



# HOLY REDEEMER PARISH

796 Eyer Drive, Pickering, Ontario L1W 3C2

905-839-9774

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## 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 (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
<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 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.

## MAY 21<sup>ST</sup> – THE ASCENSION OF OUR LORD



THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD		
SATURDAY, MAY 20	5 P.M.	+STEPHEN MRUMA & PETRONILA DAUDI
SUNDAY, MAY 21	9 A.M.	+MARGARET GALANTE
	11 A.M.	MASS FOR THE PEOPLE
	5 P.M.	+ANDREA FERNANDES
MONDAY, MAY 22 VICTORIA DAY	9 A.M.	+ RETA STONE
TUESDAY, MAY 23	8:30 A.M.	+ GILLES JEAN
WEDNESDAY, MAY 24	6:30 P.M.	HOLY HOUR
	7:30 P.M.	+CARLA BORROMEO
THURSDAY, MAY 25	8:30 A.M.	THANKSGIVING FOR JOEL PEREIRA
FRIDAY, MAY 26 SAINT PHILIP NERI, PRIEST	8:30 A.M.	+LOUIE ANDRADE
PENTECOST SUNDAY		
SATURDAY, MAY 27	5 P.M.	+JOHN D'SOUZA
SUNDAY, MAY 28	9 A.M.	+ ANTONIO & GIUSEPPINA VALERIO
	11 A.M.	MASS FOR THE PEOPLE
	2 P.M.	SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION
	5 P.M.	+AGATHA FERNANDES

The parish office is currently taking Mass Intention offerings by phone or email for Masses from July to December 2023



JESUS SAID, "REMEMBER, I AM WITH YOU ALWAYS, TO THE END OF THE AGE."

IF YOU ARE DISCERNING GOD'S CALL FOR THE PRIESTHOOD, DIACONATE AND CONSECRATED LIFE, CONTACT FR. MATT MCCARTHY, DIRECTOR OF VOCATIONS, ARCHDIOCESE OF TORONTO  
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ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM  
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS  
(Council 11729)

### FOOD DRIVE- MAY 5 AND 6

THANK YOU –YOUR GENEROSITY IN SUPPORTING THOSE IN NEED IS AMAZING.  
On Tuesday May 9, brother Knights delivered more than 20 boxes of food to the St Paul-on-The Hill food bank from the donations at the church on that weekend.

### BARBEQUE SUNDAY; JUNE 3/4

The Holy Redeemer Knights of Columbus invite you to our complimentary barbeque after the Saturday, 5 PM Mass and Sunday 9 AM and 11 AM Masses. Let the Knights cook, dinner, breakfast, or lunch for you, while you get to know your fellow parishioners.  
The menu: Hamburgers, Hot dogs, Sausages, Pea meal bacon on a bun, Drinks (Soda pop, water, coffee & tea)  
Free will offerings (donations) will be accepted.



### MARYLAKE- THE ROSARY PATH

The Knights of Columbus want to take you on a road trip on Monday, July 3<sup>rd</sup> at 10:30 a.m. and arrive back by 7 p.m.  
It will be a day to pray, to picnic (there will be an area reserved for us, kindly bring your own food), and enjoy a holy place. On June 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> (our BBQ weekend), you will be asked to pay \$10 per person to reserve your spot on the bus. When you get on the bus, you will get you \$10 back!  
The Rosary Path is at Keele and Bloomingdale. You can drive up yourself If you wish.

May is the Month of  
Mary!

Let's honour our mother  
by being a bead in a  
Living Rosary!

Praying together with  
family, friends and the  
parishioners of Holy  
Redeemer.



When:  
Sunday May 21<sup>st</sup>, 2023  
12pm  
(after the 11am Mass)

Where:  
Holy Redeemer Hall

See you there!

SOMETIMES CALLED  
The Angelical Salutation  
OR  
Ave Maria

Hail, Mary!  
Full of grace,  
The Lord is with thee;  
Blessed are thou  
among women,  
And blessed is the fruit  
of thy womb, Jesus.

