

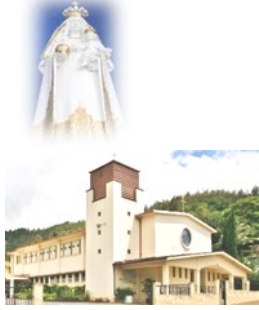
# OUR LADY OF THE MOUNT CHURCH

## DIOCESE OF HONOLULU

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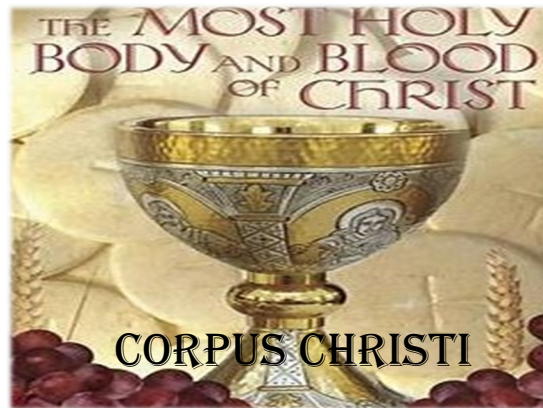
◆ JUBILEE YEAR 2020-2021 ◆

◆ CELEBRATING AND RENEWING OUR FAITH IN GRATEFUL STEWARDSHIP ◆

Let's celebrate with joy and gratitude the Jubilee Year of OLM's 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Foundation from August 16, 2020 to August 15, 2021.



Rev. Fr. Edgar B. Brillantes  
Pastor



Rev. Fr. Adrian R. Gervacio  
Pastor Emeritus

◆ HAVE A BLESSED CORPUS CHRISTI SUNDAY! ◆

*We Celebrate As The Body Of Christ*

WE REMEMBER \* WE CELEBRATE \* WE BELIEVE

On the weekend of June 5 and 6, Catholics in the United States celebrate the *Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ*. We used to call it the *Feast of Corpus Christi* ("Body of Christ"), a feast that celebrates Jesus' gift of himself in the Eucharist. The feast originated in France in the mid-thirteenth century and was extended to the whole Church by Pope Urban IV in 1264. In much of the world, it is celebrated on the Thursday following the Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity. In the United States it is celebrated on the Sunday following Trinity Sunday.

There are two major themes to this feast: the Body of Christ that is the Holy Eucharist and the Body of Christ that is our communion of faith, the Church. The Church is called the Body of Christ because of the intimate communion which Jesus shares with us, his disciples. It is expressed in the New Testament by using the metaphor of a body in which Christ Jesus is the head. This image helps keep in focus both the unity and the rich diversity of our family of faith. When we gather for the Liturgy of the Eucharist, we become one with Christ, transformed by his loving gift. We become one with Christ in the person we may not know sitting next to us in the pew; in the crowds walking in Eucharistic processions in the Philippines; in the victims of parish bombings while at Mass in Nigeria; in the young Polish students getting ready for World Youth Day; and in the Peruvian children receiving Holy Communion for the first time, singing "*Somos el Cuerpo de Cristo*" / "*We Are the Body of Christ*."

The feast encourages us to embrace the Eucharistic reality that although we may be strangers sharing the one Lord's table wherever we are, we are one, just as the many grains of wheat make up one loaf of bread, and the many grapes make up the shared wine in the Lord's cup of blessing. There should be a genuine connection between what we do in the Eucharistic celebration and the attitudes we embrace and the actions we take in our public and private lives. In the Eucharist, Christ has given us a share of God's mercy and hospitality. Let us pray that God will show us the way to unity through our devotion to Christ in the Eucharist so that we can offer a more genuinely compelling and fruitful witness to a world in need of God's love and compassion.

*(Lifted from ICSC e-Bulletin, June 2021)*



# Pastor's Corner

By Rev. Fr. Edgar B. Brillantes



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

**First Reading**  
Ezekiel 17:22-24

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

**Second Reading**  
2 Corinthians 5:6-10

**Gospel**  
Mark 4:26-34

### First Reading: Exodus 24:3-8

In this Reading, Moses is invited to come up the mountain close to God and to ratify the covenant in a blood ritual. Moses writes down the words God had given to him and builds an altar for the sacrifice. Part of the blood to be sacrificed is sprinkled on the altar, which symbolizes God. Moses reads from the book of the covenant, and the people formally assent to it. Later, the rest of the blood is sprinkled on the people as Moses says, "This is the blood of the covenant which the Lord has made with you according to all these words." Sharing blood symbolizes the unity of God and the people; they are joined as one family by blood.

### Second Reading: Hebrews 9:11-15

This Reading contrasts the Blood of Christ with the blood of sacrifice for atonement in Leviticus 16. Aaron was forbidden to enter the Holy Place until he had sacrificed a bull to atone for his sins and a large goat to atone for the sins of the people. Jesus comes before God by way of his own blood. The blood of the old covenant, says the Letter to the Hebrews, sanctified the body; the blood of the new covenant sanctifies the mind and heart forever.

### Gospel: Mark 14:12-16, 22-26

The Gospel tells of Jesus' last supper with his disciples as they celebrated the Passover meal, the great feast of liberation from slavery. At this Passover meal, meant to be a reminder of God's graciousness and protection of the Israelites as they were about to be released from captivity in Egypt, Jesus is surrounded by a broken "family," one that will suffer greatly when their shepherd is struck down. Knowing this, Jesus breaks bread as any other host of a Passover meal might have been doing in homes and guest rooms across Jerusalem, but he adds a new level of meaning to the feast by saying, "Take it; this is my body." Likewise, with the Passover cup of wine, he passed it to the disciples and adds, "This is my blood of the covenant, which will be shed for many." The celebration of the Passover is expanded and extended in hospitality to everyone in God's "broken" family. Moreover, it is not a Passover that ends in death but in newness of life in God's coming kingdom. This is what we celebrate when we gather for Eucharist, it is cause for great joy!

