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Mon-Fri 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM

Saturday 9:30 AM - 5:30 PM

Sunday 9:30 AM - 1:30 PM

CHURCH & CHAPEL HOURS

7:00 AM - 10:00 PM

MASS TIMES

Monday 12:15 PM

Tuesday 7:00 PM

Wednesday 12:15 PM

Thursday 7:00 PM

Friday 12:15 PM

7:00 PM on first Fridays

Saturday 9:00 AM

5:00 PM (Vigil Mass)

7:00 PM (Vigil Mass)

Sunday 8:30 AM

10:00 AM

12:00 PM

7:00 PM

CONFESSION TIMES

Tuesday 6:00 - 7:00 PM

Saturday 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

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St. Rose of Lima School 4590 The Gallops | (905) 828 4076

St. Sebastian School 3460 Aquinas Ave. | (905) 607 0107

PARISH COMMUNITY

Charismatic Prayer Group | Life in the Spirit Seminar
Tuesdays from 7:30-9:30 PM until May 28, 2024

St. JP II TOB Prayer Group | Tuesdays from 8:30 - 9:30 PM, tob@bell.net

Knights of Columbus | Gerry Gonsalves, gerryschlumberger@gmail.com

Men's Fraternity | Saturdays from 8 - 10 AM

Merciful Moms | Thursdays from 10:30 AM - 12 PM
Jane Scamurra, jane@mercifulredeemer.org

Youth Ministry www.linktr.ee/mercifulredeemerym

Redeemed Young Adult Ministry | Every 1st & 3rd Thursday at 7 PM
redeemed@mercifulredeemer.org

Society of St. Vincent de Paul mrcssvp.ca

Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services catholic-cemeteries.com

Legion of Mary | Wednesdays at 7 PM

Leila Pangilinan, leilap9557@gmail.com

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd | Teresa Brown, mercifulcgs@gmail.com

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, May 6, 12:15 PM

+ Elna & Romeo D'Costa, + Juliet Goduco
Thanksgiving by Nicholas & Carina Slim

Tuesday, May 7, 7:00 PM

+ Mathilda & Sertorio Martins
+ Jose Eguaras
Special Intention for the Urbanowicz family

Wednesday, May 8, 12:15 PM

+ Bede Uku Sr.
+ Judith Diaz Cuadros
Thanksgiving for Miguel Almazan

Thursday, May 9, 7:00 PM

+ Amaro D'Souza, + Anton Swampillai
Special Intention for Fely Budwal

Friday, May 10, 12:15 PM

+ Caroline & Patrick Hogan
+ Anne & Stephen Manuepillai
+ Ingrid Pereira

Saturday, May 11, 9:00 AM

+ Giovanni Sebastiano, + Rodolfo Duma,
+ Desmond Hensman, + Ivo Budulak, + Beatrice
Gonsalves

Special Intention for Szymon Sorbian
Special Intention for Clara Hartigan
Special Intention for Olga & John Hilmer
Special Intention for Svjetlana Gates
Thanksgiving for Alvarez & Salinas families

Saturday, May 11, 5:00 PM

+ Edward Oles, + All Souls
Thanksgiving by Lugtu & Dumol families

Saturday, May 11, 7:00 PM

+ Maria & Peter Holan
+ Hector Sarmiento
Thanksgiving for Fr. Séamus Hogan

Sunday, May 12, 8:30 AM

+ Ana Ornelas, + Jose Ornelas
+ Deceased Members of Magri, Sciortino & Gagliano
families

Sunday, May 12, 10:00 AM

For all our parishioners

Sunday, May 12, 12:00 PM

+ Karen McCarthy, + Margaret Hubley
+ Frank McAleer

Sunday, May 12, 7:00 PM

+ Afra Crovetto, + Pires Mendonca
Domenico Cristiano

We pray for all our deceased loved ones. May
their souls and the souls of the faithful departed,
through the mercy of God rest in peace.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today's Mass Readings

First Reading: Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48

Second Reading: 1 John 4:7-10

Gospel: John 15:9-17

SSVP Bundle Up Weekend

THIS WEEKEND

SSVP is pleased to accept clothing, linens, draperies and house wares to help those in need. Donated goods are provided to our neighbours in need in communities across the GTA and to those whom we serve through our supportive housing and outreach programs. WE DO NOT ACCEPT appliances, baby or regular furniture, books, mattresses, dishes, construction material or video tapes. For more info, visit www.ssvptoronto.ca

The Saint Vincent de Paul Society "Toonie Sunday"

THIS WEEKEND

This Sunday is Toonie Sunday! Please drop your donations into the St Vincent basket at the exits of the church or in the poor box any time during the week!

