

# OUR LADY OF THE MOUNT CHURCH

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 Pastor



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## 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these."



## OCTOBER IS ROSARY MONTH

Let's pray with the Blessed Virgin Mary for peace in our lives, homes and nation.

### TODAY IS RESPECT LIFE SUNDAY

October 7 is *Respect Life Sunday* and the kickoff to the Respect Life 2018-19 year. Respect Life Month proclaims the immeasurable value of every person from conception to natural death. Theme: "Every Life: Cherished, Chose, Sent"



Cardinal Timothy Michael Dolan, Archbishop of New York and Chairman of the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) Committee on Pro-Life Activities, issued the statement below for Respect Life Month.

*"My dear friends in Christ:*

The month of October is annually observed by the Catholic Church in the United States as Respect Life Month. We are called to cherish, defend, and protect those who are most vulnerable, from the beginning of life to its end, and at every point in between.

At such a time as this, we become even more aware of the need for messengers of God's love and instruments of His healing. We realize again, with renewed urgency, our personal call to help others encounter God's transforming, life-giving love and to defend the sanctity of every person's life, at every stage and in every circumstance.

This year's Respect Life theme is "Every Life: Cherished, Chosen, Sent," highlighting our call to build a culture of life as missionary disciples.

We are called and sent to be messengers of God's love, treating one another as cherished and chosen by Him. In doing so, we help build a culture that respects all human life. The Body of Christ needs you. The world needs you."

The *Respect Life Ministry* at OLM is headed by *Francisca Kovaloff*.

### AMERICA NEEDS FATIMA PUBLIC RALLY CRUSADE

Each year, America Needs Fatima holds the Public Square Rosary Crusade. Saturday, October 13, is the feast of the last apparition of Our Lady of Fatima and the Miracle of the Sun. Children, Lucia, Francisco and Jacinta first saw a bright light, and then they saw Our Lady over the holm oak. Rally captain, *Gloria Rodrigues* invites all of you to OLM's Public Rally Crusade:

When: Saturday, October 13, 2018 at 11:45am

Where: Front entrance of OLM Church

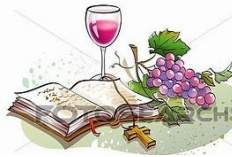


"May the Lord bless us all the days of our lives." Psalm 128:5



## Pastor's Corner

By Rev. Edgar B. Brillantes



### Next Sunday's Reading 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

**First Reading**  
Wisdom 7:7-11

**Responsorial Psalm**  
Psalm 90:12-17

**Second Reading**  
Hebrews 4:12-13

**Gospel**  
Mark 10:17-30

#### First Reading: Genesis 2:18-24

God created human beings for companionship with all of creation and with each other. Husband and wife become one flesh. God created them as partners in their relationship.

#### Second Reading: Hebrews 2:9-11

We are brothers and sisters of Christ, for God made him holy just as he, in turn, consecrates us. God perfected Jesus through his suffering and death so that having shared fully in our humanity, he might be the high priest who makes us holy.

#### Gospel: Mark 10:2-16

The Pharisees and the disciples both question Jesus about the legality of a husband divorcing his wife. What God has joined Jesus says human beings must not separate. The longer form of the Gospel reading includes Jesus' instruction to his disciples who were turning back the people bringing their children to him, to let the children come. There is no longer and shorter form of today's reading.



### 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 ways:

#### \*ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT

❖The Annual Financial Report provided to the Diocese is enclosed. We wish to acknowledge the faithful stewardship of our parishioners. Your generous support makes possible and helps sustain the operation, programs and projects in the parish.

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

❖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.

❖We are grateful to *Cleo Bala Casino* and *another generous benefactress* for their donation of \$1225.50 for the purchase of a new electronic digital piano for use in the Church.

❖We acknowledge the donations of the relatives of the late *Douglas Castro+* and *Fa'asasalu Faumui* to the *Kokua Pantry* which include clothes, shoes and utensils.