## LIVE-STREAMED MASS

\*CORPUS CHRISTI SUNDAY – June 6 @ 9:00 AM Mass

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"This is my Body. This is my Blood of the covenant."

\*REMINDER: The Bishop has lifted on April 3 the dispensation from attending the Holy Mass in person which was issued at the height of the covid pandemic. This means we are now obliged to be physically present in church to fulfill our Sunday obligation. However, for those who cannot go to church for serious reasons, we are extending the livestreaming of the Holy Mass from our Church to bring them the Lord's blessings.



## FLORES DE MAYO

### \*HOLY ROSARY & FLORAL OFFERING TO MARY\*

May 30 was the culmination of the Flores de Mayo in OLM Church. It is a traditional religious devotion to honor the Blessed Virgin Mary the whole month of May through praying the holy rosary and floral offering. In conjunction with the invitation of Pope Francis, the people prayed the rosary for the end of the covid pandemic. The **OLM Filipino Catholic Club** (FCC) headed by the President *Fe Go* spearheaded the observance. The activity was capped with the crowning of Mary's image by the previous FCC Charity Queen, *Olivia Mita* and escorted by *Thomas Mita*. We do appreciate the ladies and volunteers who donated flowers for the Blessed Lady and decorated with flourish her shrine fitting for the Queen of the Rosary. Even though the month of May has ended we continue to pray the holy rosary and entrust our lives, safety and well-being in the hands of Mary, our heavenly Mother.





**BEATIFICATION AND CANONIZATION OF THE  
SERVANT OF GOD JOSEPH DUTTON, LAYMAN  
EDICT  
TO THE FAITHFUL OF THE DIOCESE OF HONOLULU**

At the request of the “*Joseph Dutton Guild*,” *Dr. Waldery Hilgeman*, Diocesan Postulator, has presented me with the Written Request, required by Canon Law, to initiate the Cause for the Beatification and Canonization of the *Servant of God Joseph Dutton*.

The *Servant of God Joseph Dutton* was born in Stowe, Vermont on April 27, 1843, and was raised in Wisconsin. He was a soldier in the United States Civil War, serving in the Union Army. After the War, he entered a difficult marriage, which lasted only about a year, and he took to drinking heavily. At the age of 40, he had a conversion experience and became a Catholic. He wanted to do penance for what he considered a wayward life, so he entered a monastery, only to discern that this was not his vocation. He heard about *Father Damien De Veuster* and *Sister Marianne Cope* and their heroic work with the patients with leprosy in Molokai. He volunteered to go there to help them, arriving on July 29, 1886. He humbly and faithfully served the patients of the settlement for 44 years, primarily caring for the young boys who lived at the Baldwin Home. He became ill and was transferred to St. Francis Hospital in Honolulu, where he died on March 26, 1931.

[For more biographical information go to <https://josephdutton.org>.]

I hereby request that you present to this Diocese of Honolulu any pertinent information that you might have for or against the eventual Beatification and Canonization of the Servant of God.

Any and all information, which will remain secret, may be sent by email to *Fr. Siegfred Dosdos*, Vice-Postulator of the Cause, at [sainthoodfordutton@rchwaii.org](mailto:sainthoodfordutton@rchwaii.org) or by regular mail at 84-5140 Painted Church Road, Captain Cook, HI 96704-8409.

**All information must be received no later than June 30, 2021.**

Finally, we ask for your prayers that the Holy Spirit may guide this Cause according to the will of God.

Given at the Chancery of the Diocese of Honolulu on the 29<sup>th</sup> day of May A.D. 2021.

*Most Reverend Clarence (Larry) Silva*  
Bishop of Honolulu

*Deacon Keith Cabiles*  
Chancellor



**BISHOP'S CIRCLE**

**From the Office of Stewardship and Development** (*Mark Clark – Diocesan Director*)

**Aloha Good Stewards,**

Thank you very much for supporting your parish, your diocese and other good causes over the past year.

The Bishop's Circle helps strengthen the Catholic Church in Hawaii, and your participation helps support important ministries serving our Priests, our Youth and our Needy.

**The 2020/2021 appeal ends on June 30** - so if you haven't already done so - please consider supporting Bishop Larry Silva and the vital ministries of the Catholic Church in Hawaii.

Please consider joining one of the Donor Societies. Members as of June 30 will be recognized in the Hawaii Catholic Herald and invited to a special gathering with Bishop Larry. A Mass will be said for all contributors to this year's appeal. All gifts help make an impact and are appreciated!

Give online at [CatholicHawaii.org](http://CatholicHawaii.org) or by check payable to: The Bishop's Circle, 1184 Bishop St., Honolulu, HI 96813. **MAHALO** for your generous stewardship of treasure!

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**P.S. GOOD TO KNOW UPDATES REGARDING TAX LAW AND CHARITABLE GIVING FOR 2021:**

**Charitable Contributions for Non-Itemizers** – The Taxpayer Certainty and Disaster Tax Relief Act allows those who don't itemize their deductions a deduction of up to \$300 for cash contributions made during 2021. Married couples filing jointly are allowed a deduction of up to \$600 for the cash contributions they make during 2021. This is an increase from 2020, when the contribution was limited to \$300 regardless of filing status.

