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Roman Catholic Church * Diocese of Honolulu

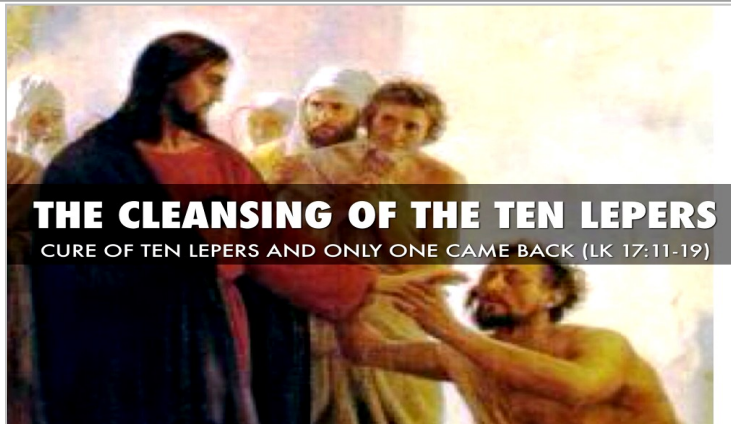
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† Celebrating 152 years and renewing our faith in grateful stewardship! †



Pastor
Rev. Fr. Edgar B. Brillantes



THE CLEANSING OF THE TEN LEPERS
CURE OF TEN LEPERS AND ONLY ONE CAME BACK (LK 17:11-19)



Pastor Emeritus
Rev. Fr. Adrian R. Gervacio



**OCTOBER IS —
◆ ROSARY MONTH ◆
◆ RESPECT LIFE MONTH ◆**



OCTOBER 10
COLUMBUS DAY
INDIGENOUS PEOPLE'S DAY

OCTOBER > Respect Life Month: We consider more deeply why every human life is valuable and reflect on how to build a culture that protects life from conception to natural death. Join Catholics nationwide in celebrating Respect Life Month! respect-life.org/celebrate

***40 DAYS FOR LIFE FALL CAMPAIGN 2022**

When: Sep. 28 to Nov 6, 7 a.m. to 7 p.m., Mondays to Saturdays

Where: Sidewalk in front of Planned Parenthood, 839 S. Beretania St., Honolulu

How: Please pledge to pray at least 1 hour each week.

Sign up online at www.40daysforlife.com/honolulu or contact Anne at anne40dfl@gmail.com, 808.268.7143 or Agnes at agnes.amalavida@gmail.com, 808.348.4481

***RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREAT**

When: October 14-16, 2022

Contact: Lisa Shorba > 808-349-5071 > Email: RVinHawaii@gmail.com



THE ROSARY MONTH OF OCTOBER > *Diocesan Rosary Congress*

Our devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary as our heavenly Mother and intercessor is paramount in our Christian life. We hold novenas, celebrate her feast days and devotedly pray the rosary. As a parish dedicated to Our Lady, we cherish the communal praying of the rosary in church before each Mass. Everyone is also urged to pray individually and as a family in your home and receive graces from above.

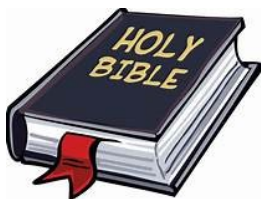
Part of this October devotion is our participation in the **Diocesan Rosary Congress** relay. Our turn last Sunday, October 2, from 12:00 noon to 6:00 pm was participated by the ministries and organizations who rotated every hour to lead the prayers. A Eucharistic exposition at the opening and adoration throughout the praying and meditation of the mysteries of the rosary were capped by a solemn benediction. The activity served as an act of reparation for the lack of respect to the sanctity of life and to pray for peace in our nation and the world. We also prayed for the end of the covid pandemic as well as physical and spiritual healing of those affected. *Gloria Rodrigues* and *Fran Kovaloff* coordinated the event who invited everyone to participate and be blessed.





Pastor's Corner

By Rev. Fr. Edgar B. Brillantes



Next Sunday's Reading

Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading

Exodus 17:8-13

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 121:1-8

Second Reading

2 Timothy 3:14-4:2

Gospel:

Luke 18:1-8

FOCUS: The Lord has done great things for us.

Today's readings invite us to reflect on our gratitude for what God has done for us, particularly through Christ. It begins with acknowledging that it is the Lord who has acted on our behalf. Such recognition can in turn lead us to a greater appreciation for God's greatness, to a deeper faith, and to true worship.

First Reading: 2 Kings 5:14-17

In the first reading, Naaman is healed after following Elisha's instructions to plunge himself into the Jordan seven times. Afterward, he pledges to offer sacrifice only to the Lord.

Second Reading: 2 Timothy 2:8-13

Paul writes to Timothy that it is the Gospel of Jesus Christ for which he is suffering, *even to the point of chains, like a criminal.*

Gospel: Luke 17:11-19

In the Gospel, Jesus is traveling throughout Samaria and Galilee when ten lepers call to him, *Jesus, Master! Have pity on us!* Jesus tells them to go show themselves to the priests and the lepers are healed while on their way. Only one leper, a Samaritan, returns to give thanks to Jesus.

