

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



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Rev. Edgar B. Brillantes
Pastor

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 "I am going away and I will come back to you."
 John 14:27



Rev. Adrian R. Gervacio
Pastor-Emeritus



HAVE BLESSED & SAFE MEMORIAL DAY!
 We join the entire nation in honoring and praying for all heroic men & women who have sacrificed their lives for freedom and

CONGRATULATIONS TO A FRUITFUL CATECHETICAL YEAR

The 2018-2019 Catechetical Year culminates today with the giving of certificates to those who completed the year's course. This is the year that *Lucille Mohika*, has completed her first-year term as Religious Ed Coordinator. And we thank and appreciate her and all her fellow catechists for all their kind and loving services to our children and parish. We are so grateful to the Lord that we continue to have volunteer-catechists to form and inform our children according to the Christian faith and teachings. Sadly though, the number of enrollees is diminishing so that we had only 10 children who received the sacraments of Confirmation and First Holy Communion through *Bishop Larry Silva*. Nevertheless, we are elated that after quite a number of years there were 2 young people who underwent the RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) program and received the initiation sacraments at the Easter Vigil. We continue to pray that our Faith Formation program both for our children, youth and adults may prosper further and that more will come to attend and learn about the Catholic catechism for the Church. We urge all parents to bring their children closer to the Lord and receive the appropriate sacraments in the various stages of their lives. We also continue to appeal to young adults and adult parishioners to volunteer as catechists or aides in the service of our children.



Photo by Jun Cortez

We wish everyone a safe and enjoyable Memorial Day weekend and summer break!



FLORES DE MAYO FESTIVITIES

The traditional festivities of *Flores de Mayo* in the month of May honoring the Blessed Virgin Mary culminates today. The *Filipino Catholic Club* and the *Ilocano Ministry* have joined hands in spearheading the observance of the devotions. Parishioners participated in the floral offerings and praying of the holy rosary every Sunday at the 8:30am Mass. Some children were made to play the role of angels with their wings and white costumes on. Everyone was encouraged to pray the beautiful prayer of the rosary with Mary either privately or as family. Today will be the coronation and procession of the Marian image with the *Santacruz* Muses representing the Christian virtues of Mary and which is an integral part of the *Flores de Mayo* celebration.

"O God, let all the nations praise you!" Psalm 67:4



Pastor's Corner

By Rev. Edgar B. Brillantes



Next Sunday's Reading Feast of the Ascension of the Lord

First Reading
Acts 1:1-11

Responsorial Psalm
Psalm: 47:2-3, 6-9

Second Reading
Ephesians 1:17-23

Gospel
Luke 24:46-53

First Reading: Acts 15:1-2, 22-29

One of the most pressing issues for earliest Christian community, and indeed the subject of the first church "council" as Acts of the Apostles tells the story, pertained to Gentile Christians. Jesus, his disciples and Apostles, and the first members of the Christian community were all Jewish. Now the new community were all Jewish. Now the new community has to decide; Must Gentiles who come to have faith in Jesus also become Jews (that is, be circumcised according to the law of Moses)? We hear today the decision of the Apostles and elders of the community: what is asked of Gentile believers is observance of dietary laws, avoidance of idolatry, and prohibition of Marriage within certain degrees of kinship, but not circumcision.

Second Reading: Revelation 21:10-14, 22-23

The universal theme is likewise found in the description of the glorious, heavenly Jerusalem, whose gates, marked with the names of the ancestors of Israel, open in every direction, toward all peoples. The walls of the city are inscribed with the names of the Apostles. Jesus, who brought salvation to all, is the fulfillment of the promises first made to Israel. The city gleamed with the glory of God who was its light, and the Lamb, who was its lamp.

Gospel: John 14:23-29

The strong connection, almost identification, between loving Jesus and keeping his word is stressed. Jesus and his Father come to us in and through this loving obedience and dwell within us. Jesus tells his disciples here, the night before he dies, that the Father will send the Holy Spirit, an Advocate on their behalf, just as he had sent Jesus. The Holy Spirit will teach them and help them to remember all that Jesus told them. Jesus' farewell gift to them is a deep and abiding peace. His return to the Father should be a source of great joy. He has accomplished the mission for which he was sent. They will not be left alone.

