

## OCTOBER IS ROSARY MONTH

"Let us pray the holy rosary for peace in the world, in our country, and in our families."

Our Lady of the Mount Catholic Church

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# NOVEMBER: Remembering the Dead 🛖

November is dedicated to praying, remembering and honoring our beloved dead. Starting <u>November 1</u>, which is *All Saints' Day*, followed by <u>November 2</u> which is *All Souls Day*, we shall be praying every day at Mass for all our deceased loved ones. A *Book of Remembrance* is placed in church where everybody could write the names of their loved ones. There will also be a board to *display photos* of our dead ones. *All Souls envelopes* will be made available for our offerings for the dead.

*St. Anthony Retreat Center in Kalihi Valley* is offering a one-day *spiritual retreat* for those mourning the loss of a loved one on <u>November 11, 9:00am-2:00pm</u> at 3351 Kalihi St, Honolulu. Come and let the healing begin. Lunch will be provided. A free-will offering will be collected.

*Mary, Star of the Sea Church* is also providing a support group for those who mourn called the *"Healing Hearts."* For those searching for hope, a Healing Hearts group is a nurturing link to the Church, the Almighty and other people of faith who are also grieving over their loss. The Fall sessions are: <u>Oct 14, 21, 28</u> <u>& Nov 4, 11, 18, 2017</u>, from <u>1:00pm-3:00pm</u>, at Mary, Star of the Sea Church. For more info contact <u>374-0396</u> or email Kanani at <u>healingheartshawaiii@gmail.com</u>.

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# **29th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

October 22, 2017

"...Repay to Caesar what belongs to Caesar and to God what belongs to God." Matthew 22:21



2017 National Vocations Awareness Week \*November 5-11, 2017



Did you know that in our country,

compared to 50 years ago, there are 20,000 fewer priests and 130,000 fewer religious sisters? At the same time, the Catholic population has continued to grow steadily. Many factors have contributed to the decline – growing secularism, a lengthened period of adolescence, attitudes about celibacy, etc. During Vocation Awareness Week, please pray that young people in today's society will hear and respond to God's call. And do your part to encourage them to consider the priesthood and religious life.

#### 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.

## **MASS SCHEDULE**

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

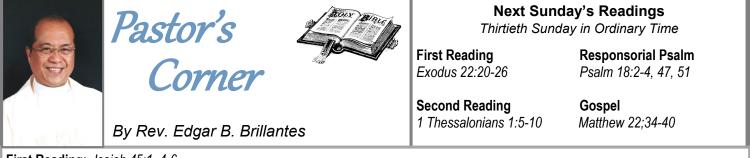
## **OFFICE HOURS**

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

"Give the Lord glory and honor." Psalm 96;7

Our Lady of the Mount Catholic Church

Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time



#### First Reading: Isaiah 45:1, 4-6

The Lord calls Cyrus as king to lead his people. Together, they will subdue nations and kings will fall in their presence They will defeat Babylon. Through the actions of Cyrus, people will know he is the Lord's chosen and that the Lord is God. There are no other gods for people to worship why will protect and safeguard them as the Lord does.

#### Second Reading: 1 Thessalonians 1:1-5

Our Second Readings on the next five Sundays before the Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe, are taken from Paul's first letter to the Thessalonians, the earliest of his letters. Today's reading is Paul's greeting to the church at Thessalonica. The triad of faith, hope, and love appears in the thanksgiving. The hope that Paul preaches is the hope Christians have of sharing in Christ's Resurrection when he comes again in glory. In the interim, Paul encourages the Thessalonians, and we who live in hope today, to continue in their work of faith, living and spreading the Gospel in the Holy Spirit.

#### Gospel: Matthew 22:15-21

The Pharisees, angered by Jesus' teaching in the previous parables, go off and plot against Jesus. They crave to trap him in his own teaching to discount his authority. Unwilling to approach Jesus themselves, the Pharisees send their disciples to ask him about the legality of paying tax to Caesar. Jesus calls the bluff of the hypocrites by simply asking to see the Roman coin and having them identify the image on the coin. What is obvious to many, but not the Pharisees and their disciples, Jesus teaches: Caesar's is Caesar's and God's is God's.



