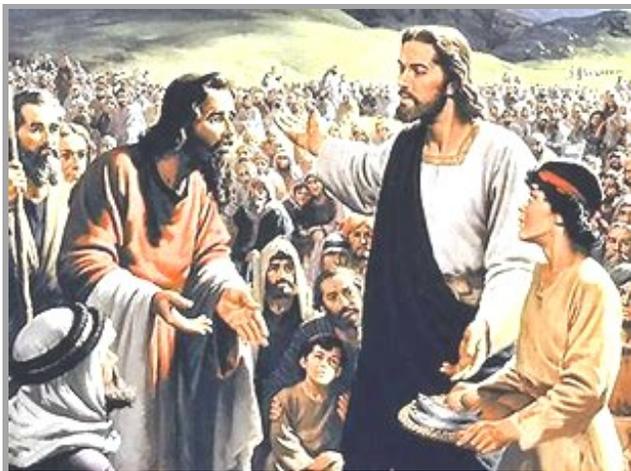


# 17TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Jesus went across the Sea of Galilee. A large crowd, about five thousand, followed him. Jesus said to Philip, "Where can we buy enough food for them to eat?" Andrew, said to him, "There is a boy here who has five barley loaves and two fish, but what good are these for so many?" Jesus took the loaves, gave thanks, and distributed them. When they had their fill, the fragments filled twelve wicker baskets. *John 6:5-13*

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### ❖ Enjoy Your Vacation with the Lord ❖



#### HOLY HOUR & EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

\*Every First Friday of the month: August 3 > 7:00-8:00am

Come and spend one hour with the Lord in the Blessed Sacrament. Tell Him your joys and successes, pains and sorrows, struggles and difficulties, needs and aspirations. He listens with much love and compassion.



**Holy Hour**  
Come spend time in the presence of Jesus.



#### RCIA: Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

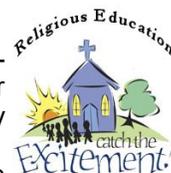
\*This is a course for non-Catholics who want to know about the Catholic faith and interested to receive the sacraments. Sessions will be once a week and will start on September 9.



#### RELIGIOUS EDUCATION



A **MEETING FOR ALL THE CATECHISTS AND YOUTH MINISTERS** will be held this Sunday, July 29, after the 8:30am Mass. They will plan the calendar for the year and prepare for the **registration of our children** in the month of August. **Classes will begin** on the Sunday after Labor Day, September 9.



Beginning this coming Catechetical Year 2018-2019, we shall have a minor revamp of the structure of our RE program. As mandated by the Diocese, we shall now implement the **Comprehensive Youth Program** which starts with Grade VI up to Grade XII. Grade VI to VIII will go through the **Life Edge** youth formation while Grades IX to XII will follow the **Life Teen** formation. The two systems have been put in trial by the combined force of our Catechists and Youth Minister last year and they are to be more thoroughly followed up this year. The online program has been purchased and donated to our Church by a generous supporter and benefactress of our children and youth. The lower classes will be handled as usual by our volunteer Catechists who will prepare them for the sacraments of *First Reconciliation, Confirmation and First Communion*.

Let's keep praying 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. We are happy to welcome them all back in the coming Catechetical Year including *Dorothy Pregil* who is returning from a brief family leave.

We urge the parents, grandparents, guardians and all parishioners to join hands in encouraging their children to attend the Sunday Mass during vacation and act as primary catechists and models in living the Christian faith.

*"The hand of the Lord feeds us; he answers all our needs." Psalm 145:16*



## Pastor's Corner

By Rev. Edgar B. Brillantes



### Next Sunday's Reading 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

**First Reading**  
Exodus 16:2-4, 12-15

**Responsorial Psalm**  
Psalm 78:3-4, 23-25, 54

**Second Reading**  
Ephesians 4:17, 20-24

**Gospel**  
John 6:24-35

#### First Reading: 2 Kings 4:42-44

Twenty barley loaves and some fresh grain the man from Baal-Shalishah brought to Elisha to feed a hundred people. Who would believe that this would be enough food for that many people? Elisha's servant did not. But Elisha, the prophet who succeeded Elijah, refuses to rescind his instructions to the servant. Indeed, there was enough food and even some left over. The miracle story of Elisha feeding the one hundred pairs with the story of the multiplication of the loaves and fish in the Gospel reading. God's abundant care for his people is evident in both. In God, we will never go hungry.

