



OUR LADY OF THE MOUNT CHURCH



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Rev. Fr. Edgar B. Brillantes
Pastor



THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD



Rev. Fr. Adrian R. Gervacio
Pastor-Emeritus

150th Parish Anniversary

(1870-2020)

FAMILY DAY

HOLY MASS & RENEWAL OF MARRIAGE VOWS

Christian marriage, as a vocation, is a lifetime covenant between husband and wife, to love one another with selfless charity, enduring patience, and whole-hearted generosity.

A happy marriage can have a deep impact on the stability of society, and that the world is better for having the witness of a marriage lived well.

In conjunction with our **150th Parish Anniversary**, a solemn Mass will be celebrated in honor of the married couples in line with the Diocesan pastoral thrust of promoting the sanctification and joys of married and family life. Within the Mass, the couples will renew their marriage vows as we all ask the Lord's choicest blessings upon them.

We enjoin all married couples in our parish to join this solemn occasion on **February 16, Sunday at 4:00 PM**. To prepare well for the occasion, the couple **Deacon Rafael & Pinky Mendoza** will lead the participating couples in reflecting on "**Renewing the Beauty of One's Marriage**" on **February 8, Saturday, at 2:30pm-4:00pm**. The presentation is designed to deepen and enrich the relationship a couple shares together, whether they have been married a short time only or many years already. Attendance on this presentation on **February 8** is required for participation in the Mass & Renewal of Marriage Vows on **February 16**. A reception with entertainment numbers and some dancing will follow at the parish hall. A wedding cake and champagne toast will be provided for the couples while door prizes and surprise gifts will be given away to any lucky attendee. The sponsoring groups of the event are the officers and members of the *Pastoral Council, Knights of Columbus, Filipino Catholic Club* and *Ilocano Ministry*.

PROGRAMME

February 8, Saturday, at 2:30pm-4:00pm

*Required Preparatory Conference for Couples: "**Renewing the Beauty of One's Marriage**" by **Deacon Rafael & Pinky Mendoza**. This will serve as the final registration of couples (Official list) who can join the February 16 Mass & Renewal of Marriage Vows.

February 16, Sunday, at 4:00pm

*FAMILY DAY: MASS with RENEWAL OF MARRIAGE VOWS

*Celebrated in connection with the promotion of the pastoral program on Marriage & Family Life

*Renewal of Marriage vows is for couples, young or old, who are married in the Catholic rite.

*Mass is followed by Reception for the couples with cutting of cake and champagne toast, entertainment numbers, door prizes and some dancing for all.

*Lead groups - *Pastoral Council * Knights of Columbus * Filipino Catholic Club * Ilocano Ministry*



"Who is this king of glory? It is the Lord!" Psalm 24:18

	<h1 style="text-align: center;">Pastor's Corner</h1> <p style="text-align: center;">By Rev. Fr. Edgar B. Brillantes</p> 	<p style="text-align: center;">Next Sunday's Reading <i>Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i></p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td data-bbox="909 220 1185 294"> <p>First Reading <i>Isaiah 58:7-10</i></p> </td> <td data-bbox="1185 220 1528 294"> <p>Responsorial Psalm <i>Psalm 112:5-9</i></p> </td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="909 304 1185 378"> <p>Second Reading <i>1 Corinthians 2:1-5</i></p> </td> <td data-bbox="1185 304 1528 378"> <p>Gospel <i>Matthew 5:13-16</i></p> </td> </tr> </table>	<p>First Reading <i>Isaiah 58:7-10</i></p>	<p>Responsorial Psalm <i>Psalm 112:5-9</i></p>	<p>Second Reading <i>1 Corinthians 2:1-5</i></p>	<p>Gospel <i>Matthew 5:13-16</i></p>
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First Reading: *Malachi 3:1-4*

Who can endure the day of God's coming? Who wishes to face the refiner's fire? How do you prepare yourself to meet him? The Lord is coming, we learn, but before we meet him, he will burn away everything in our lives that would keep us from experiencing him fully.

Second Reading: *Hebrews 2:14-18*

This Reading shows that we do not have to face the Lord of Hosts alone. Jesus has become one of us in every way but sin. He has taken upon himself our sinful nature and through his death on the Cross has made amends for the sins of all. As we prepare to meet our Lord, Jesus is at our side.