# PASTOR'S DAY

In appreciation and in celebration of our Pastor's birthday, there will be a simple fellowship on <u>October</u> <u>29, 2017 at 11:00am</u>. At the 8:30am Mass, the RE children will attend with their Halloween costumes then parade from the church to the parish hall. Prizes will be awarded to the categories of *"Most Original", "Most Artistic"* and *"Most Spiritual"*, The children will also do *"Trick or Treat"* to the parents and adults present and will be given candies and goodies. Meanwhile, the *Stewardship Committee* will present an audio-visual for the continuing formation of parents on the Christian faith.





#### PRAYER FOR PRIESTS

Gracious and loving God, we thank you for the gift of our priests. Through them we experience your presence in the sacraments. Help our priests to be strong in their vocation. Set their souls on fire with love for your people. Grant them the wisdom, understanding, and strength they need to follow in the footsteps of Jesus. Inspire them with the vision of your Kingdom. Give them the words they need to spread the Gospel. Allow them to experience joy in the ministry. Help them to become instruments of your divine grace. We ask this through Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns as our Eternal Priest. Amen. (Courtesy of

United State Conference of Catholic Bishops)

# Stewardship News & Announcements

#### **STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE**

Together with the *Parish Education* Committee, the *Stewardship Committee* will sponsor the viewing of relevant and pertinent videos to all parents and guardians as part of their role in the Religious Education of their children. The next showing will be on stewardship.

The *Stewardship Committee* led by *Marc Ulep* will continue to meet every 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of the month to reflect on the pastoral document by the United States Conference of Bishops titled, *Stewardship: A Disciple's Response.* The next meeting is <u>November 8</u>. We welcome any parishioner who is interested to join.

A STEWARDSHIP PRAYER

#### Dear Lord,

As we begin to shift from summer schedules to autumn demands, teach us to recognize you, and help us follow you amidst our busy life. Open the Scriptures to us... that we may



know you, see you, hear you – in the voices of friends and family, in the ministries of our parish, in the proclamation of the Word, and in the Breaking of the Bread. Teach us to be good stewards, that we may use your gifts wisely and care for all those you place in our path. Encourage us, when we are overwhelmed. Strengthen us, when we are frightened. Challenge our complacency. Help us make this new season a time of spiritual renewal, hope, and action to proclaim the Gospel in our words and in our deeds. For the kingdom and the power and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.



Stewardship always involves conversion — a change of mind and heart, something that cannot be expressed in one single action, but in a whole way of living. Stewardship offers us a way to re-focus our energy

and provides an opportunity to face today's challenges. The rediscovery of stewardship as an ancient New Testament teaching is one of the good news stories in our Catholic life of faith. Catholics in increasing numbers are being introduced to the message of stewardship and are studying how this concept informs their understanding of what it means to be a disciple of Jesus Christ. As Saint Paul writes: "We are servants of Christ and stewards of the mysteries of God" (1 Cor. 4:1). As stewards, we understand that a grace-filled potential dwells within each of us that is constantly open to conversion and responsive to the love of God. Also within every human heart, the mystery of God lays dormant, waiting to be awakened by our words, our example or our actions. As individuals, we have power we do not realize. Even our generous acts have power. Like the poor widow whom Jesus esteemed for placing two seemingly insignificant coins in the temple offertory, we have the power to build our community of faith through our generosity. Today, the witness to this power is most evident in those communities of faith that profess and practice stewardship.

What we learn from Christian stewardship is that we have an openness to change and respond, to let ourselves be new persons. As stewards, we recognize that all is gift, all is grace, and all things manifest the mystery of God's presence. Once we come to this conclusion, then we are more fully able to live the rest of our days in gratitude by celebrating and becoming Eucharistic people. Our work of stewardship is ultimately our way of saying thanks to God; our way of putting the Eucharist into action.

\*(By International Catholic Stewardship Council)

#### **COOLING THE PARISH HALL**

After an overwhelming response of financial support from parishioners, the setting up of the installation for ceiling fans in the parish hall has been started. *Jun Cortez* and *Paul Valbuena* volunteered their services *gratis et amore ad maiorem Dei gloriam* and had been working for some days.



Our wholehearted appreciation and gratitude

goes to the following generous donors: *Rey & Minda Teocson* (\$1500) \* Silverio & Marivic Palting (\$1000) \* Fermin & Luida Susa (\$500) \* Gloria Rodrigues (\$400) \* Caridad Dagdagan (\$300) \* Outreach Ministry (\$300) \* Pilarina Pasion (\$200) \* Nelie Puzon (\$200) \* Edna Gamiao (\$100) \* Angelita Sera (\$100) \* Julieta Walsh (\$100) \* Guillermo & Vangie Bacani (\$100) \* Adoracion & Mabini Mina (\$100) \* Maliana Gasio (\$100) \* Lydia Felipe (\$50).

