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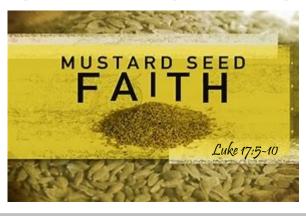
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Twenty-Seventh Sunday In Ordinary Time



Rev. Fr. Edgar B. Brillantes

Pastor





Rev. Fr. Adrian R. Gervacio

Pastor-Emeritus







HONORING THE VIRGIN MARY

We are a Marian parish at OLM. Our Church is dedicated to the Blessed Mother as her patroness. We try to live as her devoted children celebrating her major feast days and honoring her with our novenas and other devotions. On this month of October, let us show again our fervor towards Mary as we *pray daily the holy rosary*. We do this as a parish family before the start of the Holy Mass.

We are also joining the *Diocesan Rosary Congress* on <u>October 11, Friday</u>, which will start at 6:00pm with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament followed by hourly praying of the mysteries led by the various ministries and organizations and will culminate with the Benediction at 12 midnight.

A *public rosary* under the banner of "America Needs Fatima" will also be held in the Kalihi Uka School grounds on October 13 to mark the last apparition of Our Lady of Fatima to the children.

We earnestly invite you to join all or any of these events with fellow parishioners. "The family that prays together, stays together."

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TODAY IS RESPECT LIFE SUNDAY

Each October is designated as Respect Life Month by the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB). It launches a new cycle of the Respect Life Program, which is a year-round, nationwide effort to help Catholics understand, value and help cultivate respect for human life.

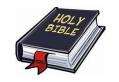


This year's theme is *Christ Our Hope: In Every Season of Life*. The attacks against human life seem to grow more numerous and callous by the day. Through our Christian hope in the Resurrection and our sacrifices on behalf of the Gospel of Life we can contribute to the redemption of this current culture of death. Our efforts on behalf of the unborn, the dying, the elderly, the imprisoned, the poor and so many others have a profound impact in building a culture of life.

It is the vocation of all, especially the laity, to go out to be as leaven in the world, a light in the darkness. May we allow Christ to renew and strengthen us that He may work through us in every moment to bring about a world in which every life is cherished.



Pastor's Corner



By Rev. Fr. Edgar B. Brillantes

Next Sunday's Reading

Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading Responsorial Psalm 2 Kings 5:14-17 Psalm: 95:1-2, 6-9

Second Reading 2 Timothy 2:8-13

Gospel Luke 17:11-19

First Reading: Habakkuk 1:2-3; 2:2-4

It takes great faith not to lose hope in God in times of deep suffering and affliction. Habakkuk, in today's First Reading, exhorts his hearers to faith and hope. We may think of the word "vision" (which occurs twice) as all God has promised, all that hope encompasses. This hope has its time - it will come to fruition. The promises will be fulfilled. We must only have faith.

Second Reading: 2 Timothy 1:6-8, 13-14

Bear your hardships, encourages Paul, fan into even stronger flames the fervor of your zeal for the Gospel. Embrace in your heart the rich deposit of faith the Church teaches.

Gospel: Luke 17:5-10

Today's Gospel consists of two rather independent sayings or teachings. The first begins with a request or prayer. "Increase our faith." Jesus' response points out the strength and power of even a little faith. The second part of the Gospel is the parable of a servant. How easy it is to think only of what we shall receive in return for whatever we do. Before the Lord, however, we are servants and whatever we do is only what we have been commanded.

STEWARDSHIP SHARING OF OUR TALENT:

Stewardship testimonials continue at all the Masses this weekend. Our guest speakers are:

6:00 pm Mass - Nickolus Peterson 6:30 am Mass - Vangie Bacani 8:30 am Mass - Nicole Peterson

Jesus calls even the busy to serve. If we think we are too busy we should ask God to help us restore balance in our lives. Maybe we are busy with work that must be done. However, maybe we are busy because of choices we have made. Stewardship calls us to start with prayer. However, prayer is not the final goal. Prayer is not the end. Our prayer must lead us to action. Prayer must eventually lead us to participation and generosity.