Gospel: *Luke 2:22-40*

The Gospel tells us how Jesus first comes to his people in the Temple which can be a bit of a shock. In contrast to the "refiner's fire" the Lord of Hosts, and the one who takes our sins upon himself through the Cross, now we see Jesus entering the Temple as a helpless infant in Mary's arms, protected by Joseph. The Son of God approaches his people in the most vulnerable way. Those in the Temple see a poor couple carrying two turtledoves, obviously people of little or no importance. But Simeon and Anna, inspired by the Holy Spirit, see more. In the infant, they see the salvation of the nations. Likewise, we are called to welcome Jesus in those who are most vulnerable in our society.

FEAST OF PRESENTATION OF THE LORD – February 2, 2020



This feast is a commemoration of the presentation of Jesus, as a baby, to God in the Temple in Jerusalem. The feast is a combination of the Jewish practice of the purification of the mother after childbirth and the presentation of the child to God in the Temple. It is also known as the *Feast of the Purification of Mary*, and the *Feast of Candlemas*.

The Order of the Mass on this day includes the *Blessing of Candles* and procession. The blessing is done at the beginning of the Mass. People may bring their own candles to be blessed for personal and family use.



BLESSING OF THROATS

In memory of *Saint Blaise*, whose Memorial is on Monday, February 3, the *Blessing of Throats* may be administered in all the Masses this weekend by the priests. They will use the candles blessed at the Feast of the Lord's Presentation. The people will come in line to the front as in Holy Communion to receive the blessing from the priests during the Recessional Hymn.

Saint Blaise was Bishop of Sebaste in Armenia and was martyred in the persecution of Licinius in the 4th century. He is associated with the healing of throats.

The blessing formula is: **Through the intercession of Saint Blaise, bishop and martyr, may God deliver you from every disease of the throat and from every other illness: in the name of the Father, and of the Son, + and of the Holy Spirit.**



**SECOND COLLECTION - February 8-9**

A second collection will be made for Augustine Educational Foundation on February 7-8, 2020.

The Augustine Educational Foundation is a non-profit organization whose purpose is to provide scholarships to economically disadvantaged students at private and parochial schools operated under the auspices of the Roman Catholic Church in Hawaii without discrimination on the basis of race, ethnic origin or religion.

GIVE THE GIFT OF EDUCATION – MAKE A STUDENT SMILE.

Your gift enables Catholic education to be affordable for families in Hawaii. Every dollar raised in *Our Lady of the Mount Church* will go to the families within our parish and vicariate community. A priority is given to those with the highest level of need.

Make your gift thru *Text to Give* program. Simply text AEF Oahu to 77977, follow the registration instructions and you will be able to make your gift by credit card on your phone.

You may also make a gift on-line by visiting www.augustinefoundation.org. Thank you for your continued support!

**MAHALO FOR SECOND COLLECTIONS: January 25-26**

THANK YOU for your generous support to last weekend's combined second collection for the **Black and Indian Mission** and for the **Church in Latin America**. Our parish sent the amount of \$577.12 for the Black and Indian Mission and the Church in Latin America received the amount of \$532.00.

These collections help build the Church in African American, Native American and Alaska Native communities as well as the mission churches in Latin America. They will be used to fund Catholic schools, parish religion education programs and diocesan ministries. Your generosity will help spread the Good News of God's love for all.

**POLICE REPORT**

On 4 different occasions some unidentified person/s has/have been maliciously scattering trash (torn and shredded magazines, phone directory, etc.) on the Nih Street side of the Church. The first time was on Friday, January 24. The second on Saturday, January 25. The third on Monday, January 27. The fourth on January 28. And again on Saturday, February 1. This photo was taken on Saturday, Jan. 25. More photos are on file.

On January 25, the police was called and a report filed by *Doi Segundo*:

- > **Classification - Misc. Pub.**
- > **Report number - 20-036565**
- > **Date initiated - 1-28-20**
- > **Initial Officer - J. Lopes, assigned to Kalihi Police Station**

Officer Lopes told Doi that since there was no property damage, he could not do a follow up, but it was good that a report was filed, should it escalate in the future.