If you are interested to contribute to any project, please hand in your gift from the heart at the parish office. We do appreciate your magnanimous spirit.

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Saturday (6:00 pm)		76		81
Sunday (6:30 am)		124		97
Sunday (8:30 am)	136		156	
Sacrificial Offerings — <i>"Mālō 'Aupito!"</i>				
(Tongan for "Thank you very much!")				
Saturday (6:00 pm)	\$	665.40	\$	644.05
Sunday (6:30 am)	\$	811.00	\$1	,398.00
Sunday (8:30 am)	\$	724.00	\$	942.00
Repair and Maintenance	\$	307.00	\$	30.00
Donation-Electric Fan	\$	400.00	\$	NA
Funeral	\$	500.00	\$	600.00
Hall/Parking	\$	200.00	\$	NA
Mass Intention	\$	10.00	\$	NA
Sunday School Regis.	\$	20.00	\$	NA
Fundraising-OCFCC	\$	652.06	\$	NA
Candles	\$	205.00	<u>\$</u>	192.00
Total	\$4	,494.46	\$3	,806.05

**Mass Attendance** 

"Those who respect the Lord give freely to the poor." Psalm 112:9

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# Stewardship News & Announcements, contd.



#### 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:

\*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*.

\*CHURCH CHOIR – Every Wednesday and Saturday, the choir takes time to rehearse under the baton of *Mary Ann Llamedo*. Aside from the adults, children and the youth are being trained cantors. The Sunday worship is made more alive because of their lead in singing praises to God. Please don't hesitate to share your talent. Come and join the choir. Also assisting in the rehearsals and instrumentation are *Sr. Clemence Mira, Audrey Peralta, Connie de Santos, Ronnie Palce* and the *Llamedo family*.

#### \*GIFTS OF LOVE

Another unexpected act of generosity was extended to our church when *Luida Susa* delivered two electric box fans for use in the church and rectory. Blessings and heartfelt *mahalo*.

\*Last week, the Youth Ministry under the lead of *Robert Liua* held a carwash fundraising at the church parking lot. Parishioners responded in an awesome way showing their appreciation for the efforts of the youth. A touching scene that was not noticed much was the involvement of some mothers like *Arnie Kikkawa, Arlene Nishimura* and *Gloria Peterson*. They were actually washing and wiping the cars like any of the young volunteers. When it comes to caring and support for the children, no one can beat the Mothers. Thank you so much for your own support of our youth.

\*We thank *Sio Tuitupou* for his regular delivery of freshly picked fruits from his garden to the Rectory refectory. Much *mahalo!* Other parishioners bring and share cooked foods from their kitchen or invite the priests out. Our priests do appreciate such show of care and concern keeping them from starving.

♦A generous *RE benefactress* donated the amount of \$1,595.00 for the payment of the two programs for the Youth Ministry titled EDGE and LIFE TEEN in both online version and hard copy. Hundredfold blessings to you!

\*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.

\*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 re-ward you abundantly. *\*TO ALL THE GOOD STEWARDS, OUR SINCERE THANK YOU!*\*

#### **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.

Mother of Perpetual Help Novena: Thursdays, 7:00pm in the Church.

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.

# 🔻 Parish Calendar, News & Announcements

# FEAST DAYS

- Oct 23 St. John of Capistrano, priest, 1386-1456
- Oct 24 St. Anthony Mary Claret, bishop, 1807-1870
- Oct 28 St. Simon and St. Jude, apostles, first century

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- Oct 20-22 Damien & Marianne Catholic Conference, Hawaii Convention Center
- Oct 22 Religious Ed. Program Rosary, after the 8:30am Mass
- Oct 23 Pastoral Council Meeting, 6:30pm, Rectory Conference Room
- Oct 25 Divine Mercy Parish Mission, Blessed Sacrament Church, 5-9pm
- Oct 26 Novena to Mother of Perpetual Help, 7:00pm, fellowship to follow
- **Oct 29** > Religious Education Program Halloween Costume Contest and Parade, after the 8:30am Mass, Parish Hall
  - > Pastor's Day, Fr. Edgar's Birthday celebration, potluck fellowship, Parish Hall, 11:00am; YOU ALL ARE INVITED!
- Oct 30 Kalihi-Uka Booster Club Annual Costume Contest, 6:30pm, Kalihi-Uka School Cafeteria



# KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

> After the 6:30am and 8:30am Masses this weekend, members will be outside the Church selling candies for their Annual Fundraiser. The monies will be used to support the Kokua Ministry and other ac-

tivities that they lead. Your support is greatly appreciated. Thank you for your generosity.