BAPTISM †

>October 9, 2022 after the 9:00AM Mass

Child's name - STEPHAN CHATTERJI PREGIL

Date of birth - January 2, 2014

Place of birth - Honolulu, Hawaii

Mother's maiden name - Dorothy Piimoku Keola (Pregil)

Godfather's name - Charles Miller, Jr.

Godmother's name - Mary T. Miller

Child's name - IVY ROSE CHATTERJI PREGIL

Date of birth - June 30, 2018

Place of birth - Tucson, Arizona

Mother's maiden name - Same

Godfather's name - Preston Ramones

Godmother's name - Doreen Pregil

>October 16, 2022 after the 9:00AM Mass

Child's name - ZACHARY MABUTI VEGA

Date/Place of birth - August 31, 2021 / Honolulu, Hawaii

Father's name - Jose Marcelino Villanueva Vega

Mother's maiden name - Krizelle Jane Corpuz Mabuti

Godfather's name - Michael F. Ginez

Godmother's (Witness) name - Mae Zeline C. Mabuti

>October XX, 2022

Child's name - TAYVA WAIOLEKA MISINALE

Date/Place of birth -

Father's name - Tevita Latu Misinale

Mother's maiden name - Taylor Sachi'ko Shigaki

Godfather's name - Howard Gomes III

Godmother's name - Stephanie Shigaki

Child's name- AMOURE LILIENA MISINALE

Date/Place of birth -

Father's name - Tevita Latu Misinale

Mother's maiden name - Same

Godfather's name - Howard Gomes III

Godmother's name - Stephanie Shigaki



The Baptism Team completed the Pre-Baptism catechesis with the three families (parents and godparents) on October 5, 2022 in the parish hall.

Baptism Team: Mary Ann Goloran, Cathy Villanueva and Fran Kovaloff



DIOCESAN ROSARY CONGRESS – Thank you for your participation!

OLM's 6-hour rosary relay on Sunday, October 2 started at 12:00noon with the Exposition of the Holy Eucharist and ended at 6:00pm with the solemn Benediction by Rev. Fr. Edgar Brillantes. The servers were Manuel Francis Espindola and Frankie Cabral. Thank you to all the Ministry Leaders who brought their members together as a community to adore the Holy Eucharist throughout the praying and meditation of the mysteries of the Holy Rosary.

1st hour: 12:00 noon to 1:00pm – Pastoral Council, Stewardship Council and Finance Council - (Lead: Marc Ulep)

2nd hour: 1:00pm to 2:00pm - Ilocano Choir (Lead: Silverio Palting)

3rd hour: 2:00pm to 3:00pm- Filipino Catholic Club (Acting Lead: Cleo Bala-Casino)

4th hour: 3:00pm to 4:00pm – Knights of Columbus (Lead: George Roberts)

5th hour: 4:00pm to 5:00pm – Catechists (Lead – F. Kovaloff) and Youth & Young Adult Ministry (Lead – Diana Peterson)

6th hour: 5:00pm to 6:00pm – Liturgy Committee (Lead – Gloria Rodrigues)

A special thank you to Gloria Rodrigues who brought many varied healthy snacks and drinks that were enjoyed by all at the simple quiet fellowships in-between the hours. Thank you, everyone for your prayers, support, and participation!

**LIVE-STREAMED MASSES**

“The Lord has revealed to the nations his saving power.”

***28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – October 9, 2022 > 9:00 AM**

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

***REMINDER:** 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 have been providing the livestreaming of the Holy Mass from our Church to bring them the Lord's Good News and blessings. **This livestreaming will terminate by the end of October with the hope that more parishioners are coming back to church and the covid infection cases are flattening.** *Join us at www.Facebook.com/olmkalihi.



OLM FAITH FORMATION ACTIVITIES These are the class activities for the remainder of October 2022.

October 9 - Rosary making in the classrooms. The Coordinators are Lucille & Rosemary Mohika.

October 16 - Recitation of the Holy Rosary in the Chapel.

October 23 - Safe Environment Training - all meet in the Chapel for an information presentation by Lucille Mohika. Then break-up into separate classrooms for age-appropriate discussions.

October 30 - Halloween Costume Contest. The categories are: *Most Spiritual; Most Original; Most Funniest; Most Creative; and, Most Unusual.* Following will be **Fr. Edgar's 68th Birthday Celebration.** Potluck fellowship sign-ups after all Masses 10/15&16 and 10/22&23 by the members of the Pastoral Council.

Thank you and God bless, Fran Kovaloff, FF Coordinator

**FAITH FORMATION
UPCOMING EVENTS 2022**

***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.

(Lifted from Faith Formation Newsletter, Issue 19, July 2022) ✨ ✨ ✨ ✨



Faith Formation
LIFELONG AND ONGOING

'OHANA IN CHRIST ANNUAL APPEAL

From: *Mark Clark*, Diocesan Director, Stewardship & Development, Diocese of Honolulu

October 1, 2022

Bishop Larry Silva is asking every faith community to actively support *'Ohana in Christ* in an effort to raise awareness of our wider church mission and services, as well as to help raise the funds to sustain them through an annual diocesan appeal. Watch for more information in the Hawaii Catholic Herald, at Church, online and in the mail. MAHALO!



