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See parish website

<https://mercifulredeemermi.archtoronto.org/en/parish-life/office-church-hours/>

CHURCH 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

ADORATION CHAPEL

7:00 AM - 10:00 PM

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

PARISH COMMUNITY

Charismatic Prayer Group Mondays from 7 - 8 PM

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 - 11:30 AM
Jane Scamurra, jane@mercifulredeemer.org

Youth Ministry bitly.ws/zXug

Redeemed Young Adult Ministry Every other 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

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, November 27, 12:15 PM

+ Andrea Rodrigues, + Peter Eguaras
+ Mateo Macatangay

Tuesday, November 28, 7:00 PM

+ Kaitlyn Morales, + Rocky Edralin
+ Xavier Francis Joseph

Wednesday, November 29, 12:15 PM

+ Celina Soares, + Angel Rojas
+ Deceased Members of Mendonca & D'Lima families

Thursday, November 30, 7:00 PM

+ Aurelia Fronda, + Serafim Da Costa Junior
+ Lourdes Baldemor

Friday, December 1, 12:15 PM

+ Holy Souls in Purgatory
Special Intention for Pereira family
Thanksgiving by Felix & Genevieve Rodrigues

Friday, December 1, 7:00 PM

+ Anthonympillai & Philomena, + Pauline Cyr
Thanksgiving by Mervin Saldanha & Family

Saturday, December 2, 9:00 AM

+ Eunjin Nam Ignatius, + Joaquim Soares,
+ Pressy Rebello, + Leon D'Silva,
+ Cecil Telmo Pamaong, + Thomas Hollingsworth,
Special Intention for Mona Menezes
Special Intention for Alyssa Da Costa
Thanksgiving for Nigel Abreo
Thanksgiving for Fredrick Navaratnam

Saturday, December 2, 5:00 PM

+ Teresa Duda, + Jadwiga Ptaszniak
+ Deceased members of Luk & Chui Families

Saturday, December 2, 7:00 PM

+ Clara & Alfred
+ Deceased Members of Merdzo family
Thanksgiving by Rodrigues family

Sunday, December 3, 8:30 AM

+ Margaret & S. B. John, + Judith & Frank Correa
Thanksgiving by Rodrigues family

Sunday, December 3, 10:00 AM

For all our parishioners

Sunday, December 3, 12:00 PM

+ Joe Fernandes, + Angelina Palmieri
Special Intention for Rey & Virginia Santos

Sunday, December 3, 7:00 PM

+ Priscilla Fernandez, + John Fan
Thanksgiving by Marie Fernando

**Please remember in your prayers all who have
recently died, especially:**

+ Rob Thomson & Robert Cannataro

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today's Mass Readings

First Reading: Ezekial 34:11-12, 15-17

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:20-26, 28

Gospel: Matthew 25:31-46

Marriage Preparation Course

SPRING 2024: April 13, 20 & 27 (12:30PM to 5PM)

FALL 2024: Oct. 19, 26 & Nov. 2 (12:30PM to 5PM)

Engaged couples can register for the course at the parish office. The fee is \$125.00 per couple. Payment can be made in cash or cheque payable to Merciful Redeemer Parish.

Sunday Missals & Calendars

Sunday missals and calendars are available for purchase in the parish office.

Missals - \$5 | Childrens' Missals - \$10 | Calendars - \$3

Youth Ministry Second Collection

Weekend of Nov. 25/26

We will be holding a second collection for the needs of our youth ministry this weekend. Thank you for your support of our teens!

DONATION ENVELOPE BOXES 2024

Sunday offering envelope boxes will be available for pick up on the weekend of December 2/3 onwards. We request you to please contact the parish office if you do not have a box and would like to receive one for 2024 OR you would like to transition from Offertory envelopes to PAG ((Pre-Authorized Giving) OR if you have a change in your postal address as this will ensure that our database information is correct. We thank you for your co-operation!

