

Our Lady of the Mount Church

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Rev. Edgar B. Brillantes
Pastor

September is
the Month of
Our Lady of Sorrows



Rev. Adrian R. Gervacio

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time



❖ Stewardship, A Disciple's Response! ❖

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:

***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.

❖ Thanks to *Rudy & Myrna Balmilero* for their donation of \$145.44 for the purchase of batteries for the priest's microphone at Mass.

❖ *Silver Palting* fulfilled his donation to the *Save the Convent Fundraising* in the amount of \$1000.00. *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.

❖ 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 Daligon* fixed the leaking lavatory at the old Convent which was flooding the floor area. *Roger* also fixed the leaking toilets in the rectory. We thank them for sharing their time and skills.

❖ 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*.

❖ 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.

**VOLUNTEERS
NEEDED!**

***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



"The Lord upholds my life." Psalm 54:6

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First Reading: *Wisdom 2:12,17-20*

The wicked plot to persecute the just one and put him to a shameful, dishonorable death. They figure if he is the son of God, God will protect him from his enemies. Christians see in the references to the just one and the son of God, allusions to Jesus Christ.

Second Reading: *James 3:16-4:3*

Human passions often cause conflict. When we covet and desire to possess wrongly, war results. Ours is the task to nurture peace. As a result James instructs his brothers and sisters to follow "wisdom from above." God's wisdom leads to the "fruit of righteousness" sown in peace.

Gospel: *Mark 9:30-37*

The disciples do not understand Jesus' second prediction of his Passion, Death, and Resurrection, and out of fear, they do not question him about it. The disciples argue about who's the greatest and Jesus teaches those who wish to be first will be last and will serve others. Welcoming a child signifies welcoming Jesus and his Father.

✠ **DIOCESAN NEWS** ❖ ❖ **DIOCESAN NEWS** ✠

DAMIEN & MARIANNE CATHOLIC CONFERENCE



Featured Guest Speakers

 Jayne Monday	 Father Tony Ricard	 Sherry Hayes-Peace	 Rev. Msgr. Raymond East	 Kate Mahoney	 Msgr. Peter A. Routhier
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Multicultural Eucharistic Celebrations & Celebrants

Friday, 10/5 @ 4 pm, Bishop Larry Silva
 Saturday, 10/6 @ 8 am, Fr. Dominic Hoan Nguyen
 Sunday, 10/7 @ 1 pm, Fr. Alapaki Kim

Share the Journey

Hawaii Convention Center October 5-7, 2018

DMCC Group Hotel Rates available at Ala Moana Hotel or Hilton DoubleTree Alana. Call hotel reservations Today.

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Register Now
 3-Day \$75 group (minimum 5 required)
 Daily \$75 per individual
 3-Day \$150 per individual
www.dmchawaii.org


*Registration forms are available in Church.







MAHALO from CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY OF AMERICA (CUA)

*A second collection on September 15-16

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Through its 12 schools and 23 research centers in Washington, D.C., the University provides an exceptional Catholic education to almost 7,000 students annually.

More than 12,000 of our alumni are serving the church as priests, sisters, or in other religious vocations throughout the country and world.

One third of all active and emeriti bishops in the United States, including five of the six American Cardinal Archbishops, are alumni.



October 3 - 10, 2018

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

Blotting 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, Oahu
 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.divinemercyhawaii.org > 808-389-5764.

Stewardship News & Announcements



STEWARDSHIP PRAYER

Heavenly Father, September is a month that offers hope for things to come: our daily life has a new rhythm, there are new beginnings and new encounters, and a new energy is seen in the parish community.

In this month of accelerating activities, keep us mindful that we live for Christ and not for ourselves. Give us the strength and the wisdom to be "Doers" of Your Word, and not just listeners; to be good stewards of the Gospel each and every day.

In this month of transition help us find a deeper spiritual balance in our lives that takes time for you, listens to the promptings of your Spirit and give us hope that the body of Christ has well begun the transformation of a troubled world. We ask this through your Son, Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.