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
Education Committee - Michael Javines
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 / 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

COMMITTEE * MINISTRY * ORGANIZATION CHAIRPERSONS, contd.

Ilocano Ministry & Choir - Silverio Palting
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. 4:30-6:30pm; Sat. 9:00-11:30am
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 & Rosary: 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 Wednesday, 8:30-10:00am.

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 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.

❖**MAHALO to:** *William & Mitronia Amoroso for their donation of \$1000 (4/21/19) for the Parish Repairs & Maintenance Fund. May God reward them a hundredfold.

*Rey & Minda Teocson delivered their gift of 1-year supply of shell leis for use in greeting and welcoming visitors and celebrants of special occasions. Rey & Minda also donated \$1,000 for the Church daily operations to mark their 34th Wedding Anniversary. *Congratulations and more blessings!*

*Fr. Robert Stark, SSS of the Diocesan Office for Social Ministry for awarding OLM Parish the \$1,500 Rice Bowl Grant from the Diocese of Honolulu One 'Ohana: Food and Housing for All.

***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.

❖RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CATECHISTS – As we end our Catechetical Year 2018-2019, we wish to convey our gratitude to all our volunteer parish catechists who are forming, informing and transforming our children in the Catholic faith and life.

*RE Coordinator - Lucille Mohika

*Catechists – Trinidad Agamao * Evangeline Bacani * Fe Go * Mary Ann Goloran * Francisca Kovaloff * Rosemary Mohika * Dorothy Pregil * Cathy Villanueva

❖BUILDING & MAINTENANCE – Under the lead of Joyce Oliveira, the Parish & Maintenance Committee selected the winning bid for the replacement of the old louver windows in the Convent. The contractor is *KKTF Hawaii* who will install *PlyGem Pro Line*, white vinyl, double-hung with insulated clear low-e sliding glass windows at the contract price of \$40,942.81. The amount is taken from the funds raised from the "Save the Convent" fundraising in May and November 2018 as well as from direct donations.

*Volunteer parishioners Jun Cortez and Paul Valbuena teamed up to put up the Easter fountain in the Church for use on Easter Vigil and throughout the Easter season. With grateful hearts we appreciate them for rendering their expert services. We also thank Sio Tuitopou for preparing the fire for the Easter Vigil celebration.

❖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.

❖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.



WE WANT YOU!

***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 News & Announcements

CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP

The faith-filled stewardship of Mary, our Mother, guides us to give of ourselves in service to our Church and to respond generously to those in need.

Stewardship Calendar by J. S. Paluch Co., Inc.



PRAYER FOR GOOD STEWARDSHIP

Christ Our Lord, risen Lord, light of the world,
to you be all praise and glory!

Shine your light on us this Easter season so that we may reflect brilliantly the glory of your resurrection.

Make us a blessing for those who suffer, live in fear or who are overwhelmed by life.

And let the Spirit fill our hearts with your loving presence so that we may become good stewards of your Gospel out of love for you who, for our sakes, lived, died and rose from the dead; you who live and reign with your Father, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

AMEN.

MASS ATTENDANCE

	<u>5/11-12/19</u>	<u>5/18-19/19</u>
Saturday (6:00 pm)	71A+3C	46A+3C
Sunday (6:30 am)	83A+2C	68A+0C
Sunday (8:30 am)	227A+90C	102A+25C
Ilocano Mass (6:00pm)		36A+0C

(A=Adults; C=Children)

SACRIFICIAL OFFERINGS

Saturday (6:00 pm)	\$ 919.00	\$ 674.90
Sunday (6:30 am)	\$ 648.25	\$ 626.95
Sunday (8:30 am)	\$ 1,426.18	\$ 865.00
Repair & Maintenance	\$ 38.00	\$ 153.00
Mass Intentions	\$ 10.00	\$ 00.00
Baptism/Certificate	\$ 10.00	\$ 00.00
Use of Hall	\$ 600.00	\$ NA
Candles	\$ 105.00	\$ 100.00
Candles - St. Killians	\$ 156.00	\$ NA
Mission Store	\$ 9.00	\$ 0.00
Rebate - Roman Catholic	\$ 2.98	\$ NA
Total	\$ 3,924.41	\$ 2,419.85