> The Knights at OLM are conducting a recruitment drive on October 29 in all the Masses. On November <u>12</u>, they will celebrate the 15<sup>th</sup> anniversary of their council founded by and named after the late former pastor of OLM, *Fr. Jose Nacu, SM.* 

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#### NOVENA TO MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP

We come to honor the Blessed Virgin Mary and ask for her help and intercession in our various needs thru the popular devotion to the *Mother of Perpetual Help Novena* and the praying of the holy rosary



every Thursday at 7:00pm in the Church. This is capped by a potluck fellowship at the parish hall. Come as a family and be blessed.

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# HALLOWEEN CELEBRATION



Kalihi-Uka Booster Club presents the Annual Halloween Haunted House & Costume Contest on October 30, 2017, 6:30pm at Kalihi-Uka Community Park in the School Cafeteria. Prizes will be awarded for the "Most Unique" and "Spookiest" costumes in various brackets from 3-year old kids to

18+ adults. Donations are greatly appreciated. This program is assisted by the *City & County of Honolulu* and the *Department of Parks & Recreation*. For more info, please call *Pascual Dabis* at 845-8701 or *James Rodrigues* at 845-1317.

# \*RELIGIOUS ED PROGRAM\*

LITURGICAL INVOLVEMENT: Last Sunday, the children served at the 8:30am Mass as lectors, cantor, ushers, giftbearers and altar servers. The RE catechists and the children continue to serve as a group at Mass once a month.



#### FORTHCOMING ACTIVITIES:

\*October 29: The children will have Halloween Costume Contest and Parade. Prizes will be given to the "Most Original", "Most Artistic" and "Most Spiritual". Candies will also be distributed for the "Trick or Treat" so the children have to be ready with their own candy bags. Parents or parishioners are welcome to donate goodies for our children. On this day, too, the Stewardship Committee will present their second audiovisual for the continuing education of parents on the Christian faith and programs.

\*Prior to November, the children and their parents are encouraged to write the names of their beloved dead in the *Book of Remembrance* to be prayed for during the <u>month of Novem-</u> <u>ber</u>. They may also submit photos of the deceased.

\*Also in November, the children will have special *Thanksgiving* offerings in celebration of Thanksgiving Day. It's an opportune time for them to show appreciation and gratitude to their beloved parents.

\*In preparation for Christmas, the children will be drawing *Christmas cards*. They are also encouraged to come with their parents to the *Aguinaldo Masses* from <u>December 16-24</u>. On Christmas Eve, they will participate in the Christmas tableau.

Let's continue to pray for our children and youths. We thank the generous and joyful 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 all parishioners who encourage their children to attend the Sunday School and Mass and act as primary catechists and concrete examples of living the Christian faith.

# PUBLIC SERVICE

FOR RENT – Two (2) Rooms at ground level with 1 bathroom & 1 parking. Located in Kalihi Valley along the bus route. Please contact *Rudy* at 620-5626 or *Aida Fiesta* at 282-4223.



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Father: "Don't you think our son gets all his brains from me?" Mother: "Probably. I still have mine."

©L.O.L. (Laugh Out Loud) ©



Oct 15 > 6:30am Birthday - Bela Miranda

> 8:30am Birthday - Latai Holeva Manupuna \* Healing -Manupuna Lakalaka, Sisitauleva Manukeu \* Thanksgiving - Jose Cadiz & family; Maria Cecilia Escobar \* RIP +Victorio, Leonora & Edison Bautista; +Alejandro & Selvina Duma; +Maximina, Antonio, Pedro, Norma, Abnomian, Francis, Apolonia, Demetria, Priscila, Quirina, Meliton