We are sharing this concern to you, dear parishioners, because we know you care for your Church and you don't want this to happen. By being aware of this you may help prevent it to happen again. Your comments and recommendations are welcomed so we can take care of this issue immediately before it escalates and becomes more damaging.

Our Pastor and staff started looking for security cameras to be installed on strategic spots within our property. Best Buy has a 3-wireless-camera-system on sale for \$200. It has sensor system that can be viewed on an Android or I-phone thru wi-fi system. We inquired also from the Diocese about best practices regarding this matter.

**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 Rafael 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*
 Liturgy Committee, Respect Life & Safe Environment Ministry - *Francisca Kovaloff*
 Altar & Decorations Ministry - *Roselani Ramones*
 Eucharistic Ministry - *Cleo Bala-Casino*
 Hospitality Committee - *Mark Correia*
 Lector Ministry & Receptionist - *Gloria Rodrigues*
 Outreach Coordinator & Family Fun Night - *Tom DeCorte*
 Kokua & Food Pantry Ministry - *Becky DeCorte*
 Parish Planning and Building Committee - *Joyce Oliveira*
 RCIA - *Dorothy Pregil / Francisca Kovaloff*
 Youth Ministry / Altar Servers / Education - *Ropati Liua*
 Website & *myParish App* Administrator - *Tita Calizar*

COMMITTEE * MINISTRY * ORGANIZATION CHAIRPERSONS (contd.)

Filipino Catholic Club - *Fe Go*
 Ilocano Ministry & Choir - *Silverio Palting*
 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. 8:00-10:30am.
 Ilocano Choir: Thu. 7:30pm (Ilocano Mass - every third Sunday at 6:00pm)
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 / RCIA 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 w/the mortuary.

Stewardship News & Announcements

CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP

"From the outset, love refuses every impulse to close in on itself; it is open to a fruitfulness that draws it beyond itself."

*Vocation: Family, Witness and Mission Calendar, February 2020, J.S. Paluch Company, Inc.



STEWARDSHIP PRAYER

*Lord, You alone are the source of every good gift,
of the vast array of our universe,
and the mystery of each human life.
We praise You and we thank You
for Your great power and your tender, Faithful LOVE.
Everything we are and everything we have is your gift,
and after having created us,
You have given us into the keeping of Your Son,
JESUS CHRIST.
Fill our minds with His truth and our hearts with His love,
that in His Spirit
we may be bonded together
into a community
of faithful, caring people.
In the Name and Spirit of Jesus,
we commit ourselves to be good stewards
of the gifts entrusted to us,
to share our time, our talent and our material gifts
as an outward sign of the treasure we hold in Jesus.
Amen.*

*(Msgr. Thomas McGready)

MASS ATTENDANCE

	<u>1/18-19/20</u>	<u>1/25-26/20</u>
Saturday (6:00 pm)	74A+10C	69A+1C
Sunday (6:30 am)	60A+1C	62A+1C
Sunday (8:30 am)	130A+37C	125A+25C
(6:00 pm Ilocano Mass)	41A+2C	

(A=Adults; C=Children)

SACRIFICIAL OFFERINGS

	1/18-19/20	1/25-26/20
Saturday (6:00 pm)	\$ 765.00	\$ 900.00
Sunday (6:30 am)	\$ 479.00	\$ 628.40
Sunday (8:30 am)	\$ 856.00	\$ 1,262.00
Initial Offering	\$ 18.00	\$ 21.00
Repair & Maintenance	\$ 1,150.00	\$ 73.00
Ilocano Mass	\$ 166.00	\$ 152.00
Donation - Save Our Convent	\$ 347.00	\$ NA
Santo Nino	\$ 895.00	\$ NA
Black & Indian Mission	\$ NA	\$ 577.12
Church in Latin America	\$ NA	\$ 532.00
Funeral	\$ 500.00	\$ NA
Mass Intentions	\$ 295.00	\$ 90.00
Use of Hall	\$ 300.00	\$ NA
Candles	\$ 401.38	\$ 210.00
Hymnal Project	\$ 00.00	\$ 20.00
Religious Article	\$ 1.25	\$ 0.00
Total	\$6,007.66	\$ 4,465.52



*"It is more blessed to give than to receive."
Acts 20:35*

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Stewarding the Church's Educational Mission

"Celebrate Catholic Schools Week" in the U.S. begins this year on Sunday, January 26, and ends February 1, 2020. The theme of this week of celebration and reflection is "Catholic Schools: Learn. Serve. Lead. Succeed." It would be impossible to overestimate the influence that Catholic schools have had on the Catholic faith, and indeed on all of civic society, in the U.S. Catholic schools have produced generations of leaders and nurtured the faith in ways incalculable.

