



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	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
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.

SEPTEMBER 24TH: 25TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME (STEWARDSHIP SUNDAY)



MASS INTENTIONS

SEPT. 23TH TO OCT. 1ST

TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME		
Saturday, Sept. 23	5 p.m.	IN THANKSGIVING FOR MARRIED LIFE AND FOR THE INTENTIONS OF THE PETTY FAMILY
Sunday, Sept. 24	9 a.m.	+ DAVE FRETZ
	11 a.m.	MASS FOR THE PEOPLE
	5 p.m.	+ HANS VAN LEEUWEN
Monday, Sept. 25	8:30 a.m.	+ VINCENZO DI STEFANO
Tuesday, Sept. 26 <i>St Jean Brébeuf & St Isaac Jogues, Priests, Companions, Martyrs</i>	8:30 a.m.	+ ALL SOULS IN PURGATORY
Wednesday, Sept. 27 <i>Saint Vincent de Paul, Priest</i>	6:30 p.m.	HOLY HOUR
	7:30 p.m.	+ BLANCHE KAUNDS
Thursday, Sept. 28	8:30 a.m.	+ ESPERANCE D'MELLO
Friday, Sept. 29 <i>St Michael, St Gabriel, & St Raphael, Archangels</i>	8:30 a.m.	+ CAJETAN & PHYLICIA PACHEO
TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME		
Saturday, Sept. 30	5 p.m.	+ W.M. HARRY LUCKETT
Sunday, Oct. 01	9 a.m.	+ MARGARET GALANTE
	11 a.m.	MASS FOR THE PEOPLE
	5 p.m.	INT. LEAR CARDOZ

For Mass Bookings for November & December, kindly contact the parish office by phone or email

MOROCCO AND LIBYA - HUMANITARIAN RELIEF

HUMANITARIAN AID FOR MOROCCO- The Archdiocese of Toronto will accept donations and channel funds through our Catholic partners in Morocco to support relief efforts underway.

Those wishing to help may do so in the following ways:

- Online through the Archdiocese of Toronto website – www.archtoronto.org
- By phone through the Development Office – 416-934-3411
- Through the parish, making cheques payable to: Holy Redeemer Parish – Morocco Earthquake - Humanitarian Relief

HUMANITARIAN AID FOR LIBYA - Currently, our Catholic partners are not present in Libya to coordinate relief efforts and as such we are unable to accept donations to aid those affected by the flooding at this time. For those wishing to offer support to the people of Libya, please consider a gift through the Canadian Red Cross in the following ways:

- Online through the Red Cross website – www.redcross.ca
- By phone through the Red Cross – 1-800-418-1111

Please continue to pray for those who have died, for those who are missing or displaced because of these tragic disasters in both Morocco and Libya and for all who are working hard to provide relief and rescue in both locations.



TODAY- 2ND COLLECTION FOR THE NEEDS OF THE CHURCH IN CANADA

The annual Collection for the Needs of the Church in Canada will be held this Sunday. Your gifts are used by the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops to represent Canadian Catholics in national and international pastoral activity. Thank you for your support of this important work.



KNIGHTS KORNER

The Knights of Columbus would like to thank everyone for attending the **BBQ** on Saturday, September 17 and Sunday, September 18. It was great to see everyone together having fun as a church community and re-uniting with friends which you may not have seen during the long summer. We also want to thank you for your generous donations which will be used to help our parishes various ministries as well as those the less fortunate in our community.

Thanks again, Knights of Columbus Council 11729

Catholic Women's Guild

The Catholic Women's Guild would like to welcome everyone back to a new season of community sharing. Our **General Meeting** will be Monday, September 25 at 7 pm in the church hall. See you there.



NEXT MEETING

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 27TH AT 10 A.M.

All are welcome, come out and learn more

NATIONAL DAY FOR TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION – SEPTEMBER 30, 2023

The National Day for Truth and Reconciliation takes place each year on September 30. At St. Ann's parish in Toronto, home to the Native People's Mission, a special Mass will be held on October 1, 2023, at 12:30 p.m. - all are welcome to attend.



INDIGENOUS HEALING & RECONCILIATION

FUND COLLECTION : SEPT. 30TH / OCT. 1ST

Catholics throughout the Archdiocese of Toronto are invited to participate in the collection being held the weekend of Sept. 30/Oct. 1 to support the Indigenous Healing & Reconciliation Fund. The collection is a national grassroots effort to assist healing and reconciliation with Indigenous Peoples of This Land. Funds will support culture and language revitalization, education and community building, healing and reconciliation for communities and families and dialogue involving Indigenous elders, spiritual leaders and youth with a focus on Indigenous spirituality and culture. This is an opportunity to follow the invitation of the Holy Father for each one of us to become engaged in the healing and reconciliation journey.