**Cash Contributions for Itemizers** – Under the CARES Act that was enacted in March 2020, the 60% deduction limit on cash contributions to most charities was suspended for 2020, thus allowing larger cash contributions during the COVID crisis—potentially up to 100% of the AGI. Under the Taxpayer Certainty and Disaster Tax Relief Act of 2020, the suspension of the 60% limit has been extended to 2021.



# KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS



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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

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**Congratulations** to the newly-elected officers of the

*Knights of Columbus* OLM Council 12935. *Herman Monico* was elected Grand Knight replacing the outgoing Grand Knight *Andresito Magbojos*. *SK Ropati Liua* is the new Financial Secretary who replaced *SK Alvin Baron*. We express our appreciation to the outgoing officers for their dedicated services and welcome the incoming ones wishing them all the best.

The election was held last May 23, Sunday, after their special corporate Mass on the occasion of the 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Council. In attendance as guests were the *State Deputy Ryan Brown*, *State Warden Lito Alvarez* and *District Deputy Rolando Juanillo*. The KC Insurance agent, *SK Cicero Seisdodos* was the guest speaker.

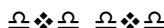
### NEWLY-ELECTED KC OFFICERS OF THE COLUMBIAN YEAR 2021-2022

|                    |                         |                             |                        |
|--------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|
| *Grand Knight      | <HERMAN N. MONICO       | *Deputy Grand Knight        | <ANDRESITO N. MAGBOJOS |
| *Chancellor        | <ANTHONY PETERSON       | *Financial Secretary        | <ROPATI PAMATA LIUA    |
| *Recorder          | <FELIX C. SANTOS        | *Treasurer                  | <SILVERIO A. PALTING   |
| *Warden            | <FRANKIE S. CABRAL, JR. | *Lecturer                   | <ABRAHAM C. PASCUAL    |
| *Trustee (1 Year)  | <MARCELINO P. ULEP      | *Trustee (2 Years)          | <ABRAHAM PASCUAL       |
| *Trustee (3 Years) | <ALVIN BARON            | *Advocate                   | <FLORENCIO C. SIPALAY  |
| *Inside Guard      | <VICENTE C. VELASCO     | *Outside Guard              | <VIRGILIO C. CABICO    |
|                    | *Chaplain               | <REV FR EDGAR B. BRILLANTES |                        |

The Knights recruitment drive resulted in the membership application and online exemplification for the 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> degrees of *SK Andrew Mamotos* and *SK Noemi Joseph Llantero*. The guests from the Hawaii State Council urged every Knight to recruit one candidate each. We urge all our Catholic gentlemen, age 18 and up, to be counted among the thousands of Knights of Columbus all over the world. *Join online for free membership application at [www.koc.org/joinus](http://www.koc.org/joinus). Be a Knight and make a difference!*



Photo at right: Online Exemplification to the Knights of Columbus of *Sir Knight Noemi Joseph Llantero* (6/4/21).



## FACE - Faith Action Message

Kathleen Jaycox <jaycox@hawaii.edu>

STEERING COMMITTEE RECAP

Aloha!

At its meeting of May 22, the Faith Action Steering Committee accomplished several things, including a welcome to our newest unit, *Chuukese Ministry Church*, and approval of our newest task force, the *Transformative Justice Task Force*. Complete notes are available at <https://www.faihactionhawaii.org/post/steering-committee-meeting>. As always, thank you for all that you do on behalf of social justice.

*Kathy for the Committee*



BRIEF RECAP Steering Committee Meeting on May 22, 2021

Representatives from nine different member units were present at the first Faith Action Steering Committee meeting of 2021 held on May 22nd. As part of an opening prayer, attendees shared in the Zoom Chat their visions and dreams for an equitable community and just world: solidarity, love, compassion, empathy, everyone having the same facts, following the Golden Rule, sacrificing privilege, to name a few.

SOME HIGHLIGHTS

\*Board members shared about trainings for members and a fellowship opportunity for young/early-career clergy in the works, upcoming fundraising trainings in June to prepare for 2021 Faith Action investment drives, and the updating of our by-laws.

\*Summer Pulpit Supply: Faith Action Organizer and recent Master of Divinity graduate *Cassie Chee* will be available to preach at member units' services this summer to strengthen the connection between our faith and the values we act on.

\*2021 Legislative Recap: *Nicole Woo* (member of Harris United Methodist Church and also a policy analyst for Hawaii Appleseed Center for Law and Economic Justice) shared updates about the recent legislative session which reminds us that there is still much work to be done.

\*Hawaii' became the first state to declare a climate emergency (supported by the Environmental Justice Task Force)

\*A "halfway" step to taxing REITs (supported by the *HousingNOW!* task force passed in a bill that requires REITs to report their income and assets.

\*For the Environmental Justice Task Force it was announced that *Susan Gorman-Chang* (Trinity United Methodist Church) will be the new chair.

\*New feature being added to the website: MEMBERS CORNER (tab on the menu of [faihactionhawaii.org](http://faihactionhawaii.org)) will give members access to organizational documents, annual meetings, membership, and resources.

\*The Steering Committee voted to: • Welcome Chuukese Ministry Church to officially join the Faith Action 'ohana! *Pastor Eha* was present to say hello and share about their church.

\*Approve the creation of a Transformative Justice Task Force which will begin by defining together what transformative justice looks like in our context.





