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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. Introduce yourself to us, we look forward to meeting you!

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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 | mrcssvp.ca Youth Ministry | linktr.ee/mercifulredeemerym **Catholic Cemeteries & Funeral Services** www.catholic-cemeteries.ca

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today's Mass Readings

First Reading: Genesis 14:18-20 Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 11:23-26 Gospel: Luke 9:11b-17

Let Mercy - Merciful Redeemer Parish Podcast

WE HAVE A PODCAST! The Let Mercy Podcast will feature all of our parish priests' homilies and reflections from 2023 onwards, AS WELL AS special Q&A sessions and other exciting content. Whether you want some company while you drive, clean the kitchen or meditations for your prayer time, we've got you! Visit our Spotify page via linktr.ee/redeemerparish

ShareLife

Thank you for bringing empathy to the table. Covenant House, an agency you support through ShareLife, fosters a profound sense of belonging among at-risk children in the Youth in Transition program. Their community dinners create a welcoming space for shared experiences, made possible by your empathetic heart. "These gatherings are an opportunity for youth to learn more about each other and taste food from different cultures," says Fred Shayo-Mushi, Support Services Manager of Covenant House Toronto. "The dinners make everyone feel like they matter because of your love.

Thanks to your generosity, thus far, we have raised 80% of our \$235,000 fundraising goal! Please give at the parish using a ShareLife envelope, through our parish website, or at sharelife.org/donate

Marriage

Couples planning to be married must contact a priest at least one year in advance, be registered parishioners, live within the parish boundaries, and attend Mass regularly.

Marriage Preparation Course

Spring 2026: Feb. 21/28 & Mar. 7 (12:30 PM - 5 PM)

Engaged couples can register via the parish office. The fee is \$150 per couple and payment can be made in cash or cheque.

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.mercifulredeemer.org/youth

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

KofC Rosary Prayers June 29 after the 10 AM Mass

The Knights of Columbus will be conducting Rosary Prayers on Sunday, June 29th after the 10 AM Mass. All parishioners are invited to participate!

Merciful Redeemer Adorers

If you would like to be an Adorer, please register with the Adoration Ministry at adoration@ mercifulredeemer.org with your name, phone number and day and time of the regular weekly hour visit you promise to keep.

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!

Spring/Summer Attire

With the weather warming up, we are all grateful for a time of rest and relaxation. The coming months might best be characterized as "casual". However, we respectfully ask that all parishioners make an effort to dress appropriately for the Sunday Eucharist out of respect for the Lord and the other members of Christ's body! Please also remember to turn your cell phones off as you enter the church & deposit chewing gum in garbage bins.

Parish Ministries

If you want to be more involved in our parish community but don't know where to start, visit our website at www.mercifulredeemer.org/ministries to learn more! Please contact your parish ministry for meeting information and other updates.

Summer Street Patrol Every Wednesday Evening in July & August (July 2 – August 27) from 6:30 - 9:30 PM

Please join us as we celebrate 30 years of service to those in need this summer! Would you or your group like to help those living on the streets of Toronto? Street Patrol is a walk through Toronto's downtown core, offering food and friendship to the homeless. Food and drinks are prepared independently ahead of time by you or your group. You may volunteer once or as many times as you wish. Individuals or small groups do NOT need to contact Street Patrol in advance. You may just show up. Larger groups (12 people or more), please book ahead. See FAO on our website for more information.

Website: https://stpatricksto.archtoronto.org/en/parish-life/ministries/street-patrol/summer/
Contact: Lucio at inmylife@rogers.com

Devotion to Sacred Heart of Jesus and Immaculate Heart of Mary Begins July 2 - First Wednesdays from 7-8 PM Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish

78 Clifton Rd.

The devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary are two significant expressions of Catholic spirituality, focusing on the love and mercy of Jesus and the compassion and purity of Mary. The devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus emphasizes Christ's immense love for humanity, as symbolized by His heart. The Immaculate Heart of Mary devotion focuses on the interior life of Mary, her virtues, and her deep love for God and humanity.

Contact: olphtoronto@archtoronto.org or 416-489-1540

"The reason for our existence is to quench the thirst of Jesus. When he asked for water, the soldier gave him vinegar to drink—but his thirst was for love, for souls, for you and me."

St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, June 23 | 12:15 PM

- + Jane Mandel, + Norma Algenio
- + Rev. Eugene Tramble

Tuesday, June 24 | 7 PM

+ Rita Soto-Lee, + Francisco Rodrigues Thanksgiving for William & Natalie Fernandes

Wednesday, June 25 | 12:15 PM

+ Socorro Fernandes Special Intention for Sigmund McIntyre Thanksgiving for Jean Baptiste

Thursday, June 26 | 7 PM

+ Victoria Cadiena-Ocampo Special Intention for Angie Alvarez Salinas Special Intention for the De Sa Family

Friday, June 27 | 12:15 PM

+ Acquah Anoma Benjamin, + Tessa Pusaka In Thanksgiving for favors received

Saturday, June 28 | 9 AM

- + Charles & Juanita Gracias,
- + Marina Marcieni, Pervin Princeton Gardner Special Intention for Angie Alvarez Salinas Special Intention for the Barretto Family Thanksgiving for Andrea Orbegoso Thanksgiving by Elizabeth Ekpenyong & family Thanksgiving by Mohan Joseph & family In Thanksgiving for favors received

Saturday, June 28 | 5 PM

- + Violet & George Shaw, + Henry Lobo
- + Josephine Nunes

Saturday, June 28 | 7 PM

+ Cyril Cardoza

Thanksgiving for Patricia Menzies
Thanksgiving for Carlos & Teresa Arellano

Sunday, June 29 | 8:30 AM

+ Noel Mallo

Thanksgiving by the Martins family Thanksgiving by Kevin Wazette

Sunday, June 29 | 10 AM

For all of our parishioners

Sunday, June 29 | 12 PM

+ Sylvia Dsouza

Special Intention for Theodore & Theresa Lee Special Intention for Tung Yuen Chang

Sunday, June 29 | 7 PM

- + Runstedt D'Lima
- + Victoria Duroyan

Thanksgiving by Gaby D'Mello

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