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OUR LADY OF THE MOUNT CHURCH

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July 17, 2022



t Celebrating 152 years and renewing our faith in grateful stewardship! t



Pastor Rev. Fr. Edgar B. Brillantes

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



"Martha, Martha, you are anxious and worried about many things. There is need for only one thing. Mary has chosen the better part and it will not be taken from her."

Luke 10:41-42



Pastor Emeritus Rev. Fr. Adrian R. Gervacio

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STEWARDSHIP PRAYER IN JULY



Heavenly Father, You are the source of wisdom and grace, the author of human freedom and creativity. We thank you for these gifts,

and ask that you teach us to be good stewards of our creative spirits. As we immerse ourselves in this summer season.

show us how to slow down a bit.

quiet ourselves,

and learn the art of re-creation, reflection and relaxation.

Encourage us to "power down"

so that we might recharge and re-energize our minds, bodies and spirits

for the journey ahead of us.

Help us never to be too busy to pause

and realize your gracious presence all around us: in nature, in other people, in ourselves.

Slow us down

and teach us to be better stewards of our time of recreation.

We pray this in Jesus' name. Amen

(Lifted from International Catholic Stewardship Council e-bulletin, July 2022)

SECOND COLLECTION FOR THE DIOCESAN SEMINARIAN EDUCATION FUND

- When: July 16-17, 2022, in all Masses.
- Where: Diocese of Honolulu

The Second Collection for the Diocesan Seminarian Education Fund aids the seminarians of the Diocese of Honolulu. Education costs (tuition, room and board) per seminarian total approximately \$320,000 over the course of his journey towards Ordination to the priesthood. Please prayerfully consider making a financial donation towards priestly vocations. Your gift would directly contribute to the education of our seminarians and is much needed and greatly appreciated.



Our Lady of the Mount Church

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Pastor's Corner

By Rev. Fr. Edgar B. Brillantes

Next Sunday's Reading

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading Genesis 18:20-32 Responsorial Psalm Psalm 138:1-3, 6-8

Second Reading Colossians 2:12-14 Gospel: Luke 11:1-13

FOCUS: The Lord wants us to live unburdened, free to be close to his healing presence.

Much of modern-day life involves the busyness of everyday tasks. The Lord asks that we simply come to him and allow ourselves to be healed and made whole, to allow him to pour his grace into our hearts and lives. This requires us to pause and to go to him in silence and stillness.

First Reading: Genesis 18:1-10

Abraham and Sarah provide hospitality to three men who appear nearby his tent. One of the men tells Abraham that when he comes again in a year, Sarah will have a son.

Second Reading: Colossians 1:24-28

Paul writes to the Colossians that he rejoices in his sufferings and joins them with the sufferings of Christ on behalf of the Church.

Gospel: *Luke* 10:38-42

In the Gospel, Jesus enters a village where two sisters attend to him. Martha is burdened, anxious, and worried as she tries to complete tasks; Mary sits at the Lord's feet and listens to him. Jesus says Mary has chosen the better part.

LIVE-STREAMED MASSES

"Blessed are they who have kept the word with a generous heart and yield a harvest

through perseverance."

*16TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – July 17, 2022 > 9:00 AM

*Log in to www.Facebook.com/olmkalihi License no. 734524-A

*<u>REMINDER</u>: Our Catholic faith obliges us to be physically present in church to fulfill our Sunday obligation. However, for those who cannot go to church for serious health and life-threatening issues, we are extending the livestreaming of the Holy Mass from our Church to bring them the Lord's Good News and blessings. *Join us at <u>www.Facebook.com/</u><u>olmkalihi</u>.



STEWARDSHIP EXPRESSIONS



INVOLVING YOUNG PEOPLE IN SACRED LITURGY IS

GOOD STEWARDSHIP

Now that your teen or college age young adult has received the sacrament of Confirmation, isn't it time to get them more deeply involved in the Mass? It is no secret that one of the best ways for a young person to nurture a greater love for the Eucharist is by a more active participation in the liturgy.

The National Federation for Catholic Youth Ministry has sought for many years to en-

eration, From Age to Age: The Challenge of Worship with Adolescents (1997), started a national dialogue on how to get teenagers more involved in the Church's celebration of the Eucharist.

Involvement by young people can include such liturgical activities as: • Extraordinary ministers of the Eucharist • Ushers • Ministers of Hospitality • Lectors/Readers • Altar servers • Gift bearers • Cantors • Musicians • Choir members • Leaders for Children's Liturgy of the Word As good stewards of the faith life of teenagers and young adults, let's identify their gifts and invite them to a fuller participation at the table of the Lord. Get them involved. Make them feel as though they are welcome as mature, responsible stewards of the life of the parish family. They will be enriched by the experience, and so will the faith community.

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Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

'OHANA IN CHRIST FINAL REPORT FOR 2021/2022 + PLANNING FOR 2022/2023

Thu 7/14/2022 2:53 PM



*'OIC Vicariate Parish Report 2021-2022.xlsx

Thank you so much for your outstanding efforts in the first year of 'OHANA in CHRIST as nearly \$960,000 was collected. The final preliminary report is attached - and posted at: <u>https://www.catholichawaii.org/12075</u>

CATHOLIC CHURCH IN HAWAII Special kudos to the 26 parishes (and the WEST HONOLULU VICARIATE) that met/ exceeded their target goal – including the most recent: Cathedral Basilica of Our Lady of Peace; St. Patrick, Honolulu; St. Stephen, Honolulu; and St. Jude, Kapolei.