'Ohana in Christ

THE ANNUAL APPEAL *for the* CATHOLIC CHURCH IN HAWAII

September 2022

Aloha to All,

Peace be with you!

*And let the peace of Christ control your hearts,
the peace into which you were also called in one body.
And be thankful. Colossians 3:15*

Amen, for I am very thankful for your generous response to the initial **'Ohana in Christ** appeal. Along with the faithful support of your pastoral leaders and fellow parishioners, nearly one million dollars was raised in its first year.

With **'Ohana in Christ** we are able to unite our efforts and *Witness to Jesus* to impact our "family" of parishes, pastors, schools, social agencies, and communities across the Islands. In turn, the funds raised strengthen many important ministries and services - some of which are listed to the right and on the reverse.

Although the purpose of this letter is to ask for your continued financial support, I also want to encourage you to seek a renewed understanding and devotion of Jesus' love and real presence in the Eucharist. As **'Ohana in Christ** we are each called to emulate His sacrificial giving of self and reach out to those in need to further build the Catholic Church in Hawaii.

Therefore, I humbly ask for you to prayerfully consider making a generous gift again to this year's appeal. Please know that I pray for you and your loved ones each day. I will remember all donors in a special Mass for your kind Stewardship of Treasure. Together, we will respond to the Lord's call to build His Kingdom as **'Ohana in Christ**.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

+ Larry Silva

Most Reverend Larry Silva
Bishop of Honolulu



**Your donations are critical
in helping to provide these
ministries and services:**

Priests & Deacons

- Professional development
- Recruitment & assignment
- Permanent Deacon Formation
- Clergy health & wellness needs

Parishes

- Savings & Loan Services
- Emergency Preparedness
- Staffing & Training Services
- Financial & Insurance Services
- Stewardship & Tech Assistance
- Cemetery & Real Estate Services

People

- Evangelization & Respect Life
- Catholic Schools & Youth Groups
- Young Adult Faith Development
- Adult Faith Training & Program
- Parish Food & Shelter Programs
- Catholic Social Ministry Agencies
- Hospital Ministry & Prison Ministry

Administration

- Hawaii Catholic Herald
& Diocesan eCommunications
- Cathedral Basilica, Chancery,
& St. Stephen Diocesan Center
- Pope Francis & United States
Conference of Catholic Bishops

P.S. For more information on how to live out the Church's mission, or to make a gift and help your parish reach its 'OIC goal, please visit catholicahawaii.org. MAHALO!



STEWARDSHIP PRAYER

Lord Jesus Christ,

We serve in your name as did your apostles before us.

And we live, as they did, in anxious times, painfully aware of sin's presence in the world; a world in need of your Father's mercy. As your disciples, we also live in hope, confident that your light is breaking through the changing moods of life – healing, embracing and transforming as your presence moves deep within us.

Help us see every hour of our lives as a moment of grace:

A time when we open our hearts to you in prayer, discover your Truth in our work and leisure and live each moment as blessings to one another. Make us better stewards of the great wealth of gifts you have bestowed upon us. And show us how to teach others to open their hearts to those who hunger, thirst or who are strangers. Refresh our minds, renew our faith, and inspire us to proclaim your Gospel with a new energy in word and in deed for you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

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



STEWARDSHIP EXPRESSIONS [AN OPPORTUNITY TO DEEPEN OUR LIVES IN CHRIST](#)

A long-time member and contributor to ICSC, *Leisa Anslinger*, tells the story of having visited the pastoral council of a parish in her diocese.

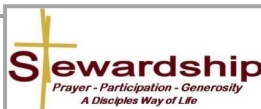
It was the first meeting of the season for the council, and the first meeting for newly appointed members. She was asked to provide a brief introduction to stewardship. After prayer, she asked the group "when I say the word 'stewardship' what first comes to mind?" She says she has used this opening for many years. She says it helps her get a quick glimpse into the group's perceptions about stewardship and provides a springboard for the presentation that would follow. This particular group's sharing was insightful to Leisa: God asks us to care for all that we are and all that is; stewardship is about sharing what we have; it is a faith-response to Christ; stewardship is about using well something that is really God's. Leisa said it was heartening to hear such understanding from this council, and encouraging that she has heard similar responses from many groups in the past few years. No longer, it seems, is "money" the first thing that comes to everyone's mind when they hear the word "stewardship."

This increase in understanding is the result of the hard work, dedication, and leadership of many ICSC members: bishops, priests and lay leaders alike. It is borne of consistent efforts to teach stewardship as a way of life. And just as stewardship itself is an expression of discipleship, applied in the daily circumstances of our lives, forming people as stewards requires us to continue to spread the message throughout the year, in all ways possible, in the daily and weekly circumstances of the life of our faith communities. Leisa has played a prominent role in the stewardship movement, working tirelessly to form Christian stewards. For her devoted ministry, ICSC is extending to Leisa one of its highest honors at this year's 60th anniversary conference, the *Christian Stewardship Award*.

