

#### Merciful Redeemer Parish Bulletin

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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

**Every Day** 7:00 AM - 10:00 PM

#### CONFESSION

**Tuesday** 6:00 - 7:00 PM **Thursday** 6:00 - 7:00 PM **Saturday** 4:00 - 5:00 PM

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## Welcome!

Welcome to Merciful Redeemer! We are so happy to have you join our community. It is our hope that you find yourself at home here and join us regularly for Mass and events.

Please enjoy this bulletin and visit our parish website, mercifulredeemer. org, for a full list of what the parish can offer you and your family. You are encouraged to drop by the office and register. Please introduce yourself to us, we look forward to meeting you!

## Mass Times

Monday, Wednesday & Friday - 12:15 PM Tuesday, Thursday & First Friday - 7 PM Saturday - 9 AM Saturday Vigil - 5 PM | 7 PM Sunday - 8:30 AM | 10 AM | 12 PM | 7 PM

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#### PARISH SCHOOLS

St. Aloysius Gonzaga | Divine Mercy | Our Lady of Mercy | St. Rose of Lima | St. Sebastian

### **PARISH COMMUNITY**

St. JP II TOB Prayer Group | Tues. 8:30 - 9:30 PM Contact tob@bell.net

Merciful Moms | Thurs. 10:30 AM - 12 PM

Contact jane@mercifulredeemer.org

Legion of Mary | Wed. 7 PM

Contact leilap9557@gmail.com

Young Adult Ministry | Biweekly Thurs. 7 PM

Contact faith@mercifulredeemer.org

**Knights of Columbus** 

Contact gerryschlumberger@gmail.com

Charismatic Prayer Group | Mon. 7 - 9 PM

Men's Fraternity | Sat. 8 - 10 AM

Society of St. Vincent de Paul | <u>ssvp.ca</u>

Youth Ministry | <u>linktr.ee/mercifulredeemerym</u> Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services

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## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

## Today's Mass Readings

First Reading: Numbers 11:25-29 Second Reading: James 5:1-6 Gospel: Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

#### Thank you!

Thank you for attending our Festival of Cultures on September 20th. We raised \$11,500 for Sharelife. Your support and generosity is greatly appreciated!

#### **RCIA** (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

If you are interested in faith and God and want to learn more about becoming Catholic, then we have just the program for you! RCIA begins in October and runs until Easter. Beginning October 8th, we will be meeting in-person every Tuesday from 7-8:30PM at the church. For more info, please email jane@mercifulredeemer.org

#### Women's SPA (Spiritual & Personal Awakening)

Ladies! Markyour calendars as the next 6 sessions for the SPA will begin on Wednesday, October 16th from 7-9 PM. The topic this time around is Good Boundaries and Goodbyes. For more info, please email jane@mercifulredeemer.org

#### **Merciful Moms**

If you are a mom looking for a community of moms, join us every Thursday from 10:30 AM - 12 PM. We will gather over a coffee to spend time in conversation and reflection over God's word and how it pertains to our daily lives! For more info, please email jane@mercifulredeemer.org

#### **KofC Thanksgiving Food Drive** From September 28 - October 13

There is a crate in the church fover for all nonperishable food donations. Contents will be donated to families in need via Good Shepherd Ministries. Thank you for your generosity!

#### **KofC Membership Drive** October 12/13 weekend

Learn more about becoming a Knight during the October 12/13 weekend after all Masses.

40 Days for Life: 40 Days for Life, takes place between Sept. 25th and Nov. 3rd, each day from 7am-7pm. Please join with 589 cities worldwide including 18 cities in Canada for a peaceful prayer vigil for pre-born children, onsite near the Mississauga abortion facility. For more information go to the Right to Life Mississauga & Area website www.righttolifemb. com/40daysforlife/

Life Chain: On Sunday Oct. 6 (Respect Life Sunday), the annual national Life Chain will also be taking place from 1-2PM in front of our parish uniting with 300 sites across Canada to pray for our pre-born children, elderly and infirm.

