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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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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 redeemed@mercifulredeemer.org

Knights of Columbus

Contact gk16254@ontariokofo.ca

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

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mass Readings

First Reading: Isaiah 49:3, 5-6

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 1:1-3

Gospel: John 1:29-34

Sunday Offertory Envelopes 2026

Thank you to all parishioners who have picked up their envelope boxes. We request that parishioners who have not picked up their boxes do so at their earliest convenience. **We will be recycling them at the end of January**

Symbolon: The Catholic Faith Explained Mondays at 7 pm | January 12th - March 30th

Symbolon: The Catholic Faith Explained is a program that "opens up the 'big picture' of the Catholic faith in a way that helps us know it, live it and articulate it to others." The program is based on videos that feature Dr. Edward Sri and other dynamic teachers who "provide a clear and comprehensive explanation of the Catholic faith." Sessions will be offered on Monday evenings from January 12th to March 30th, at 7 PM in the parish hall. If you have any questions about the program, or are interested in attending, please email Flo Pianta at mrpeaceandblessings@gmail.com

Virtual First Communion Parent Meeting January 26th at 7 pm

If your child is receiving their First Communion this year, please visit our YouTube channel at www.youtube.com/@MercifulRedeemerParish/streams on January 26th for a virtual parent meeting at 7 PM.

Contact jane@mercifulredeemer.org with any questions or concerns.

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

Creed and Catechism

Reappreciating our Catholic Faith

Once a month, after 7 PM Mass

Next C&C night: Thursday, January 22nd

Join Fr. Séamus in the church as he delves into the fundamentals of our faith by looking at the sacraments of the Church. It is a wonderful opportunity to deepen and renew our understanding of what makes the Catholic faith so unique and life-giving. A deeper knowledge of Christ and His Church fills us with greater love and ardour! This month we look at The Eucharist: Meal, Offering, and Sacrifice.

Gift of Warmth: Thank You!

Thank you to all parishioners who kindly donated gloves, hats, scarves, and other clothing items to our Gift of Warmth box in the narthex! The box was filled to the brim more than once, and those items have definitely gone towards keeping those in need warm, especially during this winter season. Your kindness and generosity are truly appreciated and inspiring!

Toonie Sunday

Next collection: Jan 31/Feb 1

On the first weekend of every month, we welcome your donation of toonies and other change to help raise funds for food, clothing, etc., for our neighbours in need during home visits! Please drop your donations into the St. Vincent baskets at the exits of the church or in the poor box any time during that week.

REDEEMED - Young Adult Ministry (18-35)

Next Redeemed Night: January 22nd

Mental Health Retreat: Art night!

Join us on the evening of Jan. 22 if you want to grow in holiness with a community of faithful young adults! Following 7 PM Mass, we will meet in the basement for some refreshments and a night of socialization, creativity, art, and relaxation. If you are between 18 and 35, this is a great way to reconnect, recommit, and renew your faith! To join our email list and stay up-to-date with news, please visit www.mercifulredeemer.org/young-adult

Vocations

Are you open to being led by the Holy Spirit into the life commitment God has prepared for you? If God is calling you to serve him as a priest, deacon, brother or sister, contact Fr. Matt McCarthy, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-261-7207 or vocations@archtoronto.org

Website: www.vocationstoronto.ca

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

As I hope in thee, O Lord, inspire me with that confidence, which brings me to thy holy mountain.

St. Agnes of Assisi

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, January 19 | 12:15 PM

+ Amanda Enriquez,
+ Deceased members of IP family & friends
Thanksgiving by Rohit Rakash

Tuesday, January 20 | 7 PM

+ Trevor Fernandes
+ Lourdes de Andrade, + All Souls

Wednesday, January 21 | 12:15 PM

+ Bede Uku Sr.
+ John Gonsalves
Special Intention for Patricia Pereira

Thursday, January 22 | 7 PM

Special Intention for Resti & Letty Pabalan
Thanksgiving for Matthew Slim
Thanksgiving by Fernandes family

Friday, January 23 | 12:15 PM

+ Concepcion Eguaras
+ Estelita S. Gutierrez
Thanksgiving by Mot Nguyen

Saturday, January 24 | 9 AM

+Melania Herrera, + Trevor Fernandes,
+ Wayne Harold Chang, + Ernest Yip,
+ Mabel Rodrigues, + John Vlasic,
+ Augusto Celis Junior, + Mark Stephson,
+ Reynaldo Velasco, + Romeo Victor D'Souza
Thanksgiving by Magdalena Madahan

Saturday, January 24 | 5 PM

.+ Salvadore Vaz
+ Luisa Vasquez
+ Raymond Henry Travas

Saturday, January 24 | 7 PM

+ Lewis D'Souza
+ Andres Senior & Rita Fortus
+ Fidel Lugtu

Sunday, January 25 | 8:30 AM

+ Joseph & Lilian Romain
+ Neeta & Reggy Francis
+ Jose Rodrigues Dutra Travares
Special intention for Fr. Charles Ang

Sunday, January 25 | 10 AM

For all of our parishioners

Sunday, January 25 | 12 PM

+ Jose Gutierrez
+ Madonna Dwyer
+ Deceased members of Starzyk & Stuglik families

Sunday, January 25 | 7 PM

+ Anna Maldonado
+ Patricia Rybka
Special intention for George & Mary Fligg

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