OLM STEWARDSHIP

Featuring: *Linda Puzon*

I have been with OLM for the past 26 years and I love this church, our church. I'd like to share that God has blessed us so much in life and in gratitude we should be happy and more than willing to share our blessings.

Giving our time and treasure is only part of stewardship. Prayer is the foundation and as good stewards we should find time to pray no matter how busy we are. It is a simple gesture of gratitude for all the divine favors we are receiving.

Our parents showed us their children the way to a life of prayer. At an early age, our Mom brought us to Church and taught us to give to the collection whenever we attended Mass. My sisters and I learned to pray the rosary every evening. My teacher in Grade 4 led us to attend the Perpetual Help Novena every Wednesday and the Eucharistic Benediction on Sunday afternoons.

As a child I was very sickly, and my parents even thought I wouldn't live long. They sought the intercession and assistance of their favorite saints and believe it or not, my health got restored and just improved.

When I retired from my job, I started to attend daily Mass. When I do my walking, I pray the rosary and the Divine Mercy Chaplet. And, again, believe it or not, my blood sugar just normalizes, or my bodily pains simply vanish. I have been a breast cancer survivor for the past 9 years. Recently, I had mammogram and the result was an absolute surprise – I was confirmed cancer-free. Praise be the Lord!

I have other health issues like heartbeat disorder and allergy to a lot of medication that made my physical condition even more delicate and uncertain. But all these wellness struggles made me all the more prayerful and closer to God trusting that He loves me and always does what is best for me.

One beautiful lesson I learned in life is that my faith in God led me to good stewardship of time, talent and treasure and brought me unexpected blessings of well-being, peace of mind and contentment.

**Linda Puzon is a daily Mass-goer who serves as Lector, Stewardship Head-Counter and member of the Outreach Ministry aside from attending the Bible Encounter, Holy Hour, Perpetual Help Novena and Rosary.*

MASS ATTENDANCE

	9/15-16/18	9/8-9/18
Saturday (6:00 pm)	47	84
Sunday (6:30 am)	94	82
Sunday (8:30 am)	128	148
Sunday (6:00 pm - Ilocano)	48	

SACRIFICIAL OFFERINGS

"Thank you very much!"

Saturday (6:00 pm)	\$ 664.00	\$ 859.00
Sunday (6:30 am)	\$ 556.20	\$ 727.75
Sunday (8:30 am)	\$ 916.00	\$ 812.00
Repair and Maintenance	\$ 10.00	\$ 65.00
Donation-Convent	\$ NA	\$ 1,000.00
Donation	\$ 1,000.00	\$ NA
Catholic Univ. of America	\$ 641.48	\$ NA
Baptism/Certificate	\$ NA	\$ 100.00
Funeral	\$ 500.00	\$ NA
Mass Intention	\$ 75.00	\$ NA
Hall	\$ 200.00	\$ NA
Sunday School Reg.	\$ 150.00	\$ 410.00
Candles	\$ 75.00	\$ 92.00
Mission Store	\$ 12.00	\$ NA
Filipino Cath. Club - from Roman Catholic Church	\$ NA	\$ 652.30
Total	\$ 4,799.68	\$ 4,718.05



STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE

❖ This weekend continues the giving of testimonies at Mass by fellow parishioners and couples regarding Stewardship particularly on the dimension of giving "Witness Joyfully". The sharers this weekend are: *Audrey Peralta* and *Mary Ann & Aniceto Llamedo*. On the last weekend of September, we shall repeat the same process of offering our commitment cards at the altar of the Lord.