Our Lady of the Mount, Honolulu garnered a total of \$20,868 which is 205% of the designated goal of \$10,201.00.

***Plans for 'OHANA in CHRIST 2022/2023 are in motion – please stay tuned for info on a timeline and ordering promotional materials.

Many thanks again! *Mark Clark*

Director, Stewardship & Development: 808-203-6723

PROJECT TV SCREENS IN CHURCH

The two new 75-inch TV screens inside the church are now mounted. They are used for projecting the liturgical hymns, readings and prayers as well as for showing video clips and presentations during liturgical gatherings and celebrations. The sound bars, camera for livestreaming, wi-fi synchronizers, remote controls and dedicated power outlets are in place. It is hoped that the screens will help enhance the active participation of the faithful. It also eliminates the issue of blocking the image of the Resurrected Christ in the sanctuary when the old screen is rolled down. We are grateful to the *Llamedo family* for doing the installation job.



Voluntary donations from parishioners instantaneously poured in to help fund and realize this project. Whatever amount given, (and nothing is too small), went into this worthy endeavor and we do appreciate your generous support.

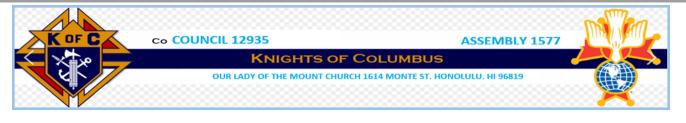


MAHALO TO THE GENEROUS DONORS!

*Felicidad G Orsino - \$1,500.00 *William & Mitronia Amoroso - \$1,000.00 *Cleo Bala-Casino - \$1,000.00 *Edwin & Angeli Balbuena - \$500.00 *Corazon Orcino - \$500.00 *OLM Filipino Catholic Club—\$300.00 *Thomas & Olivia Mita - \$250.00 *Anonymous - \$200.00 *Gene Cortez - \$200.00 *Jun & Caridad Cortez - \$200.00 *Edna Gamiao - \$200.00 *Rowena Peacock - \$200.00 *Linda Puzon - \$200.00 *Andrea Baptista - \$100.00 *Mary Ann Goloran - \$100.00 *Silver & Marivic Palting - \$100.00 *Cathy Purganan - \$50.00 *Armelita Canoneo - \$20.00

The total cost of the project is \$5,900.00. For more info, you may inquire from *Mary Ann Llamedo*, our parish music director. We thank you sincerely for your generosity.

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Sat 6:00pm	51A+0C	51A+1C	Offertory Initial Offering Repair & Maintenance Donations: TV Screens	\$ 3,161.80 \$ 100.00 \$ 261.00 \$ 1,600.00	\$ 3,336.00 \$ 85.00
Sun 6:30am	54A+0C	67A+0C	Funeral Mass Intentions	\$ 2,080.00	\$ 300.00 \$ 100.00
Sun 9:00am	82A+13C	92A+17C	Candles	\$ 95.00 \$ 7,311.80	\$ 296.85 \$ 4,117.85



Be Bold * Be Catholic * Be a Knight and Make a Difference!

ACTIVITIES: Induction of New Officers for Fraternal Year 2022-23 - TBA

Photo below: The OLM Knights of Columbus Council 12935 with Bishop Jack Jose of the Diocese of Urdaneta, Pangasinan (L-R): Joseph Llantero*Abraham Pascual*Florencio Sipalay*Andy Magbojos*Fr. Edgar*Bishop Jack*Grand Knight-Elect George Roberts* Alex Pe Benito*Renato dela Rosa*Silverio Palting*Liberato Valdez*Alvin Baron*Frankie Cabral



ALOHA BISHOP JACK

Most Reverend Jacinto "Jack" Jose, D.D. is the incumbent Bishop of Urdaneta, in Pangasinan, Philippines. He visited OLM and presided at the 9:00 AM Mass on July 10. He originally comes from the Diocese of Laoag to which *Fr. Adrian* also belonged while *Fr Edgar* served with him in the Northern Luzon Regional School of Theology as formators of future priests. We were blessed with his visit and welcomed him with warmth and gladness. The *OLM Knights of Columbus Council 12935* under the leadership of *Grand Knight-elect George Roberts* and the Filipino Catholic Club OLM Unit hosted a breakfast fellowship for the bishop and parishioners. *ALOHA & MAHALO, Bishop Jack!*



Left photo (L-R): Fr. Edgar * Silverio Palting *Renato dela Rosa * Bishop Jack * Joseph Llantero

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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:

***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.

***We receive with gratitude the donation of \$1,000.00 to OLM Church from the Alfredo & Andrea Baptista Trust in Thanksgiving for their blessings in life.

***We thank Segundo Facuri for donating the new Roman Missal, Gospel Book and Lectionaries for use in our Church. The liturgical books cost \$718.40. He just donated 4 cases of disinfectants for sanitizing the church in the amount of \$372.94.