#### Second Reading: Ephesians 4:1-6

Ephesians 4 begins a section of the letter that offers moral instructions to Christians. The verses we proclaim today provide a list of virtues that teach us what it means to live as Christians. The statement of unity that includes seven "one" statements reveals how deep the communion among Christians within the Church is. The Church makes visible the unity founded on the "one Lord, one faith, one baptism," one God, and one Spirit because the Church is the one Body of Christ.

#### Gospel: John 6:1-15

From today through the end of August, the Gospel readings come from John 6 concern Jesus' identity as the Bread of Life. We begin in this chapter with the story of the multiplication of the five barley loaves and two fish. At the beginning of the story, Jesus inquires of Philip where they are going to procure enough food for the large crowd. Philip's response does not provide a practical solution, but simply restates the problem in monetary terms. Andrew notes the boy with the barley loaves and fish. Foreshadowing the Eucharist, Jesus give thanks and distributes the food. The disciples gather the leftovers. Through the miracle, Jesus provides more than enough for everyone to have their fill. Jesus rejects the earthly kingship he knows this great sign would bring, so he withdraws to the mountain again. His work is a ministry of nourishment for it is the will of his Father that he should feed people, even with his very life.

### ⚡ DIOCESAN NEWS ❖ ❖ DIOCESAN NEWS ⚡

#### MAHALO from the Diocesan Seminarians Education Fund

Thank you for your generous support in the second collection on July 21-22 as well as your prayers and encouragement to our seminarians as they prepare and undergo formation for priesthood. With God's grace, they are our future spiritual shepherds who will guide and feed us through the sacraments.

For more information visit: <http://catholichawaii.org/catholic-living/vocations/diocesan-priesthood/a-financial-appeal/>



Photo (Front): John Akau, Preston Jay Castro, Fr. Rheo Ofalsa,  
Bishop Silva, Romple Emwalu, Kevin Clark  
(Back): Kurt Meyer, Dario Rinaldi, James Held, Vincent Vu, Ese' ese Tiu

# Stewardship News & Announcements



### MASS ATTENDANCE

	<u>7/21-22/18</u>	<u>7/14-15/18</u>
Saturday (6:00 pm)	64	50
Sunday (6:30 am)	87	73
Sunday (8:30 am)	146	113
Sunday (6:00pm) Ilocano Mass		46

### SACRIFICIAL OFFERINGS

*"Thank you very much!"*

	7/21-22/18	7/14-15/18
Saturday (6:00 pm)	\$ 629.50	\$ 475.75
Sunday (6:30 am)	\$ 605.50	\$ 1,001.75
Sunday (8:30 am)	\$ 1,051.00	\$ 705.00
Repair and Maintenance	\$ 80.00	\$ 100.00
Ilocano Mass	\$ 145.00	\$ NA
Seminar Education	\$ 563.50	\$ NA
Baptism/Certificate	\$ 6.00	\$ NA
Mass Intention	\$ 125.00	\$ 520.00
Candles	\$ 181.00	\$ 80.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 3,386.50</b>	<b>\$ 2,882.50</b>

*"Depend on the Lord in whatever you do,  
and your plans will succeed."  
Proverbs 16:3*

### STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE

❖ In the month of July, the committee led by *Marc Ulep* sent letters to prospective individuals or couple-parishioners inviting them to give personal witnessing to the community about their experience of sharing time, talent and treasure starting August 2018. For the 3 successive Sundays of the month the speakers will present their testimony and on the last Sunday all parishioners will solemnly offer their commitment cards at the altar of the Lord. This is part of the process designed by the Diocese to gear up our parishioners towards making their commitment to stewardship as a way of life in the parish.

In their Annual Convocation last May 2018, the Bishop again reminded the priests to start spreading the message of stewardship and implement it as a way of life among all parishioners.

