

Our Lady of the Mount Catholic Church

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The Transfiguration Of the Lord



And he was transfigured
before them,
and his face shone
like the sun,
and his clothes became
dazzling white. *Matthew 17:2*



Rev. Edgar B. Brillantes
Pastor



Rev. Adrian R. Gervacio
Pastor-Emeritus

MISSION STATEMENT

We, the Our Lady of the Mount parishioners are a multicultural welcoming parish; are inspired by the Holy Spirit to worship God and committed to serve the community through faith, youth formation, stewardship, fellowship and outreach.

VISION STATEMENT

To be a vibrant faith community with active parishioners, working together in unity to know and love God and to serve Him through one another.

CORE VALUES

Community building, commitment, service, stewardship, unity, welcoming, youth and spirituality.

Fr. Edgar & Fr. Adrian wish that you...



HAVE A SAFE & PLEASANT SUMMER!

Don't forget to invite the Lord with you for a wholesome and enjoyable vacation.

Novena & Fiesta

**In honor of our Patroness,
OUR LADY OF THE MOUNT and*

**In celebration of our
PARISH 147TH ANNIVERSARY*

- ❖ **Novena – August 11-19 > after the daily Masses and prior to the weekend Masses**
- ❖ **Feast Day – August 20 > 8:30am Holy Mass**
- * Procession * Rosary * Fellowship**

Mark your calendars!

On **Sunday, August 20**, we shall celebrate the annual feast of our patroness, Our Lady of the Mount. At **8:30am** is the Eucharistic Mass celebration, followed by the solemn procession to the grotto and will culminate with a Thanksgiving fellowship in the Parish Hall. On **August 20**, **there will be NO 6:30am Mass.**



August 15, Tuesday is the actual feast day of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. We will celebrate with solemnity at the 6:30am Mass.

As a spiritual preparation for the feast, there shall be praying of the novena to Our Lady of the Mount in all the Masses starting on **August 11**. A schedule is posted in the Sacristy and all ministry and organization chairpersons and interested parishioners are asked to select a date to lead the novena.

We invite all parishioners to join the festivities and obtain God's blessing through the intercession of Our Lady of the Mount. If you would like to be on the 147th Anniversary Planning Committee, please leave your name and contact number at the Office. This is a good opportunity to spread and exercise your Stewardship wings. God loves you.

SIGN-UP TODAY

The Pastoral Council members will be outside the Church after all the Masses this and next weekend with sign-ups for the potluck fellowship. Hope to see you all!

MASS SCHEDULE

Monday - Friday: 6:30am
Saturday (Vigil): 6:00pm
Sunday: 6:30am & 8:30am
Ilocano Mass: 3rd Sunday 6:00pm

OFFICE HOURS

Mon-Thu 8:30am-4:00pm,
Lunch 11:30-12:30
Fri 8:30am-11:30am.
Closed Sat, Sun, Holy Days,
State and Federal Holidays



Pastor's Corner



By Rev. Edgar B. Brillantes

Next Sunday's Readings

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading
1 Kings 19:9, 11-13

Responsorial Psalm
Psalm 85:9-14

Second Reading
Romans 9:1-5

Gospel
Matthew 14:22-33

First Reading: Daniel 7:9-10; 13-14

The First Reading gives a sublime description of heaven, with symbolic, mysterious language. God takes his seat amidst throngs of angels. It is both throne room and court of law, and into it comes a man, who is presented to God and given the kingship. For Christians, the "one like a Son of man" is Christ.

Second Reading: 2 Peter 1:16-19

In this passage from 2 Peter, we hear a first hand account of today's feast: Peter himself describes what he saw and heard on the mount of Transfiguration. He saw the glory of Jesus, the Father's Son, and he heard the familiar words: "This is my Son, my beloved" (2 Peter 1:17). These words, Peter says, are a truth to cling to when we find ourselves in difficulty: they are like a light in shining in darkness, a glimpse of the Transfiguration.