CLERGY AND STAFF

Pastor - Rev. Edgar B. Brillantes Pastor Emeritus - Rev. Adrian R. Gervacio Office Manager - Francisca Kovaloff Office Coordinator - Bella Miranda

Religious Education Coordinator - Lucille Mohika

Bookkeeper - Deacon Raffy Mendoza Technology Consultant - Jun Cortez

PERSONNEL

Custodian - Lolito Dullin

Music Ministry & Choir - Mary Ann Llamedo

COMMITTEE * MINISTRY * ORGANIZATION CHAIRPERSONS

Pastoral Council & Stewardship Council - Marcelino Ulep

Finance Council - Rebecca Jandoc

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 / Altar Servers / Education - Ropati Liua

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

Filipino Catholic Club - Fe Go

COMMITTEE * MINISTRY * ORGANIZATION CHAIRPERSONS, contd.

Knights of Columbus - Andresito Magbojos

Prison & Hospital Ministries - Wilfred Soong

Stewardship Counter & Receptionist - Linda Puzon

Crisis Management / 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 Education Classes: 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.

Mel I'll do it!



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.

- ❖Wiliam & Mitronia Amoroso donated \$1,000 for the Parish Repairs & Maintenance Fund. God loves a cheerful giver.
- *Kathy E Ferreira gave \$300 to OLM as her gift of love while Maria Garza donated \$200 as her birthday gift to the church. May God reward you a hundredfold.
- ***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.
- **❖SAVE THE CONVENT FUNDRAISER** Our parish is embarking on another fundraising on <u>November 16</u> which will be used for the final phase of the convent renovation that includes upgrading of the plumbing, electric power lines, rooms and cabinets. We hope to complete the entire project in time for the 150th Anniversary of OLM Parish next year 2020. We enjoin every parishioner to support the fund drive in the spirit of generous stewardship and help realize our goal and dream. You may also be the lucky winner of a huge prize for doing so.
- *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*.

Giving occasionally some bunch of flowers for the church is *Myra dela Cruz*. She has been a regular donor thru her friend and OLM parishioner *Adoracion Padilla*. Mahalo and God bless you!

- **❖GROUNDKEEPER** The grounds and backyard landscape are mowed 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 *Audrey Peralta*, *Connie de Santos* and the *Llamedo Band*.
- *SAFE ENVIRONMENT TRAINING This is a mandated compliance in the entire church of the United States for all who work, serve, minister and volunteer in the parishes. Some have fulfilled the Safe Environment enrolment by themselves but for those who have not done it, please let the Safe Environment Coordinator, *Fran Kovaloff*, know so she can set a time to assist you. This is done online with the use of a computer.
- ***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.

Stewardship News & Announcements

CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP

"As stewards, we respect, honor, and protect life in all times, places, and circumstances."

(From our 2019 Stewardship calendar by J.S. Paluch Company, Inc.)



STEWARDSHIP PRAYER

Gracious and Loving God,

We give you thanks for this time of year; a time of transformation that reveals the awe-inspiring gift of your creation.

Teach us how to be good stewards of all the gifts you have given us; and show us how we may share those gifts generously, especially with those most in need of your loving care.

Give us the strength to be good stewards of the Gospel, to love others as we love ourselves, and to follow in your Son's footsteps, until we find our way home to you.

We pray this through your Son, Jesus Christ, Who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever.

Amen.

MASS ATTENDANCE

	<u>9/28-29/19</u>	<u>9/21-22/19</u>
Saturday (6:00 pm)	58A+0C	58A+2C
Sunday (6:30 am)	83A+0C	85A+0C
Sunday (8:30 am)	110A+30C	114A+22C
llocano Mass (6:00 pm)		47A+0C
A-Adults: C-Children)		

SACRIFICIAL OFFERINGS



Saturday (6:00 pm)	\$ 632.00	\$	600.00
Sunday (6:30 am)	\$ 1,587.30	\$	732.00
Sunday (8:30 am)	\$ 809.00	\$	947.70
Repair & Maintenance	\$ 115.00	\$	130.00
Donation	\$ NA	\$	300.00
Ilocano Mass	\$ NA	\$	166.00
Baptism certificate	\$ NA	\$	10.00
Funeral	\$ NA	\$	500.00
Parking	\$ NA	\$	90.00
Sunday School Registration	\$ 000.00	\$	80.00
Candles	\$ 120.00	\$	155.00
St. Augustine Hymnal Book	\$ 60.00	\$	NA
Mission	\$ NA	\$	12.00
Total	\$ 3,323.30	\$ 3	3,722.70

"Each of you has received a gift to use to serve others."

