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## OFFICE HOURS

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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## 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** | 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](mailto:tob@bell.net)

**Knights of Columbus** | Gerry Gonsalves, [gerryschlumberger@gmail.com](mailto: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](mailto:jane@mercifulredeemer.org)

**Youth Ministry** [www.linktr.ee/mercifulredeemerym](https://www.linktr.ee/mercifulredeemerym)

**Redeemed Young Adult Ministry** | Every 1st & 3rd Thursday at 7 PM  
[redeemed@mercifulredeemer.org](mailto:redeemed@mercifulredeemer.org)

**Society of St. Vincent de Paul** [mrcssvp.ca](http://mrcssvp.ca)

**Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services** [catholic-cemeteries.com](http://catholic-cemeteries.com)

**Legion of Mary** | Wednesdays at 7 PM

Leila Pangilinan, [leilap9557@gmail.com](mailto:leilap9557@gmail.com)

**Catechesis of the Good Shepherd** | Teresa Brown, [mercifulcgs@gmail.com](mailto:mercifulcgs@gmail.com)

# WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

## Monday, May 20, 12:15 PM

+ Olga Honsang, + Angelo Gaetano  
Thanksgiving for Theresa & Henry Lobo

## Tuesday, May 21, 7:00 PM

+ Deacon Brian du Quesnay, + Ron Catahan  
+ Thankamma Joseph

## Wednesday, May 22, 12:15 PM

+ Sister Charlotte Dias  
Thanksgiving for Francis Pereira  
Thanksgiving for Veta Perkins

## Thursday, May 23, 7:00 PM

+ Clarina Rodrigues  
+ Mildred Vialette  
+ Victor DaCosta

## Friday, May 24, 12:15 PM

+ Zubeda Khanbhai  
+ Hugo Marroquin  
+ Len Lyn-Fatt

## Saturday, May 25, 9:00 AM

+ Jorge Morgan, + Freya Vera,  
+ Herman Wheeler, + Yasmin Moosa,  
+ Anthony De Souza, + Kundai Maveneka,  
+ Ines Martins, + Laura Batista  
Thanksgiving by Elveera & Vincent Moraes  
Thanksgiving by Teresa Cortes  
Special Intention of the De Petrillo family  
Special Intention for Ulyses Santos

## Saturday, May 25, 5:00 PM

+ Francis Mascarenhas, + Raymond Henry Travas  
+ Virginia Recarte

## Saturday, May 25, 7:00 PM

+ Evelyn Yacoub, + Same Butros  
Thanksgiving by Edward D'Mello & family

## Sunday, May 26, 8:30 AM

+ Louis & Stephanie D'Souza  
+ Bona Rodrigues  
Special Intention for Ornelas family

## Sunday, May 26, 10:00 AM

For all our parishioners

## Sunday, May 26, 12:00 PM

+ Andrea Meesters  
+ Gloria & Niolas Kumin  
+ Sheila Ilogon

## Sunday, May 26, 7:00 PM

+ Michael Cini, + Nick Russ  
+ Soledad Mendoza

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 2:1-11

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13

Gospel: John 20:19-23

## Office Closure

The parish office will be closed on May 20th for the Victoria Day long weekend.

## Corpus Christi Procession

### Sunday, June 2nd, 2024 Following the noon Mass

Come, let us adore Him!

The Corpus Christi procession is a centuries-old tradition of the Catholic faith to process the Real Presence of Jesus — the Eucharist — in public!

On June 2nd, please join us for our parish Corpus Christi Mass at noon. Directly after, a procession (about 45 minutes in length) will take place through the neighbourhood surrounding Merciful Redeemer, followed by Solemn Benediction, fellowship and snacks.

## Healing Prayer Service

### May 30th at 7:00 PM

Do you seek healing? Come to the Lord. Join us on May 30th at 7 PM for a healing prayer service led by Fr. Sam Samuel VC of the Divine Mercy Retreat Centre. We will have Holy Mass, praise and worship and healing Eucharistic Adoration from 7:00 p.m. - 8:45 p.m.

## Parish BBQ

### June 9th after the Noon Mass

Our annual parish BBQ is back!

Join us for:

- Sausages, burgers, salads and pop.
- Youth activities and face painting
- Ice cream truck
- DUNK THE PASTOR

Tickets are available after all Masses or at parish office.

## Follow us on Social Media!

Facebook: @MercifulRedeemerParish

Instagram: @RedeemerParish

## Upcoming First Communions May 26 & June 16 at 3:00 p.m.

Please join us in praying for all those receiving their First Communion in the upcoming months! Come, Holy Spirit!

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### 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](http://www.linktr.ee/mercifulredeemerym)

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

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### Camp Merciful 2024

REGISTRATE VIA [linktr.ee/mercifulredeemerym](http://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](mailto: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

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### 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!

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### FREE CATHOLIC ESTATE PLANNING WEBINAR

**June 8 at 9:00 AM**

#### 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; about our Catholic traditions around cremation, burials and funerals

To register, follow this link: [qrco.de/WebJune08](http://qrco.de/WebJune08)

## 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](mailto:mercifulcgs@gmail.com) if you would like to know more about the program.

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### ShareLife 2024 | Next Collection: June 2

Did you know no one is turned away from ShareLife-funded agencies due to inability to pay? This is all thanks to your compassionate and generous heart.

Through your support, ShareLife agencies are helping the most vulnerable in our community and around the world. Thank you for living the Gospel!

Thus far, we have raised \$95, 985; 43% of our goal! Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, online through our parish website, or at [sharelife.org/donate](http://sharelife.org/donate). Thank you for living the Gospel!

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### Fragrance Sensitivity

Please help us to accommodate our parishioners who are sensitive to products with strong fragrances when attending Mass. Thank you for being mindful of the health and comfort of those with allergies!

"A soul, that possesses the Holy Spirit, tastes such sweetness in prayer, that it finds the time, always too short, it never loses, the holy presence of God. The Holy Spirit forms thoughts and suggests words in the heart of the just. The Holy Spirit is like a gardener, cultivating our souls."

- St. John Vianney

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