\*\*\***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.

❖The Parish Finance Committee is happy to welcome *Eileen Elido* as their new secretary. She is replacing *Yolanda Rucker*. Our sincere appreciation to both for sharing their time and services which is a great blessing to the church.

❖**MAINTENANCE JOB** – *Roger Isidro, Adriano Daligcon & Jun Cortez* have been doing the skilled maintenance odd jobs in the church and rectory fixing and repairing leaks or busted fixtures. We deeply appreciate their cheerful sharing of their time, skills and services.

❖**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* and the *Llamedo family*.

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# Stewardship News & Announcements



## STEWARDSHIP PRAYER

*Come, Holy Spirit! Come down upon us. Watch over us. Guide us. Make us good stewards of your wisdom.*

*You are the promised one of Jesus, the ultimate protector of the church and its most vulnerable.*

*You are the Lord, the giver of life who brings us peace in the midst of storms and comfort in our pain and discouragement. You are the one who transforms weak and timid disciples into bold proclaimers of the Good News.*

*Breathe your life into us. Unleash your power upon us. Set us on fire! So that our stewardship of the Gospel may bring hope to others and give glory to you, Father and Son, One God, forever and ever. Amen.*



## OLM STEWARDSHIP: "Praying Gratefully"

Featuring: *Vangie Bacani*

I have been a fellow parishioner of OLM Church since 1982. I thought at first that coming to Church on a Sunday would be enough for me as Catholic because I felt comfortable with it.

But some 12 years ago something happened. I was afflicted with "Belle's Palsy" that paralyzed my face. It caused me to droop and my face was numbed and deformed. I knew then that only God could heal me, so my family and I offered our fervent prayers. And in a week's time, on Holy Week, the strange affliction disappeared. My doctor confirmed that my healing bordered the miraculous. I knew that it was through the power of prayer because I never took any medication for the paralysis.

Last year, I was also afflicted with breast cancer. I went through all the radiation treatments which took away all my hairs and made me bald. At the same time, prayers by my family, friends and church were offered on my behalf. Now, thank God, I'm still alive and feel great.

In gratitude, I offered Thanksgiving Masses and prayers to God. At the same breath, I committed all the more my time, resources and my whole self as a Catechist, Eucharistic Minister, Lector and member of the Outreach Ministry. Aside from the regular Sunday Masses that my family and I attend, I also join the Holy Hour, Novena and rosary prayers, Bible Study and Ilocano Ministry Mass. All these are what real stewardship for me is all about. It is giving back what God has bestowed upon us to help and support our church, community and country.

Fellow parishioners, I'm sure you have been cured or blessed by the Lord one way or another. My story could be your story with some variations. I hope I opened your heart and mind to be always grateful to the Lord in your prayers and in your participation at Mass and in other church activities. Last but not least, may you share your time, talent and treasure as good and faithful steward in season and out of season.

*\*Vangie is a pre-school teacher at Jikoen Hongwanji Lumbini Pre-School. She is married to Gil and have two girls and one boy who were all baptized at OLM Church. Vangie & Gil are both active in the church as liturgical ministers particularly as Eucharistic Minister, Lector, Catechist, Stewardship offering collector and member of the Ilocano Ministry.*

## MASS ATTENDANCE

	9/29-30/18	9/22-23/18
Saturday (6:00 pm)	64	73
Sunday (6:30 am)	84	97
Sunday (8:30 am)	141	149

## SACRIFICIAL OFFERINGS

"Thank you very much!"