1 Peter 4:10

OLM COMMITMENT CARD RESULTS - September 28 and 29, 2019

Mass attendance counts / # Commitment cards offered:

6:00 pm - 58A, 0C / 36 cards or 62%

6:30 am -84A, 0C / 40 cards or 48%

8:30 am - 110A, 30C / 41 cards or 37%

TOTAL: 252 parishioners; 117 cards offered or 46% PARTICIPATION



"SHARING OF OUR TIME"	6:00 PM MASS	6:30 AM MASS	8:30 AM MASS	TOTAL
1) Make time to pray daily	31	15	30	76
2) Attend weekly Mass service or Days of Obligation;				
attend Confession regularly	31	22	34	87
3) Offer to clean the Church	13	7	16	36
4) Offer to help elderly neighbors	5	11	14	30
5) Reach out to my family and neighbors in need	16	12	25	53
6) Be involved in safety & security of neighborhood	15	12	19	46
7) Join a community group	6	7	8	21
8) Volunteer at a homeless shelter	14	8	10	32
9) Volunteer in Hospital ministry	8	4	7	19
10) Volunteer in Prison ministry LIVING	2	0	2	4
11) Other:	5	0	5	10



Oct 1 > 6:30am Birthday - Fe Cabuyao Bocoboc, Philip Domenique Cabuyao, Paola Dyan Cabuyao

Oct 2 > 6:30am Healing - Fidel Flores

Oct 3 > 6:30am Healing & speedy recovery - Avelina & Michael Fralaide * RIP + Isabelo, Martina, Benjamin & Magdalena Orcino; +Roel Jandoc

Oct 4-8 > 6:30am Good health & safe driving - Purie Cortez * RIP +Cres M Paranada; +Deceased parents, siblings & relatives of Crescencia Paranada

Oct 5 > 6:00pm Good health & safe driving - Purie Cortez; Fidel Flores * Thanksgiving - Marie & Schwengler family * Wedding anniversary - Tony & Ana Rarangol (48 yrs) * RIP +Cres Paranada; +Deceased parents, siblings & relatives of Crescencia A Paranada; +Frankie Ornellas; +Roel Jandoc; +Leonora Tesoro

Oct 6 > 6:30am Birthday - Francisca Criste * Healing - Angelita Sera; Tessie Fontanilla; Caridad Dagdagan * Thanksgiving - Marie & Schwengler family * RIP + Cres Paranada; + Deceased parents, siblings & relatives of Crescencia Paranada; + Roel Jandoc

> 8:30am (Missa pro populo) - For parish & parishioners * Birthday - Thomas Mita * Thanksgiving - M/M Olivia & Thomas Mita * Healing - Avelina & Michael Fralaide; Dottie Pregil; Urbano Acosta; Alfonso & Mary Villanueva * RIP + Avelino Peneyra; + Nancy Canubida

Oct 7-8 > 6:30am RIP + Cres M Paranada; + Deceased parents, siblings & relatives of Crescencia A Paranada

Oct 11 > 6:30am Birthday - *Lorraine Freitas*



Please submit your **Mass intentions** by <u>Thursday</u> if you want them printed on time for the weekend Parish Bulletin. *Mahalo*.



REMEMBER IN PRAYER

❖Good Health / Successful Surgery: Avelina & Michael Fralaide * Purie Cortez * Fidel Flores * Dori Theodore * Timothy Barroga Jr, Timothy Barroga Sr * Kaysha Kawahele Tingcag * Bishop Larry Silva * Robin Johnson, Brian Schwengler * Yvonne Amoroso Motilla * Charlie Newman * Marie Schwengler, Petronila Jandoc, Palmas Flores, Piolani Motta * Tessie Fontanilla * Dottie Pregil * Susan Reynon * Marjorie Vannatta * Angelita Sera * Betsaida Vila * Marilou Bruno * Katrina Santos * Guy Miranda * Gwen Perry * Urbano Acosta * Steven Schwengler * Caridad Dagdagan * Michael Schwengler * Rizza Go delos Reyes * Valentina Elliazar * Timothy P Barroga Sr * Vicenta Baron * Avelina Orcino Fralaide * Manuel & Lisa Espindola * Alfonso & Mary Villanueva * John Guieb * Nellie Tomas * Simeon Facuri & Mariano Facuri * Jesse Ulep * George Calizar * Joann Gibbs * Florentino Sotto * Hazel Rodrigues * Marvin & Sally Moore * Clara Adlawan * Jeanne Oshiro * Stanley & Martha Castro

