

OUR LADY OF THE MOUNT CHURCH

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FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Rev. Edgar B. Brillantes
Pastor



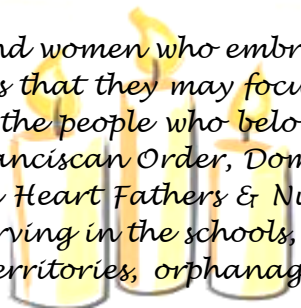
Rev. Adrian R. Gervacio
Pastor-Emeritus

"Amen I say to you, no prophet is accepted in his own native place."
Luke 4:24



World Day for Consecrated Life — February 2, 2019

We pray for all men and women who embraced the religious life and make solemn vows that they may focus on serving God and His Church. These are the people who belong to various congregations such as the Franciscan Order, Dominican Sisters, Brothers of Charity, Sacred Heart Fathers & Nuns, Sisters of St. Paul Chartres (SPC), etc., serving in the schools, hospitals, slums, refugee camps, mission territories, orphanages, and here at OLM, etc.



Sr. Clemence Marie Mira, SPC



HAPPY CHINESE NEW YEAR – February 5

Kung Hei Fat Choy!



ALOHA FR. VICTOR!

We extend our warm aloha to Fr. Victor Lanuevo, a retired military chaplain and chaplain of St. Francis Healthcare, who is so gracious in celebrating the Holy Mass for us in the absence of our Pastor, Fr. Edgar. Fr. Victor has presided at the 8:30am Mass last Sunday and will officiate again this Sunday.



"I will sing of your salvation." Psalm 71:15



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

STEWARDSHIP PRAYER FOR THE NEW YEAR



Dear Heavenly Father,
 my parish is composed
 of people like me;
 I help make it what it is.
 It will be friendly, if I am.
 Its pews will be filled, if I help fill them.
 It will do great work, if I work.
 It will make generous gifts to many causes,
 if I am a generous giver.
 It will bring other people into its worship and fellowship,
 if I invite and bring them.
 It will be a parish of loyalty and love, of fearlessness and
 faith, and a parish with a noble spirit, if I, who make it
 what it is, am filled with these same virtues.
 Therefore, with Your help, O God, I shall dedicate myself
 to the task of being all things that I want my parish to be.
 Amen.

MASS ATTENDANCE

	1/19-20/19	1/26-27/19
Saturday (6:00 pm)	54	46
Sunday (6:30 am)	64	89
Sunday (8:30 am)	136	143
Sunday (Ilocano 6:00 pm)	34	

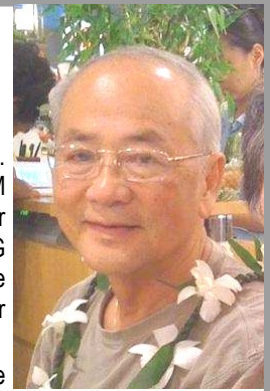
SACRIFICIAL OFFERINGS

	1/19-20/19	1/26-27/19
Saturday (6:00 pm)	\$ 688.00	\$ 690.00
Sunday (6:30 am)	\$ 748.00	\$ 1,162.45
Sunday (8:30 am)	\$ 860.00	\$ 1,086.90
Initial Offering	\$ 12.00	\$ 47.00
Repair and Maintenance	\$ 16.00	\$ 105.00
Santo Nino Mass	\$ 1,232.00	\$ NA
Save Our Convent	\$ 555.63	\$ NA
Ilocano Mass	\$ NA	\$ 95.00
Black & Indian Mission	\$ NA	\$ 711.75
Church in Latin America	\$ NA	\$ 774.55
Funeral	\$ NA	\$ 900.00
Mass Intentions	\$ 25.00	\$ 30.00
Hall Rental	\$ NA	\$ 300.00
Sunday School Regis.	\$ 90.00	\$ NA
Candles	\$ 75.00	\$ 35.00
Mission Store	\$ 20.25	\$ NA
FCC Dues	\$ NA	\$ 130.00
Total	\$ 4,321.88	\$ 6,067.65

*"Let all your works give you praise, O Lord."
 Psalm 145:10*

OLM STEWARDSHIP: "Serving Compassionately"

*Testimony by: *Wilfred Soong*



In 1957 my parents moved to Kalihi Valley. My mother *Bessie* used to come to OLM for daily Mass and together with the other mass-goers were called "MORNING GLORIES". Thru them other people learned to say the Rosary and other prayers.