## OFFICE OF THE CHANCELLOR

Diocese of Honolulu

### MOST RECENT COVID GUIDELINES IN THE DIOCESE OF HONOLULU

*\*This message was sent with High importance.* With the Easter Season ending after Pentecost Sunday, Bishop Larry extends the following guidelines into Ordinary Time, until further notice:

- \*Masks must be worn by all who attend Mass or other liturgical services.
- \*Social distancing and no-touch greetings and Sign of Peace remain the norms.
- \*Holy Communion is to be given only under the species of Bread.
- \*The use of a small choir is permitted. If the parish is using a choir, choir members need to continue following the rules for indoor singing as directed by the State [*“Any person(s) singing shall maintain physical distancing of at least ten (10) feet from any other person(s) while singing. Members of the same performing group singing may be closer than ten (10) feet together while performing, provided the group consists of less than ten (10) persons. To the extent reasonable and practicable, a physical barrier (e.g., plexiglass) of sufficient size to mitigate the spread of COVID-19 shall separate any person(s) singing from any other person(s), but not including members of the same performing group.”*]
- \*A distance of 10 feet between the cantor and the congregation needs to be observed as much as possible.
- \*In addition to the Entrance, Offertory, Communion and Leave-taking hymns – the Kyrie, Gloria, Responsorial Psalm, Gospel Acclamation, and the rest of the Mass part responses could be sung, observing the proper precautions.
- \*Sanitization is to continue between Masses.
- \*Social gatherings after Mass should not take place.
- \*We encourage parish priests to start/continue live-streaming their liturgies to their parishioners via social media platforms and to communicate to them the times of these services and log-in information for their parish’s Facebook and/or website.

Deacon Keith Cabiles, Chancellor

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### \*PRAYER FOR DELIVERANCE FROM THE CORONAVIRUS PANDEMIC\*

*\*By Bishop Larry Silva\**

Dear God of all the living, you sent your Son Jesus to heal us from illness and sin.

We turn to his healing power in this time of anxiety over the pandemic of this potentially deadly virus.

St. Damien and St. Marianne Cope dedicated their lives to the service of those who had an infectious disease.

St. Marianne Cope said, *“I am not afraid of any disease,”* because she was confident in your power to save.

At the same time, she took prudent precautions of hygiene to assure that she and her Sisters would not be infected.

Let us learn from this example to put our trust in you to save us from the ravages of disease and to take prudent measures to prevent its spread. Guide us to know when to isolate ourselves from the possibility of

infection, but never let anyone be left without the care and concern of others in the community.

As our Diocese of Honolulu has been dedicated to the Divine Mercy, we pray with confidence, *“Jesus, I trust in you.” Amen.*

Saint Damien, pray for us! \* Saint Marianne, pray for us!

### BEATING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC

\*Please refer to the latest directives provided by the Diocese Office of Worship.

\*The government has announced that we are now in Tier 3 of the covid restrictions but as we resume our public celebrations of the Holy Mass on days and weekends, we continue to observe 6-ft safe distancing, hand-washing and hygiene practices, wear face covering, and avoid large gatherings of more than 10 outside the church.

\*When you come for Holy Communion, receive the Body of Christ only with your hand and take off your mask only when you actually consume it.

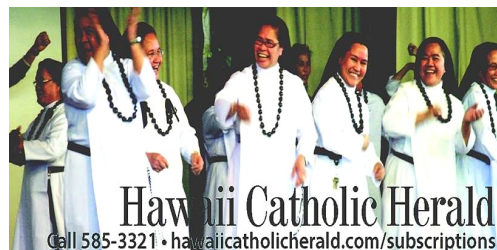
\*Dispensation for not attending mass in churches due to high risk or fear of infecting or contracting coronavirus has been lifted up by Bishop Larry Silva starting [April 3, 2021](#). However, those who feel not really able yet to come for reason of sickness are not forced to come. Nevertheless, they are highly encouraged to join the televised or livestreamed mass to fulfill their Sunday obligation.

\*At OLM, we provide the live-streamed Mass every Sunday at the 9:00am Mass. There are prayers available that we can use individually or as a family. We need to keep connected with our Almighty God who can put an end to this pandemic and allow us to return unscathed to our normal lives. Let us stay safe, healthy and blessed and continue to pray for one another and for the whole world.

**\*LET US KEEP PRAYING FOR DELIVERANCE FROM THE DEADLY VIRUS  
AND FOR THE SAFETY AND GOOD HEALTH OF EVERYONE\***



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## PARISH STEWARDSHIP

**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:



### MAHALO TO GOOD STEWARDS

#### \*\*\*GIFTS OF LOVE

❖ We acknowledge all generous monetary contributions which support our pastoral programs and ongoing projects as well as the basic operation of the Church 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.

#### \*\*\*DONATIONS IN KIND

An *anonymous couple* donated a box of 500 two-window envelopes for the mailing of checks. The envelope size the parish needs are not available in local stores, so they had to be ordered online. It was indeed a generous gesture, yeah! *Jennifer Jandoc* donated four 1-gallon bottles of hand sanitizer which will be used in church. Much *mahalo* to *Jen*!

\*\*\***STEWARDSHIP APPEAL** – Our appreciation and gratitude to *all dear Parishioners* who responded to our appeal during the covid-19 pandemic for their continued stewardship by mailing or dropping their offering envelopes or Mass intention offerings to help defray the needs and expenses of the parish.

\*\*\***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

\*\*\***CHURCH IMPROVEMENTS** – *Roger Isidro* (left) and *Rudy Fiesta* (right) brushed on fresh paints on the sacristy and restroom doors making them look new again. Meanwhile, *Adriano Daligcon* took time to install new contemporary soap and towel dispensers in the church handicap restroom. We hope every user handles them gently so they will last longer. The convenience items were donated by the *Isidros* and *Daligcons*. Big *mahalo* to them.