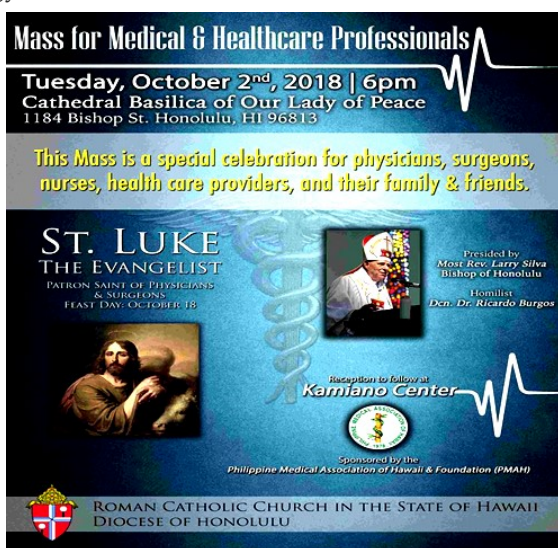
The Bishop mandated all priests in the Diocese to disseminate the message of stewardship and implement it as a way of life among all parishioners.

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.

Mass for Medical & Healthcare Professionals

Inviting all medical and healthcare professionals to a Mass with Bishop Larry Silva on October 2, Tuesday, 6:00 pm at the Cathedral Basilica of Our Lady of Peace. This isn't just for Catholics but for all faiths.

The Mass for Medical and Healthcare Professionals (a.k.a. "White Mass") for doctors, nurses and other health-care professionals is traditionally celebrated on the *Feast of Saint Luke* (the patron Saint of physicians) in hospitals, chapels, parish churches, cathedrals, and everywhere that the physicians routinely gather with their chaplains. "White Masses" honor all those who work in healthcare – from nurses and physicians to dietary staff and lab workers. Each year, Bishop Larry Silva has celebrated the Mass. Clergy are invited to concelebrate.



Mass for Medical & Healthcare Professionals
Tuesday, October 2nd, 2018 | 6pm
 Cathedral Basilica of Our Lady of Peace
 1184 Bishop St. Honolulu, HI 96813

This Mass is a special celebration for physicians, surgeons, nurses, health care providers, and their family & friends.

ST. LUKE
 THE EVANGELIST
 PATRON SAINT OF PHYSICIANS & SURGEONS
 FEAST DAY: OCTOBER 18

Presided by
 Most Rev. Larry Silva
 Bishop of Honolulu

Homilist
 Dcn. Dr. Ricardo Burgos

Reception to follow at
Kamiano Center

Sponsored by the
 Philippine Medical Association of Hawaii & Foundation (PMAH)

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH IN THE STATE OF HAWAII
 DIOCESE OF HONOLULU

ANNUAL PRIESTS' APPRECIATION



The *Serra Club of Honolulu* is hosting their *Annual Appreciation for Priests* at the Hale Koa Hotel, Waikiki on October 4. Diocesan priests, religious, military and visiting priests are invited. The Serra Club of Honolulu was founded in 1970 as part of a worldwide Catholic organization of lay men and women dedicated to promoting vocations to the priestly and religious life. *Jack Kampfer* of Wahiawa is the current president.



2018
DIOCESAN
ROSARY CONGRESSES
 PARTICIPATED BY DIOCESES AROUND THE NATION

7 Days & Nights

Masses, Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration, Hourly Recitation of the Rosary, Confession, Processions

IN OUR DIOCESE, WE WANT TO EXPERIENCE
 "THE TRAVELING CONGRESS"

THE DIOCESAN RELAY WILL START ON
 Sunday, October 7 at 6pm

AND END ON
 Saturday, October 13 at 6pm

EACH 6-HOUR PERIOD IS HELD AT A DIFFERENT PARISH OR RELIGIOUS COMMUNITY

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH - DIOCESE OF HONOLULU
 For more information, contact the Office of Worship, subcommittee@hawaii.org

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

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 Director - *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 - *Robert Ropati Liua*
 Young Adult Ministry - *Taniela Tuihalafatai*
 Altar Servers - *Angie Balbuena*
 Eucharistic Ministry - *Cleo Bala-Casino*
 Lector Ministry & Receptionist - *Gloria Rodrigues*
 Altar & Decorations Ministry - *Roselani Ramones*
 Website & myParish Administrator - *Tita Calizar*
 Filipino Catholic Club - *Fe Go*

COMMITTEE * MINISTRY * ORGANIZATION CHAIRPERSONS, contd.