Leisa says that she is always grateful to know that so many stewards will gather annually for the ICSC conference. It offers an opportunity for all of us to grow as leaders and as stewards; and most especially, to deepen our lives in Christ. Like the pastoral council in Leisa's story, we, too, recognize that all we are and all we have are truly God's. Our time together to learn, explore and grow as stewardship leaders is a way of stewarding well our talents, knowledge, time, and friendship, as people who are committed to serving others. This is a time when stewardship leaders in parishes and dioceses will pause and re-dedicate themselves as stewardship leaders, trusting in the providence of a good and gracious God in whose image we are created. *Leisa Anslinger* has been a tremendous leader in what our bishops have called a movement in the footsteps of Christ Jesus. [\(Lifted from International Catholic Stewardship Council e-bulletin, October 2022\)](#)



† MASS ATTENDANCE



SACRIFICIAL OFFERING



	<u>9/24-25/22</u>	<u>10/1-2/22</u>
Sat 6:00pm	57A+1C	47A+0C
Sun 6:30am	75A+0C	65A+0C
Sun 9:00am	105A+32C	87A+25C

	<u>9/24-25/22</u>	<u>10/1-2/22</u>
Offertory	\$ 3,332.15	\$ 3,513.00
Repair & Maintenance	\$ 75.00	\$ 403.00
Donation	\$ 100.00	
Ohana in Christ	\$ 10.00	
Funeral		\$ 900.00
Mass Intentions	\$ 275.00	\$ 20.00
Catholic Univ. of America		\$ 20.00
Candles	\$ 125.00	\$ 90.00
Total	\$ 3,924.15	\$ 4,946.00



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)



Sept 25-Nov 20 (Sundays only) > 6:30am Healing - Cipriana Luczon * RM +Clemente Luczon; +Faustino & Ignacia Ursulum; +Deceased members of Tabangcura family

Oct 1-28 > 7:00am Special intention - For the Ranit family; For the conversion of sinners

Oct 3-6 > 7:00am Healing & speedy recovery - Segundo Facuri; Jose Jandoc; Petronila Jandoc; Alfredo Jandoc

Oct 6 > 7:00am Healing & speedy recovery - Connie de Santos

Oct 8 > 6:00pm Healing & speedy recovery - Connie de Santos; Segundo Facuri; Kasandra Camille Mina Raquel; Petronila Jandoc; Jose Jandoc; Amando & Palmas Flores; Amando Flores Jr; Those infected w/ covid-19 * Special intention - For a spirit-filled October Rosary Month; For Chester & Shantil Centino; For the Ranit family; For the conversion of sinners; For respect for life of the unborn and the vulnerable; For the victims of the hurricane Ian; For the end of the covid-19 pandemic * RM +Regina de Santos; +Mary Varkonda; +Rose Garcia; +Patrick Calizar; +Jose, Lydia & Carmelita Criste; +Deceased Victims of the covid pandemic & gun violence; +Departed pastors, benefactors and parishioners of OLM

Oct 9 > 6:30am (Missa pro populo) Wedding anniversary - Virgilio & Lolita Lucas * Safe trip & vacation - Kalolo & Yvonne Tuihalafatai; Tom & Becky Decorte; Mary Ann & Andy Llamedo; Roger & Aida Isidro * Healing & Speedy recovery - Cipriana Luczon; Connie de Santos; Alfredo Jandoc; Petronila Jandoc; Alfonso & Mary Villanueva; Amando Flores Jr; Logan Isidro; Caridad Dagdagan; Roselani Ramones; Paul Valbuena; Benny Ursulum * Thanksgiving - Joseph & Mila Llantero * Special intentions - For a spirit-filled October Rosary Month; For Chester & Shantil Centino; For the Ranit family; For the Conversion of sinners; For respect for life of the unborn and vulnerable; For the victims of hurricane Ian; For the end of the covid pandemic * RM +Clemente Luczon; +Faustino & Ignacia Ursulum; +Deceased members of Tabangcura family; +Manuel Bringas; +Rose Garcia; +Patrick Calizar; +Teresita Fontanilla; +Rizal Felipe; +Guy Miranda; +Deceased Victims of the coronavirus pandemic and gun violence.

> 9:00am Wedding anniversary - Oliver & Jessica Jacinto * Healing - Amando & Palmas Flores; Antonio Diego Mateo; Lawrence Ligot; Jose Jandoc; Avelina Orcino; Juliet Hobson; Rudy Balmilero; Imelda Ruaburo; Alfonso & Mary Villanueva; Jeanne Oshiro; all those infected by the coronavirus disease * Safe trip - Mary Ann Llamedo; Cathy Purganan * Special intentions - For Angelita Saga; For a spirit-filled October Rosary Month; For respect for life of the unborn and the vulnerable; For the end of the covid pandemic & the war in Ukraine * Thanksgiving - Jayson Canoneo; Oliver & Jessica Jacinto; Alex & Mari-chu Pe Benito; Cora & Renato dela Rosa; Cathy Purganan; Cora Orcino; Silverio & Marivic Palting; Thomas & Olivia Mita * RM +Patrocinio Siruno; +Simplicio Canoneo; +Victorino Justo; +Francisco Saga; +Nicanor Bucaneg; +Magdaleno Teves Sanchez; +Primitivo & Emiliana Teves; +Gwendolyn Perry; +Luciano Bareng Sr; +Avelina Agbayani; +Deceased Victims of the coronavirus pandemic and gun violence; +Departed pastors, benefactors and parishioners of OLM