Saturday (6:00 pm)	\$ 612.00	\$ 929.00
Sunday (6:30 am)	\$ 1,258.00	\$ 636.41
Sunday (8:30 am)	\$ 620.00	\$ 942.75
Repair and Maintenance	\$ 5.00	\$ 5.00
Ilocano Mass	\$ NA	\$ 351.00
Donation-Piano Repair	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 255.50
Donation	\$ 78.87	\$ NA
Catholic Univ. of America	\$ NA	\$ 23.00
Baptism/Certificate	\$ 10.00	\$ 10.00
Mass Intention	\$ 75.00	\$ NA
Hall	\$ NA	\$ 270.00
Sunday School Reg.	\$ 90.00	\$ 0.00
Candles	\$ 75.00	\$ 185.00
Mission Store	\$ 8.00	\$ 2.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 3,831.87</b>	<b>\$ 3,609.66</b>

## STEWARDSHIP WITNESSING



After making our solemn commitment last Sunday to become good and faithful stewards by "witnessing joyfully", we shall continue to hear witnesses of stewardship specifically on the aspect of "Serving Compassionately" this month of October. This weekend, the sharers are - *Corazon Orcino, Wilfred & Rachel Soong and Cleo Bala-Casino.*

The Bishop mandated all priests in the Diocese to disseminate 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, giving financial support and participating in church and devotional activities like the Charismatic Renewal, Bible Study, praying the Novena and Rosary are actually living the stewardship way of life. We just have to make it more consistent, intensify it and invite all to make the commitment to be part of it.



## MOSES & CRIS ANDRES



*In last week's parish bulletin, some of the following comments were inadvertently missing from the feature story by Moki and Cris Andres:*

*\*Moki and Cris are a loving couple who enjoy taking care of their grandchildren and love to travel to their favorite cities. Whenever they are home in Kalihi Valley, they come for daily Mass and serve as Eucharistic Ministers, altar-server and church cleaners.*

# MASS INTENTIONS



- Sept 30 > 6:30am RIP +*Donald Dupont*
- Oct 1-4 > 6:30am Healing - *Nelie Puzon*
- Oct 3 > 6:30am Birthday - *Gwen Zanellato*
- Oct 5 > 6:30am Good health, success in work & safe driving - *Purie Cortez*
- Oct 6 > 6:00pm Healing - *Segundo Facuri; Beatrice Loman; Vicenta Baron; Frances Duhaylunsod; Nelie Puzon; Steve Tapat \* Success & safety at work & peace - Purie Cortez \* RIP +Josefino Calzo, Evelyn Calzo & Marcelino Mina; +Cecilia Chika, Linda Kamai, Alvin Wright & Ruth Saito; +Agaton Reynaldo Gualberto; +Archbishop Edmundo Abaya*
- Oct 7 > 6:30am Successful surgery & Healing - *Walter Tagawa; Tessie Fontanilla; Doi Facuri; Lisa Espindola; Pedro Domion Sr \* RIP +Pang family, Helen, Rudy, Marlene, Grandal; +Agaton Reynaldo Gualberto; +Archbishop Edmundo Abaya*  
 > 8:30am (Missa pro populo) - *For parish & parishioners \* Good health & speedy recovery - Zachery Lucas; Gloria Atudo; Pulileka Tuihalafatai; Vicenta Baron; Avelina Fralalde; Alfonso & Mary Villanueva; Timothy Barroga \* Birthday - Thomas Mita & Olivia Mita \* Good health, success in work & safe driving - Purie Cortez \* RIP +Victoriano & Isabel Salvador, Janette & Orlando Lao, Aurelio & Aleja Acosta; +Nick, Sixto, Perpetua, Marina & Merlin Amian; Francisco, Eugenia, Abundio, Dominador & Emilio Sao; Melanio \* Mirasol Mateo; +Archbishop Edmundo Abaya; +Deceased relatives of Cathy Sanchez, Angela & Nicolas Balbuena, Fabian & Laurena, Pastor & Malwenda, Petronilo, Teodulo, Maximo, Felipe & Eulalia Balbuena, Magdaleno Sanchez*
- Oct 8-12 > 6:30am RIP +*Agaton Reynaldo Gualberto*