***Big MAHALO to the ILOCANO MINISTRY for their donation of 2 kneelers ordered from the US Mainland. The kneelers are used on weddings and other liturgical functions. The total cost was \$700.00.

***DONATION FROM THE FILIPINO COMMUNITY CENTER - The *Fil-Com Center* in Waipahu issued a check to OLM Church in the amount of \$2,500.00 for hosting the covid vaccination pop-up clinics at the hall. For 5 or 6 times the group of medical and health personnel from the *FilCom CARES, UH Department of Nursing, Project Vision Hawaii* and other civic-oriented organizations came to administer the vaccine and booster shots which benefitted many of our parishioners as well as from other parishes.

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

Our appeal for support to the Diocesan 'OHANA IN CHRIST appeal was also met with tremendous response from generous parishioners that we were able to surpass our designated goal. May the Lord God who sees every goodness done reward us all a thousand-fold.

*****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 – The termite-ridden and weather-worn doors in the Church, sacristy and in the parish hall have been replaced. Knight of Columbus and parishioner *Vicente Velasco* together with his son and another carpenter worked on the project for free. The materials used were purchased with the donations and stewardship offerings of parishioners as well as from the remaining unspent proceeds of the Save the Convent fundraising. We are grateful for everyone's support and generous assistance.

*The parish purchased a new lawn tractor (*John Deere S100 17.5 HP Gas*) for use in the upkeep of the cemetery grounds located in the interior of Kalihi Valley. The total cost which included a 3-year warranty was \$2,563.35. The payment came from the donations and stewardship offerings of OLM parishioners. Big *mahalo* to everyone for being good stewards.

◆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 Silver & Marivic Palting, Nelie Puzon, Bella Miranda, Ador Padilla, Julieta Walsh, Cely Bautista, Doi Facuri, Norma Daligcon, Aida Isidro, Medy Macalma, Olivia Mita, Marichu Pe Benito, Angie Sera, Renato & Cora dela Rosa, Cathy Purganan, Fe Go, Charito Sipalay, Luz & Vicente Velasco, Marlene Calventas. Mary Ann Goloran and Corazon Orcino.

CITURCY -The livestreaming of OLM Sunday Mass at 9:00am for the sake of those sheltered-in during the covid-19 pandemic will continue on via the OLM Facebook account and thru the kind services of the *Llamedo family*. Assisting them are *Jun Cortez, Marc, Clem & Dave Ulep*. In Church, we are now back to the normal seating and accommodation.

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).

CARDENING – 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 that are robust and blooming.

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

*Frankie Cabral trims the dried tree branches, and removes the dried leaves and dead flowers from the church grounds.

***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. Fathers are a blessing, and we thank them for blessing us with lives of dedication, endurance, and love. You may submit your name at the parish office or contact our pastor. God bless and reward you abundantly.

<u>会</u> 会会 We take pride in sharing our time, talent and services As good and faithful stewards for the greater glory of our loving God. *◆TO ALL THE GOOD STEWARDS, OUR SINCERE THANK YOU!*◆

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REMEMBER IN PRAYER

◆GOOD HEALTH / SUCCESSFUL SURGERY: Claudette Ozon * Marie Therese Castillo * Elpidio Sera * Faith Ivy Castro * Rizal Felipe * Milagros Pena * Belen Quinto * Rudy Balmilero * Juliet Hobson * Raymond Sedeno * Remigio D Dumlao * Amando Flores Jr * Vanessa Egan * Matilde Serbania Pascua * Prodencio Mentac * Kevin Ibera * Avelina Agbayani * Richard Palting Cacanindin * Wilfred Soong * Teresa Lucero * Roselani Ramones * Benny Ursulum * Logan Isidro * Jason, Avelina & Florentino Orcino * Marvin Farinas * Estelito Umblas * Yvonne Fukumoto * Theresa Schwengler * Caroline Gruenhagen

* Maria Pascual * Marie Schwengler * Gwen Zanellato * Amando Flores * Nicolas Ulep * Michael Schwengler Sr * Michael Schwengler Jr * Imelda Ruaburo * Jose Jandoc * Ernesto Fiesta * Wally Aina * Paul Valbuena * Ropati Liua * Caridad Dagdagan * Andy & Marina Torio * Gwen Perry * Petronila Jandoc * Susan Reynon * Marilou Bruno * Lina Santos * Katrina Santos * Alfonso & Mary Villanueva * Jesse Ulep * George Calizar * Marvin Moore * Jeanne Oshiro

◆BIRTHDAY: Liam Paul Gumban * Theresa Schwengler * Maggie Sagayaga * Victoria Ventura * Christopher Chesser * Joseph Llantero * Edward Dayoan * Gilbert Bacani * Fermin Susa * Joey H Montemayor * Michael Magbojos Mina * Terri Leong * Rebecca & Jennifer Jandoc * Roger Isidro * Rosario Valdez * Alicia Balbuena * Fortunato Laguer * Teresita Dayoan (80) * Kathy Ferreira * Gloria Rodrigues * Jimmy Madarang * Manuel Francis Espindola III * Praxedes Javines * Michele Schwengler * Fr Steve Nguyen * Rosita Larsen * Marcela Arciaga * Silverio Palting * Flo Cabral * Sandra, Madison & Jacob Teesy * Cleo Bala-Casino

