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# **OFFICE HOURS**

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# **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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## **PARISH SCHOOLS**

St. Aloysius Gonzaga 2800 Erin Centre Blvd. | (905) 820 3900

**Divine Mercy** 2840 Duncairn Dr. | (905) 812 5445

Our Lady of Mercy 5820 Glen Erin Dr. | (905) 814 9216

**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** 

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 10:30 AM - 12 PM

Jane Scamurra, jane@mercifulredeemer.org

Youth Ministry www.linktr.ee/mercifulredeemerym

**Redeemed Young Adult Ministry** 

Every other Thursday at 7 PM I redeemed@mercifulredeemer.org

Society of St. Vincent de Paul mrcssvp.ca

**Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services** <u>catholic-cemeteries.com</u> **Legion of Mary** 

Wednesdays at 7 PM | Leila Pangilinan, leilap9557@gmail.com

# **WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS**

#### Monday, February 19, 12:15 PM

+ Lewis D'Souza, + George Tenn Sp. Intention for Nitin Isaac Kuravilla

## Tuesday, February 20, 7:00 PM

- + Ricardo Perez, + Flora Leonardi
- + Philip Ng Young Lim

#### Wednesday, February 21, 12:15 PM

Sp. Intention for Nitin Isaac Kuravilla

Sp. Intention for Vic & Gloria Bonello

Sp. Intention for Robert & Bernadette Douglas & family

# Thursday, Febuary 22, 7:00 PM

+ Lisa Ruspaj, + Zyldxian Pereira

Sp. Intention for Catherine Pabalan

#### Friday, Febuary 23, 12:15 PM

+ Ingrid Pereira, + Winnie & Raymond Pereira

Sp. Intention for Nitin Isaac Kuravilla

# Friday, Febuary 23, 7:00 PM Stations of the Cross followed by Mass

- + Clarice DeSouza
- + Alice Jones, + Magdalena DeMello

## Saturday, Febuary 24, 9:00 AM

- + Meo Huynh, + Bernard Gomes, + Bilen Tesfimacel,
- + Angelo Gaetano, + Luci Cardoso Borges,
- + Iris Brittner, + Joseph Soriano

Sp. Intention for Kevin Broniek

Sp. Intention for Chloe & Mark

Thanksgiving by Cecilia Nam

#### Saturday, Febuary 24, 5:00 PM

- + Scholistica & Matthew Menezes, + Luiza Rodrigues
- + Raymond Henry Travas

## Saturday, Febuary 24, 7:00 PM

- + Danielle Rodrigues, + Alzira Fernandes
- + Paul Hong Huynh

## Sunday, Febuary 25, 8:30 AM

- + Keith Dickin, + Christina Mascarenhas
- + Deceased Members of Laskowski & Broderick families

#### Sunday, Febuary 25, 10:00 AM

For all our parishioners

#### Sunday, Febuary 25, 12:00 PM

+ Francis Mascarenhas, + Joseph Murzello Sp. Intention for Eric & Lily Janotta

#### Sunday, Febuary 25, 7:00 PM

+ Robert Szabat

Sp. Intention for Betty Garachorloo

Thanksgiving for Adrian & Tania Maputi & family

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: Genesis 9:8-15 Second Reading: 1 Peter 3:18-22 Gospel: Mark 1:12-15

#### **Family Day Office Closure**

The parish office will be closed on February 19th for Family Day.

# Stations of the Cross Every Friday starting 16 February, 2024

During Lent, parishioners are invited to join us in praying the Stations of the Cross every Friday evening in the Church at 7:00 PM followed by Mass.

# Parish Lenten Reconciliation 20 March, 2024

10 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. 7 p.m. - 9 p.m.

# Consolation Ministry - NEW DATES Bereavement Peer Support Group

"For where two or three are gathered in my name, I am there among them." - Matthew 18:20

Feb 20, Mar 5/19, Apr 2/16/30 from 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.

