

HOLY REDEEMER PARISH

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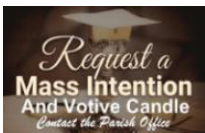
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Feast of the Holy Family

THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY & JOSEPH: DECEMBER 29TH 2024



The parish office is currently accepting Mass intentions & votive candle offerings for **February to July 2025**

Kindly contact the parish office by phone or email

DAY	DATE	MASS TIME	MASS INTENTION
THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH			
Saturday	28-Dec	5 p.m.	FOR VANMEER FAMILY
Sunday	29-Dec	9 a.m.	+MARGARET GALANTE
		11 a.m.	MASS FOR THE PEOPLE
		5 p.m.	+SADIUA FAMILY
Monday	30-Dec	8:30 a.m.	+BARBARA FERNANDEZ
SOLEMNITY OF MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD			
Tuesday	31-Dec	5p.m.	IN THANKSGIVING FOR FAVOURS RECEIVED
Wednesday	1-Jan	9a.m.	MASS FOR THE PEOPLE
		11a.m.	MASS FOR THE PEOPLE
Thursday	2-Jan	8:30 a.m.	+RITA JANSZ
Friday	3-Jan	8:30 a.m.	+ RODOLFO BOLANO
		6:30 p.m.	1 ST FRIDAY: VESPERS AND HOLY HOUR
		7:30 p.m.	IN THANKSGIVING: HILDEGARD LUCERNE SWITZERLAND
Saturday	4-Jan	9 a.m.	+LINDA PRUCHNICKY

VOTIVE CANDLE OFFERING: DEC. 29- JAN. 4	
 <p>SANCTUARY LAMP</p>	 <p>OUR LADY OF FATIMA LAMP</p>
+ CARLA BORROMEIO	

MARY SAID A SIMPLE "YES"



On January 1st, we celebrate the Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God. On Formed there is a wonderful movie by popular Catholic author and speaker Stephen Ray. Check it out!

Watch Mary: The Mother of God here:

<https://watch.formed.org/videos/mary-the-mother-of-god>
All you need to do is create your own FORMED Account, here are the steps:

1. Go to <https://signup.formed.org/>
2. Find Our Parish by typing the following: "Holy Redeemer Catholic Church Pickering" or first 3 digits of our Postal Code "L1W"
3. Click on our Parish and click "Next"
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THE PARISH OFFICE

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

PRE AUTHORIZED GIVING (PAG)

WILL YOU BE AWAY ON HOLIDAYS?	ARE YOU AWAY ON WEEKENDS FOR OUT OF TOWN CELEBRATIONS?	ARE YOU ONE NOT TO HAVE CASH MONEY ON HAND FOR OFFERING?
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PERHAPS PAG (PRE AUTHORIZED GIVING) IS FOR YOU!

You can obtain a form from your parish office (send us an email at holyredeemerpi@archtoronto.org) Contributions are withdrawn from your bank account on the 20th of each month.

PROVIDE A MEAL (P.A.M)

The next casserole pick-up date is
Tuesday January 7th from 6:30pm
– 7:30pm by the Parish Hall.



FIRST FRIDAY: JANUARY 3RD

Morning Mass at 8:30 a.m.
Holy Hour at 6:30 p.m.
Evening Mass at 7:30 p.m.

FIRST SATURDAY MASS

DEVOTION TO OUR LADY OF FATIMA

On Saturday, January 4th

will be celebrated at 9 am



EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS TO THE SICK & HOMEBOUND

Do you feel a call to be the hands
& feet of Christ by bringing His
Body, Blood, Soul & Divinity to
fellow Parishioners who are unable to attend
Mass?

If so, the need is great and growing, we receive
new requests on a regular basis. If you've served
as a Eucharistic Minister in the past or would
like to be trained in this important ministry now
and have an hour or two every couple of weeks
to let the elderly and infirm know they are not
forgotten, please reach out to Deacon Nick
at dcndaunt@gmail.com May God bless you and
your loved ones always.

