

Holy Redeemer

Roman Catholic Church

1887 Bancroft Drive Sudbury, Ontario P3B 1S7



MASS SCHEDULE

Weekend

Saturday 6:30 PM

Sunday 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM*
& 6:30 PM

*Live-streamed via our
Facebook page
and website

Weekday

All in-person & Live Streamed

Tuesday 10:00 AM

Prayer Cenacle (Rosary)

after the 10 a.m. Mass

Wednesday 6:30 PM

with Perpetual Help

Devotions

Thursday 10:00 AM

Friday 10:00 AM

**Adoration of the Blessed
Sacrament**

Fridays for 1 hour following
the **10 AM Mass.**



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Sacraments

To request a sacrament
(Baptism, First Reconciliation,
First Communion,
Confirmation, Marriage, Holy
Orders, etc.), visit our website,
select "**SACRAMENTS,**" and
fill out the online form. Thank
you!

Office Hours

9 AM - 2 PM

Monday - Wednesday - Friday

Social Media

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Holy Redeemer Sudbury

Pius XII Catholic Elementary School
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BUILDING BLOCKS



**WHAT ARE WE WILLING
TO DO TO BE OPENED
TO THE LORD'S**

*invitation to
holiness and
service?*

"He put water on my eyes. Then I washed and now I see." (John 9: 15c)

With these simple words, the blind man recounts how Jesus opened his eyes and took away the one thing that had isolated him from the rest of society. That society wasn't too ready to just accept the blind man's story though. They were skeptical that the man was telling the truth. They were afraid too, that if such news of Jesus' miraculous healing powers got out, that others would want to be his followers as well and perhaps upset the religious establishment of the time. And yet despite all this, we can imagine what a wonderful experience it must have been for that blind man, to not only see for the first time, but to have the chance of belonging for the first time, of being accepted for the first time, of being made whole for the first time in his life. In the story of the blind man's healing, we also discover that being opened is a process! It's not instantaneous! There were steps that Jesus performed and a task that the blind man had to complete in order to see for the first time.

Those steps took time and patience. They took trust in the Lord and belief that Jesus would be faithful to his word. But if we also come to the Lord in our own spiritual blindness, we can truly expect miraculous things to happen in our lives as well. So we can take this opportunity to assess whether we truly are open to the Lord's grace in our lives or are we instead closed to it. Are we closed-minded to the miraculous things the Lord can do for us and through us if we but turn to him in faith? What in our lives do we resist changing, even though we know that if we do, it will open up a whole new way of living and relating to others for us? To whose needs are we blinded, that we have the power or know-how to assist? In what ways are we closed to the Lord's invitation to reformation and conversion in our lives? What are we willing to do to be opened to the Lord's invitation to holiness and service?

-- Fr Sam

HR VISION STATEMENT

Holy Redeemer Roman Catholic Church strives to be a welcoming faith community that seeks to enable people of all cultures and nationalities to feel included, valued, and respected as part of our church family. Living out and responding to our particular baptismal call, each member of our church is challenged to utilize the gifts and talents they have to build up the Kingdom of God and to walk together in faith as pilgrims of hope and heirs to the Kingdom of Heaven..



Mass intentions

Mar. 17 - 22, 2026

† Denotes a mass for a deceased person

Tuesday, Mar 17 - 10 AM

† Dr. Jim McAlister by the Family

Wednesday, Mar 18 - 6:30 PM

Special Intention for Lynda & Jean-Marc Joannis by Ruth Anne Ingram

Thursday, Mar 19 - 10 AM

† J.P. (Jean Paul) Dupuis by Omer & Linda Dupuis

Friday, Mar 20 - 10 AM

† Robert Ouellette by Julie Lackmanec

Saturday, Mar 21 - 6:30 PM

† Rejean Bourque by Debra Poulin

Sunday, Mar 22

9 AM - Mass

† Lucia Ferreira by Ana Ferreira

11 AM - Mass

† Anthony Macaluso by the Leonor Family

6:30 PM - Mass

The People of the Parish

PRAYER

Lord, open our eyes to see as you see. Help us to look beyond appearances and to trust in your purpose. Lead us out of darkness and into your light. Give us faith to follow you and courage to share your love. Amen.

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Thank you

Church Offerings	Mar 8, 2026
PADP Weekly Sunday	\$2,228.50
PADP Weekly Building Fund	\$137.75
Other Weekly (Candles; Funerals; Weddings; Special Donations; Rent etc.)	\$1,070.00
Sunday Offerings	\$2,317.00
Building Fund	\$15.00
Loose Cash	\$721.05
Total Received	\$6,489.30
Development & Peace	\$65.00
Food Bank	\$50.00

On Track for Justice - from father to daughter



Residents of Piquiá de Baixo, Brazil, faced disruptions from polluting industries since the 1980s, leading to the formation of an association to defend their rights. Flavia, inspired by her father's activism, continued the fight.

After 20 years, 312 families relocated to the cleaner village of Piquiá da Conquista, supported by Justiça nos Trilhos (JnT) and Development and Peace. This relocation benefited 1,300 people. **For more about JnT and Flavia's story, visit devp.org/lent.**

NEXT SUNDAY, MARCH 22 IS SOLIDARITY SUNDAY

Please support the work of Development & Peace by contributing generously to the special Share Lent collection next Sunday. The funds raised enable D&P to continue to work with its partners in the global south by supporting over 79 projects in 34 countries around the world!