Gospel: Matthew 17:1-9

In all the synoptic accounts of the Gospel, the story of the Transfiguration comes after Jesus tells the disciples about his approaching Crucifixion and Death. Jesus takes Peter, James and John with him, and these three become witnesses of Jesus in his heavenly glory. Before their eyes, he is changed: he is still Jesus, but his face and clothing grow bright. The light shines not from without, but from within him. Moses and Elijah appear - the Law and the Prophets of the Old Testament - and God's voice is heard, telling them who Jesus is and reminding them to listen to him. The disciples behold, but do not yet understand. Only after Jesus' Crucifixion and Resurrection will they understand what they have seen: Jesus is fully human, fully God.

SPIRITUAL JOURNEYS

❖ **PILGRIMAGE TO GREECE AND TURKEY:**
In the Footsteps of St. Paul

Join Fr. Edgar in tracing the towns and cities of Athens and Corinth where St. Paul preached and wrote his letters and epistles as well as the famous landmarks of the "Glory that was Greece" on September 25 -October 10, 2017. The trip includes a cruise to the Greek Islands of Crete and Santorini, the Virgin Mary's house in Ephesus and visit to the 7 Churches of the Book of Revelation. To apply or for more info, please contact Ely or Andrea Aguada at (808) 551-3566 or Fr. Edgar at 779-6338.



St. John Knight's Palace, Rhodes, Greece



❖ **SIX-DAY PILGRIMAGE TO MEXICO:**
Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe

Fr. Adrian is leading a pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe in Mexico from Oct. 15-21, 2017. Visit the Old and New Basilicas and spend time for prayer and Holy Mass. Take a tour of Mexico City and view the colonial buildings and architecture, outdoor cafes, museums and Aztec exhibits while strolling the cobbled stone streets. Call Marina Dasalla of R/M Travel at 842-7638.



DE COLORES!

The *Cursillo in Hawaii* is conducting a *Men's Cursillo Weekend* on August 10-13 at the St. Anthony Retreat Center in Kalihi Valley. The Cursillo is a lay movement whose mission is to help spread the Gospel by proclaiming the Christian teachings and engage the participants in common prayers, Masses, *rollos* or spiritual talks, *ultreyas* and meditations facilitated by priests, deacons and trained leaders. Bishop Larry Silva has appointed Fr. Edgar as the Spiritual Advisor for the Cursillo in Hawaii. Together with 8 delegates from Hawaii, Fr. Edgar attended the *27th National Cursillo Encounter and 60th Anniversary of Cursillo in the USA* held in San Antonio, Texas from July 27-30, 2017. The national gathering registered 745 *cursillistas* which included 4 Bishops, 30 priests and deacons. The group celebrated the milestone of 60 years of *Cursillo* as well as its significant contributions towards building up the Church in the USA.





Stewardship News & Announcements

Mass Attendance

	<u>7/29-7/30/17</u>	<u>7/22-7/23/17</u>
Saturday (6:00 pm)	73	90
Sunday (6:30 am)	115	115
Sunday (8:30 am)	177	148

Sacrificial Offerings - *Thank you!*

Saturday (6:00 pm)	\$ 768.00	\$ 763.40
Sunday (6:30 am)	\$ 919.00	\$ 623.75
Sunday (8:30 am)	\$ 900.18	\$1,015.75
Repair and Maintenance	\$ 10.00	\$ 663.00
Ilocano Mass	\$ NA	\$ 223.00
Seminary Education	\$ NA	\$ 834.50
Baptism	\$ NA	\$ 50.00
Funeral	\$1,000.00	\$ NA
Mass Intention	\$ 100.00	\$ 20.00
Hall	\$ 200.00	\$ NA
Mission Store	\$ 3.00	\$ NA
Candles	\$ 190.00	\$ 220.00
Total	\$4,090.18	\$4,413.40

"It is good to be merciful and generous."