In 1967 *Rachel* and I got married. We raised our 2 children in Kailua and our parish was St. John Vianney for 28 years. We were not active in church... Then we moved to Kalihi in 1997 to care for my ailing father *James* and an uncle.

On August 30, 2001 our life changed. Our beloved favorite uncle was dying. We wanted him to be baptized and receive the sacrament of the sick. We called our priest-friend then the neighboring churches but either they were not available, or nobody answered. When *Rachel* finally called OLM, *Addie Freitas* answered. We were so happy to hear a live voice and on that same day *Fr. Lio Faletoi* and *Bella Miranda* came to Kaiser and baptized uncle. We had his funeral right here at OLM.

After the funeral we wanted to be part of and be of service to OLM. We became Eucharistic Ministers, helped *Fr. Lio* with the Easter Font, made Advent wreaths, and cleaned the OLM cemetery.

My son was baptized by *Fr. Henry Sabog* who would also officiate our renewal of vows on our 5th, 15th and 20th wedding anniversaries at OLM. Our other family members had their funeral here. We love OLM; the church is even more beautiful today.

On July 3, 2003 I was in emergency and intensive care for an open-heart surgery. As a patient the one thing I looked forward to everyday was to pray with the hospital minister and receive Holy Communion. It inspired me to become a minister to the sick someday.

On August 2003, *Fr. Paul Smith* called me to join the ministry. After training, we started our Hospital Ministry on Sept 18, 2003 just 2-1/2 months after my heart surgery.

In 2009 I joined the Prison Ministry. I would go to the Federal Prison by the airport on Sunday nights and conduct Communion Service for the prisoners. We usually go in pairs leading the service and assisting. Prison Ministry is a very special form of apostolate. Every time I go, I feel as if God were telling me to do it to bring His love in the dark cells. I'm glad I didn't say NO when I was invited to join. I got *Angie Goodbody* to be a prison minister. We could use more women minister.

**Wilfred Soong* is married to *Rachel* and are blessed with two children. Both are active parishioners of OLM serving as Eucharistic Ministers and leading the Hospital & Prison Ministries. They are also visible in many parish undertakings and gatherings. Their devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary is shown especially in their rosary-making apostolate which they send to various groups and foreign lands.



Pastor's Corner

By Rev. Edgar B. Brillantes



Next Sunday's Reading Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading
Isaiah 6:1-8

Responsorial Psalm
Psalm 138:1

Second Reading
1 Corinthians 15:1-11

Gospel
Luke 5:1-11

First Reading: *Jeremiah 1:4-5,17-19*

A sixth- and seventh-century prophet of Judah, Jeremiah detested the idolatry to which the people and their leaders would fall victim. In today's verses Jeremiah recounts how the Word of the Lord came to him and he called him to be a prophet. Even before he was formed in the womb, the Lord chose him for his important role. Jeremiah would have to stand up to Judah's corrupt kings, princes, priests, and people. They would fight against Jeremiah and try to discredit the Word of the Lord he spoke, but the Lord would stand by him and deliver him.

Second Reading: *1 Corinthians 12:31-13:13*

The longer form is a continuous reading from last Sunday and serves as a preface to Paul's beautiful and well-known words about love. The shorter form of the reading begins with the description of what love is and is not. The triad of faith, hope, and love, which concludes the reading, is part of the early history of Christian communities and appears, for example, in 1 Thessalonians 1:3. All three will last, but love is the greatest. Would that the Corinthians bond together in love modeled on Christ's love for them, and we do the same in our communities of faith today.

Gospel: *Luke 4:21-30*

The Gospel reading opens with a repetition of the closing verse from last Sunday, which Jesus announces the fulfillment of the passage he read from Isaiah to the people in Nazareth's synagogue. People already begin to wonder about his identity, but their amazement at his "gracious words" quickly turns into fury as Jesus draws the connection between himself and the prophets Elijah and Elisha. Perhaps the people were not ready for Jesus's prophetic words and the extension of his ministry to the Gentiles. Prophets are not accepted in their place of origin, a reality of which Jesus is well aware.