❖**CHURCH ENVIRONMENT** – Volunteer parishioners come every Saturday to prepare the Church for the weekend Masses. They spruce up the altar with new linens, decorate the sanctuary with flowers, put up the seasonal banners and other cleaning tasks. They set up the proper worship environments and make our celebrations dignified and meaningful. During the time of the covid-19 pandemic, in compliance with the Diocese and government advisory they marked the seating in the pews and communion line for 6-ft distancing as well as place sanitizers for use by the mass-goers and disinfect the church. Included in this dedicated group are *Marivic Palting*, *Nelie Puzon*, *Bella Miranda*, *Ador Padilla*, *Doi Facuri*, *Gloria Rodrigues*, *Fran Kovaloff*, *Norma Daligcon*, *Aida Isidro*, *Medy Macalma*, *Olivia Mita*, *Marichu Pe Benito*, *Angie Sera* and *Corazon Orcino*.



❖**LITURGY** - The livestreaming of OLM Sunday Mass at 9:00am for the sake of those sheltered-in during the covid-19 crisis will continue on via the OLM Facebook account and thru the kind services of the *Llamedo family*. The items for power-point projection at Mass include the readings and responses together with sacred graphics. For added health protection, *Andy Llamedo* installed a flexi-glass barrier at the lectern.

A new microphone on the lectern has been installed by *Jun Cortez*. His son, *Gene Cortez*, donated the Shure Microflex microphone as his stewardship offering to the Church.

There is a wi-fi hook-up to the parish hall on the Sunday Eucharistic celebration in case of an overflow in the church. This is made possible thru the high-tech know-how of *Jun Cortez* and *Fidel Flores* who also donated and put up wi-fi boosters in the church and hall for wider coverage and for security camera operation.

Designated to operate the power-point projection during the Masses are – *Malia Balbuena* at the 6:00pm Saturday Vigil Mass, *Jun Cortez* at the 6:30am Sunday Mass while *Marc & Clem Ulep* and their kids, *David & Gerald*, take care of the 9:00am Mass.

For the power-point slides and peoples' viewing delight in the hall, a new Hisense LED LCD 50" TV unit was recently donated as Christmas gift by *Silverio Palting*. The TV base and support were assembled by *Jun Cortez* & supervised by his faithful co-worker and wife, *Caridad*. Recently, the parish purchased 2 chrome books to make the livestreaming and power-point presentation at the hall even better.

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**PARISH STEWARDSHIP** *(Continued)*

The choir loft is also prepared for additional accommodation. In both areas in the choir loft and parish hall, the faithful can attend the Mass and the Eucharistic ministers can go to give Holy Communion to them.

❖ **STEWARDSHIP OFFERING COUNTERS** – We're grateful to the faithful and ever-smiling money counters who take turns every other Sunday to do the task – *Becky DeCorte \* Malia Gasio \* Aida Isidro \* Rosie Jacinto \* Dorie Mina \* Marichu Pe Benito \* Lynn Rivera \* Reanne Rodillas \* Linda Puzon (Coordinator)*.

❖ **GARDENING** – There are wonderful people who volunteer with the upkeep of the church grounds.

\**Clemente Fontanilla* mows the grasses.

\*With joy and devotion, *Lito and Lia Centino* tend and beautify the side of the Hall, Rectory and Pastoral Center with garden plants which look robust and blooming.

\**Eddie Lucero* is faithfully keeping the yellow hibiscus blooming with flowers thru regular pruning and watering.

\*\*\***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!** ❖



# MASS INTENTIONS



May 30 > 9:00am Thanksgiving - *Alex & Marichu Pe Benito; Isaiah Starkey & family*

May 30-Jun 5 > 7:00am RM +*Zosima Alverne; +Apolonio Ferrer*

May 31-Jun 4 > 7:00am Healing - *Jose Jandoc; Sr. Clemence Mira \* RM +Mariano Mundala; +Macaria Ceria; Rosella Madriaga; Shirley Asentista*

Jun 1 > 7:00am Birthday - *Terri Leong*

Jun 3 > 7:00am Birthday - *Cleo Bala-Casino*

Jun 4 > 7:00am Thanksgiving - *Linda Puzon*

Jun 5 > 6:00pm Birthday - *Hazel Artates; Martin Hee \* Healing & speedy recovery - Jose Jandoc; Sr Clemence Mira, spc; Guy Miranda; Those infected w/ covid-19 \* Special intention - For the graduates, Students & Teachers on vacation; For the end of the covid-19 pandemic \* RM +Zosima Alverne; +Apolonio Ferrer; +Mariano F Mundala (1<sup>st</sup> anniv); +Leonarda Palting; +Deceased mothers & Victims of the coronavirus pandemic; +Departed pastors, benefactors and parishioners of OLM*

Jun 6 > 6:30am Good health - *Aida Pascual; Ernesto Fiesta; Caridad Dagdagan; Nene Panganiban; Paul Valbuena; Guy Miranda, Audrey Peralta \* Birthday - Ernafe Malla \* Thanksgiving - Joseph & Mila Llantero; Alex & Marichu Pe Benito; Urbano Acosta \* Special intention - For the Graduates, Students & Teachers on vacation \* RM +Mariano F Mundala (1<sup>st</sup> anniv); +Fr Amador Foz; +Teodoro, Geralda, Feliza, & Basilio Acosta; Antonio, Alejo & Florida dela Cruz; +Shirley Asentista; +Rosela Madriaga; +Teresita Fontanilla; +Deceased mothers & Victims of the coronavirus pandemic; +Departed pastors, benefactors and parishioners of OLM*