When and where was the first U.S. Catholic school established? According to the National Catholic Education Association's Web site, it's hard to pinpoint, but clear that U.S. Catholic education has deep roots. The Franciscans opened a school in what is now St. Augustine, Florida, in 1606. Not too much later, and farther north, Jesuits were educating Indian children, including our new American saint, Kateri Tekakwitha. Women like Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton, who helped to found the Catholic school system in America, and Saint Katherine Drexel, who labored for the education of Black Americans, were among the thousands of religious women who gave their lives to "raise the standard" in Catholic education. The influx of immigrants in the late 19th and early 20th centuries, coupled with a decidedly anti-Catholic bias present in some public schools of the time, propelled the enormous growth of Catholic schools in America's great cities and small towns. Entire generations of U.S. Catholics are graduates of the Church's school system. Times have changed. Many dioceses face consolidations and closures of schools; public schools have become inclusive, and the network of religious women who made Catholic schools so affordable has been largely replaced by a dedicated pool of lay men and women. Yet, Catholic education continues to flourish and continually seeks new ways to enhance our Catholic faith through education. Today, 7,000 Catholic schools continue to serve the Church and nation, and produce America's leaders and faithful Catholics. As Catholic stewards, we are grateful for the gift to our Church and nation of Catholic schools, and we pledge our continued support and prayer.





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.

❖ On the *Feast of Santo Nino Mass* last January 12, the *Santo Nino de Cebu of Honolulu* raised \$895.03 from the regular collection and made a special collection for the "Save Our Convent" Fund in the amount of \$347.00. *Mahalo nui loa!*

❖ We thank *Rey & Minda Teocson* for their Christmas gift of \$1000.00 for Church Maintenance.

❖ *William & Mitronia Amoroso* donated \$1,000 for the *Parish Repairs & Maintenance Fund*. God loves a cheerful giver.

*****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.

❖REPAIR & MAINTENANCE

****RENOVATION OF THE CONVENT** – The *Facilities & Maintenance Committee* headed by *Joyce Oliveira* met with some building contractors to continue and complete the renovation of the old convent. Specifically, the areas that are being considered are the plumbing, rewiring, carpentry and repainting. The proceeds of the last fundraising in November which garnered \$40,000 more or less will be used, although not yet sufficient, for the remaining project.

****REPAINTING THE CLASSROOM DOORS** – *Roger Isidro*, member of the Parish Facilities & Maintenance Committee, put on new look with fresh paints the outside doors of the classrooms and chapel by the parish hall. Another member, *Rudy Fiesta*, donated the cans of paints.

❖**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 some pink anthuriums and other flowers for the church is *Evan Morita Florist Grand* thru her friend and OLM parishioner *Adoracion Padilla*. Also making an offering for altar flowers is *Gilda Miyashiro*. 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. The garden by the Church *makai* are taken care of by *Jun & Nida Flores* and *Eddie & Cita Lucero*.

❖**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*.

**The *Ilocano Choir* is being accompanied by *Mila Llantero* (piano), *Ping Lopez* (guitar) and *Bredy Dumot* (guitar).

❖**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.



TO ALL THE GOOD STEWARDS, OUR SINCERE THANK YOU

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



MASS INTENTIONS

Jan 26 > 8:30am Thanksgiving - *Jose Cadiz & family* * RIP +*Loreto, Abner, Francisco & Domingito Duma*; +*Gerarda, Felisa, Aurelio & Teodoro Acosta*; +*Pedro Pamaylaon, Apolonia, Abnomian, Herbei, Antonio & deceased relatives of Celerina Pamaylaon*

Jan 27-31 > 6:30am RIP +*Purie Cortez*

Jan 27-Feb 4 > 6:30am Healing - *Luida Susa*

Jan 29 > 6:30am Birthday - *Jesus Eusebio Balmores & Armand Balmores* * Safe travel - *Rachel, Jay Caren & family* * RIP +*Gaspar & Matilde Rebutan*