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Oct 10 > 7:00am Thanksgiving - Jayson Canoneo

Oct 10-28 > 7:00am Special intention - For the Ranit family; For the conversion of sinners

Oct 11 > 7:00am RM +Lorraine Freitas

Oct 14 > 7:00am RM +Mary Varkonda

Oct 15 > 6:00pm Birthday - Bella Miranda

Oct 16 > 6:30am Wedding anniversary (48) - Virgilio & Lolita Lucas

Oct 25 > 7:00am Birthday - Lolita Lucas

*Let us continue praying for our pastor's complete recovery and for the health of everyone.

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) day Mass intention for the support of the charitable works of the church and for the personal needs of the priests. *God bless you!*



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.

****Corazon Orcino* and *Olivia Mita* purchased from their pilgrimage in Medjugorje chalices and ciboria for use in the church and by the priest in their travels. They were assured by the merchants that they were not made in China. They are indeed worthy vessels in the worship of the Lord within the liturgy.

*****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.

*****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** – There are some wall fans in the Church that stopped functioning due to wear and tear and need immediate replacement especially in this time of hotter and steamier temperature. With our parishioners' stewardship offerings and donations we should have sufficient funds to make the purchase as soon as possible.

>We are most grateful to *M/M Adriano & Norma Daligcon* for being the first to step up to donate for this project in the amount of \$2000.00.

>*Elpidio & Angelita Sera* pitched in \$100.00. Big *mahalo* to everyone for being good stewards.

The securing and installation of the fans are handled by our parish volunteers – *Jun Cortez, Adriano Daligcon* and *Roger Isidro*. Our heartfelt gratitude goes 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. Included in this dedicated group are *Silver & Marivic Palting, Nellie Puzon, Ador Padilla, Julieta Walsh, Gil Bacani, Cely Villanueva, Norma Daligcon, Aida Isidro, Medy Macalma, Olivia Mita, Angie Sera, Renato & Cora dela Rosa, Cathy Purganan, Fe Go, Charito & Florencio Sipalay, Luz & Vicente Velasco, Marlene Calventas, Mary Ann Goloran and Corazon Orcino*.

❖**LITURGY** - 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 * 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 Leah 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.

*Under the hot & steamy sun of August, some members of the Ilocano Ministry spent gardening time at the Church makai side cultivating and replacing dried-up plants with new ones. Many thanks to *Renato dela Rosa * Cora dela Rosa * Julieta Walsh & Gil Bacani* for their hard work.

**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.*



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! ❖



† REMEMBER IN PRAYER

❖ **GOOD HEALTH / SUCCESSFUL SURGERY:** Cipriana Luczon * Olivia Mita * Connie de Santos * Segundo Facuri * Jessica Aguirre * Kasandra Camille Mina Raquel * Amando Sr & Palmas Flores * Jewelle dela Rosa Deuz * Antonio Diego Mateo * Christian Raquepo * Fr Rudy Ferrer * Fr Edgar Brillantes * Francisca Gascon & family * Lawrence Ligot * Alfredo Jandoc * Raymond Sedeno * Ernest Puaa * Grace Rivera * Petronila Jandoc * Jose Jandoc * Avelina Orcino Fralalde * Marie Therese Castillo * Faith Ivy Claro * Belen Quinto * Rudy Balmilero * Juliet Hobson * Amando Flores Jr * Vanessa Egan * Matilde Serbania Pascua * Teresa Lucero * Roselani Ramones * Benny Ursulum * Logan Isidro * Florentino & Jason Orcino * Yvonne Fukumoto * Maria Pascual * Marie Schwengler * Gwen Zanellato * Nicolas Ulep * Imelda Ruaburo * Paul Valbuena * Ropati Liua * Caridad Dagdagan * Andy & Marina Torio * Susan Reynon * Marilou Bruno * Lina Santos * Katrina Santos * Alfonso & Mary Villanueva * Jesse Ulep * George Calizar * Marvin Moore * Jeanne Oshiro

❖ **BIRTHDAY:** Lolita Lucas * Bella Miranda * Thomas Mita * Gwen Zanellato * Aurelia T Centino * Earl Gamiao * Michael Schwengler Sr * Michael Schwengler Jr * Paul George C Trocio * Apollo Yair Nicolas * Brielle Victoria Aczon * Fr Adrian Gervacio

❖ **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 ANNIVERSARY:** Virgilio & Lolita Lucas (48) * Rizal & Celerina "Mila" Fernandez (50) * Oliver & Jessica Jacinto * Jayson & Bridget Canoneo (23) * Jose & Fe Go