♦ ORDINATION ANNIVERSARY: Bishop Jack Jose (47) * Fr. Steve Nguyen (23) * Fr. Edgar B. Brillantes (42) * Fr. Juan Macalisang (36) * Fr. Adrian R. Gervacio (55)

WEDDING: Kristopher Ferrer Wilson & Julianna Carlson-Wilson

♦WEDDING ANNIVERSARY: Bramante & Venus Miranda (50) * Mark & Angie Miranda (25) * Jose & Fe Go * Michael & Rhoda Mina * William & Mitronia Amoroso (64) * Francis+ & Hannah Leong * Lisiate * Alfredo & Praxedes Javines (60) * Andy & Mary Ann Llamedo (39) * Rolando & Ella Juanillo (22) * Theresa & Mike Schwengler (66) * Robin & Tim Johnson (15) * Joseph & Mila Llantero (43) * Silverio & Marivic Palting (15) * Latai Holeva & Lafaele Lakalaka-Manupuna (48) * Thomas & Olivia Mita (23) * Leo & Myra dela Cruz * Frankie & Flo Cabral (51) * Sandra & Heyly Teesy (20) * Gil & Evangeline Bacani (39)

GRADUATION: Caroline Kikkawa (UH William S Richardson School of Law) * Chad M Nishimura (Moanalua High School, cum laude)

***RETIREMENT:** Fe Go * Angie Goodbody

SAFE TRIP & VACATION: Angle Goodbody * Corazon Orcino * Fe Go * Alex & Marichu Pe Benito * Beth Pisbe * Grace Grasparil

SPECIAL INTENTION & THANKSGIVING: Thanksgiving – Alfredo+ & Andrea Baptista >Jose Rizalino & Fe Go >Teresa Siruno & children >Artates, Bacani, Aczon & Chesser families >Nazario & Alicia Balbuena >Armelita Canoneo >Cathy Purganan & family >Milagros Pena >Gloria Rodrigues >Jose Cadiz & family >Caridad Cortez >Silver & Marivic Palting >Joseph & Mila Llantero >Olivia & Thomas Mita >Fanny Montemayor >Cora Orcino >Segundo Facuri >M/M Jaime Macalma >Alex & Marichu Pe Benito >Urbano Acosta

Special intention – For Arrion Rosales-Llantos on his diaconate ordination * Bella Miranda & family * For peaceful resolution of War in Ukraine * FCC Officers & members * OLM Knights of Columbus Council 12935 * Special blessing for all supporters and donors of the *"Save Our Convent"* Fund Drive * For benefactors & donors of OLM * For all Seminarians and increase of priest-ly vocations in the Diocese * For the deliverance & healing of those afflicted with the covid-19 * For the end of the covid pandemic

DECEASED: +Leonora Rarangol * +Mateo, Alfredo, Segundina, Felina, Erlinda, Constantino Baptista * +Dolores Ramiscal * +Guillermo P. Saturnino * +Maximo & Teodulo Balbuena * +Ruby Rose Mohika * +Helen Canoneo * +Rufino Canoneo Sr * +Pablo Lamayo * +Audell Currie * +Silvestre Tolentino * +Eveline Corpuz * +Eloy Pascua * +Fermin Cruz * +Trinidad Pe Benito * +Agnes Kang * +Eric Neri * +William Miranda * +Estela Mercado Hernandez * +Pedro, Urbana, Virgilio, Orlando & Allan Artates * +Pio & Victoriana Bacani * +Manuel & Cecilia Molina * +Trinidad dela Cruz * +Juanita Dacanay * +Rosita Gaspar Balbuena * +Angela & Nicolas Balbuena * +Fabian, Laureana, Pastor, Malwenda, Walter, Petronilo, Teodulo * +Maximo, Segunda, Magdaleno, Delson, Felipe, Rosita, Eulalia * +Simplicio Canoneo * +Isabel Lamayo * +Ishio "Rocky" Mishina * +Maria Barranco * +Lebrado Patoy Sr * +Oriol, Amante & Edgar Aurelio * Bert Aguinaldo * +Perla Madarang * +Ely Purganan * +Gaudencio Garcia * Cesario Pascual * +Alan Lee Purganan * +Florentino Felipe * +Benny Montemayor * +Andres, Leopoldo, & Jose Hombrebueno * +Antone & Olivia Fivella * +Luz Neri * +Francisco Rodrigues * +Guy Miranda * +James Rodriguez Jr * +Medina Quelnan Esteban * +Ramon Bolanos * +Pedro Bolanos * +Alejo Autriz * +Martin C Rodrigues * +Ramon Rodrigues * +Leonarda Palting * +Nicolas Palting * +Jose, Sofia & Jacinta Palting * +Flor & Victoria Barruga * +Caridad Simon * +Ricardo & Ana Francisca Mateo * +Anthony Raymond Gutierrez * +Theresa Nguyen Nuoc Tri * +Macaria de Vera Ceria * +Mary B Rodrigues * +Ceresencia, Teodoro, Geralda, Aurelio, Felisa & Aleja Acosta * +Amancio Cardenas Bala * +Purie Cortez * +Violeta Pe Benito * +Loreta Pascual * +Julieta Tabora * +Adela Fuster Bueno * +Teresita Fontanilla * +Corazon Ingel * +Felix Agustin * +Consuelo Villanueva * +Carlina Asuncion Valencia * +Adelaida C Calzo * +Ciriaco B Jose * +Maria Lozano Jandoc * +Mariene Facuri * +Maria Goloran * +Marina Orcino Valdez * +Elaine Cruz * +For all the departed founders, Pastors, Religuos, benefactors

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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*You may now come to church with or without your own face covering.