Jan 29-Feb 6 > 6:30am RIP +*Todd Canon*

Jan 30 > 6:30am Thanksgiving - *Francisca Erorita*; *M/M Rolito Fortez & family* * Safety & success of *kids, grandkids and son-in-law* * RIP +*Venancio Domingcil Jr*; +*Deceased relatives of Francisca Erorita*

Jan 31 > 6:30am Healing - *Caridad Dagdagan* * Safe trip - *Andrea Baptista* * RIP +*Richard Peralta*

Feb 1 > 6:00pm Birthday - *Reynaldo Balmores & Ashley B Arndtson* * Healing - *Luida Susa*; *William & Perline Cabasag Jr*; *Myrna* * RIP +*Margaret Mary Horner*; +*Purie Cortez*; +*Todd Canon*

Feb 2 > 6:30am Healing - *Luida Susa*; *Perla Alonzo*; *Gwen Perry*; *Tessie Fontanilla*; *Caridad Dagdagan* * Thanksgiving - *Lydia Cacpal*; *Sr. Clemence Mira (60th Anniv of Religious Profession)* * RIP +*Dominador Cacpal Sr*; +*Purie Cortez*; +*Todd Canon*

> 8:30am (*Missa pro populo*) - For parish & parishioners * Health - *Ping Lopez*; *Daniel Kang*; *Avelina & Michael Fralaide*; *Alfonso & Mary Villanueva* * Special intention for RCIA candidate - *Daniel Kang* * RIP +*Simon, Pedro, Pacita & Toribio Cenence*; +*Loreta Pascual*; +*Fr Amador Foz*

Feb 3 > 6:30am Birthday - *Mark Schwengler*

Feb 3-4 > 6:30am Healing - *Luida Susa*

Feb 3-6 > 6:30am RIP +*Todd Canon*

Feb 4 > 6:30am Birthday - *Andrea Baptista*; * RIP +*Richard "Sonny" Peralta*; +*Elizabeth Ragaza*

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.**

Reminder: The offering per one Mass intention starts at \$10. **Mahalo.**



REMEMBER IN PRAYER

❖ **Good Health / Successful Surgery:** *Luida Susa* * *Amelia Pascual* * *Myrna* * *William Jr & Perline Cabasag* * *Ria Zapanta Ortiz* * *Bruce Anguay* * *Daniel Kang* * *Agapito "Ping" Lopez* * *Perla Alonzo* * *Gertrude "Piolani" Motta* * *Gwen Perry* * *Timothy Barroga Sr* * *Avelina Orcino Fralaide & Michael O Fralaide* * *Charlie Newman* * *Marie Schwengler* * *Dottie Pregil* * *Tessie Fontanilla* * *Petronila Jandoc* * *Susan Reynon* * *Betsaida Vila* * *Marilou Bruno* * *Katrina Santos* * *Guy Miranda* * *Steven Schwengler* * *Caridad Dagdagan* * *Michael Schwengler* * *Valentina Elliazar* * *Vicenta Baron* * *Alfonso & Mary Villanueva* * *John Guieb* * *Nellie Tomas* * *Jesse Ulep* * *George Calizar* * *Joann Gibbs* * *Florentino Sotto* * *Hazel Rodrigues* * *Marvin & Sally Moore* * *Clara Adlawan* * *Jeanne Oshiro* * *Stanley & Martha Castro*

❖ **Birthday:** *Mark Schwengler* * *Reynaldo Balmores & Ashley B Arndtson* * *Jesus Eusebio Balmores & Armand Balmores* * *Connie de Santos* * *Doren Gruenhagen* * *Anjelica Schwengler* * *Eliseo Aguada* * *Herminia Ferrer* * *Erlinda Ceria Rosario*

da Ceria Rosario

❖ **Wedding Anniversary:** *Jose & Julie Manuel* * *M/M Primicias Agustin (40)* * *M/M Fred Castro (21)* * *Adriano & Norma Daligcon (42)* * *Eliseo & Andrea Aguada*