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

❖ **RETIREMENT:** George Roberts (US Army) * Fe Go * Angie Goodbody

❖ **SAFE TRIP & VACATION:** Virgilio & Lolita Lucas * Cathy Purganan * Roger & Aida Isidro * Kalolo & Yvonne Tuihalafatai * Tom & Becky DeCorte * Ann & Andy Llamedo * Beth Pisbe

❖ **SPECIAL INTENTION & THANKSGIVING:** **Thanksgiving** – Joseph & Mila Llantero > Oliver & Jessica Jacinto > Jayson Canoneo > Medy Macalma > Lori Robello > Jun & Caridad Cortez > Artates, Bacani & Aczon families > Isidra Bautista > Virgilio Cabico & family > Lydia Felipe > Jose Cadiz & family > Lito & Lia Centino > Cora & Renato dela Rosa > Teocson family > Liberato & Rosario Valdez > Armelita Canoneo > Cathy Purganan & family > Gloria Rodrigues > Silver & Marivic Palting > Olivia & Thomas Mita > Cora Orcino > Alex & Marichu Pe Benito > Urbano Acosta
Special intention – For the victims of the hurricane Ian in Florida & other areas * For the Ranit family * Conversion of sinners to the Sacred Hearts of Jesus & Mary * For a spirit-filled Diocesan Rosary Congress * Nazario & Alicia Balbuena * Chester & Shantil Centino * Paul & Krystle Parinas * Bella Miranda & family * For peaceful resolution of War in Ukraine * FCC Officers & members * OLM Knights of Columbus Council 12935 * For benefactors & donors of OLM Projects * For all Seminarians and increase of priestly vocations in the Diocese * For the deliverance & healing of those afflicted with the covid-19 * For the end of the covid pandemic

❖ **DECEASED:** +Lorraine Freitas * +Manuel Bringas (9th anniv) * +Magdaleno Teves Sanchez * +Primitivo & Emiliana Teves * +Clemente Luczon * +Faustino & Ignacia Ursulum * Deceased members of Tabangcura family * +Patrocino Siruno * +Simplicio Canoneo * +Victorino Justo * +Francisco Saga * +Nicanor Bucaneg * +Chasmin Sokoloski * +Regina De Santos * +Mary Varkonda * +Patrick Calizar * +Rose Garcia * +Priscilla Sternberg * +Rudy, Helen, Marlene, Grandal & Chad Pang * +Luciano Cristobal Bareng Sr * +Meliton Lamorena Mangrobang * +Josefino D Calzo * +Tessie Fontanilla * +Eufemio Sr & +Trinidad Cortez * +Rizal Felipe * +Gwendolyn K Perry * +Lino Raguine Cabico * +Flatan Fontanilla * +Encarnacion Fontanilla * Johnathan Tanaid * +Audell Currie * +Lydia Criste * +Rosa Umblas * +Consuelo Riberal Alcantra (11th anniv) * +Pio Alcantra * +Conrad Benitez * +Leonarda, Nicolas, Jose & Sofia Palting * +Esperanza Balmores * +Jose Calpito * +Caren Soong Kanakaole (1st anniv) * +Ernesto Fiesta * +Cresencia Edmalin * +Iluminada L Alegre * +Susan dela Cruz * +Magdalena & Primitivo Teves * +Rosita, Maximo, & Teodulo Balbuena * +Verlee Cadiz * +Millie Pedro * +Helen Platiro * +Nelly Tadeo * +Casey Domingo * +Guy Miranda * +Pedro & Urbana Artates * +Pascual & Rufina Simeon * +Ely Purganan * +Avelina Agbayani * +Augusto & Tita Brillantes * +Leonora Rarangol * +Dolores Ramiscal * +Josie Pascual * +Ruby Rose Mohika * +Martin C Rodrigues * +Pablo & Isabel Lamayo * +Fermin Cruz * +Oriol, Amante & Edgar Aurelio * Bert Aguinaldo * Cesario Pascual * +Alan Lee Purganan * +James Rodriguez Jr * +Cresencia Acosta * +Consuelo Villanueva * Religious, benefactors, donors & parishioners of OLM * +Victims of the coronavirus pandemic, wars, crimes & natural disasters * +Holy Souls



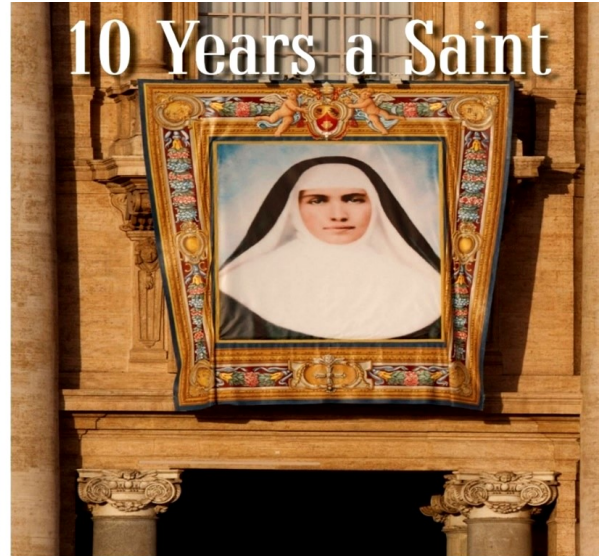
Be Bold * Be Catholic * Be a Knight and Make a Difference!

