

# OUR LADY OF THE MOUNT CHURCH

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## SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Jesus said to his disciples: *"To you who hear I say, love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, bless those who curse you, pray for those who mistreat you."*  
*Luke 6:27*



Rev. Edgar B. Brillantes  
Pastor

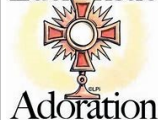


Rev. Adrian R. Gervacio  
Pastor-Emeritus



### Eucharistic

### EUCCHARISTIC HOLY HOUR



### Adoration

**March 1** – Join us for the Eucharistic Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament every First Friday of the month immediately following the 6:30am Mass. Come and spend time with the Lord offering your petitions, needs and aspirations. We pray for peace in the world, love and harmony among family members, increase of priestly and religious vocations and the like. The Holy Hour concludes with the Benediction.



### ASH WEDNESDAY

**\*March 6** – Ash Wednesday marks the beginning of Lent. There will be two Masses celebrated on that day with imposition of ashes – 6:30am and 6:00pm. You may bring the palms blessed and used last year to be burned and later use the ashes in the liturgy.



ASH  
WEDNESDAY



### VALENTINE MASS & APPRECIATION FOR MARRIED COUPLES

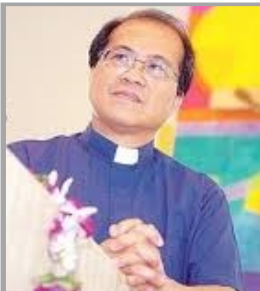
Twenty-five couples made their solemn renewal of vows during the Holy Mass in celebration of *World Marriage Day* and *Valentine's Day* on the 17<sup>th</sup> of the love-month of February. Even non-parishioners came to join. Sponsored by the *Santo Nino Visayan Ministry*, the *Ilocano Ministry* and *parish leaders*, the parish honored the married couples in a Valentine Gala Night. Following the Eucharistic celebration was the reception in the hall. All the honorees who were the married couples, and guests were seated and the singles which included the unmarried, the widows and others led by *Fr. Edgar* served and waited on them. Entertainment was provided by the professional singers, *Ping Lopez* and *Marie Tedios*. Dance-music was played in which the couples and all present enjoyed themselves on the dance floor.



*Pictured, left to right: Princess & Prince of Love - Marivic & Silver Palting; Valentine King & Queen - Roger & Aida Isidro; Prince & Princess of Peace - Noemi Joseph & Mila Llantero.*

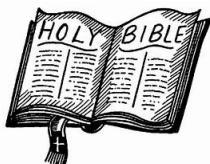
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*"The Lord is kind and merciful." Psalm 103:8*



# Pastor's Corner

By Rev. Edgar B. Brillantes



## Next Sunday's Reading Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**First Reading**  
Sirach 27:4-7

**Responsorial Psalm**  
Psalm 92:2-3, 13-16

**Second Reading**  
1 Corinthians 15:54-58

**Gospel**  
Luke 39-45

**First Reading:** 1 Samuel 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23

Stubborn, wicked, and immoral speech gain a person nothing. Rather, this type of speech contrasts with the wisdom of the Lord's Word. In a few pithy proverbs, the author of Sirach instructs us about how our words reveal both our faults and our goodness (the fruits we bear). Only after people speak can we praise them, for only then will we know if their speech has reflected the Lord's word.

**Second Reading:** 1 Corinthians 15:45-49

Paul draws the connection between death and sin and acclaims that victory over death comes from God through our Lord Jesus Christ. Paul solidifies for the Corinthians and for us that death's sting is no more in Jesus Christ. Paul's words urge the community of believers to remain devoted to following the Lord for it leads to a share in Christ's Resurrection. This is a tall order for a community as divided as the Corinthians, but Paul knows they can succeed when they remain in the Lord.

**Gospel:** Luke 6:27-38

Jesus turns to short parables as he continues to teach the disciples on the plain. The disciples hear how their teacher will train them in his ways; how they should not judge another person when sin remains in them; and how trees are known by the fruit they bear—a direct connection to the First Reading from Sirach. The Gospel reading concludes as we hear Jesus speak what we could consider an obvious tautology: good comes from good and evil from evil. We speak what is in our heart— let that be goodness!

### VALENTINE MASS & APPRECIATION FOR MARRIED COUPLES *Continued from page 1*

The second part was the selection of the Valentine King & Queen as well as Valentine Princes and Princesses of the Night. The Board of Judges comprised of *Fr. Adrian Gervacio, Dr. Emma Avilla* and *Violy Elefano* based their selection on the criteria of being the *most graceful dancing pair, romantic pair and well-dressed for the occasion*. The highlight was the announcement and coronation of the winners. Bagging the King & Queen crowns were the couple *Roger & Aida Isidro*; the Prince & Princess of Love were *Silverio & Marivic Palting*; and the Prince & Princess of Peace were *Noemi Joseph & Mila Llantero*. The sashes donated by *Esther Domingcil* were pinned on all of them and crowns were placed by the dignitaries of the night.

