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Mon-Fri 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM  
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## CHURCH & CHAPEL HOURS

Every Day  
7:00 AM - 10:00 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](https://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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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](mailto:tob@bell.net)  
**Merciful Moms** | Thurs. 10:30 AM - 12 PM  
Contact [jane@mercifulredeemer.org](mailto:jane@mercifulredeemer.org)  
**Legion of Mary** | Wed. 7 PM  
Contact [leilap9557@gmail.com](mailto:leilap9557@gmail.com)  
**Young Adult Ministry** | Biweekly Thurs. 7 PM  
Contact [redeemed@mercifulredeemer.org](mailto:redeemed@mercifulredeemer.org)  
**Knights of Columbus**  
Contact [gk16254@ontariokofc.ca](mailto:gk16254@ontariokofc.ca)  
**Charismatic Prayer Group** | Mon. 7 - 9 PM  
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# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## *Today's Mass Readings*

**First Reading:** Sirach 3:17-18, 20, 28-29

**Second Reading:** Hebrews 12:18-19, 22-24a

**Gospel:** Luke 14:1, 7-14

### **Merciful Redeemer Bible Study**

**Luke: The Story of Salvation**

**Sep. 27 - Nov. 17 | Monday evenings 7-9 PM**

In September, we will offer an eight-part Bible study entitled *Luke: The Story of Salvation Fulfilled*. Join us Monday evenings from 7 to 9 PM in the parish hall for small and large group discussions based on weekly readings and video presentations featuring Jeff Cavins. If you are interested in participating, please contact Flo at [mrpeaceandblessings@gmail.com](mailto:mrpeaceandblessings@gmail.com) to register.

### **Legion of Mary Book Borrow**

**Last Saturday of every month from 4-9 PM**

Come to our Book Borrow on the last Saturday of every month from 4-9 PM! Borrow a religious book, chat with a Legion of Mary member, and learn about our Blessed Virgin Mary and Divine Mercy Image deliveries. Book donations are welcome. For all inquiries, please contact [legionofmaryvisit@gmail.com](mailto:legionofmaryvisit@gmail.com)

### **The Prime Time Club**

**(Starting September 10)**

**Every Wednesday from 1 - 3:30 PM**

The Prime Time Club is a social time for seniors to gather for tea, coffee, conversation and a game of cards and Bingo! We will gather after the noon Mass every Wednesday in the basement from 1 - 3:30 PM. For more info, please email Jo Boulanger at [jboulanger@rogers.com](mailto:jboulanger@rogers.com)

### **Merciful Moms**

**(Starting September 18)**

**Every Thursday from 10:30 AM - 12 PM**

If you are a mom of young children seeking community, join us as we gather over a coffee to spend time in conversation, prayer and reflection over God's word and how it pertains to our daily lives! There is child care provided for little ones. For more info, please email [jane@mercifulredeemer.org](mailto:jane@mercifulredeemer.org)

### **Feast of our Lady of Good Health**

**Novena: August 30 - September 7**

**Feast Day: September 8 at 7 PM**

We welcome you to join us in celebrating the feast of our Lady of Vailankanni!

Novena devotion will be as follows: August 30th to September 7th at 6:30 PM followed by Mass at 7 PM (Except: September 1st at 11:45 AM followed by Mass at 12:15 PM)

We look forward to your presence and participation in this devotion. May our Blessed Mother intercede for our family members and all of our infirmed loved ones. Our Lady of Vailankanni, pray for us!

### **Merciful Redeemer Festival of Cultures**

**September 19 from 6-10 PM**

**St Aloysius Gonzaga, 2800 Erin Centre Blvd**

Our highly anticipated Festival of Cultures is back for its second year on September 19th from 6-10 PM. Join us for delicious food and dancing, featuring DJCoolJ. Tickets are on sale after all Masses and in the parish office during the week. \$5 per person. Kids 12 and under enter free with a paying adult. Food will be sold at a nominal cost. All are welcome!