Many of us who are involved in the parish leadership, ministries, volunteer works and giving financial support are actually living the stewardship way of life. We just have to make it more consistent, intensify it and invite all to be part of it.



### STEWARDSHIP PRAYER

Heavenly Father,  
You are the source of wisdom and grace, the author of human freedom and creativity. We thank you for these gifts and ask that you teach us to be good stewards of our creative spirits. As we immerse ourselves in this summer season, show us how to slow down a bit, quiet ourselves, and learn the art of re-creation, reflection and relaxation. Encourage us to "power down" so that we might recharge and re-energize our minds, bodies and spirits for the journey ahead of us. Help us never to be too busy to pause and realize your gracious presence all around us: in nature, in other people, in ourselves. Slow us down and teach us to be better stewards of our time of recreation. We pray this in Jesus' name. Amen.



### CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP

**Growth in Stewardship**

**A Biblical Stewardship Principle: Everything We Have Is A Gift From God**

by Rev. Joseph Creedon (Part 3 in a series)

The biblical notion of stewardship is rooted in a concept that is difficult for us inhabitants of the 21st century to accept – God is the owner of everything! In Genesis 2:15, we are given the roots of stewardship, "...God took the man and settled him in the garden of Eden to cultivate and take care of it" (The New Jerusalem Bible). God made the earth; God made Adam and Eve. Then he loaned the world to them so that they could care for it. Adam and Eve are the first stewards of creation. Their eating of the forbidden fruit has many meanings but one meaning is certainly that they tried to make themselves gods. They wanted to "own" what was "loaned" to them as gift for safekeeping. We have been repeating their sin ever since. The biblical concept of a jubilee year, every fifty years, as explained in Leviticus 25 makes it clear that everything belongs to God and is merely loaned to us as tenants, trustees or stewards. Debts were forgiven, and land was returned to its original owner to serve as a reminder that God, not we, owns the land. The Old Testament concept of the tithe was likewise a reminder that God owns everything, and it is merely loaned to us.

The concept of stewardship next appears in the earliest New Testament writings. Saint Paul, in his first letter to the Corinthians, offers powerful witness to his vision of stewardship, "People should think of us as Christ's servants, stewards entrusted with the mysteries of God. In such a matter, what is expected of stewards is that each one should be found trustworthy" (1 Cor. 4:12). Paul sees all believers as "stewards entrusted with the mysteries of God." I don't know about you, but I find that job description for believers to be both awe inspiring and frightening. It is a concept that will require much meditation and even more commitment on our part. Saint Peter continues the notion of stewardship: "Each one of you has received a special grace, so, like good stewards responsible for all these varied graces of God, put it at the service of others. If anyone is a speaker, let it be as the words of God, if anyone serves, let it be as in strength granted by God; so that in everything God may receive the glory, through Jesus Christ, since to him alone belong all glory and power for ever and ever. Amen" (1 Peter 4:10-11). I hope you are beginning to understand the challenge of stewardship as a spirituality. It is rooted in the Bible and based on the principle that everything we have is a gift from God.

*\*(Lifted from: International Catholic Stewardship Council)*

## Stewardship News & Announcements, contd.



**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 ways:

### \*\*\*GIFTS OF LOVE

❖Parishioners and others are sharing gladly their blessings thru personal donations for the renovation of the convent. Big *mahalo* to *Rey, Rizalinda & Ryan Teocson* (\$2,000.00); *Kurt & Sheri Pascua Bennett and Bella Miranda* (\$500.00 each); *Bernardo & Rebecca Villanueva* (\$200.00); *Fr. Adrian Gervacio* (\$3,500.00).

❖Our grateful appreciation goes to a generous parishioner and benefactress of our children and youth in the RE program who donated the online youth formation program - *Life Edge* and *Life Teen* - that cost \$1600.00. We invoke God's blessings upon her.

❖We acknowledge all generous contributions which support our pastoral programs and ongoing projects as well as the basic operation of the Church and the rectory. We, the priests, the parish staff and leaders, deeply appreciate and gratefully acknowledge all dear parishioners who faithfully and steadily support our Church with their prayers, stewardship and personal involvement in our parish activities and programs.

