

# HOLY REDEEMER PARISH

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

**SECRETARY:** Nicolette Alfonso      **YOUTH MINISTER:** Bianca Hutchinson

**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

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

**LITURGICAL AND FAITH FORMATION:**

<b>Altar Linens</b>	Mary David & Virginia Beasley	905-839-9774
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Hugh Fulton	905-831-6381
	Dorothea Ritchie	905-509-2776
<b>Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (Atrium)</b>	Dorothea Ritchie	905-509-2776
<b>Confirmation &amp; First Communion</b>	Deacon Robert Partridge	905-839-9774
	Dorothea Ritchie	905-509-2776
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Angela Kirby	905-839-9774
<b>Hospitality (Greeters &amp; Ushers)</b>	Simone Petty	416-451-9039
<b>Lectors</b>	Angela Kirby	905-839-9774
<b>Liturgy of the Word for Children</b>	Dorothea Ritchie	905-509-2776
<b>RCIA</b>	Parish Office	905-839-9774

**PASTORAL:**

<b>Catholic Women's Guild</b>	Patricia Beauvais	905-420-5665
<b>Church Choirs:</b>	Jamie Kettrick	905-213-5724
<b>Collection Counters</b>	Angela Kirby	905-839-9774
<b>Couples for Christ (CFC)</b>	Al Basilio	905-239-5771
<b>Couples for Christ (Youth)</b>	Fred Galano	416-708-9907
<b>Cursillo</b>	Shona O'Brien	647-529-5992
<b>Foundations for Family Life</b>	Jun Almeyda	905-428-3352
<b>Gift Shop</b>	Lear Cardoz	905-839-9774
<b>Knights of Columbus</b>	Errol Jennings	905-831-0512
<b>Legion of Mary</b>	Inga Spinoti	416-880-1252
<b>Provide-a-Meal (P.A.M.)</b>	Stephanie Newitt	905-831-6525
<b>St. Vincent de Paul Society</b>	Alan Berlie	905-839-9774
<b>St. Vincent Palotti's Kitchen</b>	Mary Bridgeman	905-839-4762
<b>Young Adults Ministry</b>	Erica and Carlyn Figueiredo	<a href="mailto:hrpyoungadults@gmail.com">hrpyoungadults@gmail.com</a>

**New Parishioners Welcome:**

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

# DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY      APRIL 28<sup>TH</sup>, 2019

Year "C" Acts 5.12-16; Revelation 1.9-11a, 12-13, 17-19; John 20.19-31

**ENTRANCE ANTIPHON (1 PETER 2.2):** LIKE NEWBORN INFANTS, YOU MUST LONG FOR THE PURE, SPIRITUAL MILK, THAT IN HIM YOU MAY GROW TO SALVATION, ALLELUIA.



"Yes, the first Sunday after Easter is the Feast of Mercy, but there must also be acts of mercy . . . . .

I am giving you three ways of exercising mercy towards your neighbor:  
first by deed, second by word, and third by prayer."

(Divine Mercy Diary of St. Faustina-Notebook 11 #742)

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT TO THE LESS FORTUNATE.

## Catholic Women's Guild

### CWG'S GENERAL MEETING AND FUN NIGHT: MONDAY, APRIL 29<sup>TH</sup> AT 7 PM

Come out and play a variety of games including shuffle board, hole-in-one golf, bean bag toss and bingo.

The proceeds from this evening will be going towards the Prayer Shawl Ministry.

All ladies of the parish are welcome to attend.

ARCHDIOCESAN  
DAY OF PRAYER  
FOR VOCATIONS

MAY 3, 2019

### FIRST FRIDAY MASS: MAY 3<sup>RD</sup>

Every First Friday we celebrate Holy Hour and we say a special prayer for vocations. This year, May 3<sup>rd</sup> is the Archdiocesan Day of prayer for vocations and it falls on the first Friday of the

month. We invite families from our parish to come and together with the Archdiocese to pray

1. For an increase in vocations to the priesthood and religious life;
2. For the right discernment of vocations; and
3. For endurance in vocations already committed.

HOLY HOUR BEGINS AT 6:30 P.M. FOLLOWED BY MASS 7:30 P.M.



### 1<sup>ST</sup> SATURDAY FATIMA DEVOTION: SATURDAY, MAY 4<sup>TH</sup>

CONFESSION/ROSARY: 8:30AM

MASS: 9:00 AM



### LIVING THE GOSPEL BY WELCOMING NEWCOMERS TO CANADA

Jane endured years of domestic abuse while living in Egypt. Fearing her husband would abuse their children, she successfully applied for refugee status in Canada.

Jane arrived in Toronto, not knowing the language, what to do, or who could help. Fortunately, she met an Arabic speaker who told her about Catholic Cross-cultural Services (CCS). CCS helped her navigate the immigration process and access the resources she needed. "CCS saved my life," Jane says. "Today I have money of my own, an apartment, and my children are finally safe and happy."

Next Sunday, May 5 is ShareLife Sunday. Your generosity always makes a big difference.