> 9:00am (Missa pro populo) Birthday - *Manuel Ramiscal; Caleb Leong; Silver Palting \* Wedding anniversary – Silver & Marivic Palting \* Healing - Jose Jandoc; Vicente Velasco; Wally Aina; Deacon Tala Sarataka; Virgil Edmilao; Avelina Fralaide; Ropati Liua; Amando & Palmas Flores; Alfonso & Mary Villanueva & all those infected by the coronavirus disease \* Special intention – Graduates, Teachers & Students on vacation; OLM Knights of Columbus; For the end of the covid-19 pandemic; For world peace \* Thanksgiving – Corazon Orcino; Isaiah Starkey & family; Urbano Acosta & family \* RM +Leonarda Palting; +Agaton & Catalina; +Isabelo & Martina; +Valeriano & Helen Lani Andaya; +Benjamin & Magdalena Orcino; +Zosima Alverne; +Apolonio Ferrer; +Mariano Mundala; +Macaria de Vera Ceria; +Amy & Daniel Galicinao; +Deceased mothers & victims of the coronavirus pandemic; +Departed pastors, benefactors and parishioners of OLM*

Jun 7 > 7:00am Successful Graduation - *John Leong \* RM +Linda Kamai, +Cecilia Chica*

Jun 10 > 7:00am Birthday/Thanksgiving - *Gloria Rodrigues*

Jun 11 > 7:00am RM +*Fr Henry Sabog; +David, Mary & Ronald Souza*



**DEADLINE:** Please submit your **Mass intentions** by Thursday if you want them printed on time for the weekend Parish Bulletin and for orderly inclusion at the Prayers of the Faithful.

**MAHALO:** Thank you for your offering of \$10.00 per one (1) Mass intention for the support of the charitable works of the church and for the personal needs of the priests. God bless you.



## REMEMBER IN PRAYER

❖ **GOOD HEALTH / SUCCESSFUL SURGERY:** Jose Jandoc \* Aida Pascual \* Ernesto Fiesta \* Vicente Velasco \* Wally Aina \* Deacon Tala Sarataka \* Virgil Edmilao \* Tasha, Lucy & Holly \* Rick Erhardt \* Leo dela Cruz Jr \* Avelina Orcino Fralalde \* Baby Jason Orcino \* Linda Puzon \* Michael Schwengler Jr \* Sr Clemence Mira, SPC \* Mari Schoening \* Eliza Mateo Domingo \* Jake Andrew Afualo \* William Elisaga \* Nene Panganiban \* Phoebe Teocson \* Julieta Tabora & Arthur Miller \* Kristopher Valdez \* Patricia Schwengler \* Erlinda Rivera \* Marie Schwengler \* Mark Schwengler \* Norma Corba \* Amelia Pascual \* Jose Cadiz \* Paul Valbuena \* Ropati Liua \* Caren Soong \* Charlie Newman \* Clementina Ce-

ria-Ulep \* Caridad Dagdagan \* Fr Thomas Joseph \* Caroline Gruenhagen \* Theresa Schwengler \* Doren Gruenhagen \* Juliet Hobson \* Amando & Palmas Flores \* Bob Wells \* Lucille Mohika \* Ernesto Fiesta \* Guy Miranda \* Florentino Orcino \* Andy & Marina Torio \* Gwen Perry \* Petronila Jandoc \* Susan Reynon \* Marilou Bruno \* Lina Santos \* Katrina Santos \* Vicenta Baron \* Alfonso & Mary Villanueva \* Jesse Ulep \* George Calizar \* Marvin Moore \* Jeanne Oshiro

❖ **BIRTHDAY:** Hazel Artates \* Ernafe Malla \* Silver Palting \* Cleo Bala-Casino \* Gloria Rodrigues \* Caleb Leong \* Martin Hee \* Urbano Acosta \* Manuel Ramiscal \* Sr James Therese, SHF \* Esther Domingcil \* Konnor Jace Gamiao \* Corazon Orcino \* Jessica Jacinto \* Meynard Macalma \* Nida Flores \* Nereo Uganiza \* Arthur Miller \* Jace Corrales \* Aida Isidro \* Chester Centino \* Dolores & Reynold Ramiscal \* Judy Fernandez \* Linda Puzon \* Xavier Balmilero \* Expedita Aningat \* Virginia Fernandez \* Emerlinda Ibera \* Carlito V Centino \* Maria Luisa Montaus \* Jose Cadiz

❖ **SACERDOTAL ORDINATION BLESSINGS:** Rev Ese'ese "Ace" Tui

❖ **WEDDING BLESSINGS:** Michael Orbito & Karen Tenorio \* Anjelica & William Mathis \* John Carlo & Karen Timbol

❖ **SACERDOTAL ORDINATION ANNIVERSARY:** Rev Fr Manny Hewe (24) \* Rev Fr Steve Nguyen (22) \* Rev Fr Alfred Omar Guerrero (4) \* Rev Fr Edmund Barut (29) \* Rev Fr Pascual Abaya IV (25) \* Rev Fr Edgar Brillantes (41) \* Rev Fr Gus Acob (41) \* Rev Fr Tito Bonoan (41) \* Rev Fr John Macalisang (25) \* Rev Fr Adrian R. Gervacio (54)

❖ **WEDDING ANNIVERSARY:** Silver & Marivic Palting \* Ronnie & Mark McCamley \* Manuel & Dolores Ramiscal \* Frankie & Flo Cabral (50) \* Sandra & Heyly Tee Sy (19) \* Jun & Nida Flores (42) \* Rudy & Myrna Balmilero (47) \* Simplicio+ & Armelita Canoneo \* Wilfred & Rachel Soong (54) Guillermo & Evangeline Bacani (38) Jayson & Ernafe Malla (6) \* Carlito & Aurelia Centino (39)

❖ **GRADUATION THANKSGIVING:** John Leong \* Isaiah Starkey \* Coby Jay Jacinto \* Rocnie Felipe