For more information or to donate online, visit:

www.archtoronto.org/healingandreconciliation.

Thank you for your generosity.



ANNUAL DAY OF PUBLIC WITNESS FOR CHILDREN KILLED BY ABORTION

Life Chain is held simultaneously in ~300 locations across Canada each year. Please mark your calendar—the next Life Chain will be on **Sunday, October 1, 2023 from 2-3 pm** in most locations.

Please join us to silently and prayerfully intercede to the Lord to end abortion and heal our nation, to partner our love and protection with God for local Preborns and to witness for the millions lost in Canada through abortion at Hwy. #2 (Kingston Road) and Whites Road from 2 p.m.-3 p.m. Contact Bill Myers at 905-837-1816 or (cell) 289-923-9097 for Holy Redeemer Parish.

RENEW TORONTO is a conference for all young adults ages 19-39 taking place on Saturday, November 4, 2023 at Canada Christian College. The day includes keynotes by Jackie & Bobby Angel, worship lead by Steadfast Worship, various workshop speakers, Confessions, Mass, Eucharistic Adoration, and fellowship. This conference offers unique opportunities for students, young adult professionals, and young couples. Renew your heart. Renew your call. Renew our community. Registration now open! Early bird pricing until Sept 29. For more information and to register, visit: www.renewtoronto.org or email: youth@archtoronto.org

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CONFERENCE
FOR AGES 19-39**



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**EARLY BIRD
REGISTRATION
AUG 14
- SEP 29**

NOURISH: CARING FOR THE CAREGIVER

St. John the Evangelist Parish, 903 Giffard Street, Whitby. Virtually every one of us will care for a loved one at some time in our life. Though rewarding, it's not always easy. Nourish for Caregivers is for anyone juggling the challenges of everyday life, health, career and caring for an aging parent, spouse, child or grandparent, in town or at a distance. Nourish provides caregivers a faith perspective, as well as practical and emotional support, useful tools, and share experience. Discover the blessings that come from caring for another. Please join us for a meeting Monday, Oct. 2 at St. John the Evangelist Parish (St. Joseph's Room) at 7:30pm.

For more information please visit www.NourishForCaregivers.com, or St. John the Evangelist office 905-668-3676 or email: stjohntheevangelistwh@archtoronto.org



VOCATION SEEDS: "Seek the Lord while he may be found..." While searching, listen; could it be that you are being called to serve as a priest, deacon, sister or brother?

If God is calling you contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997, vocations@archtoronto.org, www.vocationstoronto.ca

ShareLife

COMBATING HUNGER THROUGH YOUR COMPASSION

Many of our brothers and sisters grapple with the daily challenge of putting food on the table. In response to their urgent need, ShareLife has launched the Food Security Grants – dedicating over half a million dollars to combat hunger. Your compassionate support of our parish's ShareLife Campaign will make possible this bold action. We have currently raised **\$42,534.80** towards our suggested goal of \$ 55,000. Please support our fight against hunger at sharelife.org/donate or by giving at the parish with a ShareLife envelope. Thank you for heeding the Lord's call to feed the hungry in our community and beyond.

CELEBRATION OF THE SOLEMNITY OF ST. MICHAEL & CONFERRAL OF THE PALLIUM UPON THE MOST REV. FRANCIS LEO

The Archdiocese of Toronto celebrates the feast day of our archdiocesan patron, St. Michael, on Friday, September 29, 2023. All are welcome to join in a special celebration on that day at 5:30 p.m. at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica (65 Bond St.). Archbishop Francis Leo will celebrate Mass, with music from the world-renowned St. Michael's Choir School. As part of the celebration, the Apostolic Nuncio to Canada, the Most Rev. Ivan Jurković will confer the pallium on our archbishop, a symbol of his role as Metropolitan Archbishop of Toronto and shepherd to the faithful. Following Mass, there will be an informal reception with light refreshments in the St. Michael's Cathedral atrium and courtyard. Seating will be first come, first served. All are welcome to join in this special celebration for our archdiocese and archbishop!



You may offer the Sanctuary Lamp or the Our Lady of Fatima Lamp for a week long period of time, either for the intentions of or for the repose of a soul. Stipend is \$10 per week and the intention will be included on the bulletin board. **THE VOTIVE CANDLES** are offered as below:

SANCTUARY LAMP	Sept. 24-30	IN THANKSGIVING FOR THE BLESSINGS RECEIVED
OUR LADY OF FATIMA LAMP		INT. LYDIA D'SOUZA (75 TH BIRTHDAY)
SANCTUARY LAMP	Oct. 1-7	+ TERENCE ALPHONSO
OUR LADY OF FATIMA LAMP		+ CARLA BORROMEO

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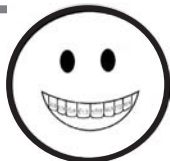


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