VALENTINE TREAT FOR MARRIED COUPLES

*February 17, 2019

In celebration of *World Marriage Day* and *Valentine's Day* in the love-month of February our parish is sponsoring a Valentine Gala Night to honor all married couples in our parish. It will be celebrated on February 17 commencing with a Eucharistic celebration at 5:00 PM. There will be a common renewal of marriage vows within the Mass after which the couples will be treated to a reception. During the banquet there will be entertainment as well as dance music where the couples and all present are most welcomed to the dance floor. Towards the end, there will be a selection of VALENTINE KING & QUEEN as well as Valentine Princes and Princesses of the Night. Judges will be designated to make the selection based on the criteria of being active in participation, romantic pair and well-dressed for the occasion. There are crowns and sashes ready for the selected muses and escorts, wedding cakes will be provided, and the *Starpointe Sound System* will render music to enliven the night. Everyone will have a chance to display their dancing prowess and win door prizes in the raffle draw. Some generous parishioners are offering voluntary donations to help cater for the night. Any monetary donation is gratefully accepted.

This activity is to hopefully jumpstart our *Marriage and Family Life program* that is part of the Diocesan roadmap and our Parish Five-Year Pastoral Plan. We invite all interested couples to sign up so that the working committees can prepare well the logistics. The deadline for sign-up is February 14. We also welcome volunteers to be part of the working committees.

February 19, 2017 Valentine Celebration



Fr. Edgar, Marc Ulep, Queen Mary & King Al Villanueva and Clem Ceria-Ulep





Jan 22 > 6:30am RIP +*Scott Kimura*
Jan 27-Feb 4 > 6:30am RIP +*Cecilia Gamboa*
Jan 31 > Birthday - *Connie delos Santos*
Feb 1 > 6:30am Good health, safety in work & driving – *Purie Cortez* * Healing - *Michael Schwengler, Robin Johnson*
Feb 2 > 6:00pm Special intention - *St. Francis School & All Catholic Schools, Sisters of St. Francis* * Good health, safety in work & driving – *Purie Cortez* * Healing - *Michael Ascencio* * RIP +*Scott Kimura*; +*Josie Pascual* ; +*Julio Andres*
Feb 3 > 6:30am Thanksgiving new Las Vegas home – *Jayson & Bridget Canoneo* * Healing - *Tessie Fontanilla*; *Manuel & Lisa Espindola* * RIP +*Scott Kimura*; +*Josie Pascual*; +*Victoria Subia Ramiro-8 yrs, Feb 2, 2011*
 > 8:30am (Missa pro populo) - *For parish & parishioners* * Birthday - *Reynaldo Balmores, Jesus Eusebio Balmores, Ashley Balmores Arndtson, Beth Villanueva* * Health & speedy recovery - *Rizza delos Santos; Ropati Liua; Alfonso & Mary Villanueva* * Thanksgiving for a new Las Vegas home – *Jayson & Bridget Canoneo* * RIP +*Scott Kimura*
Feb 6 > 6:30am Birthday - *Tita Calizar*



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:** Michael Schwengler, Robin Johnson * Michael Ascencio * Guy Miranda * Tessie Fontanilla * Ben Mabini * 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 * Vicenta Baron * Marie Schwengler * Petronila Jandoc * Cris & Crescencia Paranada * Avelina Orcino Fralaide * Manuel & Lisa Espindola * Alfonso & Mary Villanueva * John Guieb * Nellie Tomas * Simeon Facuri * Mariano Facuri * Jesse Ulep * Alfredo Acedera * Ely Purganan * Tomas 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:** Reynaldo Balmores, Jesus Eusebio Balmores, Ashley Balmores Arndtson, Beth Villanueva * Connie delos Santos * Fr. Tito Bonoan * Tita Calizar * Connie De Santos * Doren Guenhagen * Anjelica Schwengler * Eli Aguada * Herminia Ferrer * Manny Artates * Arlene Nishimura * Arnie Kikkawa * Venacio Talia * Kit Samson * Jane Mariano * Cresencio Paet (87) * Gerald Bacus * Jayden Castro * Rizal Hernandez * Rizza de Guzman * Norma Daligcon * Edna Gamiao * Cora Sagucio

