



# 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 ( <i>Youth Choir- Saturday 5 p.m.</i> )  | 647-457-1107 | Provide-a-Meal (P.A.M.)       | Stephanie Newitt                    | 905-831-6525 |
|                                          | Tatjana Smrekar ( <i>Senior Choir- Sunday 11 a.m.</i> ) | 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 Almeida                         | 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 19<sup>TH</sup>, 2024- PENTECOST SUNDAY**



**SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION**

On Sunday, May 19<sup>th</sup> at 2 p.m., those young people who have been preparing for the Sacrament of Confirmation will be receiving the Sacrament in the presence of their family and friends. In Confirmation the bishop seals us, the baptized, with the Gift of the Holy Spirit. We ask that all parishioners remember them in your prayers.



**MONDAY, MAY 20<sup>TH</sup> VICTORIA DAY**

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

**ADJUSTED OFFICE HOURS**

Please note that from Tuesday, May 21<sup>st</sup> to Friday, May 24<sup>th</sup>, updated office hours will be followed as Nicolette will be away.

- Tuesday, May 21<sup>st</sup> – 9 am to 12 noon
- Wednesday, May 22<sup>nd</sup> – Office Closed
- Thursday, May 23<sup>rd</sup> – 9 am to 12 noon
- Friday, May 24<sup>th</sup> – 9 am to 12 noon



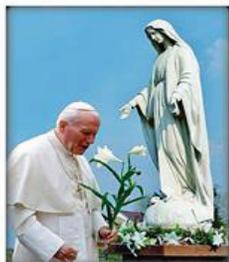
Please note that the office volunteers are only covering for Nicolette and they may not always have responses to all of your enquires, in that case please wait for Nicolette.

**MAY IS THE MONTH OF MARY**



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WE, THE LEGION OF MARY, WOULD LIKE TO INVITE YOU TO PARTICIPATE IN A DISCUSSION ABOUT THE ST. LOUIS DE MONTFORT METHOD OF MARIAN CONSECRATION



**SUNDAY MAY 26<sup>TH</sup>, 2024**

AT 2:30 PM IN THE AFTERNOON      HOLY REDEEMER 796 EYER DRIVE

“Mary has produced, together with the Holy Ghost, the greatest thing which has been or ever will be—a God-Man; and she will consequently produce the greatest saints that there will be in the end of time.”

— Louis de Montfort, True Devotion to Mary: With Preparation for Total Consecration

ALL ARE WELCOME TO JOIN US TO PARTICIPATE IN AN OPEN DISCUSSION, AND SHARE IN FELLOWSHIP.

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION INFORMATION**



**SACRAMENT CELEBRATION:**

SATURDAY, JUNE 1<sup>ST</sup>  
10 a.m.: Fr. Fenelon School  
2 p.m.: St. Monica School & Other Schools

**Mass Intentions SATURDAY, MAY 18<sup>TH</sup> TO SUNDAY, MAY 26<sup>TH</sup>**

The Parish Office is currently taking Mass offerings for August to December by phone/email

| DATE                         | DAY                                                                                                      | MASS TIME | MASS INTENTION                                                |
|------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|---------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>PENTECOST SUNDAY</b>      |                                                                                                          |           |                                                               |
| 18                           | Saturday                                                                                                 | 5 P.M.    | + MARGARET BRIDGER                                            |
|                              |                                                                                                          | 9 A.M.    | + ANGELO LICITRA                                              |
|                              |                                                                                                          | 11 A.M.   | MASS FOR THE PEOPLE                                           |
|                              |                                                                                                          | 5 P.M.    | + ANNETTE O'CONNOR                                            |
| 20                           | Monday                                                                                                   | 9 A.M.    | + STEPHEN MRUMA, PETRONILA DAUDI, SALISTA MNDEME & LUKA MRUMA |
|                              | <i>The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother Of The Church</i>                                                     |           |                                                               |
| 21                           | Tuesday                                                                                                  | 8:30 A.M. | + JOHN KUK                                                    |
|                              | <i>Saint Christopher Magallanes, Priest, And Companions, Martyrs<br/>Saint Eugène De Mazenod, Bishop</i> |           |                                                               |
| 22                           | Wednesday                                                                                                | 6:30 P.M. | HOLY HOUR                                                     |
|                              |                                                                                                          | 7:30 P.M. | + UNANNOUNCED                                                 |
|                              | <i>Saint Rita Of Cassia, Religious</i>                                                                   |           |                                                               |
| 23                           | Thursday                                                                                                 | 8:30 A.M. | + UNANNOUNCED                                                 |
| 24                           | Friday                                                                                                   | 8:30 A.M. | + WILLIAM LUTTER                                              |
|                              | <i>Blessed Louis-Zéphirin Moreau, Bishop</i>                                                             |           |                                                               |
| <b>THE MOST HOLY TRINITY</b> |                                                                                                          |           |                                                               |
| 25                           | Saturday                                                                                                 | 5 P.M.    | + BOB PALLANIK                                                |
|                              |                                                                                                          | 9 A.M.    | + ANTONIO & GIUSEPPINA VALERIO                                |
| 26                           | Sunday                                                                                                   | 11 A.M.   | MASS FOR THE PEOPLE                                           |
|                              |                                                                                                          | 5 P.M.    | + MARGARET GALANTE                                            |