❖ **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 meaningful and spiritually fruitful celebration of our 150th Parish Anniversary * For RCIA candidate *Daniel Kang* * Thanksgiving by *Sr. Clemence* on 60th Anniversary of Religious Profession * *M/M Rolito Fortez & family*; *Jose Cadiz & family*; *Francisca Erorita*; *Adriano & Norma Daligcon*; *Vicente & Luz Velasco & family*; *Rosita Dolormente, Lito & Ivy Ellazar & family*; *Noemi Joseph & Mila Llantero*; *Silverio & Marivic Palting*; *Bacani family*; *Sr. Clemence Mira, SPC (60th Anniversary of Religious Profession)*

❖ **Safe trip:** *Andrea Baptista* * *Rachel, Jay, Caren & family* * *Fr. Adrian Gervacio* * *Maria Luisa Montaus* * *Elmer & Judy de Castro*

❖ **Deceased:** +*Todd Canon* * +*Fr. Amador Foz* * +*Richard "Sonny" Peralta* * +*Elizabeth Ragaza* * +*Margaret Mary Horner* * +*Addie Freitas* * +*Fr Lawrence Mampaey* * +*Purie Cortez* * +*Gerarda, Felisa, Aurelio & Teodoro Acosta* * +*Cecilia Gamboa* * +*Manuel & Marina Evangelista* * *Jerome Corpuz* * +*Claudia Tabios & Victorio Macatumbas* * +*Deceased relatives of Francisca Erorita* * +*Manuel P Mejia* * +*Ely Purganan* * +*Rosario Purganan* * *Loreta Pascual* * +*Simon, Pedro, Pacita & Toribio Cenence* * +*Simeon Alonzo, Rustico Rivera, Marcelina Rivera, Venancio Bulosan* * +*Pedro Baclagan* * +*Florentina Dumot* * +*Betty Santiago* * +*Augusto & Dorothy Morales* * +*Pedro, Urbana & Virgilio Artates*; *Ronald Palce*; *Pio & Victoriana Bacani* * +*Harry Hansell, Mike & Audrey Mananquil, Sr. Joanne Connally, SHF* * +*Manuel & Cecilia Medeiros* * +*Arsenio Balmores; Esperanza, Paula & Maria Balmores; Jose Calpito & Erick Manguchei; Leopoldo & Florian Balmores* * +*Pedro Pamaylaon, Apolonia, Abnomian, Herbei, Antonio, Francisca, Meliton, Teofilo, Margarita, Potenciano, Norma, Maria, Linda, Jesusa* * +*Rolando de Leon* * +*Maria Arcel Bersamin; Ricardo & Eduardo Ferrer* * +*Venancio Domingcil, Jr* * +*Harry Iwao Miyashiro* * +*Mildred Pascua, Edward Chu, Alice Chu* * +*Caroline & Martin Rodrigues* * +*Leonora Bautista, Victorio & Edison Bautista* * +*Ricardo & Ana Francisca Mateo & Deceased relatives of Silver & Marivic Palting* * +*Edgar Aurelio* * +*Oriol, Dolores, Amante, Larry, Jerry Aurelio; Bert Aguinaldo & Casimiro Susa* * +*Carlos Pasion* * +*Paulino Corpuz* * +*Francisco & Mary Rodrigues* * +*Marlene Facuri, Leonora Tesoro* * *Felix Edmalin* * +*Chandler Tyrell-Esdicul* * +*Marcelino Esdicul Sr* * +*Margaret Kang* * +*Marjorie Vannatta* * +*Clara Martinez* * +*Jaime Saldua Uganiza* * +*Cres Paranada* * +*Fermin Cruz* * +*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*

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*February 8, 2020 * Saturday > 8:00 AM-12:00 PM

Venue: Resurrection of the Lord Church
94-1260 Lumikula St, Waipahu (Waipio)

SPEAKERS:

Dr. JoAnn Paradise > Child and Family Stewardship

Fr. William Kunisch > 90-Day Tithing Challenge

Rita DeKlyen > Celebrating Parish Success

Keola Kalani > Youth and Young Adults

BONUS WORKSHOP: "Proven Resources for the Stewardship of Time, Talent and Treasure" by Rita DeKlyen, OSV from 12:20 - 1:00 PM. Lunch included with registration.