❖**Wedding Anniversary:** Renato & Cora dela Rosa (39) * Anita Apdal * Joe & Julie Manuel (47) * Adriano & Norma Daligcon

❖**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 * Jayson & Bridget Canoneo * M/M Noemi Joseph & Mila Llantero * Avalyne Andaya * Bacani 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 * Jaime & Flordeliz Cabuslay * Special intentions for St. Francis School & Sisters of St. Francis

❖**Safe trip:** Eli & Andrea Aguada * Vic & Luz Velasco * Fr. Edgar * William & Joan Amoroso * Lolito Dullin * Alohilani Andres (Deployment)

❖**Deceased:** +Julio Andres * +Scott Kimura* +Victoria Subia Ramiro * +Cecillia Gamboa * +Josie Pascual * +Richard Peralta * +Addie Freitas * +Fr Lawrence Mampaey * +Chad Pang * +James Paet * +Pedro, Urbana, Virgilio Artates; Pio & Victoriana Bacani * +Deceased family & relatives of Silver & Marivic Palting * +Deceased family & raltives of Bredy & Shirley Dumot * +Francisca, Meliton, Teofilo, Maria, Norma, Jerry * +Juana Duldulao Longboy * +Deceased members of the Sao & Galiza families * +Nick, Sixto Sr, Perpetua, Marina & Merlin Amian; Francisco, Eugenia, Abundio, Dominador & Emilio Sao * +Betty Santiago * +Cecilia & Manuel Medeiros * +Norberto Montaus Jr, Pelegonia Montaus & Victor Cabezas * +Julie Molina * +Apolonia Fontanilla (3rd anniv) * +Leonora, Edison & Victorio Bautista * +Greg & Steven Rodrigues, Lil Perry, Ruth Saito * +Ferdinand Brillantes * +Cralina Tacderan * +William Char * +Edward Chu, Alice Chu, Mildred Pascua * +Rogelio Agcaoili (1st 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 * +Ben Sanchez * +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



SAINT LOUIS SCHOOL

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*To be held on Sunday, February 10, 2019 at 1:00 pm. Please join to learn about the educational programs, meet the faculty and staff, and tour the campus.

*3142 Wai’alae Avenue, Honolulu, HI 96816-4832

Admissions Office: (808)739-4832

www.saintlouishawaii.org



SACRED HEARTS ACADEMY

*3253 Wai’alae Ave, Honolulu, HI 96816

❖ **SPRING OPEN HOUSE** ❖

*Sunday, February 10, 2019 – 2:30 PM

*Now accepting applications for School Year 2019-2020 from Pre-school through 12th Grade.

Call (808)734-5058, ext. 224 or go to www.sacredhearts.org

*Sacred Hearts Academy is a private, catholic, college preparatory school that challenges girls from junior kindergarten to grade 12 to develop their full potential by inspiring minds and imaginations, nurturing an interest in lifelong learning and fostering involvement in the community and the world beyond Sacred Hearts.

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 - *Dorothy Pregil*

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.



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.

*****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.

❖ **REPAIRING THE CHURCH CEILING** – *Kalolo Tuihalafatai* of the Parish Facilities & Maintenance Team and his cousin, *Fredy Sole*, fixed some parts of the external church ceiling by the front and side doors that were sagging due to leaks and wear and tear. We thank them for volunteering their services. *Roger Isidro* provided them food and drinks.

❖ **BUILDING & MAINTENANCE** – On January 6, a team of volunteer parishioners completed the renovation of the lower roofings on both sides of the Convent Building. The Church was able to save and pay only around \$1,500.00 for the materials and logistics for the workers. We are very grateful to the volunteers who have been so kind to allot their free time to accomplish the project – *Roger Isidro, Rudy Fiesta, Adriano Daligcon, Eddie Dayoan, Jesse Maalab, Kalolo Tuihalafatai* and *Paul Valbuena*. We deeply appreciate their untiring 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. 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 1 month. 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 gate and locks 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!