**ACTIVITIES: Columbus Day Luncheon on October 9, 2022 at Ke'ehi Lagoon Memorial Park
Campaign for Life – October: Love Life – Choose Life!**

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CELEBRATE THE 10TH ANNIVERSARY OF ST. MARIANNE'S CANONIZATION

Ten years ago, on Oct. 21, under glorious blue skies, Pope Benedict XVI canonized Mother Marianne Cope of Molokai, at the Vatican's St. Peter's Square. The Diocese of Honolulu will celebrate this anniversary with a Mass in the Co-Cathedral of St. Theresa 712 North School Street, Honolulu, on Tuesday, Oct. 25 at 6 p.m. (Note time change) Bishop Larry Silva will preside. A free reception will follow. All are invited. Registration for Oct. 25 event through Eventbrite is required: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/422930234717> There will also be a Mass on the anniversary date itself, Friday, Oct. 21, at noon at the Cathedral Basilica of Our Lady of Peace. The bishop will also celebrate an anniversary Mass Oct. 23 at 10 a.m. at St. Francis Church, Kalaupapa, Molokai. (private)



Celebrate the 10th Anniversary of St. Marianne's Canonization



Faith Action for Community Equity <cchee@faithactionhawaii.org>

*Faith Action for Community Equity is a grass-roots, member-led, 501(c)3 non-profit organization driven by a deep spiritual commitment to improving the quality of life for our members and all the people of Hawaii. United by common values and galvanized by collective power, we address the root causes of social injustice on Oahu through our intergenerational, interfaith, and intersectional organizing strategy. We are the only organization of its kind in Hawaii.

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**REBUILT PARISH WEBINAR SERIES
FROM THE OFFICE OF THE BISHOP**

To all diocesan staff, parish staff, and parishioners:
You are invited to the **Rebuilt Parish Webinar Series** that is themed in four anchors: growing leaders, growing wider, growing deeper, and creating an exceptional weekend experience.

Rebuilt Parish is a Catholic movement aimed at impacting the minds and hearts of parish leaders so they can refocus on reaching the un-churched, creating a clear discipleship path, and rebuilding their parish culture.

The next webinar **"Grow Deeper, Get Disciples"** is this coming Wednesday, September 28 at 6:00 a.m. Hawaii Standard Time (noon, Eastern Time) that will be discussing growing deeper and creating a discipleship path.

If the time is not convenient for you, please register anyway and you will receive a replay automatically.

To register go to <https://www.rebuiltparish.com/equip-sessions>

All are welcome to participate in these free webinars. The webinars are 1 hour 30 mins of content and discussion. We hope you will join this webinar series!

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UPDATED REMINDERS IN THE TIME OF THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC

*The daily *Star Advertiser* issue on September 29, 2022, reported that according to the Hawaii Department of Health, Covid-19 reinfections are rising. Health officials say the rise in reinfections is all the more reason to remain up to date with the vaccines and get the bivalent boosters. The vaccine is a good way to protect yourself from infection and, in particular, severe disease and death. The bivalent boosters target the specific omicron subvariant BA.5, which is affecting many people now. **The UH team of Dr. Clem Ceria-Ulep will again conduct free vaccination with the bivalent boosters in our parish on October 23 after the 9:00 AM Mass.**



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

*Those parishioners who feel not really able yet to come for reason of health issues are not obliged to come. If you feel sick, please don't force yourself to come to church. Stay home and get well. You are dispensed from the obligation. Nevertheless, you are highly encouraged to join the televised or livestreamed mass to fulfill your Sunday obligation.

*At OLM, we provide live-streamed Mass every Sunday of 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's strive to stay safe, healthy and holy as we come back to the house of God and gather as one blessed family. Let us continue to pray for one another and for the whole world.

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

**ABOUT THE BIVALENT BOOSTER**

By Dr. Clementina Ceria-Ulep



For the next 2 weekends, we are signing up individuals for the bivalent booster vaccination. The State of Hawaii Department of Health is encouraging all who are eligible to take it. The value of the bivalent booster is that it is effective against the original virus and omicron variants (the variants affecting Hawaii/U.S. population at this time). It reduces hospitalization and death rate especially for those who are older; and those with pre-existing conditions like, diabetes, high blood pressure, those with weakened ability to resist infection.