Psalms 112:5



A STEWARDSHIP PRAYER

Dear Lord,
 Thank you for giving me hope: hope for the growth of our Faith, hope for the promise for our future, and hope for the care for our community. You show me every day that all I am, and all I have, are gifts from You. Lord, my gifts are meant to be shared. Show me and help me to understand that others, perhaps unknown to me, depend on me for help. We ask you to bless my stewardship offering which is offered to You to fulfill the needs of many. Amen.

STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE

The OLM Stewardship Committee started a group study of the US Bishops' Pastoral directive titled *Stewardship: A Disciple's Response*. Everyone realized the wider scope and bigger picture of stewardship. The committee is presently comprised by *Marc Ulep as chairman, Vangie Bacani, Alvin Baron, Fran Kovaloff, Condelita Pescador, Clementina Ceria-Ulep and Fr. Edgar.*

Their next meeting is on Wednesday, August 9, at 6:00pm.

We are encouraging other parishioners to join the committee. Please contact *Marc Ulep*, for questions and more info.



Stewardship calls us to be more conscious of the gift of each day. If you have work and are financially secure, be grateful and grow in willingness to share with others. Even when life is difficult such as when we experience loss of job or financial instability, find something to consciously be thankful for. We can find blessings lying hidden in the circumstances of our lives, perhaps in the concern and loving assistance you experience from others, including those in your parish and local community. In return, share yourself with others and see how your selflessness touches their lives. **(Leisa Anslinger of International Catholic Stewardship Council)*

MAHALO TO GOOD STEWARDS

Stewardship is responsible sharing of the gifts of time, talent and treasure that God has bestowed upon each one of us. This has been manifested by our dear parishioners in various forms:



*TECHNOLOGY INSTALLATION

❖The TV screen at the parish hall donated by the Sereno family when Fr. Adrian was Pastor at OLM has expired and served its purpose well. Last week, *Jun Cortez* and *Paul Valbuena* installed a replacement TV which was donated by *Bong & Evelyn Peralta*. The TV will be used for our continuing catechesis thru video presentations in DVD, Youtube and other media for our children, youth, parents and all parishioners. Much thanks to the donors and our volunteer technicians who will also work on the enhancement of the internet signal.

*GIFTS OF LOVE

❖*Congratulations!* Our Parish contribution to the *Annual Appeal for the Seminarians' Education Fund* held last month totaled \$834.50. We thank all parishioners for their prayers and support for our seminarians.

❖In gratitude for God's blessings, *Kalolo Tuihalafatai* and his family donated a tractor mower for use in the clean-up and maintenance of the parish cemetery. What a wonderful gift!

❖*The Locations Foundation* donated \$272.38 for the OLM Youth Ministry. The check was given thru *Yvonne Tuihalafatai* who is an employee of the Locations Company and a volunteer bookkeeper at OLM. We do appreciate their generous gift and kind services.

❖*Rey & Minda Teocson* donated a box of shell leis for our use in honoring visitors as well as parishioners celebrating special occasions.

❖We thank *Sio Tuitupou* for his regular delivery of freshly picked papaya fruits from his garden to the Rectory refectory. Much *mahalo!*

*MINISTERS & VOLUNTEERS – Our Parish has been blessed with such responsible stewards who serve and give without counting the cost and we keep praising and thanking God for them.

❖*M/M Jun & Nida Flores & M/M Eddie & Teresita Lucero* have been tending with love and care the flower garden by the *makai* side of the Church. Last *July 4th Independence Day*, they were assisted by *Cleto Patoc & Cathy Villanueva, Magdi & Cathy Sanchez* of the *Santo Nino Visayan Ministry*.

❖*Clem Fontanilla* mows the grasses and inspects the grounds before closing the gate at the end of the day.