\*\*\***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.

❖**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 Llamado*. 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* and the *Llamado family*.

❖**PARKING ATTENDANTS** – We see them before and after Masses and during funerals and occasional functions directing traffic and the proper positioning of vehicles in our limited parking lot. They are happy to serve but it is not always easy especially when some would not heed their directions. Let us show our grateful appreciation for their patient and kind services by respectfully cooperating with them in keeping smooth flow of traffic and parking in the church grounds. *Mark Correia* is the Hospitality Ministry coordinator.

\*\*\*Our parish is always welcoming and open to 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.

**VOLUNTEER**

*all that's missing is U!*

*\*TO ALL THE GOOD STEWARDS, OUR SINCERE THANK YOU\**

### CLERGY AND STAFF

Pastor - *Rev. Edgar B. Brillantes*  
 Pastor Emeritus - *Rev. Adrian R. Gervacio*  
 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 Llamado*

### COMMITTEE \* MINISTRY \* ORGANIZATION CHAIRPERSONS

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

### 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. 4:30-6:00pm; Sat. 10:00-11:30am  
 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.



## Mass Intentions

**July 22** > 8:30am Thanksgiving - *Drake Pamaylaon, Zela Ganal, Mary Ann & Shion Ganal* \* RIP +*Norberto, Teofilo, Vergelia, Francisca, Meliton, Norma, Pedro Pamaylaon, Abnomian, Apolonia, Maria, Jerry, Tiago*  
**July 23** > +*Marcelina Teocson; +Nick Amian*  
**July 23-27** > 6:30am RIP +*Donald Chong Wun Leong*

**July 25** +*Martin Rodrigues*

**July 27** +*Bro. Charles Kaahanui*

**July 28** > 6:00pm Good health, safety & successful work - *Purie Cortez & family; Steve Tapat* \* For our parish & ministry leaders \* For all travelers and summer vacationers \* RIP +*Pascual & Rufina Simeon; +Mildred Pascua, Alice & Edward Chu; +Donald Chong Wun Leong*

**July 29** > 6:30am Birthday - *Crescencio Paranada Jr, Teresita Braceros* \* Healing - *Cres & Crescencia Paranada; Crescencio Paet; Lisa Espindola; Jose & Shirley Asentista; Caridad Dagdagan; Tomasa Ursulum* \* RIP +*Dan Dollente & Demetrio Domingo; +Donald Chong Wun Leong; +Dionisia, Alejandro, Zoilo, Francisco & Eufemia Paranada, Conrado, & Joann Madriaga, Pedro & Eustaquia Marinas; Santiago, Feliza, Benito, Charlie Asistente, Quintin & Pepito Brigola, Leticia, Erong, Susima Taeza, Milagrina Catolico & Demetrina*

> 8:30am (Missa pro populo) - For parish & parishioners \* For our Parish catechists, aides and successful RE program \* Birthday - *Nazario Balbuena* \* Good health & speedy recovery - *Gloria Atudo; Steve Tapat: Alfonso & Mary Villanueva; Timothy Barroga; Avelina Fralaide; Ely Purganan* \* RIP +*Virginia Amian; +Nick Amian; +Donald Chong Wun Leong; +Magdaleno Sanchez; +Pelenato Falaniko; +Maxima Cacal; +James Rodrigues; +Isabelo, Martina, Magdalena, Benjamin Orcino*

