am** an **information meeting** in the Parish Hall for all candidates and their parents/ guardians will take place. It is important that a parent/ guardian and the confirmation candidate be present for this meeting. At this meeting we will confirm all the registration form information and you will be asked to pay the registration fee.

Please note that you must have a copy of the child’s baptismal certificate for registration. *(If you don’t have the baptismal certificate, now is the time to contact the parish where the child was baptised.)*

REGISTRATIONS WITHOUT A COPY OF THE BAPTISMAL CERTIFICATE WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

**REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN TO THOSE IN GRADES 7 AND UP, TO SIGN UP PLEASE COMPLETE THE REGISTRATION FORM HERE:** <https://forms.gle/RH4vHfwbQeeyBpKY9> (alternatively, you can pick up the registration form from the Church office during office hours). **REGISTRATION CLOSSES ON SUNDAY, DECEMBER 17, 2023.**

*For more information please pick up our confirmation letter during office hours or email our youth minister Krista Holder at [youthhrp@gmail.com](mailto:youthhrp@gmail.com)*

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## Christmas Bazaar

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 2 | 4 PM - 7 PM

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 3 | 8 AM - 1 PM

RELIGIOUS ITEMS | ARTS & CRAFTS | CHRISTMAS GIFTS | FOOD

Contact Lear Cardoz & Heather Di Stefano at the Gift Shop for more information

## 4<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL ST. NICHOLAS LUNCHEON:

Wednesday, December 6<sup>th</sup> at 12:30 p.m

Our Parish Planning Team for the St. Nicholas Luncheon, is extending an invitation to enjoy a special luncheon and fellowship in the parish hall on December 6<sup>th</sup>, to those who may have to spend Christmas alone, who do not have family living close by and those who have lost a loved one during the past year. Kindly let us know if you would like to attend, or if you know of someone who would like to come, please ask them to call the office. One of our committee members will return your call to confirm your attendance and inquire if you require transportation or have dietary restrictions. As we would like to know the number of guest and for the purpose of adequate preparations, the deadline for calling the office to book a ticket has been set for Sunday, November 26<sup>th</sup>

## LONG TERM CARE MINISTRY (L.T.C)

There will be a training and orientation meeting on the first Saturday in December, the 2<sup>nd</sup> at 10 a.m.

- This meeting will be held at the Bay Ridges LTC Facility (*see address below*).
- It is expected that masks will be required for all visitors in the centre in the foreseeable future, masks will be provided upon check-in.
- Volunteers must submit proof of clear results for TB testing (*to be completed through your family doctor*) and a vulnerable Sector Check (*conducted through the Parish office*)
- Please reserve this date and plan to attend, all are welcome!
- IMPORTANT: Please RSVP to Deacon Nick at the email address below if you plan to attend this session on Dec 2<sup>nd</sup>
- Following our training session, you will be welcome to begin 1 on 1 visitation and Eucharist for the homebound residents of Bay Ridges, if you are able and so inclined.
- Regular Eucharist to the Homebound activities will begin early in the New Year

Please see the facility address for our Dec 2<sup>nd</sup> meeting at *Bay Ridges LTC Home (900 Sandy Beach Rd. Pickering, Ont) (905) 837-8745 <http://www.extendicarebayridges.com/>* If questions about this ministry, feel free to reach out to Deacon Nick ([dcndaunt@gmail.com](mailto:dcndaunt@gmail.com)).

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