❖ Birthday: Thomas Mita * Lorraine Freitas * Francisca Criste * Gwen Zanellato * Fe Cabuyao Bocoboc, Philip Domenique Cabuyao, Paola Dyan Cabuyao * Gwen Zanellato * Ezekiel Abrigo * Michael Schwengler Sr & Jr * Leah Centino * Olivia Mita * Marlene Calventas * Fr. Adrian Gervacio * Michael Scott * Paula McHardy * Michael Ramiscal * Ernesto Ventura Jr * Luida Susa * Lolita Cadiz * Kelli Goo * Crescencia & Jenna Paranada * Fran Kovaloff

❖Wedding Anniversary: Frank & Dion Battad (50) * Tony & Ana Rarangol (48)

❖ 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 Seminarians and increase of priestly vocations in the Diocese * For a spiritually fruitful celebration of our 150th Parish Anniversary * M/M Olivia & Thomas Mita * Marie & Schwengler family * Ruby Ancheta & family

*Deceased: +Cres M Paranada * +Deceased parents, siblings & relatives of Crescencia A Paranada * +Nancy Canubida * +Roel Jandoc * +Frank Bartholomau Ornellas * +Leonora Tesoro * +Isabelo, Martina, Benjamin & Magdalena Orcino * +Helen, Rudy, Grandal, Chad Pang * +Catalino Tolentino * +Nemecia Bistayan * +Avelino Peneyra * +Vivencio Ancheta * +Priscilla Sternberg * +Ken Larsen * +Donald Gomes * +Ulpiana Sy * +Jose, Jeffrey, Rufin Goloran, Jesus Justo; +Pedro & Maxima Cacal * +Elpidio Calucag (1st Anniv) * +Angelito Maranan * +Micah Kai'Noah Diga Castro * +Manuel Castillo * Flaton Fontanilla & Jonathan Fontanilla Tanaid * +Francisco & Mary Rodrigues * +Teodoro Acosta, Gerarda, Aurelio & Felisa * +Esperanza Balmores (3rd death anniv) & Arsenio Balmores * +Pedro & Urbana Artates, Virgilio & Orlando Artates, Pio & Victoriana Bacani * +Francisco & Genara, Alfredo & Lito Cabral, Felix & Teodora Saldua, Valentin & Silveria Cabral * +Simon, Pedro, Toribio & Pacita Cenence; Nieves & Insiong Bagaoisan * +Charlie, Candido, Romana Puzon & Honorio Gamiao * +Gregory Raguindin * +Marcela Ulep * +John Cariaga * +Leonarda B Palting, Jose & Sofia Palting, Ricardo & Ana Francisca Mateo, Flor & Victoria Barruga, Anthony & Linda Gutierrez, Melecio & Eufrecina Lazaro, Teresita & Federico Mateo * +Meliton, Teofilo, Francisca, Leonardo, Jesusa, Crispin, Linda, Victorino, Quirina, Nazario, Domingo, Maura, Norma & deceased Pamaylaon family * +Caroline & Martin Rodrigues * Joseph Rodrigues * +Fermin Cruz * +Christopher Flores (10) * +Sakopo Sole * +Santiago Almazan Sr & Avelino Pescador * +Deceased loved ones of Felicidad Orsino * +Arsenio V Bornios * +Ely Purganan * +Rosalina Cristobal * +Jesus Paza * +Noela Iosefo Noga * +Alfredo Acedera * +Tomasa Luczon Ursulum * +Simon Pagdilao Cenence * +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 11:30-12:30 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

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10TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE CANONIZATION OF ST. DAMIEN DE VEUSTER

Friday, October 11, 2019 - 6:00 PM

Join Bishop Larry and the Congregation of the Sacred Hearts of Jesus and Mary at the Cathedral Basilica of Our Lady of Peace for the Mass celebrating the Tenth Anniversary of the Canonization of St. Damien de Veuster.

MEDICAL & HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS DAY

Aloha!