*CHURCH CLEANERS – Every Saturday a group of men and women parishioners prepare the Church for the weekend celebrations. They clean the altar and the floor, wipe the pews, arrange the books, flowers and linens, put up the seasonal banners and other tasks. They set up the proper worship environments and make our celebrations dignified and meaningful. We do appreciate them for their dedication and devotion. If you are interested to join, please see *Roselani Ramones*.

***Our parish is always open and welcoming any parishioner who wants to volunteer in the councils, committees, ministries, organizations, clubs, prayer groups and donor societies and share your God-given talents and gifts to keep our Church going. You may submit your name at the parish office or contact our pastor. God bless and reward you abundantly.**

TO ALL THE GOOD STEWARDS, OUR SINCERE THANK YOU!





FEAST DAYS

- Aug 5 St. Sixtus II, pope & martyr, and Companions, d.258
St. Cajetan, priest, 1480-1547
- Aug 8 St. Dominic, priest, 1170-1221
- Aug 9 St. Benedicta of the Cross, (Edith Stein); virgin & martyr,
1891-1942
- Aug 10 St. Lawrence, deacon & martyr, d.259
- Aug 11 St. Clare, virgin 1195-1253
- Aug 12 St. Jane Frances de Chantal, religious, 1572-1641



- Aug 6 Religious Education 2017-2018 Class Registration continues, after the 8:30am Mass, Parish Hall
- Aug 7 Liturgy Committee Meeting, 7:00pm, Rectory Conf. Rm.
- Aug 9 Stewardship Committee Mtg., 6:00pm, Rectory Conf. Rm.

147th PARISH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

- Aug 6 & 13 Fellowship Sign-ups, after all Masses
- Aug 11-19 Novena to Our Lady of the Mount, all Masses
- Aug 15 Patronal Feast Day, Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary,
6:30am Mass
- Aug 20 Anniversary Eucharistic Mass
8:30am; Procession to the Grotto;
Thanksgiving Potluck Fellowship, Parish Hall
(NOTICE: There will be NO 6:30am Mass today)



❖RELIGIOUS ED PROGRAM❖

REGISTRATION FOR ALL CHILDREN IN THE CATECHISM CLASSES, PREPARATION FOR THE INITIATION SACRAMENTS AND COMPREHENSIVE YOUTH MINISTRY IS NOW GOING ON. Please see *Lucille Mohika* or approach any catechist.



Registration forms are available in the bulletin holders. For those who are receiving the sacraments of Confirmation and First Communion, the *Baptism Certificate* is required. The celebration of the *Sacraments of Confirmation and First Communion* is set on May 20, 2018 which is the solemn Feast of Pentecost. *First Reconciliation* is scheduled beforehand.

As directed by the Diocese, the **OPENING DAY OF THE SUNDAY SCHOOL** for the Year 2017-2018 is August 20. On the first day of school in August 20, there will be no formal classes yet, but all children together with their parents are urged to join the celebration of the *147th Parish Anniversary* starting with the *Holy Mass at 8:30am*, followed by a *solemn procession to the grotto and fellowship for all at the parish hall*.

The *catechists* led by *Sr. Clemence Mira, SPC* and the *Youth Ministry* under *Ropati Liua* jointly devised a plan to implement the diocesan program of transitioning to the original order of celebrating the initiation sacraments. A minor revamp in the designation of catechists for the different classes was made and the idea of team teaching was included in the new structure. The identified programs for the Youth Ministry called *EDGE* and *LIFE TEEN* were ordered in both online and hard copy forms. The parents' role in the Christian formation of their children is also integrated in the program.

Let's continue to pray for our children and youths. We thank the loving services of our ever-caring catechists who mold their minds and hearts with the Christian values and prepare them well for the sacraments of *First Reconciliation, Confirmation and First Communion*. We laud the parents, grandparents and guardians who encourage their children to attend the Sunday School and Mass and act as primary catechists and concrete examples of living the Christian faith.

☺L.O.L. (Laugh Out Loud) ☺



Mom to friend. "My teenager thinks I'm nosy, at least that's what she writes in her diary."