**July 30-Aug 3** > 6:30am Healing - *Crescencio Paet; Steve Tapat; Avelina Fralaide*

**July 30-31** > 6:30am RIP +*Donald Chong Wun Leong*

**August 2** > 6:30am RIP +*Edith, Henry & Anthony Santos*

**August 3** > 6:30am Birthday - *Victoria DeSantos Rabago* \* Good health, safety & successful work - *Purie Cortez*

Don't Miss the



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

**REMEMBER IN PRAYER** ♦ **Good Health / Successful Surgery:** *Cris & Crescencia Paranada \* Spencer Robinson \* Steve Tapat \* Purie Cortez \* Meryam Leong \* Avelina Orcino Fralaide \* Crescencio Paet \* Lisa Espindola \* Doi Facuri \* Jose Cadiz \* Alfonso & Mary Villanueva \* Janice Vannatta \* William Char \* Jose Cadiz \* Timothy Barroga \* Gloria Atudo \* Bob Stivers \* Agatha Reyes \* Vanessa Guieb Etheridge, John Guieb \* Nellie Tomas \* Mae T. Kuboyama \* Simeon Facuri \* Mariano Facuri \* Jesse Ulep \* Alfredo Acedera \* Ely Purganan \* Tomasa Ursulum \* Tessie Fontanilla \* George Calizar \* Aida Padua \* Reynold Guerrero \* Lydia Bondad Andres \* Cherry Vives \* Katrina Santos \* Florence Ellazar \* Joann Gibbs \* Florentino Sotto \* Hazel Rodrigues \* John Pregil \* Marvin & Sally Moore \* Clara Adlawan \* Marilou Bruno \* Gregory & Medie Raguindin \* Jeanne Oshiro \* Stanley & Martha Castro \* Charlie Newman*

♦ **Birthday:** *Victoria De Santos Rabago \* Crescencio Paranada Jr, Teresita Braceros \* Nazario Balbuena \* Angie Balbuena \* Mark Correia \* Melecio Pinera \* Caly Ann Domingo \* Douglas Peterson \* Maggie Sagayaga \* Aurea R. Cabuyao (83) \* Genny Cabuyao Mabilin \* Gilbert Bacani \* Ayziah Batara \* Theresa Schwengler \* Edward Dayoan (81) \* Joey Montemayor \* Alfredo Javines \* Roger Isidro \* Becky Jandoc \* Jennifer Jandoc \* Isaiiah Starkey (22) \* Becky DeCorte \* Manny Espindola \* Michele Schwengler \* Fortunato Lager \* Silverio Palting (70) \* Fr. Steve Nguyen*

♦ **Wedding Anniversaries:** *Alfonso & Mary Villanueva (58) \* Virgilio & Carmelita Cabico (14) \* Esteban & Heidy Abrigo \* Joe & Fe Go (40) \* Ruperto & Condelita Pescador (43) \* Eufemio Jr & Caridad Cortez (49) \* Manny & Lisa Espindola (13) \* Ramon & Patricia Madariaga \* Cris & Narcisca Bustamante \* Tom & Becky DeCorte \* Silverio & Marivic Palting (11) \* Teddy & Del Agbayani (42)*

♦ **Special intention & Thanksgiving:** Special blessing for all supporters and donors of the "Save Our Convent" Fund Drive \* For all graduates, students & teachers \* For all seminarians in the Diocese \* For all Eucharistic and liturgical ministers \* *Andres & Merlyn Ibera \* Maria Cristina Palmaria \* Amando & Palmas Flores \* Cadiz family \* Amian, Kikkawa, Nishimura & Mateo families \* Alicia Balbuena \* Rosario Valdez \* Rosita Dolormente & family \* Renato & Cora dela Rosa \* Silver & Marivic Palting*

♦ **Safe trip:** *Jun Flores \* Virgilio & Lolita Lucas \* Andres Ibera & Naomi Ibera \* Ryan Teocson & family*