REGISTRATION IS FREE. Simply email *Mark Clark* at mclark@rcchawaii.org or call 808-203-6723. Include name(s), parish, phone # -- and **YES** if attending Bonus Workshop.

Event includes Mass, continental breakfast, workshops and networking.

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Parish Calendar, News & Announcements

FEAST DAY

- Feb 1** Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary
- Feb 3** >St. Blaise, bishop and martyr
>St. Ansgar, bishop
- Feb 5** St. Agatha, virgin and martyr
- Feb 6** St. Miki and Companions, martyrs
- Feb 8** >St. Jerome Emiliani
>St. Josephine Bakhita, virgin
>Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary
>International Day of Prayer and Awareness against Human Trafficking

ACTIVITIES

- Feb 1 & 2** Blessing of candles and throats at all the Masses
- Feb 2** *World Day for Consecrated Life
*Superbowl Sunday
- Feb 7** First Friday, Holy Hour & Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament; after the 6:30am Mass
- Feb 8** *Stewardship Day, Resurrection of the Lord Church, 8:00am to 12:00noon
**“Renewing the Beauty of One’s Marriage: Love Never Fails”*, 2:30pm-4:00pm
- Feb 16** Family Day: 4:00pm Mass with Renewal of Marriage Vows; Fellowship to follow.
- Feb 17** President’s Day; holiday; office is closed
- Feb 26** LENT BEGINS - Ash Wednesday; Mass: 6:30am and 6:00pm
- Feb 28** Stations of the Cross (Fridays in Lent), 6:00pm

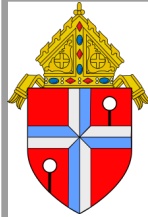
✝ OBITUARY

+PURIE AMIGABLE CORTEZ, 91

Funeral Mass: February 17, 2020, 11:00am at OLM Church
Interment: February 17, 2020, 1:00pm at Valley of the Temples Memorial Park



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



MEMO FROM THE DIOCESE: ON THE COLD AND FLU SEASON AND CORONAVIRUS OUTBREAK

*During the cold and flu season and the unraveling seriousness of the Coronavirus outbreak all parishioners are reminded to use common sense in the reception of Holy Communion from the chalice. If you are feeling ill or think you may have been exposed to a virus, you should refrain from partaking of the Blood of Christ from the communal chalice. In the same way, you should refrain from offering your hand to others at the sign of peace. A smile and a heartfelt "Peace be with you" should suffice. Likewise, if you are not comfortable sharing the sign of peace or receiving Holy Communion from the communal chalice for fear of infection, you should feel no pressure to do so. All of us must be aware of such sensitive matters in the familial life of the Christian community and we should expect that some will refrain from the sign of peace and the communal chalice out of care for our well-being and not out of unkindness or a lack of piety. It is important to remind the faithful that the obligation to attend Sunday Mass does not apply to those who are ill, especially those who suffer from a contagious disease. It is a sign of consideration for themselves and others that those with flu-like symptoms remain at home.

Ministers also become ill; therefore, to avoid celebrating Mass when ill, priests should consider alternatives that may be available to them in such circumstances. A short list of priests who could be called in case of need should be prepared at all parishes.

We pray for the health and recovery of all who are ill and could not be with us today.

Within the parishes, we must also use common sense and maintain good habits: ❖Check and fill hand-soap dispensers in all of the restrooms of the church. You might also place a large dispenser of hand sanitizer in your church vestibule. ❖Maintain clean, fresh holy water and holy water fonts and/or empty the holy water containers at the church door. ❖Sanitize with disinfectant wipes places and things in the church that are touched frequently.

We will reevaluate this position as more information becomes available. However, pastoral discretion and care should be practiced as necessary. Please feel free to contact me at the Office of Worship, (808) 585-3342 or email at mcordero@rcchawaii.org should you have any questions.

Deacon Modesto R. Cordero

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✝ RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults)

Catechumen: **DANIEL KANG**

*The RCIA is for anyone interested to know more about the Catholic faith and after proper instruction and preparation may receive the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Holy Eucharist simultaneously on Easter Vigil.

Facilitator: *Dottie Pregil/Fran Kovaloff*



“Wireless communication is nothing new, I’ve been praying for 75 years.”

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