It was a festive and colorful night with red balloons, flowers, posters and photos of loving couples adorning the hall. The tables were elegantly covered with red liners and the centerpieces that were later given away were beautifully prepared by *Fran Kovaloff, Cathy Sanchez, Margaret Telles, Cora Orcino* and *Marivic Palting*. Wedding cupcakes by *Margaret Telles* and champagne were served and raised to a toast for the health, happiness and more blessings upon the couples. Door prizes from generous donors in cash and in kind added further excitement especially to the winners. The *Starpointe Sound System* which was sponsored by *Flora Villahermosa* rendered popular and favorite tunes to enliven the dancing floor. Everyone had a chance to display their dancing prowess and win door prizes. Generous parishioners offered voluntary donations to help cater for the night. We thank them and all the volunteers who were part of the working committees. *Fran Kovaloff* was the over-all coordinator.

The event was held to jumpstart the *Marriage and Family Life Program* that is one of the major components of the diocesan roadmap and our Parish Five-Year Pastoral Plan. We hope that more couples who are also parents will be more involved with the Christian formation of our children and the youth.

Judges: left to right, *Violy Elefano, Dr. Emma Avilla & Fr. Adrian w/ Fr. Edgar & Fr. Francis*





# Stewardship News & Announcements

"In openhearted stewardship we try to embrace the gospel and radiate the warmth and light of Christ." 2019 Catholic Family Appointment Calendar

Treat everyone with politeness, even those who are rude to you not because they are nice but...because you are.....! Quotesvalley.com



## PRAYER FOR A STEWARDSHIP PARISH

Gracious God,

You sent us Your Spirit to help us live the Gospel according to the gifts we have been given.

Show us how to be good stewards of your grace and passionate followers of Christ, Your Son.

Grant us the wisdom to recognize that through His gift of the Eucharist there is one bread, and we are one body.

Give us the strength to proclaim His Good News in word and deed.

And teach us to live, no longer for ourselves, but in Jesus Christ who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God forever and ever.

AMEN.

## MASS ATTENDANCE

	<u>2/16-17/19</u>	<u>2/9-10/19</u>
Saturday (6:00 pm)	60	59
Sunday (6:30 am)	68	61
Sunday (8:30 am)	126	126
Sunday (5:00 pm-Valentine)	84	

## SACRIFICIAL OFFERINGS

Saturday (6:00 pm)	\$ 561.00	
\$ 810.00		
Sunday (6:30 am)	\$ 1,247.84	
\$ 632.00		
Sunday (8:30 am)	\$ 1,077.00	\$ 806.72
Initial Offering	\$ NA	\$ 6.00
Repair and Maintenance	\$ 25.00	\$ 34.00
Mass Intentions	\$ 190.00	\$ 40.00
Candles	\$ 119.00	\$ 185.00
St. Killians Candles	\$ 261.00	\$ NA
Total	\$ 3,480.84	\$ 3,177.97



"Honor the Lord by giving him the first part of your income."  
Proverbs 3:9

## OLM STEWARDSHIP: "Serving Joyfully"

### REPAIR & MAINTENANCE

Parishioners *Jun Cortez* and *Paul Valbuena* teamed up to replace the old leaking water-heater and the sagging window blinds blown away by the recent strong winds in the Rectory. With grateful hearts we appreciate them for rendering their services *pro bono*.



### CHURCH GARDENING

*Jun Flores* just recently trimmed the overgrown hibiscus bushes by the side of the church.



### FLOWERS IN CHURCH

The beautiful large anthuriums in the Church are donated by *Myra dela Cruz*.