VOCATION SEEDS from Toronto Serra Clubs



From the angel Gabriel, Mary heard God's
plan for her life and she said "Yes!"...and so
the Saviour came into the world. Pray to
know God's Will for your life, so as to help
bring Jesus to our world.

If you think God is calling you to be a priest, religious or
deacon, call Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations,
Archdiocese of Toronto

Phone: 416-968-0997

Email: vocations@archtoronto.org

Website: www.vocationstoronto.ca



Parish Sick List



If you know of someone who is sick and in
need of prayers, kindly inform the parish
office so that we can add their name to the
parish sick list.

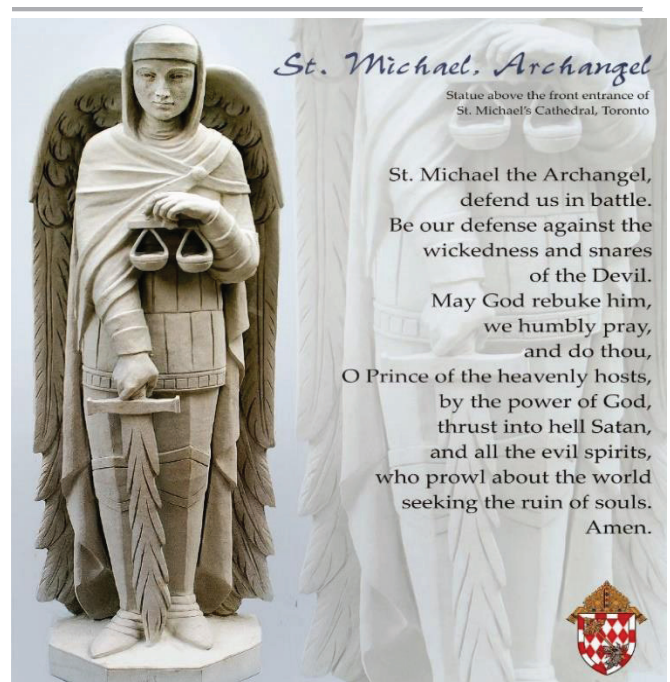
SURVEY FOR OUR 60TH ANNIVERSARY

*Please respond to our email survey to help us
identify projects to commemorate our 60th
Anniversary.* If you have not received an email
from us, kindly check your junk mail. We also
have printed copies of the survey available in the
pews at the back of the Church, and in the Hall
and hallway. Thank you in advance!
Deadline for survey response will be by January 5th

JUBILEE YEAR 2025 - PILGRIMS OF HOPE

The Catholic Church is celebrating a special Jubilee
Year in 2025. The Theme will be "Pilgrims of Hope".
In the words of Pope Francis "*We must fan the flame
of hope that has been given us, and help everyone to
gain new strength and certainty by looking to the
future with an open spirit, a trusting heart and far-
sighted vision.*"

In the Archdiocese of Toronto the Jubilee Year will
open with a Solemn Opening Mass at St. Michael's
Cathedral on Sunday Dec. 29, 2024 at 5:00 pm. All
are invited to join in this special celebration.
For our Region St. Barnabas in Scarborough and St.
Gregory the Great Parish in Oshawa have been
chosen to serve as pilgrimage Churches. A special
Mass will be held at St. Gregory on Wednesday Jan.
29, 2025 at 7:00 pm.



St. Michael, Archangel

Statue above the front entrance of
St. Michael's Cathedral, Toronto

St. Michael the Archangel,
defend us in battle.

Be our defense against the
wickedness and snares
of the Devil.

May God rebuke him,
we humbly pray,
and do thou,

O Prince of the heavenly hosts,
by the power of God,
thrust into hell Satan,
and all the evil spirits,
who prowl about the world
seeking the ruin of souls.
Amen.



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