♦ **Deceased:** +*Edith, Henry & Anthony Santos \* +Dionisia, Alejandro, Zoilo, Francisco & Eufemia Paranada, Conrado, & Joann Madriaga, Pedro & Eustaquia Marinas; Santiago, Feliza, Benito, Charlie Asistente, Quintin & Pepito Brigola, Leticia, Erong, Susima Taeza, Milagrina Catolico & Demetrina \* +Marcelina Teocson \* +Gervacio Tacas \* +Virginia Amian \* +Bro. Charles Kaahanui \* +Martin Rodrigues \* +Dan Dollente & Demetrio Domingo \* +Pascual & Rufina Simeon \* +Donald Chong Wun Leong \* Christopher Flores \* +Mary & Ernest Hoochuli, Joseph Rodrigues \* +Mildred Pascua \* +Alice H & Edward Chu \* +Gloria Ravelo Caouli \* +James Rodrigues \* +Bernardo V. Castro \* +Isabelo, Martina, Magdalena & Benjamin Orcino \* +Olivia Fivella \* +Maxima Cacal \* +Primitivo & Felicidad Llacuna \* Malwenda, Pastor & Walter Balbuena \* +Ralph Rios \* +Natividad Bautista \* +Pedro Atudo \* +Robert Walsh, Virgilio Artates \* +Jose Palting, Ricardo Mateo, Flor Barroga \* +Crisostomo Atendido, Alejandro Quarto \* +Jerry Layco \* +Baltazar Pascual \* +Ciriano Obrero Madriaga \* +Leonarda Barruga Palting, +Anthony Gutierrez & +Carlos Mateo Jacinto \* +Carlos Pasion \* +Lourdes Tabios \* +Nick Amian \* +Paulina Domingo Salvador \* +Primo Soliven Ritumban \* +Pelenato Falaniko \* +Shirley DeCorte \* +Johnny Rafanan Rebudal Jr \* +Leticia Serapion Castillo \* +Rogelio Laciste Agcaouli \* +Magdaleno Sanchez \* +For all the departed founders, Pastors, Religious, benefactors, donors & parishioners of OLM; +Our deceased family members, relatives and friends; +Those who have nobody to pray for them; +Souls in purgatory*



### OFFICE HOURS

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

### 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



# Parish Calendar, News & Announcements

## Feast Days

- Jul 30** St. Peter Chrysologus, bishop & doctor of the Church
  - Jul 31** St. Ignatius of Loyola, priest
  - Aug 1** St. Alphonsus Liguori, bishop & doctor of the Church
  - Aug 2** St. Eusebius of Vercelli, bishop  
St. Peter Julian Eymard, priest
  - Aug 4** St. John Vianney, priest
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- Jul 29** Catechists & Youth Ministers - meeting after the 8:30am Mass, Parish Hall
  - Jul 31** Bible Study "Verbum Dei," 6:00-7:00pm, Parish Hall
  - Aug 2** Novena to Perpetual Help, 7:00pm
  - Aug 3** Holy Hour and Eucharistic Adoration, 7:00-8:00am
  - Aug 6** Liturgy Committee meeting, 7:00pm, Rectory Conf. Room
  - Aug 25** Stewardship Invitees meeting, 9:00am, Parish Hall
  - Sep 9** Religious Education Classes begin, after the 8:30am Mass  
RCIA classes begin, after the 8:30am Mass



**148th PARISH FEAST DAY CELEBRATION**  
**AUG 6-14** Rosary & Novena to Our Lady of the Mount at all the Masses  
**AUG 15** 6:00pm Parish Feast Day Mass; floral procession; crowning of the Blessed Virgin Mary; procession around the Church; potluck fellowship in the Parish Hall; everyone is invited!

**Aug 4, 5, 11, 12** - Potluck fellowship sign-ups after all the Masses

## CONGRATULATIONS TO DANIEL FERRER!

One of our altar servers, *Daniel Christopher Ferrer*, who serves at the 6:00pm Mass, graduated this year from Iolani High School and is going to Indiana to attend college at Purdue University. His proud Mom, *Erlinda*, is so grateful to send this message: *I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who mentored my son and those whom he worked with. Daniel is happy that he is moving to adulthood but said he will miss everybody. Thank you all!*



## NOVENA TO PERPETUAL HELP

The novena prayers to Our Mother of Perpetual Help is held every Thursday at 7:00pm in the Church. This is followed by the praying of the holy rosary. Come to honor the Blessed Virgin Mary. Many prayers for various needs have been granted by her intercession thru this popular devotion. She will also guide us in living a meaningful and genuine Christian life. Come as a family and be blessed.



## ☺ *L.O.L. (Laugh Out Loud)* ☺

Whether wealth or health is the greater blessing depends on which one you don't have.