**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:** Zachery Lucas \* Walter Tagawa \* Beatrice Loman \* Vicenta Baron \* Marie Schwengler \* Frances Duhaylunsod \* Orlando Artates & Emmanuel Artates \* BJ Verece \* Pulileka Tuihalafatai \* Princess Recta \* Teresita Dayoan \* Nelie Puzon \* Rizza Pacpaco \* Anthony Maunakea \* Purie Cortez \* Pedro Domion Sr \* Gloria Atudo \* Petronila Jandoc \* Alfredo Elliazar Jr & Elena Graham \* Cris & Crescencia Paranada \* Ashley Cornelio \* Steve Tapat \* Meryam

Leong \* Avelina Orcino Fralalde \* Crescencio Paet \* Lisa Espindola \* Jose Cadiz \* Alfonso & Mary Villanueva \* William Char \* Timothy Barroga \* Vanessa Guieb Etheridge, John Guieb \* Nellie Tomas \* Mae T. Kuboyama \* Doi Facuri, 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 Raguindin \* Jeanne Oshiro \* Stanley & Martha Castro \* Charlie Newman

❖**Birthday:** Thomas Mita \* Gwen Zanellato \* Jaime Cabuslay \* Michael Schwengler Sr & Jr \* Lino Cabico \* Tiara Kacie Patoc \* Justina Sabanal \* Eufemio & Sabyen Cortez \* Olivia Mita \* Evangeline Salvador \* Teddy Agbayani \* Wayne Miranda \* Annie Pinera \* Fr. Adrian Gervacio \* Rose Dafang \* Justine Ragasa \* Micah Delos Santos \* George Calizar

❖**Wedding Anniversary:** Nazario & Alice Balbuena

❖**Special intention & Thanksgiving:** Special blessing for all supporters and donors of the "Save Our Convent" Fund Drive \* For the success of the Stewardship campaign at OLM \* For all catechists, youth ministers and children in the Religious Education program \* For all seminarians in the Diocese \* Purie Cortez \* Amian, Kikkawa, & Nishimura families \* M/M Vicente Velasco \* M/M Renato Dela Rosa \* Silver, Marivic & Ver-nard Palting \* M/M Isidro Lumabao \* Andrea Mateo

❖**Safe trip:** Pamata Liua & family \* Joyce Oliveira

❖**Deceased:** +Cecilia Chika, Linda Kamai, Alvin Wright & Ruth Saito \* +Josefino & Evelyn Calzo, Marcelino Mina \* +Donald Dupont \* +Archbishop Edmundo Abaya \* +Flaton Fontanilla & Jonathan Fontanilla Tanaid \* +Angela Manuel \* +Victoriano & Isabel Salvador, Janette Orlando Lao, Aurelio & Aleja Acosta \* +Nick, Sixto, Perpetua, Marina & Merlin Amian; Francisco, Eugenia, Abundio, Dominador & Emilio Sao; Melanio & Mirasol Mateo \* +Eufemio Cortez Sr, Trinidad, Alicia, Benedicto & Virgilio Cortez \* +Aida Sonajo \* +Ernesto Lagrimas Apdal \* +Ambrosio Subia \* +Castle Perez \* + Lydia Criste & Albert Santillan \* +Donald Gomes \* +Douglas Castro \* +Ione & Don Adams \* +Francisco & Maria Rodrigues \* +Esperanza Calpito Balmores \* +Bernardo Centino II \* +Angela & Nicolas Balbuena, Fabian & Laurena Balbuena, Pastor & Malwenda Balbuena, Petronilo, Teodulo, Maximo, Felipe & Eulalia Balbuena, Magdaleno Sanchez, Clemente Ogates, Graciano Tenaja, Fr. Raymond Kolk, Mary & Helen Halpin \* +Marcelin Teocson \* +Gervacio Tacas \* +Dorothea Gabriel Villanueva \* +Medsura Raguindin \* +James Rodrigues Sr \* +Nick Amian \* +Primo Soliven Ritumban \* +Pelenato Falaniko \* +Shirley DeCorte \* +Leticia Serapion Castillo \* +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