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

Ladies! Mark your calendars as the next 6 sessions for the SPA will begin on October 15th from 7-9 PM. The topic this time around is *I Want to Trust you, but I Don't*. For more info, please email [jane@mercifulredeemer.org](mailto:jane@mercifulredeemer.org)

### **You Are Mine: Support Ministry for Divorced Catholic Women**

**Thursdays from 7 - 9 PM from Sep. 4 to Oct. 9**

If you are a woman who has experienced divorce or separation, you are NEVER alone. In our hurt, our solitude, our day-to-day struggles, you ALWAYS belong. You are Daughter. You are Bride. You are Beloved. Come be a part of You Are Mine again this September! Enjoy the riches of fellowship with other women on a similar journey as we draw strength from Scripture, listen to each other, and grow in confidence knowing that God is our faithful life partner. You Are Mine meets every Thursday for six weeks beginning September 4, from 7 - 9 PM. For more information, please contact Colleen at [support@mercifulredeemer.org](mailto:support@mercifulredeemer.org).

**Parent Meetings - Save the Date!**  
**In-person at Merciful Redeemer**

Parent meeting for children receiving their  
First Communion: 1 October, 2025 at 7 PM  
Parent meeting for children being confirmed:  
8 October, 2025 at 7 PM

Registration forms will be available in the  
church office or at the schools. For more info,  
email [jane@mercifulredeemer.org](mailto:jane@mercifulredeemer.org)

**That Man is You! - Men's Fraternity**  
**(Starting September 13)**  
**Every Saturday from 8 - 10 AM**

Attention men! Are you looking to deepen your  
relationship with God? Be a better husband?  
Become a more loving father? Build friendships  
with other like-minded men? And seek to be  
the best man you can be? Then Come Join...That  
Man is You! To register, please call the parish  
office and leave your name, contact number  
and e-mail address. One can also show up on  
the day to register.

**Church Bulletin Advertising**

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the  
advertisements for our church bulletin to begin  
in September 2025! To support the bulletin and  
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**RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)**  
**September 30 from 7 - 8:30 PM**

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 September and runs until Easter. Beginning  
September 30th, we will be meeting in-person  
every Tuesday evening from 7-8:30 PM at the  
church. For more information, please email  
[jane@mercifulredeemer.org](mailto:jane@mercifulredeemer.org)

Trust the past to the Mercy of God,  
the present to His Love, and the  
future to His Providence.

*St. Augustine of Hippo*

**WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS**

**Monday, September 1 | 12:15 PM**

+ Bella D'Souza, + Edna Almeida  
+ Domingo Lim Garcia

**Tuesday, September 2 | 7 PM**

+ Lucia Camello, + Custodio Rodrigues  
Thanksgiving by Cherry P.

**Wednesday, September 3 | 12:15 PM**

+ Janina Paszyn, + Alexandra Blasiak  
Special Intention for Robert & Bernadette  
Douglas & family

**Thursday, September 4 | 7 PM**

+ Aquila DSouza  
Special Intention for Isaac Olowolafe Jr.  
Thanksgiving for Sharbel Tannus

**Friday, September 5 | 12:15 PM**

+ Holy Souls in Purgatory  
Special Intention of Pereira family  
Thanksgiving for Scarlett Hanna Cho

**Friday, September 5 | 12:15 PM**

+ Joan & Don Sampson, + Natalia Vaz  
Special Intention for Anthony Gunadi

**Saturday, September 6 | 9 AM**

+ Andrew Barretto, + Philomena Ty, + Rigoberto  
Mendieta, + Campo Elias Mendieta, + Rabi  
Rabindran, + Jean Chang, + Violeta Sombero, +  
Cynthia Sison, + Holy Souls in Purgatory  
Special Intention for Chris Hewitt  
Thanksgiving by Rabindran family  
Thanksgiving by Marylyn Pereira

**Saturday, September 6 | 5 PM**

+ Victor & Mabel D'Souza  
Special Intention for Derek Luk  
Thanksgiving for Barbara Sampson

**Saturday, September 6 | 7 PM**

+ Margaret & S. B. John, + Johnathan Prosper  
Thanksgiving by Mary Cardoza

**Sunday, September 7 | 8:30 AM**

+ William Salinas Pinilla, + Cesar Mendieta  
Thanksgiving by Ryan & Flavia

**Sunday, September 7 | 10 AM**

For all of our parishioners

**Sunday, September 7 | 12 PM**

+ Milena Grisoni, + Danielle Rodrigues  
+ Fatima Raffinan

**Sunday, September 7 | 7 PM**

+ Regina D'Souza, + Tony Cacciaccarro  
+ Dr. Dean Vaz



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