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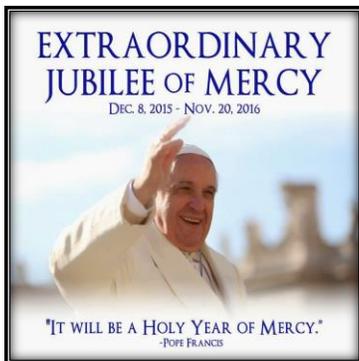
The Extraordinary Jubilee of Mercy began on 8 December with the universal celebration of the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception; a celebration that hopefully brought you *home* for Mass to remember that “the most Blessed Virgin Mary was, from the first moment of her conception, by a singular grace and privilege of almighty God and by virtue of the merits of Jesus Christ, Savior of the human race, preserved immune from all stain of original sin.” (Pius IX, *Ineffabilis Deus* (1854): DS 2803.). If you didn’t make it *home* to celebrate then hopefully you made it *home* to celebrate the gift of God’s mercy in the Sacrament of **Confession/Penance/Reconciliation** (CPR).

Just as CPR can awaken the body to new life, so too can going to Confession breathe new Life into the soul! Please consider coming home for “a true moment of encounter with the mercy of God” in Confession. There is no better way to *be ye prepared* for the coming of Christ before, during, and after the celebration of Christmas than by allowing the merits of His Passion, Death, and Resurrection to make you immaculate for that coming! **Be not afraid** that it’s been too long! Be not afraid that your sins are too numerous! **Be not afraid**, you (in union with Mary) have found favour with God! All you have to do is *come home* and say: “Bless me Father for I have sinned.” and you will have (in the words of Pope Francis) “a living experience of the closeness of the Father” that Pope Francis promises will strengthen your faith and make your testimony to that faith ever more effective!

Yes, *come home* for Confession and not only won’t Sundays and Fridays be the same during the Extraordinary Jubilee of Mercy (8 December 2015 – 22 November 2016), but you won’t be the same either; not only will the Year be “extraordinary”, but you will be extraordinary too!

### Sunday’s Won’t Be The Same At Our Holy Redeemer

During the Jubilee Year of Mercy (8 December 2015 – 22 November 2016)



#### MASS SCHEDULE

- 7:00 A.M.
- 8:00 A.M.
- 9:30 A.M.
- 11:30 A.M.
- 1:00 P.M. (Spanish)
- \*\*\* 5:00 P.M. \*\*\*



\*\*\* If the first two First Sunday 5:00 P.M. Masses (3 January and 7 February) are well-attended, with little noticeable decline at other Masses, the 5:00 P.M. Mass will be offered EVERY Sunday during the Jubilee Year. \*\*\*

### Friday’s Will Be Different Too

Confessions will be Heard EVERY FRIDAY  
from 4:00 P.M. – 5:00 P.M. during the Jubilee Year