*"Share with God's people who are in need.
Practice hospitality."
Romans 12:13*



...LEADS A GIVER'S HEART TO JESUS

STEWARDSHIP: Our Life as Servant-Leaders

By *Leisa Anslinger*, Associate Department Director for Pastoral Life, Archdiocese of Cincinnati

During the Easter season we immerse ourselves in the wonder of Jesus' resurrection and the story of the early Church through our Sunday liturgies. Each year, I look forward to hearing from the Acts of the Apostles during this season. I am inspired by the faith and courage of the apostles and those who came to believe in Jesus Christ as a result of their witness and stewardship of their community of faith. I am also encouraged when reading the story of the development of the early communities of believers – not only did they face immense challenges from the Roman and Jewish authorities, they were often challenged from within, as they figured out what it meant to be Christians in community with one another.

In his book on the gift of administration, *Reverend Donald Senior*, biblical scholar and former president of Catholic Theological Union, writes of the ways leadership emerged in the early Church. He writes:

The inspiration for all leadership in the New Testament is rooted in the example of Jesus. His qualities of compassion, integrity, and selfless service in the carrying out of his mission are reflected in the virtues lifted up in the examples of early community leaders such as Peter, Barnabas, Paul, and Priscilla and Aquila. The fundamental responsibility of New Testament leaders is to foster the common good of the community – and here, too, the example of Jesus is paramount. Jesus the healer and teacher was committed to the restoration and well-being of God's people. So, too, the charismatic leadership of Paul and the more administrative type of leadership exercised by Peter, Barnabas, Phoebe, and Priscilla and Aquila and many others were directed to building up the Body of Christ.

Father Senior goes on to summarize this form of leadership, modeled by Jesus himself, as "servant leadership" (*The Gift of Administration: New Testament Foundations for the Vocation of Administrative Service*, Liturgical Press, 2016).

As we hear the story of the early Church this Easter season, let us reflect on our stewardship of others in our family of faith, our role as servant leaders: How do we continue the mission of Jesus with compassion, integrity and selfless service? How do we build up the Body of Christ as a community of disciples and stewards? *Lifted from e-bulletin of *International Catholic Stewardship Council (ICSC)*



May 19 > 6:30am Birthday - *Justin Layco*
 > 8:30am Thanksgiving - *Joedel Maneja & family * RIP +Francisco Duma; +Aurelio Acosta*

May 19 > 6:00pm (Ilocano Mass) Birthday - *Cora Orcino; Linda Morales * Healing & Thanksgiving - Silver & Marivic Palting; M/M Renato dela Rosa; M/M Alex Pe Benito; Noemi Joseph & Mila Llantero; Bacani family; Valentina Elliazar; Rosita Dolormente & Ellazar family * RIP +Dorothy Morales; +Anselmo & Adelina Dolormente; +Virgilio & Orlando Artates; +Leonarda & Nicolas Palting, Jose & Sofia Palting, Ricardo & Ana Francisca Mateo, Anthony & Linda Gutierrez, Flor & Victoria Barruga; +Martina, Isabelo, Benjamin & Magdalena Orcino*

May 23-31 > 6:30am RIP +*Modesto Bautista* **May 24** > 6:30am RIP +*Dale Kessler* **May 24-27** > 6:30am RIP +*Anthony R Gutierrez*

May 25 > 6:00pm Special intention - *For all Mothers living & dead in the Book of remembrance * Thanksgiving - For all the Catechists, Sunday School children & Graduates * Safe trip - Fran Kovaloff * Healing - Valentina Elliazar; Jeannie Oshiro * RIP +Bernardo Centino Jr; +Irineo Gervacio; +Modesto Bautista; +Anthony Gutierrez*