## Divine Mercy Crusade

October 3 - 10, 2018

Theme:  
"The Urgency of Divine Mercy"  
Divine Mercy, the Eucharist and the Rosary

Bringing the Message of Divine Mercy to Kauai, Oahu, Maui, and Big Island

### DIVINE MERCY CRUSADE

Theme: "THE URGENCY OF DIVINE MERCY"

October 7, Sunday 2:30 pm - Our Lady of Good Counsel in Pearl City

October 10, Wednesday 5 pm - Co-Cathedral of St. Theresa in Honolulu, Oahu

SPEAKERS: *Fr. Joseph Aytona, CPM* and *Fr. Mark Wheelan, SOLT*

ACTIVITIES:

Divine Mercy Talk, Holy Rosary, Chaplet of Divine Mercy, Holy Mass, Veneration of St.

Faustina Relic, Sacrament of Reconciliation, Evangelization Materials

ADMISSION IS FREE for all Parish Missions... All are welcome!

Divine Mercy, Marian, Catholic books, media and gift items from the Shrine of the Divine Mercy will be available for sale.

Organized by the *Eucharistic Apostles of The Divine Mercy in Hawaii*: [www.divinemercuryhawaii.org](http://www.divinemercuryhawaii.org) > 808-389-5764.



### DIOCESAN ROSARY CONGRESS

\*Assisting the Faithful in fulfilling the Message of Fatima

When: October 7, 2018 – October 13, 2018

Where: All Parishes within the Diocese of Honolulu

\*OUR LADY OF THE MOUNT CHURCH is joining the chain of parishes in the *Diocesan Rosary Congress*. OLM will have its turn on October 11, Thursday, from 6:00pm-12:00mn. There will be at the start a solemn Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and the Eucharistic Adoration will consist of the praying and meditating on the various mysteries of the holy rosary every hour. The event will culminate with a solemn Benediction. All the above are offered in a spirit of reparation to restore the sanctity of life, to establish peace in our cities, nation and world and to console the Sacred Hearts of Jesus and Mary. Our parish participation is coordinated by *Gloria Rodrigues*.



### OCTOBER MASS COUNT 2018

This is an annual survey gathered by the Diocese about the participation of the faithful in the Sunday Masses. It begins on the weekend Masses of October 6-7. There is a specific form to be filled up. This year, the Ethnic Community Masses are also indicated on the form.

For questions, please email Deacon Keith Cabiles at [kcabiles@rcchawaii.org](mailto:kcabiles@rcchawaii.org)

#### CLERGY AND STAFF

Pastor - *Rev. Edgar B. Brillantes*

Pastor Emeritus - *Rev. Adrian R. Gervacio*

Office Assistant - *Sr. Clemence Mira, spc*

Office Coordinator - *Bella Miranda*

Religious Education Coordinator - *Lucille Mohika*

Bookkeeper - *Yvonne Tuihalafatai*

Technology Consultant - *Jun Cortez*

#### PERSONNEL

Custodian - *Lolito Dullin*

Music Ministry & Choir - *Mary Ann Llamedo*

#### COMMITTEE \* MINISTRY \* ORGANIZATION CHAIRPERSONS

Pastoral Council & Education (RCIA) - *Clementina Ceria-Ulep*

Finance Council - *Rebecca Jandoc*

Stewardship Committee - *Marcelino Ulep*

Hospitality Committee - *Mark Correia*

Liturgy Committee & Respect Life Ministry - *Francisca Kovaloff*

Outreach Coordinator & Family Fun Night - *Tom DeCorte*

Kokua & Food Pantry Ministry - *Becky DeCorte*

Parish Planning and Building Committee - *Joyce Oliveira*

Youth Ministry - *c/o Lucille Mohika*

Young Adult Ministry - *c/o Lucille Mohika*

Altar Servers - *Angie Balbuena*

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.