*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 possible, avail of the covid-19 vaccination and booster shot. *Let's strive to stay safe, healthy and holy as we come back to the house of God and gather as one blessed family.



Jul 10 > 9:00am Thanksgiving - Jose & Fe Go * RM +Maximo & Teodulo Balbuena Jul 11 > 7:00am Healing - Marie Therese Castillo; Elpidio Sera * Thanksgiving - Jose & Fe Go Jul 11-15> 7:00am RM +Guy Miranda Jul 12-14 > 7:00am RM +Audell Currie Jul 13 > 7:00am RM +Silvestre Tolentino; +Eveline

Corpuz; +Eloy Pascua

Jul 15 > 7:00cm Successful surgery - Avelina Orcino * Healing - Lino Cabico Jul 16 > 6:00pm Thanksgiving - Alfredo & Andrea Baptista; Artates, Bacani, Chesser & Aczon families * Healing & speedy recovery - Claudette Ozon; Elpidio Sera; Amando Flores Jr; Those infected w/ covid-19 * Special intention - For peaceful resolution of war in Ukraine; For the end of the covid-19 pandemic * RM +Ernest & Mary Hoohuli; +Pedro, Urbana, Virgilio, Orlando & Allan Artates; +Pio & Victoriana Bacani; +Manuel & Cecilia Molina; +Trinidad dela Cruz; +Juanita Dacanay; +Guy Miranda; +Teodorico Ferrer; +Deceased Victims of the covid pandemic & gun violence; +Departed pastors, benefactors and parishioners of OLM Jul 17 > 6:30cm (Missa pro populo) Birthday - Liam Paul Gumban * Healing & Speedy recovery - Marie Therese Castillo; Elpidio Sera; Rizal Felipe; Amando Flores Jr; Vanessa Egan; Paul Facuri; Matilde Pascua; Logan Isidro; Caridad Dagdagan; Roselani Ramones; Paul Valbuena; Ernesto Fiesta; Benny Ursulum * Thanksgiving - Joseph & Mila Llantero; Segundo Facuri * Special intentions - For the end of the covid pandemic * RM +Leonora Rarangol; +Teodorico Ferrer; +Florentino Felipe; +Angela & Nicolas Balbuena; +Kenneth Ventura; +Durante Villa Sr; +Guy Miranda; +James Rodrigues Jr; +Audell Currie; +Deceased Victims of the coronavirus pandemic and gun violence.

> 9:00am Birthday - Victoria Ventura * Healing - Claudette Ozon; Elpidio Sera; Avelina Orcino; Faith Ivy Claro; Remigio Dumlao; Juliet Hobson; Yvonne Fukumoto; Rudy Balmilero; Imelda Ruaburo; Alfonso & Mary Villanueva; Jeanne Oshiro; all those infected by the coronavirus disease * Special intentions - For the OLM Knights of Columbus; For Peace in the world; Good health of priests; End of the covid pandemic & the war in Ukraine * Thanksgiving - Teresa Siruno & children; Nazario & Alicia Balbuena; Armelita Canoneo; Cathy Purganan & family; OLM FCC; Silverio & Marivic Palting; Thomas & Olivia Mita; Benny Acosta * RM +Helen Canoneo; +Maximo & Teodulo Balbuena; +Rosita Balbuena; +Dolores Ramiscal; +Ruby Rose Mohika; +Agnes Kang; +Guillermo Saturnino; +Silvestre Tolentino; +Eveline Corpuz; +Eloy Pascua; +Deceased Victims of the coronavirus pandemic and gun violence; +Departed pastors, benefactors and parishioners of OLM

Jul 18-31 > 7:00am RM +Leonora Rarangol

Jul 19 > 7:00am Birthday - *Theresa Schwengler*

Jul 21 > 7:00am Birthday - Christopher Chesser

Jul 22 > 7:00am Birthday - *Maggie Sagayaga*



DEADLINE: Please submit your **Mass intentions** by <u>Thursday</u> 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 <u>offering of \$10.00 per one (1) day Mass intention</u> for the support of the charitable works of the church and for the personal needs of





FAITH FORMATION

UPCOMING EVENTS 2022

*July 13 & 16 > Mentor Training

Learn how to mentor learners on Franciscan At Home to enable them to complete their <u>Catechist and/or Youth Ministry Certification.</u> Via Zoom, 9:00-10:30 AM.

