

HOLY REDEEMER PARISH

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CLERGY: Father Colman Ngulla Mruma, *Pastor*
Deacon Robert Partridge

SECRETARY: Nicolette Alfonso

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday to Thursday: 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. & 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Friday: 8:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil at 5:00 pm
Sunday at 9:00 am, 11:00 am & 5:00 pm
Liturgy of the Word for Children: 9:00 am & 11:00 am

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday Mass at 8:30 am
Wednesday evening at 6:30 pm Holy Hour, Mass 7:30 pm

CONFESSIONS: Saturday's 4:00 p.m. to 4:45 p.m. or anytime by appointment.

SCHOOLS

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

Marriage: Marriage is a celebration of the Church. A Catholic is obliged to be married in the Catholic Church. Please contact the Parish Office one year before the proposed date. At least one of the parties should be Catholic and registered in the Parish.

Baptism: Baptism is the first of all the Sacraments, and the gateway into the church. Parents, the first teachers, who solemnly promise to raise their child in the faith, should be registered members of the Parish and should attend a preparation program on effective ways to raise their child in the faith

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is a program of preparation and instruction designed to initiate those who desire to join the Catholic church, in its faith and its teaching. Participants meet on Wednesday every week from September until just after Easter. For information contact the Parish Office

MINISTRIES AND SERVICES IN OUR PARISH

Liturgical & Faith Formation Committees

Deacon Robert Partridge 905-839-9774

Dorothea Ritchie 905-509-2776

Finance Committee	Gerry Lee	647-998-0738	Pastoral Committee	Brian Reel	647-274-2631
Property Committee	Greg David	905-831-4963	Volunteer Screening Committee	Anne O'Brien	905-839-9774

LITURGICAL AND FAITH FORMATION:

Altar Linens	Amelia Azevedo	905-839-2983
Altar Servers	Hugh Fulton	905-831-6381
	Dorothea Ritchie	905-509-2776

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (Atrium)	Dorothea Ritchie	905-509-2776
Catholic CDs & Books	Teresa de Manuel	905-509-2091

Confirmation & First Communion	Deacon Robert Partridge	905-839-9774
	Dorothea Ritchie	905-509-2776

Eucharistic Ministers	Angela Kirby	905-839-9774
Hospitality (Greeters & Ushers)	Simone Petty	416-451-9039

Lectors	Angela Kirby	905-839-9774
Liturgy of the Word for Children	Dorothea Ritchie	905-509-2776

RCIA	Deacon Robert Partridge	905-839-9774
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PASTORAL:

Catholic Women's Guild	Anna Crosthwaite	905-839-3657
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Church Choirs:	Jamie Kettrick	905-213-5724
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Collection Counters	Angela Kirby	905-839-9774
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Couples for Christ (CFC)	Al Basilio	905-239-5771
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Couples for Christ (Youth)	Fred Galano	416-708-9907
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Cursillo	Shona O'Brien	647-529-5992
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Foundations for Family Life	Jun Almeyda	905-428-3352
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Gift Shop	Lear Cardoz	905-839-9774
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Knights of Columbus	Errol Jennings	905-831-0512
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Legion of Mary	Rachelle Ezechiels	647-961-5880
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Provide-a-Meal (P.A.M.)	Stephanie Newitt	905-831-6525
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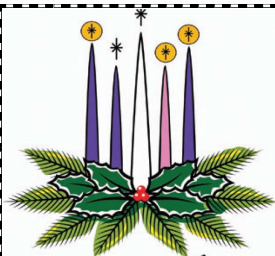
St. Vincent de Paul Society	Alan Berlie	905-839-9774
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St. Vincent Palotti's Kitchen	Mary Bridgeman	905-839-4762
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Youth Minister	Bianca Hutchinson	905-839-9774
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New Parishioners Welcome:

Please introduce yourself to Father and complete a registration form located at the back of the church.



THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

DECEMBER 16TH, 2018

Year "C" Zep 3.14-18a; Phil 4.4-7; Lk 3.10-18

Entrance Antiphon (Philippians 4.4-5):

Rejoice in the Lord always; again I say, rejoice. Indeed, the Lord is near.