Knights of Columbus - *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. 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.
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.



Sept 16 > 8:30am RIP +*Lydia Criste*
 > 6:00pm Birthday & safe trip - *Teddy Agbayani* * Wedding anniversary - *Nazario & Alice Balbuena* *
 Healing - *Orlando Artates & Emmanuel Artates* * Thanksgiving & good health - *Silver & Marivic & Vernard Palting*; *Vicente & Luz Velasco & family*; *M/M Renato Dela Rosa* * *M/M Isidro Lumabao* * RIP +*Lydia Criste & Albert Santillan*; +*Leonarda & Nicolas Palting, Jose & Sofia Palting, Flo & Victoria Barruga* * *Ricardo & Ana Francisca Mateo, Anthony & Linda Gutierrez, Melecio & Benita Domingo*

Sept 22 > 6:00pm Birthday - *Tiara Kacie Patoc & Justina Sabanal*; *Eufemio & Sabyen Cortez* * Healing - *Frances Duhaylunsod*; *Nelie Puzon*; *Steve Tapat* * RIP +*Archbishop Edmundo Abaya*; +*Eufemio Cortez Sr, Trinidad, Alicia, Benedicto & Virgilio Cortez*; +*Bernardo Centino II* * *For the success of our parish stewardship program*

Sept 23 > 6:30am For the success of our parish stewardship program * *Successful surgery & Healing - Princess Recta; Teresita Dayoan; Nelie Puzon; Tessie Fontanilla, Cris & Crescencia Paranada; Lisa Espindola; Pedro Domion Sr* * RIP +*Archbishop Edmundo Abaya*; +*Ernesto Lagrimas Apdal*; +*Ambrocio Subia*

> 8:30am (Missa pro populo) - *For parish & parishioners* * *For the success of our parish stewardship program* * Good health & speedy recovery - *Pulileka Tuihalafatai; Gloria Atudo, Avelina Fralaide; Alfonso & Mary Villanueva; Timothy Barroga* * RIP +*Archbishop Edmundo Abaya*; +*Angela & Nicolas Balbuena, Fabian & Laurena, Pastor & Malwenda, Petronilo, Teodulo, Maximo, Felipe & Eulalia Balbuena, Magdalena Sanchez & deceased relatives of Cathy Sanchez*; +*Nick Amian*; +*Pelenato Falaniko*; +*James Rodrigues Sr.*

Sept 24-26 > 6:30am RIP +*Bernardo Centino II*

Sept 26 > 6:30am RIP +*Castle Perez*

Sept 27-28 > 6:30am RIP +*Aida Sonajo*

Sept 28 > Birthday - *Michael Schwengler Sr & Jr*



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:** *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 Fralaide* * *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:** *Michael Schwengler Sr & Jr* * *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* * *Augusto Balmores* * *Helen Platiro* * *Fran Kovaloff* * *Michael Ramiscal* * *Luida Susa* * *Chester & Jeffrey Cabral* * *Andre Madriaga (19)* * *Froilan Rumbaoa* * *Brianne Katelyn Patoc*

❖**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* * *M/M Vicente Velasco* * *M/M Renato Dela Rosa* * *Silver, Marivic & Vernard Palting* * *M/M Isidro Lumabao* * *Andrea Mateo*

❖**Safe trip:** *Julieta Walsh* * *Ted & Del Agbayani* * *Gemma Manuel* * *Fr. Bong Tajon, SJ* * *Anderson & Sandra Ramiscal* * *Judy Kuromoto*