## ✝ OBITUARY



**+MAXIMA CACAL, 95**  
 Wake service: August 9, 2018, 6:30pm, at Hawaiian Memorial Park Chapel  
 Funeral Mass: August 10, 2018, 10:00am, at St. John the Baptist Church  
 Interment: 12:00pm in Hawaiian Memorial Park

*"ETERNAL REST GRANT UNTO THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED, O LORD."*  
 HEARTFELT CONDOLENCES TO THE BEREAVED FAMILIES.

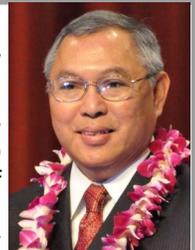
## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The *Knights of Columbus Jose Nacu Council 12935* held the election of their new officers recently. On July 2018, *Sir Knight Andresito Magbojos* passed on the gavel of the Grand Knight to *Pamata Liua*. The Knights of Columbus is a worldwide organization of Catholic men who are involved in the pro-life movement and in the promotion of religious vocations and family life. The new officers will be installed formally by the District Deputy on a soon-to-be announced date.



## BIBLE STUDY

A new Bible Study program is now going on in our parish. It is called "Verbum Dei" Encounters which is tailored for Catholics who want to understand better the teachings of God and of the Church based on the Sacred Scriptures. The Bible Study will be held weekly on Tuesdays, 6:00pm-7:00pm. It is facilitated by *Bro. Firmo Dayao*. The next session is on July 31, Tuesday at 6:00pm. Everyone is invited and welcomed to attend. Around 40 people have been attending. Bible and notebooks are provided for the participants for free. There are no fees to the course.



## CHARISMATIC PRAYER MEETING

A spirited group gathers once a month to render spirit-filled praise and worship to God in hymns, prayers and sharing the Word of God. We pray for God's healing and liberation from evil spirits in our bodies, mind and soul and in our environment. Come and celebrate our life in the Spirit as we recognize the miracles He gives us and express our joyful thanksgiving to the Lord. The next session will be on August 29, 2018, Wednesday at 7:00pm in the parish hall to be facilitated by *Deacon Raffy Mendoza*. We thank the Charismatic Team of Sts. Peter & Paul Church led by *Dr. Jorge & Chloe Samaniego* and *Rory Elefano* who keep company with us in this journey of faith.

## YOUR INVITATION TO A SPECIAL CELEBRATION



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#### — 175TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION —

#### All are WELCOME!

The 175th anniversary of the dedication of the Cathedral will be celebrated on August 16, 2018. All are invited to attend a special Mass, including the blessing of the renovated sanctuary items and bishops' burial chapels, beginning at 6:00 p.m. in the Cathedral Basilica and celebrated by Bishop Larry Silva.

#### Dinner to Follow

*Parishes are reminded that the Anniversary of the Dedication of the Cathedral is celebrated as a FEAST (Gloria but no Creed) in all other churches and oratories of the Diocese. Readings may be selected from Volume IV of the Lectionary in the first section "Common of the Anniversary of the Dedication of a Church".*



#### St. Marianne Cope Centennial Mass

All are welcome to join the Mass in honor of the Centennial of the Death of St. Marianne Cope.

Date: Thursday, August 9, 2018  
 Time: 6:00 p.m.  
 Location: St. Francis School  
 2707 Pamoia Road  
 Honolulu, HI 96822



#### TO ALL PARISHIONERS FROM BISHOP LARRY SILVA

I would like to invite you to a **Life Symposium – "Nā Mo'olelo Ola: Living Stories"** - that will highlight priority life issues in Hawaii. It will be held on **Friday, August 17, 2018, from 8:30 a.m. until 4:00 p.m., at the Kroc Center in Kapolei** (lunch will be provided). It is sponsored through a grant from the Hawaii Catholic Community Foundation. Our diocesan Respect Life Office, in partnership with the Hawaii Catholic Conference and Office for Youth & Young Adult Ministry, will present the Symposium. It is open to all ages 14 and older. **There is a minimal fee of \$25.00 per person (scholarships are available)**. Please take a moment to look at the poster hung in church that will provide you with information about the speakers, all of whom have expertise in respect life issues. You can register for the event online at:

<http://catholichawaii.org/diocesan-offices/respect-life/education/>

For more information or to register by phone, contact the Respect Life Office at 203-6722.