Because she gives us Jesus,  
her son, Mary is the Mother  
of God and also our mother.  
We can entrust all our cares and  
petitions to her. By doing so,  
we abandon ourselves to the will  
of God together with her:  
"Thy will be done."

Holy Mary,  
Mother of God,  
Pray for us sinners,  
Now and at the  
hour of our death.

By asking Mary to pray for us,  
we recognize that we are sinners.  
We give ourselves over to her  
now and surrender even the  
hour of our death to her care.

It is God himself, through the  
angel Gabriel, who greets Mary.  
This greeting shows God's  
regard for his humble servant  
and the joy he finds in her.

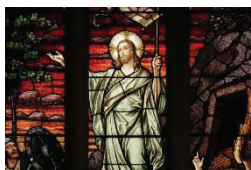
The grace with which Mary is  
filled is the presence of Jesus,  
the source of all grace.

Mary is blessed among  
women because she believed in  
the fulfillment of the Lord's word.  
Because of her faith, she  
became the mother of all  
believers, through whom all  
nations of the earth receive him  
who is God's own blessing:  
Jesus, the fruit of thy womb.

May Mary be there as she was at her son's  
death on the cross. May she welcome us as  
our mother at the hour of our passing to  
lead us to her son, Jesus, in paradise.

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Risen Jesus, you conquered hatred with love, by embracing suffering even to death and beyond to Resurrection. While all kinds of evil tempt us to give up on love, your Resurrection proclaims that love always wins. Help us to choose love with reckless abandon, a sign and a proclamation of our faith in you. Amen. Alleluia!



## FUND RAISING

**Sunday, May 28th after the  
9 am and 11 am Mass**

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### A REMINDER FOR VICTORIA DAY:

**MONDAY, MAY 22**

Our Morning Mass will be celebrated at 9 am, and the parish office will be closed

### IMPORTANT DATES FOR CANDIDATES PREPARING FOR THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION



Confirmation Rehearsal &  
Reconciliation:

Tuesday, May 23<sup>rd</sup> at 7 pm

Sacrament of Confirmation:

Sunday, May 28<sup>th</sup> at 2 pm



### CANDLE LAMP OFFERING:

**MAY 21<sup>ST</sup> TO 27<sup>TH</sup>**

**SANCTUARY LAMP OFFERING &  
OUR LADY OF FATIMA LAMP:**

*For the repose of the soul of Carla Borromeo*

CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO  
MAKE A CANDLE LAMP OFFERING

## SHARELIFE AND WORLD COMMUNICATIONS DAY



On this World Communications Day, your support of ShareLife is improving the lives of Deaf people in our community. More than 60% of families with a Deaf child do not know or use a signing language. Silent Voice, a ShareLife agency, is able to provide an array of accessible programs and services, responding to the needs of Deaf adults, youth, children, infants, and their families in American Sign Language (ASL). This is because of you. The help and support you give brings hope and changes many lives. Thank you for your generosity. Thus far we have raised **\$24,343.35** toward our goal of **\$55,000**. Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at [sharelife.org/donate](http://sharelife.org/donate). **THANK YOU FOR LIVING THE GOSPEL!**

### SEEING WITH HEART - A DAY OF REFLECTION FOR PARENTS OF LGBT YOUNG ADULTS

**SATURDAY, JUNE 3, 2023: 9:00AM - 4:00PM**

MANRESA JESUIT SPIRITUAL RENEWAL CENTRE (2325 LIVERPOOL RD., PICKERING)

This day of reflection will provide parents with an opportunity to share their stories, listen to presentations from an experienced Catholic priest, reflect on the gifts and talents of their children, and participate in group discussions. The day ends with Mass. We hope to provide a relaxed and supportive environment for parents to meet and interact with other parents, reflect and discuss concerns, learn about resources, strengthen their love, and grow closer to God. Facilitator: Fr. Tom Rosica, CSB. A suggested offering of \$65 per person. Includes lunch. For more information or to Register: Call Mike Hyland - 647-296-2499



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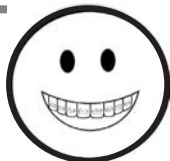


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