DID YOU KNOW....

Baptism, Confirmation & First Communion
Reflections on the Original Order
Diocese of Honolulu kdeneve@rcchawaii.org

The sacraments that initiate us into the Christian life are Baptism and Confirmation. Baptism and Confirmation go hand in hand, like a certificate given its official seal. In Baptism, Christians share in the death and resurrection of Jesus. In Confirmation, the Holy Spirit comes down upon us as it did on the Apostles on the day of Pentecost. Baptism and Confirmation are as inseparable as Easter and Pentecost Sundays, the first and last days of the Easter season.

Jesus himself was baptized and then confirmed by his Father with the gift of the Spirit: "After Jesus was baptized, he came up from the water and, behold, the heavens were opened for him, and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and coming upon him. And a voice came from the heavens, saying, 'This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased'" (Matthew 3:16-17).



OFFER, STRENGTHEN, SUSTAIN



July 31-Aug 4 > 6:30am RIP
+Ricardo Facuri
Aug 3-11 > 6:30am RIP
+Deceased members of the Balbuena & Sanchez families
Aug 3 > 6:30am Healing -
Christian Burgos * RIP +Angela

& Nicolas Balbuena, Fabian & Laureana Balbuena
Aug 4 > 6:30am RIP +Pastor & Malwenda Balbuena,
Petronilo & Teodulo Balbuena
Aug 5 > 6:00pm Birthday - Brian Schwengler * Good
health, safety, success & peace at work - Purie
Cortez * RIP +Ernesto Ventura; +Maximo & Walter Bal-
buena, Segunda Ferrer
Aug 6 > 6:30am (Pro populo) - For the parish & parish-
ioners
> 8:30am Successful surgery - Andy Magbojos *
Good health & safe military training - Carl Joshua Dichoso;
Christian Burgos * RIP +Eduardo Alob Jr, Felipe &
Remia Alob & Rafael Alob; +Romualdo & Lucia Lisondra,
Juan & Romana Ferrer
Aug 7-11 > 6:30am Healing - Patricia Facuri * RIP
+Ricardo Facuri
Aug 7 > 6:30am RIP +Eduarda & Juan Balbuena
Aug 8 > 6:30am RIP +Primitivo & Emiliana Sanchez
Aug 9 > 6:30am Healing - Mary Haranu * RIP +Santos
Balansag
Aug 10 > 6:30am RIP +Frank Verece Sr & Jr, Kenneth,
Donald & Martin Verece; +Deceased members of the Bal-
buena & Sanchez families
Aug 11 > 6:30am RIP +Antonio & Felomina Cagas



Don't Miss the

DEADLINE!

Deadline: Please submit your
Mass intentions by Thursday
if you want them printed on
time for the weekend Parish
Bulletin. *Mahalo.*



OBITUARY



+Estrelita Natividad

Memorial Mass: August 25, 2017, at OLM Church
Inurnment: TBA

+Jovino Arnaiz Batoto, 65

Funeral Mass: September 2, 2017, 10:45am at OLM
Church
Interment: 2:00pm at Valley of the Temples Memorial
Park

*"ETERNAL REST GRANT UNTO THE FAITHFUL
DEPARTED, O LORD."*

SINCERE CONDOLENCES TO THE BEREAVED FAMILIES.



REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Good Health / Successful Surgery: Andy
Magbojos * Christian Burgos * Tessie Fonta-
nilla * Caroline Gruenhagen, Michael
Schwengler, Gwen Zanellato * Michele
Schwengler * Noralyn Montemayor * Purie
Cortez & family * George Helenihi *Manuel
Francis & Lisa Espindola * Mon Reantaso *