# MASS INTENTIONS

**Feb 17** > 8:30am RIP +Francisca Quinones, Meliton, Maria, Norberto & Norma Teofilo, Caridad Supnet & deceased relatives of Celerina Pamaylaon

**Feb 17** > 5:00pm Thanksgiving - Noemi Joseph & Mila Llantero; Tony & Cora Blas; Teddy & Del Agbayani; Silverio & Marivic Palting; Marlene Calventas & Family; Rosita Dolormente & family; Bacani Family \* Healing - Orlando Artates, Edith Yago \* RIP +Deceased family & relatives of Silver & Marivic Palting; Deceased family & relatives of Francisca Ererita & Laoan Families

**Feb 18** > 6:30am Special Intention - For the President & All Elected Leaders on Presidents' Day \* Thanksgiving - For the successful Valentine Gala for Married Couples

**Feb 18-22**> 6:30am Healing - Valentina Elliazar; Tessie Fontanilla; Guy Miranda

**Feb 23** > 6:00pm Healing - Tim Johnson \* RIP +Jose Jandoc, +Alfredo Torres

**Feb 24** > 6:30am Birthday - Steven Ramiscal \* Safe trip - Victoria Rabago \* Healing - Tessie Fontanilla; Manuel & Lisa Espindola \* Thanksgiving - Andrea Mateo \* RIP +Harry Iwao Miyashiro

> 8:30am (Missa pro populo) - For parish & parishioners; For the children to be baptized and their parents and godparents \* Successful Surgery - Riza Go \* Health - Gloria Atudo; Rizza delos Santos; Ropati Liua; Alfonso & Mary Villanueva \* Blessings for - Sr. Clemence Mira; Ricky & Staff, Carmelita & Vicente Sabio & family \* RIP +Marcela Ulep; +Silvestre Marquez, Benito Martin & Emiliana Martin

**Feb 25** > 6:30am Healing - Valentina Elliazar; Tessie Fontanilla; Guy Miranda \* RIP +Jovito Alcantra, Pio Alcantra, Consuelo Alcantra, Conrado Benitez Sr

**Feb 28** > 6:30am RIP +Manuel & Mary Rodrigues

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:** Riza Go \* Ramon Agbayani \* Gloria Atudo \* Tim Johnson \* Guy Miranda \* Tessie Fontanilla \* Val Elliazar, Val Elefante \* Lucille Mohika \* Aurelio Agamao \* Rizza Eugenia delos Santos \* Millie Pedro \* Ropati Liua \* Trinidad Corpuz \* Timothy P Barroga Sr \* Maria Ambrosio \* Orlando Artates & Edith Yago \* Vicenta Baron \* Marie Schwengler \* Petronila Jandoc \* Cris & Crescencia Paranada \* Avelina Orcino Fralaide \* Manuel & Lisa Espindola \* Alfonso & Mary Villanueva \* John Guieb \* Nellie Tomas \* Doi Facuri, Simeon Facuri & Mariano Facuri \* Jesse Ulep \* Alfredo Acedera \* Ely Purganan \* Tomasa Ursulum \* George Calizar \* Joann Gibbs \* Florentino Sotto \* Hazel Rodrigues \* Marvin & Sally Moore \* Clara Adlawan \* Marilou Bruno \* Gregory Raguindin \* Jeanne Oshiro \* Stanley & Martha Castro \* Charlie Newman

❖**Birthday:** Steven Ramiscal \* Geri Mina \* Marivic Palting \* Andrea Baptista \* Reynaldo Balmores, Jesus Eusebio, Ashley Balmores Arndtson, Beth Villanueva \* Fr. Tito Bonoan \* Tita Calizar \* Connie De Santos \* Doren Gruenhagen \* Anjelica

Schwengler \* Eli Aguada \* Herminia Ferrer

❖**Wedding Anniversary:** Nato & Adoracion Laguer (44) \* Renato & Cora dela Rosa (39)

❖**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 the RCIA Catechumens \* For all seminarians in the Diocese \* Andrea Mateo \* Silver & Marivic Palting \* M/M Noemi Joseph & Mila Llantero \* Bacani family \* Tony & Cora Blas \* Teddy & Del Agbayani \* Marlene Calventas & family \* Rosita Dolormente & family \* Sr. Clemence Mira, spc \* Ricky & Staff \* Carmelita & Vicente Sabio & family \* Lamberto & Lydia Sao \* Artemia & Sixto Amian II, Kikkawa, Nishimura & Mateo families \* Gertrudis Mina \* Vanni Layne Aurelio Gapuz for passing the CPA Board Exam \* Cora Orcino \* Purie Cortez

❖**Safe trip:** Fr. Danny Laeda \* Victoria Rabago \* Eli & Andrea Aguada \* Vic & Luz Velasco \* Lolito Dullin