❖ **SPECIAL INTENTION & THANKSGIVING:** OLM Knights of Columbus Council 12935 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary \* Swimming champion – Avalyne Andaya \* Marriage blessing – Steven & Jaizel Pinera > Christopher & Margaret Zumwalt \* Thanksgiving – Linda Puzon > Gloria Rodrigues > Evelyn Wordell > Julieta Tabora & family > Arthur Miller > Corazon Orcino > Joseph & Mila Llintero > Alex & Marichu Pe Benito > Anita & Melecio Pinera > Cathy Purganan > Fanny Montemayor > Jose Cadiz & family > Renato & Cora dela Rosa > Silver & Marivic Palting > Thomas & Olivia Mita > Jaime & Medy Macalma & family > Urbano & Cresencia Acosta & family > Artates, Aczon & Bacani families > Ferrer & Ricks families \* Special intention – Evenia & Jonathan Zumwalt > Kathy Ferreira > Robert Fernandez > Audrey Peralta \* 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 150<sup>th</sup> Parish Anniversary \* For the deliverance & healing of those afflicted with the covid-19 \* For the end of the covid pandemic \* For the conversion of sinners & for the Consecration of Russia to the Immaculate Heart of Mary.

❖ **SAFE FLIGHT:** Harry & Luz Brillantes & family \* Dr. Antonio Ramos \* Aniceto Pascual & Nilda Hall \* Catherine & Patrick Allen, Sophia & James \* Maria Luisa Montaus \* Wilfred Soong

❖ **DECEASED:** +Fr Henry Sabog \* +David, Mary & Ronald Souza \* +Linda Kamai, +Cecilia Chica \* +Leonarda Barruga Palting \* +Agaton & Catalina \* +Isabelo & Martina \* Benjamin & Magdalena Orcino \* +Valeriano & Helen Lani Andaya \* +Zosima Alverne \* +Apolonio Ferrer \* +Macaria de Vera Ceria \* +Rosela Madriaga \* Shirley Asentista \* +Amy & Daniel Galicinao \* +Cresencia Edmalin \* +Modesto Bautista \* +Vladimir Salagovic \* +Mariano F Mundala (1<sup>st</sup> anniv) \* +Demetrio Laeda \* +Martina, Isabelo, Benjamin & Magdalena Orcino \* +Karen Correia-Lemana \* +Antone Fivella \* +Fr Henry Sabog \* +Ricardo Dacanay \* +Anthony R Gutierrez \* +Araceli C Pastor \* +Fr Amador Foz; +Teodoro, Geralda, Feliza, & Basilio Acosta; Antonio, Alejo & Florida dela Cruz \* +Benita, Domingo, Bonifacio, Lourdes & Danilo Tolentino, Emilia Ward & Virginia Bellina \* +Adelaida Solevin, Fernando Ferrer, Cecilia & Pepito Datugan, Canuto Patoc, Dominador & Corazon Custado \* +Nick Amian (3<sup>rd</sup> anniv) \* +Cres M Paranada & +Teresita Braceros \* +Fabian Balbuena, +Teresita Hernane \* +Romana Puzon \* +Ethel Mita \* +Thomas Mita Sr \* +Fay Kodoma \* +Isidro & Leonarda Sipalay \* +Alejandro Duma & +Virginia Duma \* +Dian Levale \* +Derna Kim \* +Mary B Rodrigues; +Cecilia Carvalho \* +Verlee Cadiz \* +Avelina Madrona \* +Glir Dagdagan +Mercedes Aspili \* +Alfredo Cacapal \* +Sulpicio Ranit \* +Carlos Jacinto \* +Mariano & Manuela Balmilero \* +Dina Balmilero \* +Edgar Pagdilao \* +Juanito Carnate \* +Antone & +Olivia Fivella \* +Encarnacion Dumalan \* +Pablo Padunan \* +Tomas Tapat \* +Simplicio Canoneo \* +Norberto Montaus Jr \* +Candido, Romana, & Charlie Puzon \* +Honorio Gamiao \* +Encarnacion Fontanilla \* +Jose & Lydia Criste \* +Caroline & Martin Rodrigues \* +Maria & Hospicio Corpuz \* +Orlando Artates \* +Teresita Fontanilla \* +Fermin & Elaine Cruz \* +Marlene Facuri \* +Ricardo Facuri \* +For all the departed founders, Pastors, Religious, benefactors, donors & parishioners of OLM; +Our deceased family members, relatives and friends; +The victims of the coronavirus pandemic



# MORE PARISH NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

## HCCRS HEALING MASS on JUNE, 25, 2021

The *Hawaii Catholic Charismatic Renewal Services* is hosting the Healing Mass on Friday, June 25, 2021 at Our Lady of the Mount Church. Below is the schedule for the day:

- > 3:00 - 6:00 PM Set-up
- > 6:00 - 6:40 PM Eucharistic Adoration – officiated by *Deacon Raffy Mendoza*
- > 6:40 - 6:45 PM Transition to Mass
- > 6:45 - 7:45 PM Healing Mass – presided by *Rev. Fr. Edgar Brillantes*
- > 7:45 - 8:30 PM Clean up and Sanitizing

For more info please contact: *Chloe Samaniego* at (808) 224-7100



## ✝ BAPTISM

\*June 13, 2021

Name of child: **RAYVEN JAMES MACMAC LUBAY**

Date of Birth: **July 29, 2019**

Father: **Randy Lubay**

Mother: **Princess Macmac**

Godfather: **Oliver Caraang**

Godmother: **Queenslyn Macmac**

Baptism Class for the parents and godparents - Wednesday, June 9 at 6:00pm in the parish hall.