Bernard Mendonca * Gertrudis Mina * Guy Miranda * Lydia
Bondad Andres * Katrina Santos * Patricia Facuri * Florence
Ellazar * Doren Gruenhagen * Joann Gibbs * Florentino Sotto *
James Sr & Hazel Rodrigues * Jose Cadiz * Minda Teocson *
John Pregil * Marvin & Sally Moore * Clara Adlawan * Cres Pa-
ranada * Marilou Bruno * Gregory & Medie Raguindin * Jeanne
Oshiro * Stanley & Martha Castro * Pelenato Falaniko * Charlie
Newman

Birthday: Brian Schwengler * Mary Haranu * Gilbert Bacani *
Daren Rumbaoa * Kira Patoc * Aurea Cabusag * Matthew
Capino * Annika Balmores * Nazario Balbuena * Ligaya Badua *
Kaylana Brigitte Orsino Hall (11)

Wedding Anniversary: Virgilio & Carmelita Cabico (13) * Joe
& Fe Go * Clarissa & Matthew Blake * Paul & Aida Valbuena
(47) * Manuel Francis & Lisa Espindola * Jun & Caridad Cortez
(48) * Alfredo & Praxedes Javines (55)

Safe Travel: Carl Joshua Dichoso * Magdaleno & Cathy
Sanchez * Joel Abayon * Sr. Clemence Mira, SPC * Bishop Wil-
liam Antonio * Wayne Miranda & family

Deceased: +Caroline & Martin Rodrigues * +Frank Verece Sr &
Jr, Kenneth, Donald & Martin Verece * Ricardo Facuri *
+Angela & Nicolas Balbuena, Fabian & Laureana Balbuena, Pas-
tor & Malwenda Balbuena, Petronilo & Teodulo Balbuena, Max-
imo & Walter Balbuena, Segunda Ferrer, Romualdo & Lucia
Lisondra, Juan & Romana Ferrer, Eduarda & Juan Balbuena,
Primitivo & Emiliana Sanchez, Santos Balansag, Antonio & Fe-
lomina Cagas * +Edith, Henry & Anthony Santos * +Robert
Walsh * +Victoriano Salvador, Aurelio Acosta & Aleja Acosta *
+Bro Charles Ka'ahanui * +Ramon Rodrigues * +Eduardo Alob
Jr * +Lupe & Caridad isiderio, Salvador & Beatriz Alob * +Felipe
& Remia Alob, Rafael Alob * +Eufemio Sr & Trinidad Cortez *
+Robert Ellis * +Steve Ramseyer (2nd anniv) * +George Borro-
meo * +Ernesto Ventura * +Verle Cadiz * +Daniel Facunla *
+Mario Francisco & Aleth Francisco * +Isabelo, Martina, Benja-
min & Magdalena Orcino * +Silvestre Tolentino * +Primitivo
Llacuna, Ananias Rivera, Apolonia Rivera, Marciana Labayog,
Victoriano Labayog * +Ben & Caridad Doronio * +Fermin Cruz *
+Brian Tabaniag * +Felix Billena * +Olivia Fivella * +Caroline &
Martin Rodrigues * +Mercedes "Mercy" Bayudan Vallesteros *
+Pedro Artates & Pio Bacani * +Johnny Ferreira * +John & Jo-
hanna Ferreira * +Glir & Emeterio Dagdagan * +Thomas Ko-
valoff * +James Adlawan (1st Anniv) * +Rafael Plana Rios *
+Felicidad C. Llacuna * +Dominga Garcia Cabico * +Modesto
Lorenzo Bautista * +Baltazar Domingo Pascual * +Amanda
Pablo * +Fr. Henry Sabog * +Howard Donald Gomes Jr *
+Carmen Caraang Paguirigan * +Philip Won * +Ernesto Elido *
+Rogelio Ragus * +Leonora Bautista * +Franco Alfredo Casino *
+Esperanza Calpito Balmores * +Charlene Marie Santiago *
+Jessica Villapando

Parish News & Announcements, contd.



myParish App

Upload in your smartphone *myParish* app now: Go to your app store and search for "myparish". You can also text "app" to 88202 and you will receive a link to download. Once installed you can choose *Our Lady of the Mount* as your parish and view the app.


