

#### 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* 

Fr. Fénelon Catholic Elementary School St. Monica Catholic Elementary School St. Mary Catholic Secondary School

# HOLY REDEEMER PARISH

796 Eyer Drive, Pickering, Ontario L1W 3C2

905-839-9774

website: holyredeemerPI.archtoronto.org

#### 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: Teresa Sarte 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

795 Eyer Drive, Pickering, ON L1W 2K2	905-839-5409
275 Twyn River Drive, Pickering ON L1V 1E3	905-509-6691
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	Marshall Otto	647-926-5620
Lectors	Angela Kirby	905-839-9774	Volunteer Screening Committee	Anne O'Brien	905-839-9774
Eucharistic Ministers	Aligeia Milby	900-039-9114	Collection Counters Angela Ki	rby	905-839-9774
Children's Liturgy		905-839-9774	Gardens & Flowers Anne-Marie Pawelski & Debbie Alfaro 905-839-9774		
8	Saturday 5 p.m.)	905-839-9774	Gift Shop Lear Card	oz & Heather Di Stefano	905-839-9774
	e (Sunday 9 a.m.)	905-859-9114	Legion of Mary	Rose Ann Dalawanbayan	647-284-9527
	anbayan (Sunday 11 a.	m.)	APOSTOLATES		
Altar Server	Dorothea Ritchie	905-839-9774	Knights of Columbus	Walter Heeney	905-839-7253
Church Decoration Team	Ruvi De Alwis	416 847 9749	Catholic Women's Guild	Simone Petty	416 451 9039
	Sherry Rodrigo	905 839 4120	St. Vincent de Paul Society	Alan Berlie	905-839-9774
Altar Linen	Assunta Archer	905-839-9774	Prayer Shawl Ministry	Anna Crosthwaite	905-839-3657
Church Choirs Melroy Menezes	(Youth Choir- Saturday 5 p.m.	) 647-457-1107		Angela Kirby	905-839-5264
Tatjana Smreka	r (Senior Choir- Sunday 11 a.m	.) 416-333-9641	Provide-a-Meal (P.A.M.)	Stephanie Newitt	905-831-6525
FAITH FORMATION			St. Vincent Palotti's Kitchen		905 839 9774
Rite of Christian Initiation of			MOVEMENTS		
Adults (RCIA)	Rick Hemingway	416 268 9255	Couples for Christ (CFC)	Susan Bautista	289-314-0022
First Communion	Dorothea Ritchie	905-839-9774	Couples for Christ (YFC)	Machel Navarro	647-975-0747
Confirmation	Krista Holder	905-839-9774	Cursillo	Shona O'Brien	647-529-5992
Catechesis of the Good Shephe		505-055-5114	Foundations for Family Life	Jun Almeyda	905-428-3352
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**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.

#### MASS INTENTION OFFERING: APRIL 26 - MAY 4

<b>DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY</b>					
Saturday April 26	5 p.m.	+ HANK & BILL Bouwmeister			
Sunday April 27	9 a.m.	ANGELO LICITRA			
	11 a.m.	MASS FOR THE PEOPLE			
	3 p.m.	+ Chaplet of Divine Mercy			
	5 p.m.	+ PEDRO GOROSPE			
Monday April 28	8:30 a.m.	+ John Lee			
Tuesday April 29	8:30 a.m.	+ Alexandrina Tavares Oliveira Galante			
Wednesday April 30	6:30 p.m.	Holy Hour			
	7:30 p.m.	+ Bill & Mike Bridgeman			
Thursday May 1	8:30 a.m.	+ JUDY KOLONICS			
Friday May 2	8:30 a.m.	+ Hank & Bill Bouwmeister			
	6:30 p.m.	Holy Hour			
	7:30 p.m.	+ Edgardo Lalata			
THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER					
Saturday May 3 9 a.m.		+ Norma Ambas			
	5 p.m.	+ NEIL MCKENZIE			
Sunday May 4	9 a.m.	INT. OF ASSUNTA ARCHER			
	11 a.m.	+ MASS FOR THE PEOPLE			
	5 p.m.	+ CARLA BORROMEO			

#### VOTIVE CANDLE OFFERING: APRIL 27 – MAY 3



UPCOMING EVENTS PENTECOST Mission – May 26-27 Visitation of Our Lady of Fatima – May 28 (Pilgrim Statue at our Parish) PARISH PHOTO DIRECTORY/SOUVENIR BOOK

60<sup>h</sup> Anniversary

Eight photo sessions in June; Thurs. 12, 13 and 14. Thursday June 19, 20 and 21 and Saturday June 27 and Sunday June 28

PICNIC AND FAMILY FUN FAIR - August PILGRIMAGE TO QUEBEC - Mid-August PILGRIMAGE TO MARTYR'S SHRINE in Midland Sept 13 Donation Envelopes - We now have envelopes for the 60th Anniversary projects and upcoming activities in the pews and in the hallway near the Gift Store. We are blessed to have a donor who will match all contributions up to \$50,000 this year! Projects in progress include an outdoor statue, with two benches; garden improvement; indoor and outdoor electronic signage; improvement of lighting/security and enhancement of our facilities.