The Mass for Medical and Healthcare Professionals is scheduled for Friday, October 18, 2019 at 6:00 p.m. at the Co-Cathedral of St. Theresa. Bishop Larry will preside and everyone is invited to attend. Please promote this Mass in your parishes and invite all your parishioners especially those in the medical and/or healthcare field. The Philippine Medical Association of Hawaii (PMHA) Foundation is hosting a reception after the Mass. Please RSVP to pmanhing@gmail.org if you are planning to attend by October 4, 2019.



Mahalo!

Deacon Modesto Cordero, Director - Office of Worship, (808) 585-3342 office / (866) 305-5966 fax



You are invited:

STEWARDSHIP DAY: INSPIRED BY THE SPIRIT

Saturday, October 19, 2019 from 8:00 am to 12:00 pm

St. John Vianney Parish

920 Keolu Drive, Kailua, HI 96734

Inspirational Speakers. Sharing Ideas. Spirit-Driven Stewardship. Mass at

8am, program and workshops to follow. Free. Bring a friend! We hope you can make it.

Aloha, Roman Catholic Church of Hawaii, Windward Vicariate Stewardship

ABOUT THIS EVENT

*What you will learn?

Learn what it takes to start a stewardship effort at your parish. Understand how to use different communication platforms like your website and social media to tell your parish stewardship story. Apply techniques that will keep your parish community engaged long after you start.

*Why you want to learn it?

Stewardship is a way of life. Healthy parishes are those who meet the needs of their community with resources to provide for those needs. Be ready to create new initiatives, sustain services and ministries, and find leaders to fulfill the missions.

*How it will help you?

Feel confident with the ideas and inspiration from other successful stewardship parishes here in Hawaii. When you are ready to act, you will know who to call and where to go for resources to support you in your effort.

*Who should come?

Anyone who wants to become a steward of the gospel and live a life inspired by Christ.

APPRECIATION FOR CLERGY

The Serra Club of Honolulu headed by Jack Kampfer is hosting an Appreciation Dinner for the Clergy and Religious at the Halekoa Hotel on October 10.

The Serra Club of Honolulu was founded in 1970 as part of the worldwide Serra International organization of Catholic men and women dedicated to promoting vocations to the priesthood, diaconate and vowed religious life. They also spearheaded the observance of *Priesthood Sunday*.



SPECIAL EVENT NOTICES



Save Our Convent Fundraiser

Thank you for your continued efforts in making this Save Our Convent Raffle a success! Starting next week we will be accepting your payment drop offs at the Parish Office during normal office hours. Please submit your payments (cash & checks) with the purchased ticket stubs.

Official Rules

Three cash prizes totaling \$8,00.00 will be awarded: Grand Prize \$5,000.00, 2nd Prize \$2,000.00 and 3rd Prize \$1,000.00. Cost per ticket is \$5.00. No purchase is necessary to participate. See below for additional information. Two FREE bonus tickets will be given for a purchase of 20 tickets (\$100.00) purchased in sequential order. The same name must appear on all tickets, including the bonus tickets. Participant must be at least 18 years of age. Tickets may be obtained from any parish minister or organization leader or at announced ground sales from September 1 to November 10, 2019. Cash prize winners will be awarded on Saturday November 16, 2019. Festivities will begin at 10:30 a.m. with entertainment followed by food and non-alcoholic drinks. Winning tickets will be pulled at 12:30 p.m. Winners need not be present to win.

No purchase is necessary to participate. A FREE ticket may be obtained at the OLM Parish Office from 9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. on regular business days. The office is closed on weekends and holidays. Dates to obtain a FREE ticket will be from September 3 to November 8, 2019. Only one FREE ticket will be issued per individual during the distribution period. Participant must be at least 18 years of age. To obtain a FREE ticket you must present a valid, unexpired photo ID. You will be asked to provide a contact number. A FREE ticket cannot be picked up on another person's behalf. Cash Winners need not be present and will be responsible for any applicable taxes.

STEWARDSHIP OBSERVANCES IN OCTOBER



October 7 – Month of the Holy Rosary is dedicated to one of the best known of all Catholic devotions. Catholics are encouraged to pray the rosary. It is a form of contemplative prayer which brings down God's blessings on the faithful. It is a biblically inspired prayer which is centered on meditation of the salvific mysteries of Christ in union with Mary, who was so closely associated with her Son in his redeeming activity.