Email Jayne for information: jmondoy@rcchawaii.org

*September 3 > **Catechist Training Day** (in-person and livestreamed) Reviewing the *"Norms for the Sacraments of Initiation and First Penance" Fr. Mark Gantley & Jayne Mondoy*, 9 AM - 12 PM, St. Stephen Diocesan Center

*September 29 > Mass of Healing from Miscarriage

Experience grace, healing, and a ritual naming of your pre-born child lost to miscarriage. Celebrant: *Bishop Larry Silva*, 6 PM, Co-Cathedral of St. Theresa,

*October 9 (in-person and livestreamed) > **Mackey Marianist Lecture** "Empty Churches: Where Have All the Young People Gone?" *Fr. Jim Heft*, SM, 4 PM, Mystical Rose Oratory, Chaminade University campus

*October 14 > **Celebrating the Eucharist: A Family Concert with John Burland** A fun evening of prayer and sing-along for the whole family. Co-Cathedral of St. Theresa, 6:30 - 7:30 PM

*November 3 – 5 > **Hope, Heal, Renew Catholic Virtual Conference** *"Gratefully Rejoicing as the Body of Christ"* Join over 1,200 of your fellow catechists for our 3rd annual virtual conference. Co-hosted by twelve (arch)dioceses in California, Hawaii, and Idaho.

*December 3 > **The Art of Witness: Celebrating Jesus in the Eucharist** Mary, Star of the Sea School

"Art of Witness: A Celebration of Jesus in the Eucharist" features talented local artists who will creatively immerse us in the beauty of the source and summit of our faith – the Real Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist – and inspire in us new ways to proclaim the Truth to the world.

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NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL:

BEGINS ON THE FEAST OF CORPUS CHRISTI ON JUNE 9, 2022.

The Bishops of the United States are calling for a three-year grassroots revival of devotion and belief in the Real Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist. They believe that God wants to see a movement of Catholics across the United States, healed, converted, formed, and unified by an encounter with Jesus in the Eucharist—and sent out in mission "for the life of the world."

Years 2022 - 2023 will focus on diocesan events. Please refer below to the list of "upcoming events" for those in catechetical ministry. You'll also be hearing from Nother areas such as Youth & Young Adult Ministries, the Office of Worship, and more!

Years 2023 - 2024 will focus on parish events.

These three years will culminate in the first National Eucharistic Congress in the United States in almost fifty years. Almost a hundred thousand Catholics will join together in Indianapolis June 17 - 21, 2024 for a once-in-a-lifetime pilgrimage toward the "source and summit" of our Catholic faith.

For details, resources, and to receive email updates from the USCCB go to <u>https://eucharisticrevival.org/</u> (Lifted from Faith Formation Newsletter, Issue 19, July 2022)



FAITH ACTION MESSAGE

Kathleen Jaycox <jaycox@hawaii.edu> Tue 7/12/2022 12:43 PM *Aloha!*

Faith Action for Community Equity Unfortunately, our planned forum with gubernatorial candidates has been cancelled. Please continue to encourage all members to pay attention to the candidates for vari-

ous political offices so that all of us can be informed voters. And, as always, thank you for all that you do on behalf of social justice. *Kathy* for the Communications Committee

NOTICE

Bishop Larry Silva announced that effective July 9, 2022 the diocesan "Office of Religious Education" is changed to "Office of Faith Formation." In addition, the title of the Director, Jayne Ragasa Mondoy, is also changed from "Director of Religious Education" to "Director of Faith Formation."

Fr. Edgar Brillantes announced that OLM will follow the same name changes.



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RESPECT LIFE -- Message to Parishioners



From: Francisca Kovaloff, OLM Respect Life Coordinator

"Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and before you were born, I dedicated you." Jeremiah 1:5

With the overturning of Roe vs Wade, it is important that our parish join the nationwide effort to form a Respect Life Committee in our parish to educate our parishioners, so they understand the issues and the importance of protecting all human life and meeting the needs of those who are most vulnerable – especially the unborn children, their mothers, the elderly, the seriously ill or dying and their families.

As Coordinator, I am recruiting for volunteers to help meet the needs the committee will serve.

Members will include interested parishioners, adults, and young adults as well as the youth, members of organizations that represent persons with disabilities, persons of minority cultures, and those responsible for education and pastoral care.

The parish committee will rely on the Diocese's Respect Life Office headed by Deacon Gary Streff and his wife, Valerie Streff for information and guidance .

The committee will play a vital role in parish life and will enjoy the strong support of our clergy and key ministry leaders and personnel. Its efforts can and may often coordinate and overlap with other parish programs -- bible studies or youth groups, for example, which focus upon pro-life passages and catechesis found in Catholic Tradition.

The objectives of the parish respect life committee are to coordinate and promote parish participation in the annual Respect Life Program from the USCCB as well as specific intentions of the pastor or parish community. This will be done through:

Education - Fostering awareness of the need to restore legal protection to the lives of unborn children and to safeguard in law the lives of all including of those who are chronically ill, disabled, or dying.

Pastoral Care - Support comprehensive maternity support services, as well as post-abortion counseling and reconciliation programs.