60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Prayer

Almighty God and Father, We praise and bless you for your gifts. We thank you for the sixty years that you have led and guided the people of this parish.

By your grace you have called us from all the corners of the world. We thank you for those who planted the seed of faith and formed this community, sixty years ago, and through the decades down to this day.

We praise you for the young and the old, your faithful people who have served our community over the years by offering their gifts and talents in order to build the Body of Christ.

Lead and guide us Lord, so that as we celebrate this milestone, we may all be more aware of your presence in our midst. Touch our hearts with the fire of the Holy Spirit that we may be invigorated with newness of life.

May our Mother Mary and all the saints intercede for us. We make our prayer through Jesus Christ our Lord and Our Holy Redeemer. Amen





#### Statement from Frank Cardinal Leo, Metropolitan Archbishop of Toronto following the death of Pope Francis – April 21, 2025

"Our Catholic family worldwide is in mourning following the death of our spiritual father, Pope Francis. Since 2013, our shepherd has guided the flock lovingly and served as a global ambassador of peace, hope and love. The Holy Father's humility, compassion and care for others, most especially the poor and marginalized, has served as a powerful witness and a reminder of our daily call to reflect the face of lesus to all those whom we encounter. I invite the faithful throughout the Archdiocese of Toronto and all those who mourn his loss, to pray for the repose of the soul of Pope Francis. May we honour his legacy and lovingly embrace his invitation to be missionaries of mercy, sharing the light of Christ in abundance as we affirm the dignity of every human life and foster a culture of care and love. Our good and faithful servant has been called home to the Lord. May he rest in peace."

# **Sl ShareLife**

You ensure a brighter future for at-risk children

As many as 7,000 youth are homeless across Canada on any given night. Covenant House, an agency you support through ShareLife, provides a refuge for at-risk youth. They offer safe housing alongside healthcare, education, and employment guidance. **Thanks to your compassionate heart, young people like David can move from a life on the street to a life with a future.** David first found safety in the emergency shelter and later moved into a transitional housing program, where he formed a life-long bond with his mentor, whose kind heart and patient guidance inspired David to pursue and complete post-secondary education.

**The second ShareLife Sunday of the year is May 4**. We ask you to share your blessings through the parish or at sharelife.org/donate. Thank you for living the Gospel!

#### ELECTIONS CANADA Monday, April 28, 2025

Holy Redeemer Parish Hall is designated as a polling station for the upcoming Federal Election. There will be no access to the hall.

Catholic Women's Guild



This year the Mother's Day cake walk will be held on May 4<sup>th</sup> after the 11 am Mass in the Holy Redeemer Parish Hall.

Tickets for the Cake Walk will be sold after every Mass. Tickets are: 1 ticket for \$2; 4 tickets for \$5; 10 tickets for \$10.

Additionally, if you bake and would like to donate a cake, please reach out to Marie F. @ 647-973-7055.



# **DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY**

2:00 P.M. *Holy Hour & Confession* 3:00 P.M. **Chaplet of Divine Mercy** 

### FELLOWSHIP MINISTRY SUNDAYS

After 9 am and 11 am Masses all are welcome for coffee and refreshments in the Hall. Come and make new friends in our Parish!



## YOUTH MINISTRY

**TEEN NIGHT** Friday, May 2 at 6:00pm For more details, please email youthhrp@gmail.com



**<u>Edge Night</u>** May 10, 6:30 – 8:30 pm **<u>Edge Camp</u>** on August 16 - 20, 2025 at Camp White Pine in Haliburton, ON



FIRST COMMUNION CLASS

**SATURDAY MAY 3, 2025** CLASS 1: 10:00 AM CLASS 2: 11:30 AM



OUR PARISH COINS FOR LIFE 2025 PROJECT ENDS EASTER SUNDAY! KINDLY BRING BOXES BACK ASAP