❖**Deceased:** +Marcela Ulep \* Jose Jandoc \* Benjamin Mabini \* +Benjamin Sanchez \* Josie Pascua Pascual \* \* Julio Asuncion Andres \* Henaro dela Cruz Agbayani \* +Harry Iwao Miyashiro \* +Manuel & Mary Rodrigues \* +Silvestre Marquez, Benito & Emiliana Martin \* +Jovito Alcantra, Pio & Consuelo Alcantra, Conrado Benitez Sr \* +Agapito Fontanilla \* +Nico Mira \* +James Paet, William Paet, Margaret Peters \* +Aurelio Acosta \* +Richard Peralta \* +Alfredo Torres \* +Deceased family & relatives of Celerina Pamaylaon; Silver & Marivic Palting Ererita & Laoan families \* +Addie Freitas \* +Fr Lawrence Mampaey \* +Pedro, Urbana, Virgilio Artates; Pio & Victoriana Bacani \* +Francisca, Meliton, Teofilo, Maria, Norma, Jerry \* +Juana Duldulao Longboy \* +Nick, Sixto Sr, Perpetua, Marina & Merlin Amian; Francisco, Eugenia, Abundio, Dominador & Emilio Sao \* +Julie Molina \* +Apolonia Fontanilla (3<sup>rd</sup> anniv) \* +Ferdinand Brillantes \* +Cralina Tacderan \* +William Char \* +Rogelio Agcaoili (1<sup>st</sup> anniv) \* +Oriol Aurelio, Dolores & Amante Aurelio, Bert Aguinaldo \* +Glir Dagdagan \* +Candido, Romana & Charlie Puzon & Honorio Gamiao \* +Pio Enrico \* +John Pregil Sr \* +Mabel Santos \* +Esperanza Bareng \* +Ana Francisca Mateo \* +Isabelo, Martina, Benjamin, Magdalena Orcino \* +Caroline & Martin Rodrigues \* +Nelly, Gaudencio & Aurora Tadeo \* +Marcelina Rivera \* +Lilia Casison Bugarin \* +Pulileka Tuihalafatai \* +Deceased loved ones of Ferrer family, Apolonio, Patricio, Fernando, Faustina, Jacoba & Demetrio Ferrer and Zosima Alverne \* +Florentina Ellazar \* +Beatrice Loman \* +Magdaleno Sanchez \* +Pedro Domion Sr \* +Bernardo Centino II \* +James Rodrigues Sr \* +Nick Amian \* +Pelenato Falaniko \* +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



## MAHALO TO GOOD STEWARDS

**Stewardship** is responsible sharing in gratitude 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 through the regular Sunday offering envelopes and donations. 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.

❖**BUILDING & MAINTENANCE** – Under the lead of *Joyce Oliveira*, the Parish & Maintenance Committee is now considering the bids received for the replacement of the old louver windows in the Convent and will soon pick out the winning bid.

❖**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. Among them, *Marivic Palting* takes charge of the plants and flower decorations at the sanctuary. If you are interested to join, please see *Roselani Ramones*.

*Lolito Dullin*, the parish maintenance man, is on vacation for 2 months. In his place, *Frankie Cabral* who is a Knight of Columbus, liturgical minister and traffic attendant is volunteering to do some partial cleaning and is being assisted by *Moses Andres & Gloria Rodrigues*, who are liturgical ministers. Big *mahalo* to them! We are asking anyone who is able and willing to rotate with the three in cleaning the restrooms and the church. Thank you very much.

❖**GARDENERS** – The decorative plants by the church are being nurtured and taken care of by the Visayan Community led by *Jun & Nida Flores* and *Eddie & Cita Lucero*.

The grounds and backyard landscape are kept trim by *Clem Fontanilla* who also checks the doors and locks the gate at the end of the day.

❖**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 and their practices on Wednesdays and Saturdays. Also assisting in the rehearsals and instrumentation are *Sr. Clemence Mira, Audrey Peralta, Connie de Santos* and the *Llamedo Band*.

❖**PARKING ATTENDANTS** – Before and after Masses and during funerals and occasional functions they are 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!\***

**Stewardship**—it's not just about giving money.  
It's about giving **everything**.

And serve each other according to the gift each person has received, as good managers of God's diverse gifts. —1 Peter 4:10. CEB



## MEMO FROM THE YOUTH & YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY OFFICE

Lisa Gomes, the Diocesan Director for Youth & Young Adult Ministry forwarded the following memo:

**Subject:** FW: Lenten Mission 2019

Aloha Young Adult Ministry Leaders!

This Lent, the Resurrection of the Lord Parish's Lenten Mission will feature *Busted Halo's Fr. Dave Dwyer, CSP*. Because of Busted Halo's outreach to young adults, *Fr. William Kunisch*, Pastor of Resurrection of the Lord, is inviting all young adults to participate in the Parish's Lenten Mission on March 11-13 at 7:00pm. Thanks!



## 2019 MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKENDS



World Marriage Day (WMD) on February 10, 2019 honors husband and wife as the foundation of the family, the basic unit of society. It salutes the beauty of their faithfulness, sacrifice and joy in daily married life.