Download is **free** and available to parishioners of all ages, young and old.

*The **OLM Parish website** will be launched soon. Thanks to *Tita Calizar* who is setting it up.



CHARISMATIC PRAYER SERVICE


The OLM *Catholic Charismatic Renewal* group will have a brief summer break and will soon resume a monthly gathering in August. Prepare yourself to be filled with the "Sanctifying Fire" of the Holy Spirit. The session is led by *Dr. Jorge & Chloe Samaniego* and accompanied by the music of *Rory & Violy Elefano*.



❖ FACILITIES REPAIR & MAINTENANCE ❖

The project of putting up a concrete fence and iron railings on the *makai* side of the convent as well as concrete pavement on its frontage is done. We are grateful to *Kalolo Tuihalafatai, Rudy Fiesta* and their men for their workmanship. Much *mahalo* too to our good neighbor and parishioner, *Rosie Jacinto*, who donated the amount of \$2000.00 to help foot the expenses incurred.

This and other maintenance projects are made possible with the parishioners' stewardship offering for Repair & Maintenance. The Facilities & Building Committee chaired by *Joyce Oliveira* will soon look into the awaited renovation of the convent building starting with the flooring on both levels. Definitely, this needs more funding and we shall be appealing to the parishioners' *kokua* as we resume the monthly *second collection for Repair & Maintenance* soon. We are most grateful for your support and generosity and may God repay you abundantly.



OLM Convent Building

CLERGY AND STAFF
 Pastor - *Rev. Edgar B. Brillantes*
 Pastor Emeritus - *Rev. Adrian R. Gervacio*
 Religious Education Coordinator / RCIA / Office Assistant -
Sr. Clemence Mira, SPC
 Office Coordinator - *Bella Miranda*
 Bookkeeper - *Yvonne Tuihalafatai*
 Technology Consultant - *Jun Cortez*

PERSONNEL
 Custodian - *Lolito Dullin*
 Music Ministry & Choir - *Mary Ann Llamedo*

COMMITTEE * MINISTRY * ORGANIZATION CHAIRPERSONS
 Pastoral Council & Education - *Clementina Ceria-Ulep*
 Finance Council - *Rebecca Jandoc*
 Stewardship Committee - *Marcelino Ulep*
 Adult Education - *Clementina Ceria-Ulep*
 Liturgy Committee & Respect Life Ministry - *Francisca Kovaloff*
 Outreach Coordinator & Family Fun Night - *Tom DeCorte*
 Parish Planning and Building Committee - *Joyce Oliveira*
 Youth Ministry & Hospitality Committee - *Robert Ropati Liua*
 Young Adult Ministry - *Taniela Tuihalafatai*
 Altar Servers - *Angie Balbuena*
 Eucharistic Ministry - *Cleo Bala-Casino*
 Lector Ministry & Receptionist - *Gloria Rodrigues*
 Altar Ladies & Decorations Ministry - *Roselani Ramones*
 Webmaster & *myParish* Administrator - *Tita Calizar*
 Ilocano Ministry & Choir - *Silverio Palting*
 Filipino Catholic Club - *Fe Go*

COMMITTEE * MINISTRY * ORGANIZATION CHAIRPERSONS, contd.
 Knights of Columbus & Kokua Food Pantry - *Andresito Magbojos*
 Prison & Hospital Ministry - *Wilfred Soong*
 Stewardship Counter & Receptionist - *Linda Puzon*
 Cemetery Maintenance - *Kalolo Tuihalafatai*
 Santo Nino Devotion & Visayan Ministry - *Cleto Patoc*
 Parish Bulletin Editor - *Fran Kovaloff*

Choir Practice:
 Parish Choir: Wed. - 4pm; Sat. - 10am; Ilocano Choir: Thu. 7:30pm

Rosary: Before the weekday and Sunday 6:30am Masses.