May 26 > 6:30am Special intention - *For all Mothers living & dead in the Book of remembrance * Birthday - Justin Layco (24) * Thanksgiving - For all the Catechists, Sunday School children & Graduates * Healing - Caridad Dagdagan; Tessie Fontanilla; Jeannie Oshiro; Manuel & Lisa Espindola * RIP +Irineo Gervacio; +Modesto Bautista; +Bernardo Centino Jr; +Cris Andres; +Francisco Baptista*
 > 8:30am (Missa pro populo) - *For parish & parishioners * Special intention - For all Mothers living & dead in the Book of remembrance * Thanksgiving - Joedel Maneja & family; For all the Catechists, Sunday School children & Graduates * Safe trip - Robert Liua * Health - Caridad Dagdagan; Urbano Acosta; Rizza Go delos Reyes; Alfonso & Mary Villanueva * RIP +Delfin Cabuena Sr & Prima Nono; +Anthony Gutierrez, Leonarda, Jose, Sofia Palting, Ricardo, Ana Francisca Patricio Mateo, Teresita Lucanas, Flor & Victoria Barruga*

May 27 > 6:30am RIP +*Anthony Gutierrez, Leonarda, Jose, Sofia Palting, Ricardo, Ana Francisca Patricio Mateo, Teresita Lucanas, Flor & Victoria Barruga*

May 27-31 > 6:30am RIP +*Modesto Bautista* **May 28-June 5** > 6:30am RIP +*Delfin Cabuena Sr & Prima Nono*

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:** Paulino Corpus * Urbano Acosta * Steven Schwengler * Elko Higa * Purie Cortez * Josephine Jojo Barnachea * Caridad Dagdagan * Avelino Peneyra * Michael Schwengler * Rizza Go delos Reyes * Guy Miranda * Tessie Fontanilla * Valentina Elliazar * Ropati Liua * Timothy P Barroga Sr * Maria Ambrosio * Vicenta Baron * Marie Schwengler * Petronila Jandoc * Cris & Crescencia Paranada * Avelina Orcino Fralalde * Manuel & Lisa Espindola * Alfonso & Mary Villanueva * John Guieb * Nellie Tomas * 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:** Justin Layco (24) * Cora Orcino * Linda Morales * Sandra Heyly Tee Sy * Jun Flores * Dolores & Reynold Ramiscal * Gloria Atudo * Hannah Leong * Linda Puzon * Valentina Elliazar * Andy Llamedo * Carlito Centino * Maria Luisa Montaus * Charito Sipalay * Adriano Daligcon * Angela Goodbody * Alfredo Acedera * Isidra Bautista (72) * Crescencia Acosta

❖**Graduation:** Caroline Kikkawa * Taylor Souza *

❖**Wedding Anniversary:** Rudy & Myrna Balmilero (45) * Arnelita & +Simplicio Canoneo (42) * Frankie & Florentina Cabral (48) * Wil & Rachel Soong (52) * Alfredo & Andrea Baptista (57)

❖**Ordination Anniversary:** Rev. Fr. Alfred Guerrero (2)

❖**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 the newly-ordained Priests of Honolulu * Newly-confirmed & First Communicants * For all catechists, youth ministers and children in the Religious Education program * For all Seminarians and increase of priestly vocations in the Diocese * For meaningful Flores de Mayo fiesta * Joedel Maneja & family * Artemia, Sixto II & Amian family * Kikkawa, Nishimura & Mateo families * Theresa, Michael & Marie Schwengler * Angie Sera & family * M/M Constantino Acosta * Cora Orcino * Silver & Marivic Palting * M/M Renato dela Rosa * M/M Alex Pe Benito * M/M Noemi Joseph & Mila Llantero * Bacani family * Rosita Dolormente & Ellazar family * Manuel Maraig

❖**Safe trip:** Fran Kovaloff * Robert Liua * Bella Miranda * Moses & Christina Andres * Doi Facuri * Angela Goodbody * Jun Flores * Andy Magbohos * Julieta Walsh