Filipino Catholic Club - *Fe Go*

Knights of Columbus - *Andresito Magbojos*

Prison & Hospital Ministries - *Wilfred Soong*

Stewardship Counter & Receptionist - *Linda Puzon*

Cemetery Maintenance - *Kalolo Tuihalafatai*

Santo Niño Devotion & Visayan Ministry - *Cleto Patoc*

Parish Bulletin Editor - *Fran Kovaloff*

**Choir Practice:** Parish Choir: Wed. 4:30-6:00pm; Sat. 9:00-10:30am

Ilocano Choir: Thu. 7:30pm

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

**Eucharistic Adoration & Benediction:** After the First Friday 6:30am Mass

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

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

**Religious Ed. Classes:** 9/9/18-5/26/19 Sundays, after the 8:30am Mass.

**Confirmation & First Holy Communion:** Candidates must be baptized.

**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 9** St. Denis, bishop, and Companions, martyrs  
St. John Leonardi, priest
  - Oct 11** St. John XXIII, pope
  - Oct 13** Blessed Virgin Mary
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- Oct 5-7** Damien & Marianne Catholic Conference, Hawaii Conven. Ctr.  
See flyer in this bulletin for details
  - Oct 7** Divine Mercy Crusade, Our Lady of Good Counsel, 2:30pm
  - Oct 8** Columbus Day, holiday, office is closed
  - Oct 8-12** No School - Fall School Break
  - Oct 10** Divine Mercy Crusade, Co-Cathedral of St. Theresa, 5:00pm
  - Oct 11** Diocesan Rosary Congress, perpetual Eucharistic adoration and praying the Holy rosary, 6:00pm to 12:00midnight, OLM Church:
    - > 6:00pm *Prison / Hospital Ministries*
    - > 7:00 *Ilocano Choir, Pastoral Council, Stewardship Comm.*
    - > 8:00 *Filipino Catholic Club*
    - > 9:00 *Knights of Columbus*
    - > 10:00 *Visayan Community Group*
    - > 11:00pm *Liturgy Committee*
  - Oct 13** 11:45 am, Public Rosary Crusade, front of OLM Church
  - Oct 14** > Filipino Catholic Club meeting, after the 8:30am Mass  
> Recitation of the Rosary by the Religious Education children. All children, parents and catechists, please remain in the Church after the 8:30am Mass.  
> Catechists' meeting, 11:00am, Chapel
  - Oct 21** Parents / Parishioners: please bring goodies for the children's goodie bags to be distributed on Oct. 28
  - Oct 28** > Religious Education 8:30am Children's Mass; Halloween Contest to follow, Parish Hall  
> Fr. Edgar's Birthday Luncheon, 12noon, Parish Hall
  - Nov 11** "Dance the Night Away to Save Our Convent" \* 5pm-10pm



**ALOHA FR. PAPOS & CHESTER**  
 Visiting from the Philippines is *Fr. Philip Anthony "Papos" Dimagiba* of the Diocese of Laoag. He is 19 years in the priesthood and currently the Pastor at the Divine Mercy Parish in Pila, Laoag City.  
 Also visiting is *Chester Pascua*, a lay leader, musician and relative of *Fr. Danny Laeda*, the chaplain of St. Francis Hospice. He hails from Badoc, Ilocos Norte.

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### 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.



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### 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 is held weekly on Tuesdays, 6:00pm-7:00pm. It is facilitated by *Bro. Firmo Dayao*. The next session is on October 9, Tuesday at 6:00pm. Everyone is invited and welcomed to attend. There are no fees to the course, but you are invited to bring any favorite food for sharing at the fellowship after the session.



### MAHALO TO GOOD STEWARDS

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❖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.

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

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### HOME FOR RENT

Upper Kalihi, newly renovated  
 3/1/18. No pets, shared utilities, long term, \$1,800. Available now! Call 220-0947.



☺ **L.O.L. (Laugh Out Loud)** ☺

John: Can you keep a secret?  
 Sue: Sure, but I can't promise the people I tell it to can!