October 6 – Respect Life Sunday kicks off a month-long celebration of human life by our family of faith in the United States. Respect Life Month proclaims the immeasurable value of every person from conception to natural death. The United States Conference of Catholic Bishops assists parishes, schools and other Catholic ministries with helpful resources. The theme is "Christ Our Hope: In Every Season of Life" and highlights the call to build a culture of life as missionary disciples.

October 16 – World Food Day reminds us that in a world of plenty, millions go to bed hungry each night. This day seeks to increase awareness, understanding and informed year-round action to alleviate hunger. To find out more, consult Catholic Relief Services (www.crs.org), the official overseas arm of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, and contribute to a food pantry near you.

October 20 – World Mission Sunday, organized by the Propagation of the Faith, is a day set aside for Catholics worldwide to recommit to the Church's missionary activity through prayer and giving. As described by Saint John Paul II, it is "an important day in the life of the Church because it teaches how to give: as an offering made to God, in the Eucharistic celebration, for all the missions of the world."

*(Lifted from ICSC e-Bulletin)

Parish Calendar, News & Announcements

FEAST DAYS

Oct 7 Memorial of Our Lady of the Rosary

 $\begin{tabular}{ll} \textbf{Oct 9} & \textbf{Sts. Denis, bishop and companions, martyrs and St. John } \\ \end{tabular}$

Leonardi, priest

Oct 11 St. John XXIII, pope

Oct 12 Blessed Virgin Mary

ACTIVITIES

Oct 7 Liturgy Committee Meeting, 7:00pm, Rectory Conf. Room

Oct 9 Stewardship Committee Mtg, 6:00pm Rect. Conf. Room

Oct 7-11 Fall School Break - No Public School

Oct 7-13 Diocesan Rosary Congress relay

Oct 11 OLM 6-hour Eucharistic Exposition & Adoration and hourly recitation of the Holy Rosary, 6:00pm to 12:00mn

6:00 pm - Pastoral Council / Stewardship Committee

7:00 pm - Eucharistic Ministers / Lectors

8:00 pm - Ilocano Choir

9:00 pm - Knights of Columbus

10:00 pm - Filipino Catholic Club

11:00 pm - open / not yet assigned

Oct 13 > Filipino Catholic Club meeting, after the 8:30am Mass, Hall

> Public recitation of the rosary, Kalihi-Uka Park, 11:00am. If it rains, meet in front of OLM Church

THANKSGIVING FOR ANSWERED PRAYERS

Our heartfelt gratitude and sincerest thank you to Fr. Edgar, Fr. Adrian, Sr. Clem, and OLM family for all the prayers said for Marie Schwengler. After four months, Marie is home and continuing to recover and getting stronger. God bless you all.

The Schwengler Family, especially Marie, pictured at the right.

NOVENA TO PERPETUAL HELP



The novena prayers to Our Mother of Perpetual Help is held every <u>Thursday at 7:00pm</u> 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.

⊕ BAPTISMS

>October 20, 2019 / Sunday *Child: MIKELLE DIGA CASTRO

Parents: Michael Castro & Divine Defiesta Godparent: Ariel Domenic Dalit Diga

*Child: KADE NABUA VIBA\$

Parents: Reymar D Vibas & Marie Cris B Nabua Godparents: Alrando Fortuna & Romina Nabua

"WELCOME TO THE CHILDREN AND CONGRATULA-TIONS TO THE PARENTS AND GODPARENTS."

Saint Augustine Hymnal

NEW HYMNAL BOOKS

The new "Saint Augustine Hymnal" books have arrived. We will be using them beginning the First Sunday of Advent, <u>December 1, 2019</u>. The books are good for ten years and contain all 3 liturgical cycles, Years A, B, and C. The cost for two-hundred forty hymnals and accompanying music books is \$5,000+,

including shipping.

* You are invited to make a donation of any amount to defray this expense. You will be acknowledged with placement of your name on the inside cover of a book. Or, you may dedicate the book to a family member or members, living or dead. The same was done with the red hymnal books we used before. You may remember them. A couple of those old books are on the table at the front of the Church for your reference.

* To participate, on a designated envelope, found in a receptacle at the entrance of the Church, write the donor's name and/or the name(s) to whom you want the book to be dedicated and place your donation in it. You may put the completed envelope in the donation basket or take it to the parish office.

Thank you for your participation and generosity. Please contact *Fran Kovaloff* if you have any questions at 228-2909 or olm@rrchawaii.org.



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L.O.L. (Laugh Out Loud)