



HOLY REDEEMER PARISH

796 Eyer Drive, Pickering, Ontario L1W 3C2

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website: 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

Deacon Assistant: Deacon Nicholas Daunt

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

Youth Minister: Krista Holder youthhrp@gmail.com

Bookkeeper: Rene Ng 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

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

MINISTRIES AND SERVICES IN OUR PARISH

Pastoral Council	Parish Office	905-839-9774	STEWARDSHIP		
Liturgical			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.)		APOSTOLATES		
	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	Patricia Beauvais	905-420-5665
	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 (Youth Choir- Saturday 5 p.m.)	647-457-1107	Provide-a-Meal (P.A.M.)	Stephanie Newitt	905-831-6525
	Tatjana Smrekar (Senior Choir- Sunday 11 a.m.)	416-333-9641	St. Vincent Palotti's Kitchen		905 839 9774
FAITH FORMATION			MOVEMENTS		
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 Almeyda	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.

Christmas Tree Lighting



THIS YEAR THE LIGHTING OF THE CHRISTMAS TREES AND
THE CHRISTMAS CONCERT WILL BE HELD TOGETHER
THIS SUNDAY, DECEMBER 11TH AT 7 P.M.

All are invited to join in this very special evening! As in the past, there will readings and several Carols to put us all in the Christmas Spirit.



While the Christmas Season will be joyful and fun, be sure to remember the Reason for the Season. Please Keep Christ in Christmas as we celebrate the birth of our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ

KEEP CHRIST IN CHRISTMAS BUTTONS AND MAGNETS WILL BE AVAILABLE
AT THE CONCERT FOR A DONATION



CATHOLIC WOMEN'S GUILD CHRISTMAS POTLUCK DINNER: MONDAY, DECEMBER 19TH

Ladies, our December Pot Luck will be held on Monday, December 19th at 6:30 pm. Bring your favourite dish, cutlery, plates and Joy. Contact Myrtle Noonan for information.

We are asking for small hygiene items or socks this year for the Herizon House.

Don't forget your membership dues of \$15.00.



CONFIRMATION ENROLMENT CEREMONY

FOR ALL
CANDIDATES

Will take place in the church
Tuesday, December 20th at 7 pm
followed by the Sacrament of
Reconciliation

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Saturday, December 10	5:00 p.m.	+ GERALD TAYLOR
	9:00 a.m.	+ MARGARET GALANTE & MANUEL VEERA
Sunday, December 11	11 a.m.	MASS FOR THE PEOPLE
	5:00 p.m.	+ ANTONIO & GIUSEPPINA

Monday, December 12	8:30 a.m.	THANKSGIVING FOR FAVOURS RECEIVED
Tuesday, December 13	8:30 a.m.	THANKSGIVING FOR 41 ST ANNIVERSARY: GLENN & PURA ROCES
Wednesday, December 14	6:30 p.m.	HOLY HOUR
	7:30 p.m.	+ BARBARA FERNANDEZ
Thursday, December 15	8:30 a.m.	+ BILL BRIDGEMAN
Friday, December 16	8:30 a.m.	+ LEANOR LEON

FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Saturday, December 17	5:00 p.m.	+ MARGARET GALANTE
	9:00 a.m.	+ AUDREY BERLIE
Sunday, December 18	11 a.m.	MASS FOR THE PEOPLE
	5:00 p.m.	+ PEDRO GOROSPE



**SUNDAY DONATION ENVELOPES ARE AVAILABLE FOR
PICK UP IN THE PARISH HALL**

The boxes are placed in alphabetical order.

COMMENCE USING YOUR 2023 ENVELOPES ON JANUARY 1ST

Please check your box before you take it home to make sure your mailing address is correct.

2022 Tax receipts will be issued for donations given for the 2022 calendar year, January 1st to December 31st, 2022. Tax receipts will be mailed out to the address we have on file for you.

For any concerns or if you do not find your box or if you would like to join our Sunday offertory program connect with Nicolette at the parish office.



A BIG THANK YOU TO ALL THOSE WHO PARTICIPATED IN THE CHRISTMAS BAZAAR WHICH WAS A BIG SUCCESS DUE TO OUR VENDORS.

Thanks also to all those who have donated items for the event. Last but not least thanks to all our volunteers too.

May you all have a meaningful Christmas and a peaceful New Year!

Lear{Gift Shop Coordinator}

CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday, December 24th

(Christmas Eve Masses)

5 p.m., 8 p.m. & 12 Midnight

Sunday, December 25th

(Christmas Day)

9 a.m. & 11 a.m.

No 5 p.m. Mass

Monday, December 26th *(Feast of St. Stephen): 9 a.m.*

Tuesday, December 27th *(Feast of St. John): 9 a.m.*

NEW YEAR MASS TIMES

Saturday, December 31st

(New Year's Eve): 5 p.m.

Sunday, January 1st

(Solemnity of Mary, The Holy Mother of God)

9 a.m., 11 a.m. & 5 p.m.

Monday, January 2nd *(Memorial of Sts Basil the Great & Gregory Nazianzen): 9 a.m.*



GIFT SHOP

Christmas Lucky Dip

One Ticket: \$2.00

Three Tickets: \$5.00

First Prize: Nativity Holy Family.

Second: Our Lady with Child (Blue Colour)

Third: Our Lady with Child (White Colour)



**For Volunteer
Not-for-Profit
Organizations**

Franciscans

Video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zxHuEU-Efbc&t=28s>

ADVENT DAY OF CONFESSION



This Advent, each parish in the Archdiocese of Toronto will be having a Day of Confessions. At our parish it will be on **Thursday, December 15th** at the following times:

11am to 1pm, 2 pm to 4pm, 5pm to 7pm

For other days, please call the office to schedule.

Also check out the Archdiocese of Toronto Website for Confession Dates at parishes close to the area where you are!



LAMP OFFERING

You may offer the Sanctuary Lamp for a week long period of time, either for the intentions of or for the repose of a soul.

DECEMBER 11 TO 17

SANCTUARY LAMP: FOR THE SPECIAL INTENTIONS OF THE NAUGHTON FAMILY

OUR LADY OF FATIMA LAMP- AVAILABLE

Stipend is \$10 per week and the intention will be included on the bulletin board.



SHARELIFE AGENCIES NEED YOUR SUPPORT, NOW MORE THAN EVER

NEW: Your year-end gift will double in value! From now until the end of 2022, your contribution to our parish's ShareLife campaign will be matched by an anonymous donor up to a total of \$1 million.

Did you know that, through your support, no one is turned away from ShareLife-funded agencies due to inability to pay? One of these agencies whose work you make possible is Catholic Crosscultural Services (CCS). "The pandemic has affected the newcomer and refugee communities we serve greatly," the agency reports. Thanks to you, CCS continued its settlement and mental health services for this marginalized population without interruption.

Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate.

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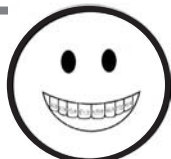
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