❖**Deceased:** +*Archbishop Edmundo Abaya* * +*Eufemio Cortez Sr, Trinidad, Alicia, Benedicto & Virgilio Cortez* * +*Aida Sonajo* * +*Ernesto Lagrimas Apdal* * +*Ambrosio Subia* * +*Castle Perez* * + *Lydia Criste & Albert Santillan* * +*Donald Gomes* * +*Ken Larsen* * +*Leonarda Barruga Palting* * +*Rolando, Teofilo, Elena & Teodorico Gubatan*; *Imelda Mariano, Benito, Florentino, Emiliana & Rosalina Martin, Modesto Bautista, Silvestre Marquez* * +*Douglas Castro* * +*Ione & Don Adams* * +*Francisco & Maria Rodrigues* * +*Esperanza Calpito Balmores* * +*Bernardo Centino II* * +*Jose Goloran, Norberto Cortel* * +*Ana Francisca Mateo, Ricardo & Patricio Mateo, Teresita Lucanas* * +*Francisco & Genara Cabral* * +*Angela & Nicolas Balbuena, Fabian & Laurena Balbuena, Pastor & Malwenda Balbuena, Petronilo, Teodulo, Maximo, Felipe & Eulalia Balbuena, Magdalena Sanchez, Clemente Ogates, Graciano Tenaja, Fr. Raymond Kolk, Mary & Helen Halpin* * +*Marcelina Teocson* * +*Gervacio Tacas* * +*Virginia Amian* * +*Mildred Pascua* * +*Alice H & Edward Chu* * +*Mardonio & Don Orsino, Mauro & Felomina Garingo, Ildefonso & Flora Orsino, Estefanio & Maura Padua, Iladio & Tecla Garingo, Lucas & Teresa Arcibal, Potenciano & Galicano Garingo, Rizalina & Rafael Esano, Juan & Adelaida Garingo, Gregorio & Rosalina Garingo, Quan Yau & Dorothy Lee, Enrique & Maria Orsino* * +*Robert Walsh, Virgilio Artates* * +*Dorotea 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



Parish Calendar, News & Announcements

Feast Days

- Sep 26 Sts. Cosmas and Damian, martyrs
- Sep 27 St. Vincent de Paul, priest
- Sep 28 St. Wenceslaus, martyr
- Sep 29 Sts. Michael, Gabriel and Raphael



- Sep 23 Religious Ed. Classes after the 8:30am Mass, OLM classrooms
- Sep 25 Bible Study-Verbum Dei, 6:00pm, Parish Hall
- Sep 27 Novena to Perpetual Help & Rosary, 7:00pm
- Sep 29 & 30 **COMMITMENT WEEKEND #2: "Witness Joyfully"**
(Immediately after the Homily, we will be offering our Commitment cards at the Altar)

- Oct 1 Liturgy Committee Meeting, 7:00pm, Rectory Conference Rm.
- Oct 2 Mass for Medical & Healthcare Professionals, Cathedral Basilica of Our Lady of Peace, 6:00pm
- Oct 5-7 Damien & Marianne Catholic Conference, Hawaii Conven. Ctr. Register now.



SISTERS OF THE SACRED HEARTS
The Sisters of the Sacred Hearts at Regina Pacis Convent in Kaimuki are offering their prayers and works for all parishioners of OLM during the week of September 23-29, 2018.

Anyone who wants to have a special intention to be prayed for may let the Sisters know by phone, mail or e-mail at reginasscc@cs.com
As Sisters of Perpetual Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament their chapel is open daily from 7:00am to 5:00pm to anyone who wishes to spend time for quiet prayer and adoration.
*Sisters of the Sacred Hearts, Regina Pacis Convent, 1120 Fifth Avenue, Honolulu, HI 96816-5828
Tel: 737-5822

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.



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 September 25,

Tuesday at 6:00pm. Everyone is invited and welcomed to attend. Bible and notebooks are provided for the participants for free. There are no fees to the course.

KOKUA MINISTRY NEWS



by Becky DeCorte

Sharing my time, talent, and treasure to help others has always been my passion. So, I am honored to serve as the chairperson for the Kokua Ministry. Along with the hardworking volunteers, we have spent many hours over the last month cleaning, getting rid of items we no longer need, going through items that we do, and setting up the Kokua Room. I want to recognize and thank our volunteers: **Frankie Cabral, Helen Newman, Nelie Puzon, Roselani Ramones, Angie Sera, and Al Villanueva,** who are guiding me; as well as my family and friends. God bless you all.