SPA - Spiritual Personal Awakening

Wednesdays from 7-9 PM starting on May 15

Spiritual Personal Awakening is a group for women of all ages. The topic will be "Forgiving What You Can't Forget." There will be 6 sessions starting on May 15th every Wednesday night from 7-9 PM. Contact jane@mercifulredeemer.org if interested!

BLD Marriage Encounter Weekend

May 18th at 8:00 AM - May 19th at 5:00 PM

Ardorini Missionary, 200 Pine Grove Rd., Woodbridge

The BLD Marriage Encounter Weekend is your opportunity to rediscover the joy in your marriage. If you have been married for many years, this enrichment program can restore your communication, rekindle your romance and renew your commitment. If you have been married for a short time, you will learn the skills you need to stay close through the ups and downs of married life.

Poster: <https://bit.ly/BLD-ME-Poster>

Upcoming Confirmations May 6, 8, and 10 at 7:00 PM

Please join us in praying for all those getting confirmed this May! Come, Holy Spirit!

EDGE & LIFETEEN

We are excited to welcome you to Edge (Grades 6-8) and LifeTeen (Grades 9-12). For more info on our youth ministry and to register, please visit www.linktr.ee/mercifulredeemerym

LifeTeen - Saturday evening from 8 to 10 PM

EDGE - Fridays, bi-weekly from 6 to 8 PM

Camp Merciful 2024

REGISTRATE VIA linktr.ee/mercifulredeemerym

We are excited to announce that our parish summer camp, Camp Merciful, will be returning this summer! Registration per participant is \$150/per week and the camp is open to all students who are currently in Grades 1 to 6. For more information, please email us at campmerciful@gmail.com

Week 1: July 15th to July 19th

**Registration is full, but our waitlist is now open!*

Week 2: July 22nd to July 26th

Steubenville Youth Conference Fundraiser!

BAKE SALE

May 26th after the 8:30 AM, 10 AM & 12 PM Masses

At each Steubenville Youth Conference, teens experience a life-changing encounter with Jesus Christ that ignites their devotion, strengthens their prayer life, and empowers them to live on mission long after the conference ends. Some of our teens have the opportunity to attend this amazing conference in Ohio this summer. They need YOUR help!

Our youth ministry will host a bake sale on May 26th after all the morning masses. All proceeds will go towards supporting the youth who are going! Thank you for your generosity!

REDEEMED - Young Adult Ministry (18-34)

Every 1st & 3rd Thursday of the month at 7:00 p.m.

Next Redeemed Night: May 16, 2024

Do you want to grow in holiness with a community of faithful young adults? Then join Redeemed on the evening of May 16 as we defend the ancient Christian practice of showing devotion to Mother Mary. Following Mass at 7PM, Alphonse will give us a talk, we'll have a Q&A session and time for fellowship. Come reconnect, recommit and renew your faith.

ShareLife 2024 | Next Collection: June 2

Share the love with our beloved seniors through ShareLife. Last year, ShareLife supporters like you offered quality care and companionship to over 2,300 vulnerable seniors.

"The largest thank you to all ShareLife donors for your continued generosity! With your support, our centre is able to provide assistance to seniors in need through our community programs." – Jaymie Daunt, LA Centre for Active Seniors

This Sunday is ShareLife Sunday. The third ShareLife Sunday of the year is June 2. So far, we have raised \$60,1480! Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate. Thank you for living the Gospel!

Discover Catechesis of the Good Shepherd!

This internationally recognized approach for the religious formation of children has been growing here in our Merciful Redeemer Atrium. Children and catechists meet weekly to nurture their relationship with God through essential aspects of Scripture and Catholic Liturgy. We warmly invite you to join our ministry!

The Archdiocese will be offering a catechist formation course. It will run the week of July 8-13, from 9am to 4:30pm at De La Salle College in Toronto.

Register: <https://www.archtoronto.org/cgsformation>

Pamphlets with course information are at the back of the church. Please email Teresa at mercifulcgs@gmail.com if you would like to know more about the program.

The Source Holy Hour

May 16, 2024 from 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

840 Bathurst Street, Toronto

You are invited to The Source Holy Hour with music by the Sisters of Life at St. Peter's Church in Toronto (Bathurst and Bloor). More information can be found on the Sisters of Life [website](#).

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