Parish Goal: \$ 56,800

Collection to Date: \$ 20,896.91



### P.A.M. (PROVIDE-A-MEAL)

The next casserole pick-up date is **Tuesday, May 7<sup>th</sup>** from 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. in the parish hall. If you are unable to come during this time you may drop the casserole on **Wednesday, May 8<sup>th</sup>** by 9 am. We thank you for your commitment each month to feed the homeless at the Good Shepherd Centre. *May God bless you for your generosity!*



## Mother's DAY



### MOTHER'S DAY CAKE WALK

SUNDAY, MAY 12<sup>TH</sup>

Holy Redeemer's CWG is holding its 14<sup>th</sup> annual Mother's Day Cake Walk on **SUNDAY, MAY 12.**

There will be over 40 delicious cakes raffled off after the 11:00 Mass. Tickets for this event will be available after all Masses on May 4 & 5, as well as, May 11 & 12.

*Ticket prices are \$2 each 4 for \$5 and 10 for \$9.*

**ALL PROCEEDS GO TO  
HOLY REDEEMER'S BUILDING FUND.**



There will be a second collection for the building fund on **May 11/12.**

*Your generosity is greatly appreciated.*



### FATIMA ANNIVERSARY: MONDAY, MAY 13

"Evening Prayer with Mary" from 7:00 - 8:00 PM. Everyone is invited to join the Legion of Mary praying "Little Office of the Blessed Virgin Mary" and the Rosary in honor of the 101<sup>st</sup> anniversary of Fatima.

## SACRAMENT INFORMATION:



### CONFIRMATION REHEARSAL

THURSDAY JUNE 6, 7:00 P.M.

### CELEBRATION OF CONFIRMATION

PENTECOST SUNDAY  
JUNE 9, 1:30 P.M.



### FIRST COMMUNION REHEARSAL

THURSDAY JUNE 13, 7:00 P.M.

### FIRST RECONCILIATION

THURSDAY JUNE 20, 7:00 P.M.

### FIRST COMMUNION CELEBRATION

SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY BODY AND  
BLOOD OF CHRIST (CORPUS CHRISTI)  
SUNDAY JUNE 23, 1:30 P.M.

### MAY: MONTH OF THE ROSARY

“The rosary is the book of the blind, where souls see and there enact the greatest drama of love the world has ever known; it is the book of the simple, which initiates them into mysteries and knowledge more satisfying than the education of other men; it is the book of the aged, whose eyes close upon the shadow of this world, and open on the substance of the next. The power of the rosary is beyond description.” – *Archbishop Fulton Sheen*



Thomas believed because he saw Jesus. What will it take for you to respond to God's Call to priesthood or consecrated life? 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](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org)

Website: [www.vocationstoronto.ca](http://www.vocationstoronto.ca)

## MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS



### SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER (DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY)

SATURDAY, APRIL 27<sup>TH</sup>

5 p.m. + PETER & AGNES PUHALSKI & FAMILY

SUNDAY, APRIL 28<sup>TH</sup>

9 a.m. + CAROL BRAYSHAW

11 a.m. MASS FOR THE PEOPLE

5 p.m. + PEDRO GOROSPE

MONDAY, APRIL 29<sup>TH</sup>

*Memorial of Saint Catherine Of Siena, Virgin, Doctor*

8:30 a.m. + CAROL BRAYSHAW

TUESDAY, APRIL 30<sup>TH</sup>

*Memorial of Saint Marie De L'Incarnation, Religious*

8:30 a.m. + CAROL BRAYSHAW

WEDNESDAY, MAY 1<sup>ST</sup>

*International Worker's Day*

7:30 p.m. + WAYNE NOONAN

THURSDAY, MAY 2<sup>ND</sup>

*Memorial of St. Athanasius, Bishop / Doctor*

8:30 a.m. + ALBERTO SILVA

FRIDAY, MAY 3<sup>RD</sup>

*First Friday: Feast of St. Philip & St. James, Apostles*

8:30 a.m. INT. LINA & MICHAEL LAROQUE

7:30 p.m. SPECIAL INTENTIONS: DAY OF VOCATIONS

SATURDAY, MAY 4<sup>TH</sup>

9 a.m. + UNANNOUNCED

### THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

SATURDAY, MAY 5<sup>TH</sup>

5 p.m. + BENT & ODA NIELSON AND FAMILY

SUNDAY, MAY 6<sup>TH</sup>

9 a.m. + MARIO FERNANDES

11 a.m. MASS FOR THE PEOPLE

5 p.m. + ANDREA FERNANDES

*Book your Mass offering at the parish office for June to November*

### I'M STILL HERE

#### A RESEARCH-BASED DRAMA ON LIVING WITH DEMENTIA

Date & Time: Thursday, May 9 at 7:30 p.m.

Written by: Vernia Ivonoffski

At: St. Joseph's Catholic Church- Highland Creek  
(200 Morrish Road, Scarborough, ON M1C 1E8)

Tickets: \$ 10.00

Please call: Parish Office (416) 282-0370



Catholic Education Week 2019 begins on  
**Sunday, May 5.**

*More information on the bulletin boards & in next weekend's bulletin!*



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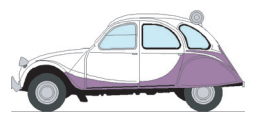
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