**THE VOTIVE CANDLES ARE OFFERED AS BELOW FROM MAY 18<sup>TH</sup> TO 25<sup>TH</sup>**

|                       |                                |
|-----------------------|--------------------------------|
| <b>SANCTUARY LAMP</b> | <b>OUR LADY OF FATIMA LAMP</b> |
| SPECIAL INTENTIONS    |                                |



**HOLY REDEEMER PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY**

Our next Prayer Shawl meeting is WEDNESDAY, MAY 22<sup>ND</sup> FROM 10 AM TO 12 PM. Please let us know when you or a family member is sick, mourning a loss or celebrating a life event...and we will make a shawl or lap throw for you or your loved ones. Please call the Parish Office – 905-839-9774, Angela - 905-839-5264 or Anna- 905-839-3657



## YOUTH MINISTRY

EDGE NIGHT: Saturday, May 25<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m.

# LEMONADE STAND

♥ May 25th/ 26th weekend ♥

Funds go towards youth ministry initiatives

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# Camp Holy

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This year's camp theme is Guardians of Creation! We will explore what it means to be good stewards of the world and to take care of the planet and others.

To sign up please pick up a form at the Church or register at: <https://forms.gle/znKQUsvwFEGjRGm16>



## GIFT SHOP BAZAAR- VENDORS WANTED

Holy Redeemer Parish Gift Shop Presents:

# SPRING BAZAAR

We will be hosting a mid summer bazaar on the following dates:

Saturday, June 15 from 6 pm to 8 pm.  
Sunday, June 16 from 10 am to 1 pm.

### About Table Reservations:

- > Payment required at the time of reservation
- > All proceeds from Table Reservations donated to the Parish Building Fund
- > No Refunds on Table Reservation Fee
- > Bookings on a first come first served basis
- > Vendors will have to state the items they wish to sell at booking time
- > Book early- limited amount of tables available

Table reservation  
**\$25** Per Table  
Payment by  
cash or cheque

### Vendors, book your table now!

- 905 492 6661 (Lear Cardoz)
- 905 839 9774 (Parish Office)
- patlee2714@yahoo.co.uk
- Holy Redeemer Parish Hall
- 796 Eyer Drive, Pickering

## MARTYRS' SHRINE GALA

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 12 - 5:30-9 P.M.

BELLVUE MANOR, 8083 JANE ST., VAUGHAN

The National Shrine to the Canadian Martyrs is delighted to invite you to our inaugural Spring Gala. The Shrine has been serving millions of pilgrims for the past hundred years, and this Gala is the launch of its centennial anniversary and will start the campaign for the revitalization of the shrine church and grounds, to ensure that it lasts for another hundred years. Special keynote address from His Grace Archbishop Francis Leo and musical performance from St. Michael's Choir School.

CONTACT: Martyrs' Shrine

WEBSITE: <https://martyrs-shrine.com/spring-gala>

PHONE: 705-526-3788 Toll free: 855-526-3788

EMAIL: [communications@martyrs-shrine.com](mailto:communications@martyrs-shrine.com)

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## SERRA'S VOCATION SEEDS

The confused and fear-filled apostles were totally changed by the outpouring of the Holy Spirit as they became powerful and dynamic proclaimers of their faith in Jesus Christ. In today's Church God calls priests, religious and deacons to serve Him and to serve others especially by the inspiration of the Holy Spirit. If you feel God may be calling you to this ministry, call Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto Phone: 416-968-0997

Email: [vocations@archtoronto.org](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org)

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



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NEXT SHARELIFE SUNDAY IS JUNE 2<sup>ND</sup>

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