Mass Intentions THIS WEEK



THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Saturday, Dec. 15th

5 p.m. + MR. & MRS. BENT NIELSEN

Sunday, Dec. 16th

9 a.m. + TONY & ANTHONY
MEDEIROS

11 a.m. MASS FOR THE PEOPLE

5 p.m. + JEROME MENEZES

Monday, Dec. 17th

8:30 a.m. + UNANNOUNCED

Tuesday, Dec. 18th

8:30 a.m. + ALBERT WEBB

Wednesday, Dec. 19th

7:30 p.m. + UNANNOUNCED

Thursday, Dec. 20th

8:30 a.m. + ARNALDO NICASIO

Friday, Dec. 21st

8:30 a.m. + JOHN OZIMEK JR.

FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Saturday, Dec. 22nd

5 p.m. + MAY & TOM JR. FITZPATRICK

Sunday, Dec. 23rd

9 a.m. FOR THE INTENTIONS AND
DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE
VALLADARES FAMILY

11 a.m. MASS FOR THE PEOPLE

5 p.m. + ALBERTO SILVA

Book your Mass offering at the parish office for
2019 : February to April

CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY, DECEMBER 24TH

No 8:30 a.m. Mass

(Christmas Eve Masses)

5:00 p.m.,

8:00 p.m.,

12:00 Midnight

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 25TH

(Christmas Day)

9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

No 5:00 p.m. Mass



NEW YEAR MASS TIMES

Solemnity of Mary,
The Holy Mother
of God

MONDAY, DECEMBER 31ST

5:00 p.m.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 1ST

9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

No 5:00 p.m. Mass

Annual Campaign Life Fruit Cake Sale

Campaign Life Coalition is once again raising funds through Christmas cake sales.

Deluxe 1 kg cake @ \$ 27
Regular 600 g cake @ \$ 20

These products will be on sale after
 each weekend mass Dec 15th/16th
 and Dec 22nd/23rd,
 while supplies last.

merry christmas!



THANK YOU TO THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS!

What a beautiful evening of prayer and praise with wonderful talents from our community. Thank you to the Knights of Columbus for organizing this for us!



HOLY REDEEMER BLOOD DONOR CLINIC

On **Tuesday, Dec. 18** from 2 p.m. – 7 p.m.
 No appointment is necessary but if you wish to book a time please call 1-888-236-6283 or go online to www.blood.ca

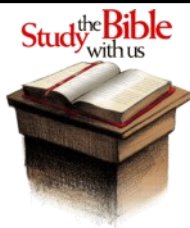
ADVENT DAY OF CONFESSION

To help us prepare spiritually for the birth of the Messiah.



Wednesday, December 19th
 9:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
 1:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.
 4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

For other days, please call the office to schedule.
 Not able to come in this day? Check out the Archdiocese of Toronto Website for Confession



AN ENGAGING JOURNEY THROUGH THE BIBLE

Thursday, December 20th
at 6:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall

2019 ENVELOPES ARE READY

The envelopes for 2019 are available in the parish hall. If you do not see your name please contact the office.

Please check that your name and address are correct and **please do not use** the envelopes before January 1st as your number may have changed.



GIFTS OF SECURITIES

If you have appreciated publicly traded securities that you don't want to pay capital gains tax on, consider using them to make your offertory gift for 2018. The Development Office of the Archdiocese of Toronto can assist you on this. You can also use securities to consolidate all of your other Church giving. If you make an annual gift to ShareLife, for example, we will arrange to have your parish credited with your gift.

To learn more or to ask for a donation form, please call the Development Office at 416-934-3411 or visit www.archtoronto.org/development/ to download the form.

To ensure that you receive a 2018 charitable tax receipt, the completed form should reach our office by 10 a.m. on Friday, December 21st – by email: development@archtoronto.org; or fax 416-934-3412.



FREE PREVIEW OF SALT + LIGHT TV

In celebration of our 15th anniversary, Salt + Light TV is available on a free preview from participating cable and satellite providers across Canada until the end of December 2018. Salt + Light TV programming unites people together through prayer, celebration, thought-provoking reporting and stories of faith and action. Tune in and grow in the knowledge of our faith and Catholic tradition in its many expressions.

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or online at

www.saltandlighttv.org/subscribe.

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And announce the Good News to His People as John the Baptist did? If you think God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact Fr. Chris Lemieux, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto
 Phone: 416-968-0997 Email: vocations@archtoronto.org
 Website: www.vocationstoronto.ca

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