2019 STEWARDSHIP AND DEVELOPMENT DAY

When: Saturday, February 9, 2019 @ 8:00 AM-2:00 PM

Where: Our Lady of Good Counsel
1525 Waimano Home Road
Pearl City, HI 96782



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February 9th & 10th
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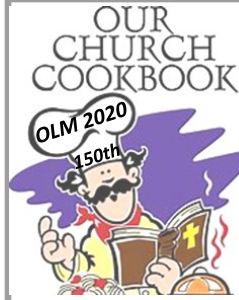
Parish Calendar, News & Announcements

Feast Day

- Feb 5** St. Agatha, virgin & martyr
- Feb 6** St. Paul Miki & Companions, martyrs
- Feb 8** St. Jerome Emilani & St. Josephine Bakhita, virgin
- Feb 9** Blessed Virgin Mary



- Feb 2/3 & 9/10** Sign-ups for Valentine Mass & Reception on 2/17 at 5:00pm
- Feb 4** Liturgy Committee meeting, 7:00pm, Rectory Conf. Room
- Feb 5** > Verbum Dei Bible Study, 6:00pm
> Chinese New Year
- Feb 7** Novena to Mother of Perpetual Help, 7:00pm
- Feb 9** 2019 Stewardship and Development Day, 8:00am-2:00pm, Our Lady of Good Counsel, Pearl City
- Feb 9/10** Second Collection - Augustine Education Foundation
- Feb 10** Filipino Catholic Club Meeting, after the 8:30am Mass
- Feb 17** > Religious Education Children's Mass at 8:30am
> 5:00pm Valentine Mass & Renewal of Marriage Vows followed with a reception in the Hall
- Feb 18** President's Day holiday - the Office is closed
- Feb 24** Begin collecting old palms for Ash Wednesday, March 6



OLM 150th PARISH ANNIVERSARY COOKBOOK

The Pastoral Council plan to produce a beautiful, international-themed cookbook to be published in time to celebrate our *150th Parish Anniversary on August 15, 2020*. We want your most loved recipe, your favorite dish that never fails which everyone loves or asks for. We need recipes from as many families as possible. We want the history of

the recipe and a photo of your family or the celebration the dish was traditionally served. We have received some recipes but we need more. Blank forms are on the table at the entrance of the Church. Please pick up a form, fill and give to the office. If you have any questions, please contact Fran Kovaloff at 228-2909 or email at fkovaloff@rcchawaii.org. New Deadline: February 28, 2019. Thank you!



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.



NOTICE TO ALL FURLOUGHED EMPLOYEES

Food Pantry Ministry
Although the Federal Government Shutdown ended on January 25, 2019, the Kokua Ministry Chair, Becky DeCorte, would like to invite all Federal employees who were furloughed to pick up food items, etc., at the Kokua Ministry office on the first and third Wednesdays of the month. For any emergencies, please report to the Office at 845-0828, leave your contact information and Becky or a member will call you immediately. Please pass this notice to your family or friends who work for the Federal government and did not get paid. Thank you!

KALIHI-UKA SCHOOL'S KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

If your child was born on or before July 31, 2014, please register your child for Kindergarten for the next school year 2019-2020. Early registration will reserve a spot for your child in our "*Kindergarten Camp*." For a list of required documents and if you have any questions, please call the school office at 305-6000.



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HONOLULU – **Kalihi-Uka**, Mililani Uka and Pauoa elementary schools have been named 2018 National Blue Ribbon Schools Program award winners by the US Department of Education. The program honors public and private elementary, middle and high schools based on academic performance and progress closing achievement gaps among student subgroups. The three Hawaii schools were among 349 winners nationwide announced today by US Secretary of Education, Betsy DeVos.



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 5, 2019. There are no fees to the course, but donations are gratefully accepted and appreciated.



☺ L.O.L. (Laugh Out Loud) ☺



One day Johnny's father brought his boss home for dinner. When Johnny's mother served the meat, the little boy asked, "*Is this mutton?*" The mother replied, "*No. Why do you ask?*" "*Because Dad said he was going to bring home a muttonhead for dinner,*" Johnny answered.