Keeping Christ in Christmas Advent Concert

3 December, 2023 from 4:30-6:00 p.m.

Merciful Redeemer Parish

Merciful Redeemer hosts our highly anticipated annual Advent concert, KEEPING CHRIST IN CHRISTMAS, on Sunday, December 3rd from 4.30 to 6.00 p.m. All of our excellent church choirs and guest performers will present Advent & Christmas music that reflect this year's theme; LET THERE BE PEACE ON EARTH. Carol Singing involves full congregation participation. All are welcome! Doors open at 4.00 pm.

EDGE & LIFETEEN

We are excited to welcome you to Edge (Grades 6-8) and LifeTeen (Grades 9-12). Registration is now open!

LifeTeen - Saturday evening from 8 to 10 PM

Registration link: <https://forms.gle/W7JGS8AzjogiaCxR8>

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

Registration Link: <https://forms.gle/TpQm45ShGDXu7ZCA>

REDEEMED - Young Adult Ministry

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

Next Redeemed Night: December 7, 2023

Do you want to grow in holiness with a community of faithful young adults? Then join Redeemed Young Adult Ministry on the evening of December 7, our topic will be Authentic Femininity and Masculinity. In our confused world clarity is needed on the true Christian understanding of real femininity and masculinity. Join us for Mass at 7pm followed by our discussion and social in the hall. If you are between 19 and 34 years of age, it is a great way to reconnect, recommit and renew your faith.

Christmas Gift Card Drive

"Truly I tell you, in so far as you did this to one of the least of these brothers of mine, you did it to me"
(Matt 25:45)

The Saint Vincent DePaul society will be starting its annual Christmas gift card drive for those in need in our community. We are asking for grocery gift cards from Fresco, Lowblaws and Walmart. Monetary donations are also welcome! Collections will be held on December 2 and 9 by members of SSVP as you leave Mass. Alternatively, feel free leave donations in the poor box anytime during the Christmas season. Please include your receipt, name and address for income tax receipts of \$20 or more. Thank you for keeping our community vibrant and helping those in need!

Knights of Columbus Crib Drive

26 November - 17 December, 2023

The Knights of Columbus will be collecting baby items to support families in need within our parish, as well as local Pro-Life charities. Some of the most wanted items include diapers and new or gently used winter clothing for babies 0-3. Parishioners are asked to drop off their donations in the crate located in the church lobby. Thank you for your support and generosity!

Archdiocesan Consultation Underway Your assistance is requested!

Our archbishop, the Most Rev. Francis Leo, is inviting Catholics throughout the archdiocese to share their key priorities to help inform and guide an updated Pastoral Plan. To participate in the consultation, visit: archtoronto.org/consultation to complete a brief survey by Dec. 15th, where you can offer your suggestions and insights. The process takes just a few minutes and we ask that you complete it as soon as possible. We look forward to hearing from the Catholic community throughout the archdiocese. Thank you in advance for sharing your insights, ideas and discernment.

Merciful Redeemer Christmas Party!

Hosted by the Knights of Columbus

16 December, 2023 from 12:00 - 4:00 p.m.

Merciful Redeemer Parish Basement

Join us for food, drinks, dancing, family photos, Santa, gifts, fun and an ugly sweater contest and magic show!

Contact: Michael Fonseca at (416) 453-2215

Cost: \$10 per person | \$5 per child

Please send payment to fs@saintfaustina.ca

"Pour Out" Adoration Night

Dec. 15, 2023 from 7-9 PM (doors open at 6:30 PM)

Merciful Redeemer Parish

Merciful Redeemer's Pour Out Adoration Night is back this Advent, except this time, it is open to all ages! In the summer, we talked about how we can pour out/surrender ourselves to Jesus; this time, we reflect on how God pours Himself out for us by giving us His only Son. Join us for an evening of praise and worship, adoration, prayer ministry and confession inspired by John 1:1-18. There will also be a talk by Fr. Michael Corpus and testimony sharing. Do you need help navigating towards Jesus this year? The light and hope of the world eagerly awaits your return! Bring a friend or meet new people as we dive deeper into God's overwhelming love for us! No registration required.

"I can't do big things. But I want
all I do, even the smallest thing, to
be for the greater glory of God."

- St. Dominic Savio

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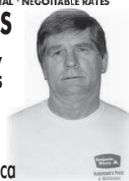
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