- > Over the coming weeks, we will be asking parishioners to donate nonperishable items to help us feed the hungry. Food baskets will be placed at the front and back of the Church for your free will donations.
- > We will also be collecting a variety of good, clean clothing to help those who are in need of clothes as well as prom gowns and suits to help our students enjoy their proms without exuberant expenses.
- > These donations can be brought to the rectory or the Kokua Ministry room located in the covenant.
- > After the Masses on Sunday, November 11, the Kokua Ministry invites you to a Thrift Sale. Come by the Kokua Office and check out the items for sale and see our newly renovated area.
- > Note: we will not be picking up bulky items but will refer bulky items either by phone, the Kokua bulletin board, or whatever means available to us; the recipient will make the pick up.
- > If you would like to be a member of the Kokua Ministry or have ideas on how the Kokua Ministry can better serve our parishioners and the community, please feel free to contact the office.
May God bless you all.



myParish App

Launched on June 4, 2017, **myParish** can be download free to our iphones, smartphones or tablets. This resource can help enhance communication with parishioners of all ages and aid in the important work of evangelization, formation and outreach. Not only could you keep up to date with church events and notifications but you could have prayers, readings, and reflections, current news around the world, homilies and parish bulletin in your pocket at all times. We're even linked to the Diocese of Honolulu website.

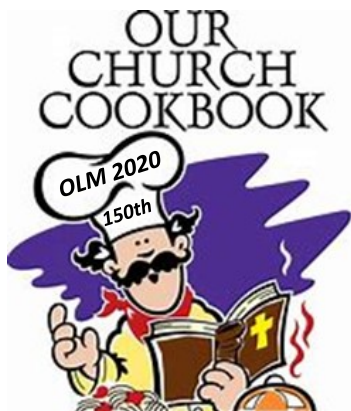
myParish app is easy to use and takes little time to download. Text "app" to 88202 and you will receive a link to download. Once installed you can choose *Our Lady of the Mount* as your parish and view the app.
Call the Rectory Office if you need assistance.





150th Parish Anniversary News

Our Lady of the Mount 150th Parish Anniversary COOKBOOK



The *Pastoral Council of Our Lady of the Mount Parish* is proud to announce that we are planning to produce a beautiful, international-themed cookbook to be published in time to celebrate our 150th Parish Anniversary on August 15, 2020. The Cookbook will be sold at a cost to be determined after production expenses are assessed and a price is approved by OLM's Finance Council.

We want your most loved recipe, your favorite dish and that recipe that never fails which everyone loves or asks for. We need recipes from as many families as possible. Please feel free to submit as many recipes as you like.

All that we ask is you let us know where the recipe came from; was it from a family member and passed down to you or even if it's from a much-loved recipe book or magazine? We want to know the history of the recipe, so please add a comment on how you obtained the recipe and why this recipe is special to you and your tips about the recipe. You may send a photo of your family or the celebration that the dish was traditionally served. These will be included with your recipe.



Please complete a permission slip, see below, and send it with your recipe: 1) *via email to:* olm@rcchawaii.org, 2) *submit a copy to the Rectory Office, or 3) mail it to:* Our Lady of the Mount Church, 1614 Monte Street, Honolulu, HI 96819. Forms are on the tables at the front of the Church.

If you have any questions, please contact *Fran Kovaloff* at 228-2909 or email to: fkovaloff@rcchawaii.org or olm@rcchawaii.org.

Please make sure you include; the recipe title, ingredients, method, your name and comments. All recipes, stories, photos & permission slips must be submitted no later than **January 31, 2019**.

PERMISSION SLIP

I hereby give permission for my recipe and any and all attachments to be published in the 2020 Our Lady of the Mount 150th Parish Anniversary Cookbook. *(Please legibly print name, email & phone number.)*

Name(s): _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

****The Pastoral Council will have more 150th Parish Anniversary News soon!****