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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](http://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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 Saturday - 9 AM  
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 Sunday - 8:30 AM | 10 AM | 12 PM | 7 PM

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 Contact [leilap9557@gmail.com](mailto:leilap9557@gmail.com)  
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 Contact [redeemed@mercifulredeemer.org](mailto:redeemed@mercifulredeemer.org)  
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 Contact [gk16254@ontariokofc.ca](mailto:gk16254@ontariokofc.ca)  
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# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## *Mass Readings*

**First Reading:** Jeremiah 20:10-13

**Second Reading:** Romans 5:12-15

**Gospel:** Matthew 10:26-33

### **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](http://www.mercifulredeemer.org/youth)

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

**LifeTeen** - Saturdays, weekly from 8 to 10 PM

### **Diaper Donation Drive for JFJ Hope Centre**

The JFJ Hope Centre in Mississauga is urgently in need of diapers, size 3 and larger, including toddler sizes. The Knights of Columbus will place a donation crate in the narthex to collect diapers for local mothers and families in need.

All donations will go directly to local mothers and families in need. Thank you for your generosity and support.

### **Childrens Liturgy Announcements**

Children's liturgy will be on break in the summer. The last day of Children's Liturgy is June 21, and will resume in September.

### **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.

### **Thank you Father Adam**

Dear Father Adam,

Thank you for your compassionate ministry, wise guidance, and faithful service to Merciful Redeemer Parish. Your dedication has deeply touched our hearts and strengthened our community. As you begin this new assignment at Trent University in the Diocese of Peterborough, may God bless you abundantly, and may Our Lady continue to guide your steps.

We will be honouring Fr. Adam and his ministry with a going away reception in the Parish Hall on Sunday June 21 following the noon Mass.

### **World Youth Day**

The Office of Catholic Youth is gathering interest for the World Youth Day 2027 pilgrimage to Seoul, South Korea. Young adults ages 19-39 who are interested in travelling with OCY are invited to reach out. Parishes planning to attend separately are also asked to share their estimated number of pilgrims. The theme for WYD 2027 is: "Take courage! I have overcome the world" (John 16:33).

For more information or to express interest, please contact [youth@archtoronto.org](mailto:youth@archtoronto.org).

## *Father's Day Prayer*

Loving God, on this Father's Day, we give You thanks for the gift of fathers, grandfathers, godfathers, and all father figures in our lives. We are grateful for their love, sacrifices, hard work, strength, and steady presence. Thank You for the many ways they provide, protect, guide, encourage, and support their families, often in quiet and humble ways.

Bless them with joy, peace, good health, and renewed strength. May they look to St.

Joseph as a model of faith, patience, courage, and loving service. Help them to know how deeply they are loved, appreciated, and valued today and always.

Amen.

# Gloria

**“Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will.”**

The Gloria is an ancient and joyful hymn of praise and adoration sung or said at the beginning of Mass on days of special solemnity. Its meaning is to express awe and thanks to God the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, and it recalls the angels' song at the birth of Jesus. The prayer covers salvation history in miniature, moving from praise of God's glory to imploring the mercy of Jesus, and finally to a Trinitarian climax.

## **The significance of the Gloria**

The Gloria is a hymn of joyful praise, adoration, and thanksgiving to God. It's a response to God's goodness, which is why it typically follows the Kyrie or the prayer 'Lord have mercy.' The text is a mosaic of biblical titles and phrases and is directly based on the song of the angels announcing the birth of Christ in the Gospel of Luke (Luke 2:14). The hymn addresses all three persons of the Trinity: God the Father (heavenly King, almighty Father), the Son (Lord Jesus Christ, Lamb of God, Son of the Father), and the Holy Spirit (Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit).

The Gloria encapsulates salvation history by first giving glory to God, then imploring the mercy of the Lamb of God who takes away the sins of the world, and finally concluding with the affirmation of Jesus Christ's divinity in the glory of God the Father. The prayer is meant to inspire a spirit of awe, reminding the faithful that they are called to praise God for his glory and for sending his Son to Earth.

Because of the austerity of Lent and Advent, the Gloria is not used during those seasons except for the few feasts and solemnities which may occur then.

## WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

### **Monday, June 22 | 12:15 PM**

+ Alexandra Cordeiro  
Special Intention for Fr. Adam Pantaleo  
Thanksgiving by Mot Nguyen

### **Tuesday, June 23 | 7 PM**

+ Celestine Andrade  
Special Intention for Elvira & Gianne Yalung  
Thanksgiving for Martins Family

### **Wednesday, June 24 | 12:15 PM**

+ Vito Rita Soto Lee, + Durval Medeiros  
+ Deceased Members of Fernandes & D'Souza families

### **Thursday, June 25 | 7 PM**

+ Felix Fernandes  
+ Josephine Lee  
Special Intention for Sigmund McIntyre

### **Friday, June 26 | 12:15 PM**

+ Mary Gera  
+ Rodrigo & Mecia Dimaculangan  
Thanksgiving by Primrose Lewis

### **Saturday, June 27 | 9 AM**

+ Francisco Rodrigues, + Pauline Gregory,  
+ Philomina Vannitamby, + Jesus Ceazar Cabagnet, + Luis Pennachietti, + Reginald Miranda, + Bing Pulido, + Antonia Bernadette Jalea, + Laura Batista, + Ryland Correa,  
Thanksgiving for Catharina Lee  
Thanksgiving for Marie & Ignatius Fernando

### **Saturday, June 27 | 5 PM**

+ Dorothy Noronha  
+ Violet & George Shaw  
+ Luisa & Raffale Colarusso

### **Saturday, June 27 | 7 PM**

+ Cyril Cardoza  
+ Josephine & Edward Nunes  
+ Millie Sequeira

### **Sunday, June 28 | 8:30 AM**

+ Noel Mallo  
+ Rodel Balbas  
Special Intention for John Marchese

### **Sunday, June 28 | 10 AM**

For all of our parishioners

### **Sunday, June 28 | 12 PM**

+ Natalie Crosby  
+ Purificacion Palacio  
+ Abdul Jalil Matloob & Widad Kassab

### **Sunday, June 28 | 7 PM**

+ Albert Florentin  
+ Annie Liem  
Special Intention for Calvaro family

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