Public Policy - Keep informed regarding upcoming important legislation and encourage parishioners to take action in areas of public policy as outlined by the USCCB (United States Conference of Catholic Bishops), NCHLA (National Committee for Human Life Action), and the Hawaii Catholic Conference

<u>Prayer & Worship</u> - Sponsor programs of prayer in the parish to pray for mothers and their unborn children, those who are disabled or dying, prisoners on death row and those they have harmed.

Issues / Tasks the committee will be addressing. A member to lead and coordinate:

- 1 March at the Planned Parenthood Office group of parishioners and their families
- 2 Educate our children in the Faith Formation classes
- 3 Educate their parents and guardians
- 4 Educate the community
- 5 Design a Memorial to Pray for the Unborn, Pregnant Mothers, the Vulnerable, all Human Life statue, candles, flowers, prayers, etc.
- 6 Research and execute how to develop a culture of life in the parish
- 7 Prepare special prayers to be said at Mass for all creation
- 8 Research for pregnancy resource centers
- 9 Plan fundraisers for special events
- 10 Prepare a list of names of parishioners' with medical health care expertise: doctors, nurses, therapists, etc.
- 11 Research and report the adoption process
- 12 Prepare and distribute pamphlets of Respect Life services

Members to include: Clergy, Catechists, Knights of Columbus, Ministry Members, Organization Members, Parishioners, Youth Ministry, etc.

Interested individuals please complete the sign-up form and submit it to the Rectory Office. Your service is needed and appreciated. Thank you for your caring, dedication and commitment!

"Each of you has received a gift to use to serve others." 1 Peter 4:10

† RI	SPECT LIFE COMMITTEE SIGN-UP †	
NAME		
MINISTRY, if any		
PHONE		
EMAIL		
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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! <u>చి</u> **సి** ది



BEATING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC

*The mask mandate in the State of Hawaii has been lifted up since March 25 but we respect those who want to continue using mask. As we resume our public celebrations of the Holy Mass on days and weekends, we continue to observe health and safety protocols of observing hygiene practices and secure recommended vaccination and boosters.

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

*Those parishioners who feel not really able yet to come for reason of health issues are not obliged 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. We need to keep connected with our Almighty God who can put a definitive 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



CLERGY, STAFF, MINISTRIES, COMMITTEES, & ORGANIZATIONS

CLERGY AND STAFF Pastor - Rev. Fr. Edgar B. Brillantes Pastor Emeritus - Rev. Fr. Adrian R. Gervacio Office Coordinator - Bella Miranda Faith Formation Program Coordinator - Francisca Kovaloff (Meeting 3rd Sunday of the Month, after RE class) Bookkeeper - Deacon Rafael Mendoza Technology Consultant - Jun Cortez being God's hands and PERSONNEL Custodian - Lolito Dullin Music Director & Choir Ministry - Mary Ann Llamedo **COMMITTEE * MINISTRY * ORGANIZATION * CHAIRPERSONS** Rosary: Before the weekday and Sunday 6:30am Masses Pastoral Council (Meeting 4th Wednesday of the month, 6:00pm) Eucharistic Adoration & Benediction: After the First Friday 7:00am Mass / Stewardship Committee - Marcelino Ulep Mother of Perpetual Help Novena & Rosary: Thursdays, 7:00pm in the Education Committee - Marichu Pe Benito Church Finance Council - Rebecca Jandoc Reconciliation: Saturday: 5pm - 5:30pm or by appointment. Liturgy Committee (Meeting 4th Saturday of the Month, 9:00am), Faith Formation Classes: After the 9:00am Mass Respect Life Ministry & Safe Environment Ministry - Francisca (Summer break—May 29 to September 11, 2022) Kovaloff Catechists: Evangeline Bacani, Fe Go, Mary Ann Goloran, Francisca * Altar Server Ministry - Alvin Baron Kovaloff, Lucille Mohika, Rosemary Mohika, Cathy Villanueva * Eucharistic Ministry - Cleo Bala-Casino Confirmation & First Holy Communion: Candidates must be baptized. * Environmental Decoration Ministry - Cora Orcino Anointing the Sick: Please call the Office for a priest. For emergency at the * Hospitality Ministry - Mark Correia hospitals, please call 808-597-8779. * Lector Ministry & Receptionist - Gloria Rodrigues The Chaplain for Straub and Kaiser Permanente Medical Center is Outreach Coordinator & Family Fun Night - Tom DeCorte Fr. Francis Sanchez (808-738-2260). * Kokua & Food Pantry Ministry - Becky DeCorte The Chaplain for Queen's and Kapiolani Medical Center is Parish Planning and Building Committee - Vacant Fr. Rico Benandez (808-295-3209) Youth Ministry / Young Adult Ministry - Diena Peterson Kokua Ministry & Food Pantry: Temporarily closed due to COVID Website & myParish App Administrator - Mary Ann Llamedo restrictions. Ilocano Ministry & Choir (Novena to Our Mother of Perpetual Help and Rosary Thursdays at 7:00pm) - Silverio Palting Contact the Rectory Office for the following: Filipino Catholic Club (Mtg 2nd Sun of the Month, after the 9:00am (Telephone / Fax: 808-845-0828 * Email: olm@rcchawaii.org.) Mass) - Fe Go >Baptism: Third Sunday of the month. No baptism during Lent Knights of Columbus (Meeting Wednesday after the 3rd Sun. of the * Baptism Team - Mary Ann Goloran, Cathy Villanueva & Francisca Kovaloff Month, 6:00pm) >Marriage: Couples are required to make arrangements four Corporate Mass 9:00am, 4th Sun of the month) - George Roberts months before the wedding date. Prison & Hospital Ministries - Wilfred Soong * Diocesan policy requires couples to attend an Engagement Encounter Stewardship Counter & Receptionist - Linda Puzon Weekend. Cemetery Maintenance - Kalolo Tuihalafatai >Wake and Funeral Services: Before making arrangements with the Santo Nino Devotion & Visayan Ministry - Cleto Patoc mortuary. Parish Bulletin Editor - Francisca Kovaloff ACT OF CONSECRATION TO THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY



"Mother of God and our Mother, to your Immaculate Heart we solemnly entrust and consecrate ourselves, the Church and all humanity, especially Russia and Ukraine. Accept this act that we carry out with confidence and love. Grant that war may end and peace spread throughout the world. The 'Fiat' that arose from your heart opened the doors of history to the Prince of Peace. We trust that, through your heart, peace will dawn once more. To you we consecrate the future of the whole human family, the needs and expectations of every people, the anxieties and hopes of the world."

"May your maternal touch soothe those who suffer and flee from the rain of bombs. May your motherly embrace comfort those forced to leave their homes and their native land. May your Sorrowful Heart move us to compassion and inspire us to open our doors and to care for our brothers and sisters who are injured and cast aside."

"Through your intercession, may God's mercy be poured out on the earth and the gentle rhythm of peace return to mark our days. Our Lady of the 'Fiat,' on whom the Holy Spirit de-

scended, restore among us the harmony that comes from God. May you, our 'living fountain of hope,' water the dryness of our hearts. In your womb Jesus took flesh; help us to foster the growth of communion. You once trod the streets of our world; lead us now on the paths of peace. Amen."

(Pope Francis "Act of Consecration to the Immaculate Heart of Mary," St. Peter's Basilica, March 25, 2022)

PARISH NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

FEAST DAY

- Jul 18 St. Camillus de Lellis, priest
- Jul 20 St. Apollinaris, bishop & martyr
- Jul 21 St. Lawrence of Brindisi, priest & doctor of the Church
- Jul 22 Feast of St. Mary Magdalene
- Jul 23 > St. Bridget, religious > Blessed Virgin Mary

OTHER

Jul 27 Pastoral Council Mtg, 6:00pm, Parish Hall Aug 1 Public school classes start



Aug 5 Youth Ministry Event, 6:00-8:30pm, Parish Hall (details to follow)

Sep 11 Faith Formation Grand Registration Sep 18 Catechetical Sunday; Faith Formation classes begin





By whom also we have access by faith into this grace wherein we stand, and rejoice in hope of the glory of God. ROMANS 5:2

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.

OBITUARY

+DOMINADOR MALILAY TOLEDO, 83

Wake Service: July 12, 2022, 6:30 PM at Valley of the Temples Chapel

Funeral Service: July 13, 2022, 10:00 AM at Valley of the Temples Chapel

Interment: July 13, 2022, 12:00 N at Valley of the Temples Memorial Park

+KENNETH BUTAY VENTURA, 83

Graveside Service: July 18, 2022, 10:30 AM at Mililani Memorial Park Inurnment: July 18, 2022, 11:00 AM at Mililani Memorial Park

+JAMES MORRIS RODRIGUES JR., 58

Wake Service: July 11, 2022, 6:30 PM at Borthwick Mortuary Chapel Inurnment: July 18, 2022, 3:00 PM at Hawaiian Memorial Garden of Peace

+DURANTE BALASICO VILLA SR, 85

Wake Service: July 22, 2022, 7:00 PM at Nuuanu Mortuary Chapel Funeral Mass: July 23, 2022, 9:30 AM at Our Lady of the Mount Church

Interment: July 23, 2022, 1:00 PM at Valley of the Temples Memorial Park

+RUBY ROSE MOHIKA, 90

Funeral Mass: July 29, 2022, 10:00 AM at Our Lady of the Mount Church

Interment: July 29, 2022, 2:00 PM at Hawaiian Memorial Park

+ROSITA GASPAR BALBUENA, 81

Funeral Mass: July 30, 2022, 9:30 AM at Our Lady of the Mount Church

Interment: July 30, 2022, 12:00 N at Valley of the Temples Memorial Park

+GUILLERMO "WILLY" SATURNINO, 72

Funeral Mass: August 11, 2022, 11:00 AM at St. John the Baptist Church

Interment: August 11, 2022, 1:30 PM at Valley of the Temples Memorial Park

"Eternal rest grant unto the faithful departed, O Lord."

Our heartfelt condolences to the bereaved families.

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MASS SCHEDULE

Monday - Friday: 7:00am Saturday (Vigil): 6:00pm * Sunday: 6:30am & 9:00am RECONCILIATION

Saturday - 5:00pm-5:30pm or by appointment

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

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