> 6:00pm Ilocano Mass: Birthday - Corazon dela Rosa, Luz Velasco, Mely Manuel \* Thanksgiving & health - Silver & Marivic Palting; Vic & Luz Velasco; Ruby Guevara de Guzman, Ivy Ellazar, Julia Magpantay delos Santos \* Safe trip & protection - Emeline Bacani \* RIP +Deceased family members & relatives of Silver & Marivic Palting

**Oct 16-21** > 6:30am RIP +*Victorio, Leonora & Edison Bautista;* +*Marlene Facuri, Ricardo & Patricia Facuri* 

Oct 18 > 6:30am RIP + *Sita Kama* 

**Oct 19** > 6:30am Healing - *Tessie Fontanilla; Merlin Ibera* \* Birthday - *Cesar Brillantes* 

**Oct 20** > 6:30am Wedding anniversary - *Pete & Brigida Panganiban* 

**Oct 21** > 6:00pm Birthday - *Mrs. Robin Johnson* \* Healing – *Audrey Peralta and Theresa Schwengler* \* RIP +*Victorio, Leonora & Edison Bautista;* +*Catherine Raymond Baker* 

**Oct 22** > 6:30am Wedding anniversary (55) - *Edward & Teresita Dayoan* \* (Pro populo) - *For Parish & parishioners* 

> 8:30am Healing - Gloria Atudo \* Thanksgiving - Nick & Sixto II Amian, Kikkawa & Nishimura families, Mateo & Sao families \* RIP +Sixto, Perpetua, Marina & Merlin Amian, Francisco, Eugenia, Dominador & Emilio Sao, Melanio & Mirasol Mateo

**Oct 23** > 6:30am RIP +*Pete Panganiban* (Birthday)

**Oct 24** > 6:30am Birthday - *Wilfred Soong* 

**Oct 25** > 6:30am RIP +*Caroline & Martin Rodrigues, Molly Greeen* 



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

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## **REMEMBER IN PRAYER**

**Good Health / Successful Surgery**: Theresa Schwengler \* Audrey Peralta \* Gloria Atudo \* Merlin Ibera \* Ruby Guevara de Guzman, Ivy Ellazar, Julia Magpantay delos Santos \* Zoe Villaflor \* Gwen Zanellato \* Manupuna Lakalaka, Sisitauleva Manukeu \* Vangie Bacani \* Kathrine Sennett \* James Paet \* Marie Schwengler \* Elena Graham \* Marian Gomes \* Cres Paranada & Ashley Braceros \* Tessie Fontanilla \* Caroline Gruenhagen, Michael Schwengler \* Michele Schwengler \* Noralyn Montemayor \* George Calizar \* George Helenihi \* Lisa Espindola \* Bernard Mendonca \* Mary Haruno \* Lydia Bondad Andres \* Katrina Santos \* Florence Ellazar \* Doren Gruenhagen \* Joann Gibbs \* Florentino Sotto \* James Sr & Hazel Rodrigues \* Minda Teocson \* John Pregil \* Marvin & Sally Moore \* Clara Adlawan \* Marilou Bruno \* Gregory & Medie Raguindin \* Jeanne Oshiro \* Stanley & Martha Castro \* Pelenato Falaniko \* Charlie Newman

**Birthday:** Moses Andres \* Luz Velasco \* Corazon dela Rosa \* Mely Manuel \* Bella Miranda \* Cesar Brillantes \* Rachel Soong \* Latai Holeva Manupuna \* Lino Cabico \* Jun Cortez \* Michael Schwengler Sr & Jr \* Janice Vannatta \* Maria Pascual \* Joshua Balmores \* Aurelia Centino \* Olivia Mita

Wedding Anniversary: Edward & Teresita Dayoan (55) \* Pete & Brigida Panganiban \* Tony & Gloria Peterson (22)