God calls each and every one of us to community. Especially when times are dark and seemingly hopeless, as brothers and sisters in Christ, we offer each other a shoulder to lean on. There, we see Jesus in our midst. The Consolation Ministry is a peer support group offering opportunities for men and women to share the grief of losing a loved one such as a parent, spouse, sibling and/or child. Through open discussions of sharing and mutual faith, you will be able to connect with others who are going through their own loss in a safe, respectful and confidential environment. All are welcome. Please email Sao-kham at hope@mercifulredeemer.org or call 416-518-5875 for more information and to RSVP.

#### Follow us on Social Media!

Facebook: @MercifulRedeemerParish

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# MARK YOUR CALENDARS - Lenten Parish Mission 4-6 March from 7:00-9:00 p.m. every evening Merciful Redeemer Parish

"The woman said to him, 'Sir, give me this water, so that I may never be thirsty or have to keep coming here to draw water." - John 4:15

Our highly anticipated Lenten Parish Mission is back! This year, the theme will surround the Gift of Thirst. Fr. Hansoo Park, Pastor of St. Barnabas Parish will lead us in this time of Lenten preparation for Good Friday and the Resurrection. More details to follow!

#### **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 <a href="www.linktr.ee/mercifulredeemerym">www.linktr.ee/mercifulredeemerym</a>

**LifeTeen -** Saturday evening from 8 to 10 PM **EDGE -** Fridays, bi-weekly from 6 to 8 PM

#### KofC 40 Cans for Lent

The "Knights of Columbus" St. Faustina Council will be commencing their annual Lenten food drive - "40 Cans for Lent", on Ash Wednesday - 14th of February. We thank our parishioners for your generosity of heart - as always, and for joining us in our worthy cause of providing food for those less fortunate. Kindly drop your contributions in the crate provided in the foyer.

# FREE CATHOLIC ESTATE PLANNING WEBINAR 24 February, 2024 at 9:00 a.m.

Learn how to avoid problems in your Will, in the Powers of Attorney, and through proper Estate Trustee selection; how to create your own legacy; and about our Catholic traditions around cremation, burials and funerals.

## How to register:

- 1. Follow this QR link: https://QRCO.de/WebFeb24
- 2. Send an email to: Development@ArchToronto.org and write "webinar February 24" in the title line + your name(s) in the body of the message.

#### **Vocations**

Be perfect, therefore, as your heavenly Father is perfect." Do you feel called to help people get closer to God? If you think God is calling you to be a, priest, deacon, brother or sister, contact contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997 or vocations@archtoronto.org | Website: www.vocationstoronto.ca

#### Saint Vincent de Paul 2023 Community Impact

Thanks to your generosity, in 2023, The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul was able to:

- Distribute \$21,955 worth of Christmas and Easter gift cards
- Serve 80 neighbours
- Serve 99 adults and 136 kids
- Complete 1530 volunteer hours
- Provide furnature to 19 families
- Distribute 5 Ozanam camp and education scholarships
- Sponsor back to school shoes for 41 students (JK-G12)
- Distribute 316 grocery and 15 clothing vouchers

# LIFT JESUS HIGHER RALLY 2 March, 2024 from 9:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. Metro Toronto Convention Centre - 255 Front St W

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**More info & bus transportation:** contact Enza at 905-301-3376

This is the largest single day Catholic event in Canada which is in its 32nd year. If you are interested, don't delay! Purchase your tickets and reserve a seat on the bus as soon as possible to avoid disappointment.

12 Suggestions

To Help the Reality of the Kingdom
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Engage in the spiritual and temporal works of mercy, charity, justice and peace by active participation in the public square (education, politics, science, the arts, economics/finance, communications, social aid).

From the Pastoral Letter of Archbishop Francis Leo, "Seeking the Kingdom of God".

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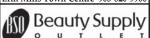
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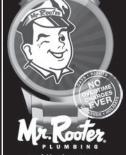
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