❖**Deceased:** +Dale Kessler * +Modesto Bautista (2nd anniv) * +Cris Andres * +Francisco Baptista * +Martina, Isabelo, Benjamin & Magdalena Orcino * +Leonarda & Nicolas Palting, Jose & Sofia Palting, Ricardo & Ana Francisca Mateo, Anthony & Linda Gutierrez, Flor & Victoria Barruga * +Virgilio & Orlando Artates * +Anselmo & Adelina Dolormente * +Dorothy Morales * +Aurelio Acosta * +Francisco Duma * +Fr Henry Sabog * +Rolly Blas Jr * +Cecilia Carvalho & Ramon Rodrigues * +Ethel Mita & Valentina Umblas * +Avelina & Pedro Baclagan, Froilan & Felix dela Rosa * +Mary & David Souza, Ronald Souza * +Nick, Sixto, Perpetua, Marina & Merlin Amian * +Francisco, Eugenia, Abundio, Dominador & Emilia Sao; +Mirasol Mateo * +Karen Correia-Lemana * Antone Fivella * +Jonathan Telles * +Basilisa Ombing Pedro * +Aleja, Gerarda & Timotea Acosta, Sabina Manuel, Brigida Geronimo, Lourdes Nicolas, Florida dela Cruz, Consolacion, Paula, Jannette Lao, Gregoria Sampayan, Caridad Suguitan * +Verlie & Prisca Cadiz, Selvina Duma * +Francisca, Margarita, Meliton, Norma, Jesusa, Linda & deceased relatives of Celerina Pamaylaon * +Delfin Cabuena Sr, Prima Nono * +Bodhi Iakona Robertson * +Pedro Domion Sr * +Lourdes & Emenia Tabios, Dolores & Theresa Agustin * +James & Bessie Soong * +Maria Luisa Camero, Octavio, Catalina, Marcial, Severo, Juliana, Florencio & Salvacion Clemente, Perfecto & Robyn Lori Ignacio, Severino Rabang * +Caroline Rodrigues, Maria B Rodrigues * +Olivia Fivella, Dr James Terna * +Feliberto S. Eder * +Simplicio Canoneo * +Candido, Romana & Charlie Puzon, Honorio Gamiao * +Servillano Tabonda Sr * +Pablo Padunan * +Carlos Pasion * +James Rodrigues Sr * +Evaristo dela Cruz * +Glir Dagdagan * +Simon Pagdilao Cenence * +Irineo Jacinto Gervacio * +Magdaleno Sanchez * +Florencio Clemente * +Benjamin C. Mabini * +Ramon V. Agbayani * +Josie Pascua Pascual * +Henaro dela Cruz Agbayani * +John Pregil Sr * +Beatrice Loman * +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



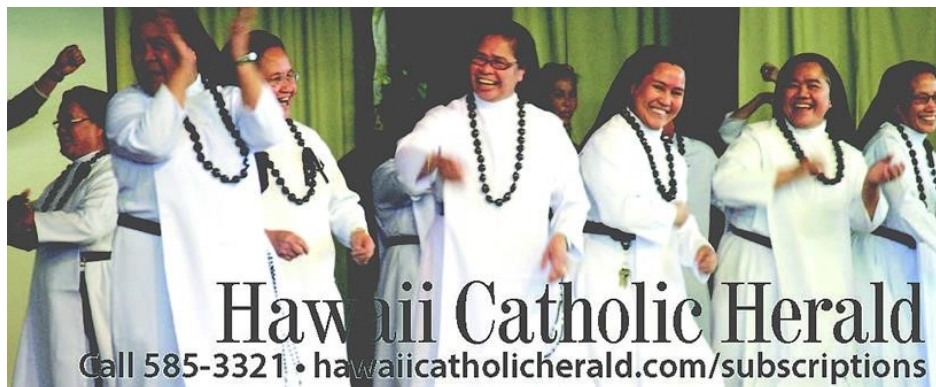
SECOND COLLECTION: Catholic Communication Campaign

Next Week, our special collection is for the *Catholic Communication Campaign*. This campaign connects people with Christ in the United States and in developing countries around the world through the internet, television, radio and print media. Fully 50% of funds collected remain here in the Diocese of Honolulu to fund local communications efforts. Your support helps spread the Gospel message. To learn more, visit www.usccb.org/ccc.