Catechists: *Fran Kovaloff \* Mary Ann Goloran \* Cathy Villanueva*

**BAPTISM**



## A STEWARDSHIP PRAYER for JUNE

Dear Lord,

Your presence at the Eucharistic Table is truly the source and summit of our faith.

And in the breaking of the bread, your presence is meant to impel us to reach beyond our immediate gathering and unify us with the larger gathering of our sisters and brothers around the globe.

If we can recognize you in the Sacrament of the Eucharist, we must also be able to recognize you among those who hunger and suffer in the world.

But if our faith in your presence under the appearance of bread and wine does not translate into action, we are still unbelievers.

Deepen our faith, make us good stewards of your Eucharistic presence and help us to bear fruit in the lives of those we encounter, especially those most in need of your love and compassion.

Amen.

*(Lifted from International Catholic Stewardship Council e-bulletin, June 2021)*



## MASS ATTENDANCE

|                                 | <u>5/22-23/21</u> | <u>5/29-30/21</u> |
|---------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Sat 6:00pm                      | 51A+3C            | 57A+2C            |
| Sun 6:30am                      | 85A+1C            | 82A+2C            |
| Sun 9:00am                      | 79A+4C            | 94A+15C           |
| 4:00pm Knights of Columbus Mass | 48A+1C            |                   |

## SACRIFICIAL OFFERING

|                                 |                    | <i>Thank You</i>   |
|---------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Offertory                       | \$ 2,688.00        | \$ 4,031.89        |
| Initial Offering                | \$ 0.00            | \$ 5.00            |
| Repair & Maintenance            | \$ 15.00           | \$ 30.00           |
| Catholic Communication Campaign | \$ 940.00          | \$ 100.00          |
| Religious Articles              | \$ 17.00           | \$ 2.00            |
| Parking                         |                    | \$ 50.00           |
| Bulletin Advertisement          |                    | \$ 20.00           |
| Candles                         | \$ 120.00          | \$ 95.00           |
| <b>Total</b>                    | <b>\$ 3,780.00</b> | <b>\$ 4,333.89</b> |

*"The children of honest people will be blessed." Psalm 112:2*

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## SCHEDULE OF MASSES

\*Weekday Masses (Mon-Fri) – 7:00 AM  
 \*Weekend Masses: Saturday Vigil Mass – 6:00 PM  
 Sunday Masses – 6:30 AM \* 9:00 AM (*Live-streamed*)  
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### IMPORTANT REMINDERS:

\*Please come to the church with your own face covering and observe the 6-feet distancing when you get out of your car, walk into the church and take your seat at the marked areas. Couples and Families of the same household with small kids may be seated together. Avoid congregating in large or crowded groups.  
 \*Please go thru the infra-red thermometer for covid tracing and use the sanitizers by the entrance doors when you come inside the church. You may bring disinfectant wipes for use in your seat before and after the service.  
 \*If you feel sick, please don't force yourself to come to church. Stay home and get well. You are dispensed from the obligation. As soon as it's available, avail of the covid-19 vaccination.  
 \*Let's strive to stay safe, healthy and holy as we come back to the house of God and gather as one blessed family.



**✝ OBITUARY**  
**+MACARIA DEVERA CERIA, 89**  
 Wake Service: June 23, 2021,  
 6:00pm at Borthwick Mortuary Chapel  
 Funeral Service: June 24, 2021,  
 12:00pm at Borthwick Mortuary Chapel  
 Interment: June 24, 2021,  
 2:00pm at Hawaiian Memorial Park Cemetery

**+AMY & DANIEL GALICINAO**  
 Memorial Mass: June 24, 2021,  
 10:00am at OLM Church

**+ROSELA RAMIREZ MADRIAGA, 82**  
 Funeral Service: July 6, 2021,  
 11:00pm at Hawaiian Memorial Park Chapel  
 Interment: July 6, 2021,  
 1:00pm at Hawaiian Memorial Park Cemetery

*"Eternal rest grant unto the faithful departed, O Lord."  
 Heartfelt condolences to the bereaved families.*




*Congratulations*  
**Congratulations,  
 GRADUATING  
 CLASS OF 2021!**

*"For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future." Jeremiah 29:11*

**FEAST DAYS**  
**Jun 9** St. Ephrem, deacon & doctor of the Church  
**Jun 11** Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus  
**Jun 12** The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary

**OTHER**  
**COVID VACCINATION CLINICS**  
**Jun 7 & 9** - Damien High School Gymnasium,  
 9:00am -1:00pm; ages 12 and over;  
 Pfizer vaccine. Make appointment at:  
<https://hipaa.jotform.com/211478022197152>  
**Jun 20** - Group #3, shot #2; after the 9:00am Mass, hall

**Jun 20** Father's Day




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**L.O.L.**  
*(Laugh  
 Out  
 Loud)*  
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*"When I get to heaven, do I get to hug God or just shake His hand?"*



**ROOMS FOR RENT**  
 \*2<sup>nd</sup> floor, 3 bedrooms, 1 bath, 1 parking;  
 \*Near OLM Church, school, bus stop;  
 \*New kitchen, and newly renovated;  
 \*Call *Rudy Fiesta* at 620-5626.

**OFFICE HOURS**  
 Mon-Thu 9:00am-4:00pm  
 Lunch 11:30am-12:30pm  
 Fri 9:00am-11:30am.  
 Closed Sat, Sun, Holy Days,  
 State and Federal Holidays

**BAPTISM**  
 3rd Sunday after the 9:00am Mass

**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: 7:00am  
 Saturday (Vigil): 6:00pm  
 Sunday: 6:30am & 9:00am

**RECONCILIATION**  
 Saturday—5:00pm-5:30pm  
 or by appointment