To donate through the parish you can use your green Share Lent offering Envelope found in your boxed envelopes, or by cheque. All **cheques must be made payable to Holy Redeemer and Memo Dev. & Peace** to receive a tax receipt through the church.

Donations can also be made on the Dev. & Peace website devp.org/give (a tax receipt will be issued immediately by D&P)

Mass of Chrism

**Tuesday, March
24th, 2026,
at 7:00 p.m.**

**Precious Blood
Cathedral, Sault
Ste. Marie**

**ALL ARE WELCOME
TO ATTEND**



Diocese of Sault Ste.
Marie

What is the Chrism Mass?

The term "Christ" means "Anointed One," and significant Catholic moments feature anointing with sacred oils during Sacraments such as Baptism, Confirmation, Holy Orders, and Anointing of the Sick. These oils are blessed at the Chrism Mass, held before Holy Thursday, where the Bishop consecrates the Oil of the Sick, Oil of Catechumens, and Chrism oil for parish use. During this Mass, priests renew their promises, and the congregation prays for their ministries.

www.dynamiccatholic.com/lent/holy-week.html#chrism-mass

***Note:** Mass Cancellations at Holy Redeemer
Tuesday March 24th at 10 AM & Wednesday,
March 25th at 6:30 PM

**DON'T
MISS OUT!**

Spaghetti & Chicken Dinner

(with salad, dessert & drinks)

Saturday, April 18, 2026



One Seating

4:30 PM

Doors open at 4 PM

to help support costs of our new dish washer!

Adults \$25 | 6-12yrs \$15 | 5 & under FREE

Tickets on Sale weekends of March 21st & 28th or at the office

Mon. Wed. & Fri. from 9 AM - 2 PM

DOOR PRIZE & 50/50 DRAW

Hosted by Holy Redeemer's K of C -CWL & PPC

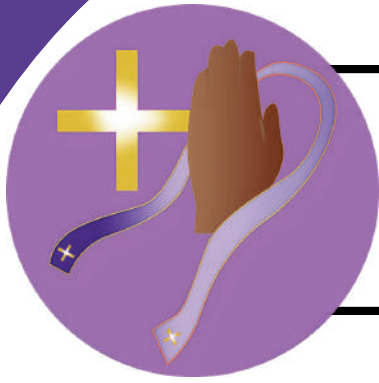
THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING THE SILENT ART AUCTION!



Thank you to everyone who supported the Silent Art Auction at Holy Redeemer this past weekend. We are especially grateful to the talented local artists from our parish community who generously donated their beautiful artwork.

Thanks to the generosity of all who came to view the artwork and place bids, \$5,309 was raised to support our parish.

Your participation helped make this event a wonderful success. Thank you for being part of our vibrant parish community.



PARISH RECONCILIATION SERVICE WILL BE OFFERED AT HOLY REDEEMER ON THURSDAY, MARCH 26TH AT 6:30 PM

Not as man sees does God see, because man sees the appearance but the Lord looks into the heart.

1 Samuel 16:7



Please join us **every Thursday** evening during the Lenten season.

Time starts **at 5:45pm** with the rosary; followed by music, a reflective Lenten talk, and Mass. **Confession is also available.** Please come and rest in God's love. **Location: Our Lady of Hope Parish, 591 Brennan Road, Sudbury, ON**

FOOT WASHING-SIGN-UP SHEET

Parishioners who would like to participate in the Washing of the Feet during the Holy Thursday Mass are invited to sign up on the list posted on the bulletin board in the Cloak Hallway.

If you are able to assist, please sign your name.

Thank you.



Sunday Gospel Reflections

We will gather every **Thursday after mass at 10:30 a.m.** in the Upper Room. Everyone is welcome to join us. For further information, please **contact Julie at 705-585-2414.**



Time Travellers

Children ages 3 & up!

During Sunday's 11:00 AM Mass



Kids welcome at dismissal time to pray the word of God in a spirit filled fun way!

DID YOU KNOW?



Were all Jewish girls presented to the temple or just Mary?

The presentation of Mary in the temple, while not found in the Hebrew Bible, is a story rooted in Christian tradition and recounted in apocryphal texts such as the Protoevangelium of James. According to this account, Mary's parents, Joachim and Ann, dedicated her to God by bringing her to the Temple in Jerusalem at a young age. This act mirrors Jewish customs of dedicating children, particularly firstborns, to the service of God, as seen in the biblical presentation of Samuel by his mother Hannah (1 Samuel 1:24-28). Incidentally, some protestant traditions, who do not baptize infants, follow a similar custom, by dedicating their infants to the Lord until the day when they are old enough to understand their faith and ask to be saved and are then baptized.

In Jewish tradition, the presentation of children at the temple was an expression of thanksgiving and a fulfilment of vows, reflecting a family's devotion and willingness to entrust their child's upbringing to God's care and the religious community. Additionally, Jewish law required the presentation and redemption of firstborn sons and the purification of mothers after childbirth, but did not specifically prescribe the presentation of daughters. The Christian story of Mary's presentation thus adapts and extends these rituals, emphasizing themes of purity, dedication, and preparation for her sacred role, in line with Jewish customs of consecration and temple service.

Let us know what you want to learn next: sacraments, saints, Scripture, prayer, seasons, and more. **Leave a note in the "Did You Know?" box at the bulletin table.**



The 4th Sunday of Lent Year A challenges us to open our hearts to God's light and see with faith. It calls us to grow in trust, courage, and love for Christ.

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