Consider enriching your marriage on a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend.

Oahu: May 24- 26, 2019 at St. Anthony Retreat Center

**Oahu: August 30-September 1, 2019\*** at St. Anthony Retreat Center

Big Island: September 20-22, 2019 at Annunciation Parish, Kamuela

Maui: November 15-17, 2019 at St. Theresa Parish, Kihei

For more information visit Worldwide Marriage Encounter at [www.hawaiiwme.org](http://www.hawaiiwme.org).

**Read about how the diocese is gathering a plethora of programs to help strengthen home life in Hawaii.**

### 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* App 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 Day**

**Mar 2** Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary



**Feb 23/24 & Mar 2/3** Please bring old palm branches to burn for Ash Wednesday

**Feb 26** Verbum Dei Bible Study, 6:00pm

**Feb 28** Novena to Mother of Perpetual Help, 7:00pm

**Mar 4** Liturgy Committee meeting, 7:00pm, Rector Conference Rm.

**Mar 5** > Malassada Tuesday, Hall, after the 6:30am Mass

> Verbum Dei Bible Study, 6:00pm

**Mar 6** Ash Wednesday, Mass: 6:30am and 6:00pm

**Mar 7** Novena to Mother of Perpetual Help, 7:00pm

**Mar 17** > RE Children's Mass, 8:30am

> Filipino Catholic Club meeting after the 8:30am Mass

> St. Patrick's Day

**Mar 16/17 & 23/24** Sign-up Pre-Easter Parish Clean-Up on April 6

**Apr 3** Lenten Penance Service, 7:00pm

**Apr 6** Pre-Easter Parish Clean-Up, 8:00am; lunch 12:00noon



**\*STATIONS OF THE CROSS, Fridays, 7:00pm**

Date	Lead Council / Ministry
<b>March 8</b> (March 10)	Pastoral & Finance Councils; Stewardship Committee Religious Education Program, after the 8:30am Mass)
<b>March 15</b>	Filipino Catholic Club & Ilocano Choir
<b>March 22</b>	Catechists, RCIA, Visayan Group
<b>March 29</b>	Prison, Hospital, Outreach and Kokua Ministries
<b>April 5</b>	Knights of Columbus
<b>April 12</b>	Liturgy Committee

**\*HOLY WEEK**

<b>April 18</b>	Holy Thursday
<b>April 19</b>	Good Friday
<b>April 20</b>	Holy Saturday
<b>April 21</b>	Easter Sunday



**BAPTISM**

\*February 24, 2019

\*Child: **KHAISLEY JAMELLE COLOMA IGLESIA**

Parents: Geramelle Iglesia & Janice Agamao Coloma

Godparents: Vanessa Joy Ranon & John Ubante

\*Child: **ALIYAH FORTUNA KADEKAWA**

Parents: Jon C. Kadkawa & Aliza Nabua Fortuna

Godparents: Kelson Paiva & Romina Marquez

**† OBITUARY**

**+BENJAMIN SANCHEZ, JR**

Memorial Mass: March 2, 2019, 10:00am at OLM Church

**+HENARO DELA CRUZ AGBAYANI SR, 90**

Wake Service: March 6, 2019, 6:30pm at Mililani Mauka Chapel

Funeral Mass: March 7, 2019, 11:00am at OLM Church

Interment: 2:00pm at Valley of the Temples Memorial Park

**+BENJAMIN CALIDA MABINI, 86**

Funeral Service: April 15, 2019, 11:00am at Mililani Mauka Chapel

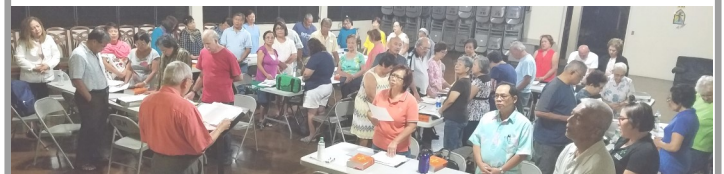
Interment: 12:00pm at Mililani-Waipio Memorial Park

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

**BIBLE STUDY**

Come and join the "Verbum Dei" Bible Study program, a weekly gathering for both youth and adults.

The "Verbum Dei" (Word of God) Encounter is tailored for Catholics who want to understand better the teachings of God and of the Church based on the Sacred Scriptures. It is held weekly on Tuesdays, 6:00pm-7:00pm and facilitated by Bro. Firmo Dayao. The next session is on February 26, 2019. There are no fees to the course, but donations are gratefully accepted and appreciated.



**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)**



"You were a believer, yes. But you skipped the 'not-being-a-jerk-about-it' part."