**Safe Travel:** Fr. Adrian & pilgrims \* Kelvin Chee & Clyde Chee \* Bella Miranda \* Nomie & Mila Llantero

Deceased: +Sita Kama \* +Victorio, Leonora & Edison Bautista \* +Pedro Panganiban \* +Leonarda & Nicolas Palting, Jose & Sofia Palting, Jacinta & Marta Palting, Antonia & Eustaquio Ancheta, Filemon & Rosalina Palting, Flor & Victoria Barruga, Ricardo & Ana Francisca Mateo, Arsenio & Rosalina Mateo, Anthony & Linda Gutierrez \* +Ottina Paoa \* +Catherine Raymond Baker \* +Magdaleno Sanchez \* +Bigardo Dumaual \* +Aida Alcoriza Sonajo \* +Donald Gomes \* +Elena Afroilan \* +William Wilson \* +Ernesto Lagrimas Apdal (18<sup>th</sup> anniv) \* +Maria Cachola \* +Catalino Tolentino \* +Eduardo Alob Jr & Leilani Villanueva \* +Anastacio & Rosa Umblas \* +Domingo & Leonora Malapitan, Lydia Criste, Albert Santillan \* Ulpiano Baloran \* +Marlene Facuri \* +Patricia Facuri \* +Sixto, Perpetua, Marina & Merlin Amian, Mirasol & Melanio Mateo, Francisco, Eugenia, Dominador & Emilio Sao \* +Flaton Fontanilla & Jonathan Fontanilla Tanaid \* +Esperanza Calpito Balmores \* +Christina Delemos David \* +Francisca Rodrigues \* +Catalina Bautista \* +Maria Lagac Balmores \* +Jose Calpito \* +Bernardo V. Castro \* +Charlie Puzon, Honorio Gamiao \* Caroline & Martin Rodrigues \* +Ricardo Facuri \* +Robert Walsh \* +Eufemio Sr & Trinidad Cortez \* +Fermin Cruz \* +Pedro & Urbana Artates & Pio Bacani \* +Glir & Emeterio Dagdagan \* +Thomas Kovaloff \* +James Adlawan (1<sup>st</sup> Anniv) \* +Gregorio Aserit Calantoc \* +Micah Kai'Noah Diga Castro \* +Bernanda de Guzman \* +Estralita Ann Natividad Bassett \* +Jimmy Dayot Hinlo \* +Gino David Caspillan \* +Jovino Arnaiz Batoto \* +Rafael Plana Rios \* +Felicidad C. Llacuna \* +Modesto Lorenzo Bautista \* +Baltazar Domingo Pascual \* +Amanda Pablo \* +Bishop Francis DiLorenzo \* +Fr. Henry Sabog \* +Howard Donald Gomes Jr \* +Carmen Caraang Paguirigan +Philip Won \* +Ernesto Elido \* +Rogelio Ragus \* +Franco Alfredo

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## DAMIEN & MARIANNE CATHOLIC CONFERENCE

\*Hawaii Convention Center

\*October 20-22, 2017

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#### MISSION SUNDAY COLLECTION - Oct 21-22

Today is *World Mission Sunday*. Each October, this celebration leads us to the heart of our Christian faith – leads us to mission, as *Pope Francis* explains. On this day, we are called – as baptized Catholics – to celebrate and support local churches in Asia and Africa, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe, an area that covers more than half the territory of the globe. Through the work and witness of mission priests, religious and lay leaders, the poor receive practical help and experience God's love and mercy, His hope and peace.

This year, we are invited as well into a special opportunity to engage with Pope Francis and learn more about his missions. To do so, simply scan the image on the posters you see hanging in our church door or visit *ChatWithThePope.org*.

Chat with POPE FRANCIS using your Facebook Messenger App to learn more about his Missions. **PRAY** and **GIVE** generously on WORLD MISSION SUNDAY.

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# Divine Mercy Parish Mission

\*October 25, 2017, Wednesday, 5pm-9pm



\*Blessed Sacrament Church, 2124 Pauoa Rd, Honolulu \*Free Admission

Listen to Fr. Chris Alar of the US National Shrine of the Divine Mercy in Stockbridge, Massachusetts as he shares that the message of Divine Mercy will help us to grow into genuine followers of Jesus Christ.

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# LETTER FROM CATHOLIC CHARITIES HAWAI'I



#### Dear Fr. Edgar,

Thank you for your parish gift of **\$769.15** on 9/8/2017 in support of *Catholic Charities Sunday*. Your generosity will provide support services and assistance to those in our community who have the highest need. For 70 years, *Catholic Charities Hawaii* has carried out the social mission of the Church by helping people in need, regardless of their faith or culture. As a not-for-profit agency, we rely on community support to help us carry out this vital mission. Every gift like yours is an investment in the future and well-being of individuals and families throughout our community.

Together, we continue the ministry of Jesus in serving people in need. We give thanks for friends like you who help us empower our brothers and sisters to take positive steps to improve their lives.

Mahalo nui loa and God bless!

With Aloha,

*Terrence L. Walsh Jr* President & Chief Executive Officer