Eucharistic Adoration & Benediction: After the First Friday Mass.

Reconciliation: Saturday: 5pm - 5:30pm or by appointment.

First Holy Communion: Candidates must be baptized and received at least two years of catechism.

Anointing the Sick: Please call the Office for a priest. For emergency at the hospitals, please call 597-8779. *Fr. Francis Sanchez* and *Fr. Tony Bobis* are the Catholic Chaplains for Queen's, Straub, Kapiolani and Kaiser hospitals.

Kokua Ministry & Food Pantry: First and third Wed., 8:30-11:30am

Contact the Rectory Office for the following:
Baptism: 4th Sunday of the month. No baptism during Lent.
Marriage: Couples are required to make arrangements *four months before* the wedding date. Diocesan policy requires couples to attend an Engagement Encounter Weekend.
Wake and Funeral Services: Before making arrangements with the mortuary.

CATHEDRAL RENEWAL CAMPAIGN

Second Collection: August 12-13



Next weekend our parish will be holding a special collection for the mother church of our Diocese, the *Cathedral Basilica of Our Lady of Peace* in downtown Honolulu. The 174-year-old building is in much need of restoration and *Bishop Larry Silva* and *Monsignor Gary Secor* have invited the parishes to help support renovations to our historic Hawaiian cathedral. The *Cathedral Renewal Campaign* seeks to raise a minimum of \$15 million to complete all the renovations as well as construct a *Reliquary Chapel for veneration of Saints Damien and Marianne*. Phase 2 of the construction project will begin this fall with renovations to the Cathedral's sanctuary, which will be unveiled next summer. See this week's bulletin insert for more information. Please be generous in your support of our mother church with a gift during next week's collection! *Mahalo nui loa!*

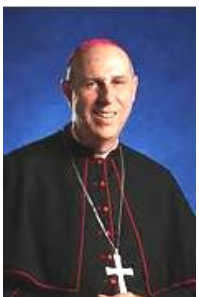


DIACONATE ORDINATION

The Diocese of Honolulu announces the Ordination of *William Gene Matekihelotu Tulua-Alvarez* to the Order of Deacon by *The Most Reverend Larry Silva*, Bishop of Honolulu, on Tuesday, August 15, 2017 at 7:00pm at the Co-Cathedral of St. Theresa. Reception to follow in the Parish Hall.



BISHOP'S CIRCLE APPEAL 2016-2017



For the Diocese of Honolulu and the Catholic Church in Hawaii

"Together We Are Stewards of the Gospel"

The Bishop's Circle Appeal is a special invitation to join *Bishop Larry Silva* as a fellow Steward of the Gospel by honoring the Lord with your stewardship of treasure in support of our clergy, our youth and the needy. For more information and to make a donation, please visit www.catholicahawaii.org or use the envelopes available at the church. Mahalo for your kind support.



DAMIEN & MARIANNE CATHOLIC CONFERENCE

-Venue: Hawaii Convention Center

-Date: **October 20-22, 2017**

Be inspired and transformed! The largest Catholic Convention on our Islands is coming on October 20-22 at the Hawaii Convention Center. This conference will feature local, national and international speakers. They include *Sister Helen Prejean, CSJ*, author of *"Dead Man Walking"*, *Cardinal Soane Patita Paini Mafi* of Tonga, *Rev. Herman Gomes, SSCC*, and *Dr. Edward Sri*, theologian & author.

There are also uplifting musical performances by *Paul Kim*, *Jackie Francois Angel*, songwriter/recording artist, and a medley of local Catholic music ministries. There will be Mass, Confessions, Eucharistic Adoration and a Chapel & Arts Display room. Find a full listing of speakers and the conference schedule at the website: dmcchawaii.org. Enjoy different tracks on leadership development, vocations, faith formation, youth and young adult programs, and social services.

Register at www.dmcchawaii.org until October 7, 2017.