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SHARING THE FAITH SUMMER INSTITUTE Sharing the Catholic Faith

Catechists and religious teachers at Catholic institutions, reach your full teaching potential and fulfill your responsibility to pass on your faith to students through our summer institute on *Sharing the Catholic Faith*.

Through our partnership with the Catholic Diocese of Honolulu, this workshop will provide you with the skillset you need to effectively teach religion and help you to incorporate best practices into your curriculum planning and, of course, teaching.

We have an entire weekend of informative sessions planned that will teach you how to bring faith to life in the classroom.

Upon completing this course, you will be eligible to receive the *Lay Ecclesial Ministry Certificate* issued by the Diocese for Theological Foundation Courses.

Schedule & Cost

Institute runs: June 14–16, 2019

Location: Chaminade University of Honolulu

Cost: \$200

Parish Calendar, News & Announcements



Feast Days

- May 26** St. Philip Neri, priest
- May 27** St. Augustine of Canterbury, bishop
- May 30** The Ascension of the Lord
- May 31** The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary (with her cousin Elizabeth)
- Jun 1** St. Justin, martyr
- Jun 3** St. Charles Lwanga and Companions, martyrs
- Jun 5** St. Boniface, bishop & martyr
- Jun 6** St. Norbert, bishop
- Jun 11** St. Anthony of Padua, priest and doctor of the Church

Activities

- May 26** > Flores de Mayo festival, 8:30am Mass; fellowship > RE Last Day; awarding of certificates; fellowship
- May 27** Memorial Day; Office is closed
- Jun 3** Liturgy Committee meeting, 7:00pm, Rectory Conf. Rm.

✠ OBITUARY

+FRANCISCO PASCUAL BAPTISTA, 74

Funeral Mass: June 6, 2019, 11:00am at OLM Church
 Interment: 1:00pm at Valley of the Temples Memorial Park

*"ETERNAL REST
 GRANT UNTO THE
 FAITHFUL
 DEPARTED,
 O LORD."*



HEARTFELT
 CONDOLENCES
 TO THE
 BEREAVED
 FAMILIES.

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.



MEMORIAL DAY - MAY 27, 2019

Memorial Day is an American holiday, observed on the last Monday of May, honoring the men and women who died while serving in the U.S. military. Originally known as Decoration Day, it originated in the years following the Civil War and became an official federal holiday in 1971. Many Americans observe Memorial Day by visiting cemeteries or memorials, holding family gatherings and participating in parades. Unofficially, it marks the beginning of the summer season.

☺ *L.O.L. (Laugh Out Loud)* ☺

Sign on the entrance to a restaurant:

Push. If it doesn't work,
Pull. If that doesn't work,
 we must be **CLOSED.**



OAHU COUNCIL OF FILIPINO CATHOLIC CLUBS FUNDRAISER

The Oahu Council of Filipino Catholic Clubs (OCFCC) is having their annual fundraiser. Monies raised will be used to support their scholarship drive, raise monies for the Basilica Campaign, provide financial assistance to the Carmelite nuns, and operating funds for the individual units. Below are the items available for sale.

- Marinated or non-marinated bangus (milk fish) - \$11.00
- Cinnamon or banana bread - \$7.50
- Chocolate chip or cornflake cookies - \$7.50
- Portuguese sausage - \$7.50

Members of the FCC will be selling tickets for these items beginning the weekend of June 1 after each Mass up to the weekend of Father's Day, June 16. Pick-up date is Saturday, July 20, 2019 from 9:00am – noon in the parish hall. Please consider purchasing a few items. Cash or checks are accepted. Checks should be made payable to "OCFCC."

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- * Bangus * Banana Bread *
- * Cookies * Portuguese Sausage *