Please join us at the North-West corner of Glen Erin Dr. and Erin Centre Blvd. For more information, go to the Right to Life Mississauga & Area website www. righttolifemb.com/lifechain/

#### **Consolation Ministry - NEW DATES Bereavement Peer Support Group** Oct 1/15/29, Nov 12/26, Dec 10 from 7 - 9 PM

"For where two or three are gathered in my name, I am there among them." - Matthew 18:2

God calls each 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. This ministry is a peer support group offering opportunities 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 info and to RSVP.

#### **Morning Star School Rosary**

The Morning Star School Rosary Visitors will begin their Monthly Rosary visits in October.

Our mission is to come together in prayer to remain connected to the loving care of our Blessed Mother Mary. We do this by visiting our Parish Elementary Schools on a monthly basis to pray the Rosary with the School Children.

## Free Catholic Estate Planning Webinar Saturday, October 19, 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
- About our Catholic traditions around cremation, burials and funerals

#### How to register:

1. follow this QR link: <a href="mailto:qrco.de/WebOct19">qrco.de/WebOct19</a>

2. send an email to: Development@ArchToronto. org and write "webinar October 19" in the title line + your name(s) in the body of the message.

#### **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="https://www.mercifulredeemer.org/youth">www.mercifulredeemer.org/youth</a>

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

## Missals & Calendars On sale beginning November 2/3 weekend

Pick up your missals and calendars beginning Nov 2/3! They will be sold over the span of four weeks by the ushers at our two entrances. After that, they will be sold in the office. Missals are \$5 and Calendars are \$3.

Marriage Preparation Course FALL 2024: Oct. 26, Nov. 2 & Nov. 9 SPRING 2025: Mar. 22, 29 & Apr. 5

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.

## Confirmation Parent Meeting In-person at Merciful Redeemer

9 October, 2024 at 7:00 PM

"The secret of happiness is to live moment by moment and to thank God for all that He, in His goodness, sends to us day after day."

- St. Gianna Molla

### **WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS**

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

+ Joyce Pinto Lobo

#### Monday, October 7 | 12:15 PM

+ Danielle Rodrigues, + Lindo Shim Thanksgiving by Sampson family

#### Tuesday, October 8 | 7:00 PM

+ Maura Walsh, + Ryan Coelho. + Mary Ting

#### Wednesday, October 9 | 12:15 PM

- + Cheryl Anderson, + Luz & Raymond Yap
- + Barbara Beale

#### Thursday, October 10 | 7:00 PM

+ M. C. Joseph

Thanksgiving by Rosie & Manny Uy Special Intention for Ryan Rampersad

#### Friday, October 11 | 12:15 PM

+ Runstedt D'Lima, + Collin D'Mello Thanksgiving in honor of Mother Mary

#### Saturday, October 12 | 9:00 AM

- + Dr. Deanne Vaz, + Raul Mina Caberte,
- + Agnes Prado, + Teresa Florencia D'Guerra,
- + Christopher Avila, + Paul & Hedwig Klaudusz,
- + Emelda Maria D'Mello, + Laura Thomson,
- + Arlene Domingo, + Edna Wong, + Elizabeth Koo

Thanksgiving for Nicole & Shawn Tobin

#### Saturday, October 12 | 5:00 PM

- + Czeslaw Piotrowski, + Ciano Gomes
- + All Souls

#### Saturday, October 12 | 7:00 PM

+ Sylvia D'souza, + Alexis Lobo Thanksgiving by the Vaz family

#### Sunday, October 13 | 8:30 AM

Special Intention for Josh & Jill Broderick Thanksgiving for Rosemary & Leo Choi & family

Thanksgiving by Ha Family

### Sunday, October 13 | 10:00 AM

For all our parishioners

#### Sunday, October 13 | 12:00 PM

- + Yohanes Lim Hoan Tjioe
- + Joe & Erica Rebello

Thanksgiving for Julianna & Mark Figueroa

#### Sunday, October 13 | 7:00 PM

+ Doris Perera

Thanksgiving by Catherina lee

Special Intention for the Queenship of Mary Community

Thanksgiving for Richard & Bernadette

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