***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!





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 class)
 Technology Consultant - *Jun Cortez*
 Bookkeeper - *Deacon Rafael Mendoza*

PERSONNEL

Custodian - *Lolito Dullin*
 Music Director & Choir Ministry - *Mary Ann Llamedo*



COMMITTEE * MINISTRY * ORGANIZATION * CHAIRPERSONS

Pastoral Council *(Meeting 4th Wednesday of the month, 6:00pm)*
 / Stewardship Committee - *Marcelino Ulep*
 Education Committee - *Marichu Pe Benito*
 Finance Council - *Rebecca Jandoc*
 Liturgy Committee *(Meeting 1st Tuesday of the Month, 6:00pm)*,
 Respect Life Ministry & Safe Environment Ministry — *Francisca Kovaloff*
 * Altar Server Ministry - *Alvin Baron*
 * Eucharistic Ministers of Holy Comm. Ministry - *Cleo Bala-Casino*
 * Environmental Decoration Ministry - *Cora Orcino*
 * Hospitality Ministry - *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 - *Vacant*
 Website & *myParish App* Administrator - *Mary Ann Llamedo*
 Ilocano Ministry & Choir - *Silverio Palting (Novena to Our Mother of Perpetual Help and Rosary, Thursdays at 7:00pm)*
 Filipino Catholic Club - *Fe Go (Meeting 2nd Sun of the Month, after the 9:00am Mass)*
 Knights of Columbus - *George Roberts*
Corporate Mass 9:00am, 4th Sun of the month; meeting after
 Prison & Hospital Ministries - *Wilfred Soong*
 Stewardship Counter & Receptionist - *Linda Puzon*
 Cemetery Maintenance - *Kalolo Tuihalafatai*
 Santo Nino Devotion & Visayan Ministry - *Cleto Patoc*
 Parish Bulletin Editor - *Francisca Kovaloff*
 Youth Ministry / Young Adult Ministry - *Diena Peterson*

Rosary: Before the weekday and Sunday 6:30am Masses

Eucharistic Adoration & Benediction: After the First Friday 7:00am Mass

Mother of Perpetual Help Novena & Rosary: Thursdays, 7:00pm in the Church

Reconciliation: Saturday: 5pm - 5:30pm or by appointment.

Faith Formation Classes: After the 9:00am Mass

(Summer break—May 29 to September 11, 2022)

Catechists: *Evangeline Bacani, Fe Go, Mary Ann Goloran, Francisca Kovaloff, Lucille Mohika, Rosemary Mohika, Cathy Villanueva*

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 808-597-8779.

The Chaplain for Straub and Kaiser Permanente Medical Center is
Fr. Francis Sanchez (808-738-2260).

The Chaplain for Queen's and Kapiolani Medical Center is
Fr. Rico Benandez (808-295-3209)

Kokua Ministry & Food Pantry: Temporarily closed due to COVID restrictions.

Contact the Rectory Office for the following:

(Telephone / Fax: 808-845-0828 * Email: olm@rcchawaii.org.)

>**Baptism:** Third Sunday of the month. No baptism during Lent

* Baptism Team - *Mary Ann Goloran, Cathy Villanueva & Francisca Kovaloff*

>**Marriage:** Couples are required to make arrangements *four months before* the wedding date.

* Diocesan policy requires couples to attend an Engagement Encounter Weekend.

>**Wake and Funeral Services:** Before making arrangements with the mortuary.

myParish App - Be smart!

Have instant access to what is happening in our parish and have *prayers, *scripture readings and *current church news in the palm of your hands through *myParish App*. Go to your app store and **search for "myparish" or you can text "app" to "88202"** and you will receive a link to download. Once installed you can choose *Our Lady of the Mount* as your parish and view the app; download is **free**.



Update

Youth & Young Adult Ministry

Visit us on Facebook or Instagram to know more details about the OLM Youth and Young Adult Ministry.

Social Media Platforms



Facebook:
Our Lady of the Mount Youth & Young Adult Ministry



Instagram:
@ourladyofthemount_youth

Contact:
Diena Peterson
 Email: dpeterson@rcchawaii.org
 Phone: (808)861-7660

PARISH NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

FEAST DAY

- Oct 11** St. John XXIII, pope
- Oct 14** St. Callistus I, pope and martyr
- Oct 15** St. Teresa of Jesus, virgin & doctor of the Church

OTHER

- Oct 9** Filipino Catholic Club mtg. after 9AM Mass
- Oct 8/9, & 15/16** Sign-up COVID-19 Bivalent Booster Vaccination, after Mass
- Oct 10** Columbus Day - not a Holiday, the Office is Open
- Oct 23**
 - >COVID-19 Bivalent Booster Vaccination Clinic, 10:30-11:45 am, Parish Hall
 - >Faith Formation Program Safe Environment Training, children & parents.
 - >World Mission Sunday
- Oct 30**
 - > FF Halloween Costume Contest after 9:00AM Mass followed by
 - > Fr. Edgar's birthday celebration (potluck fellowship). Sign-ups Oct 15/16 & 22/23
- Nov 1**
 - > All Saints Day
 - > Memorial Board and Remembrance Book displayed. You may drop off at the Office photos of your deceased loved ones to be placed on the board.
- Nov 2** All Souls Day

OCTOBER MASS COUNTS BEGIN THIS WEEKEND.

This message was sent with High importance.

Cabiles, Dcn. Keith

Chancellor, Diocese of Honolulu
Thu 9/29/2022 12:09 PM

Hello all!



Just a quick reminder that **October Counts** begin this weekend. I appreciate your effort, and I appreciate your volunteer counters! Again, you can download the October Count Form here if you misplaced, or did not receive the original:

<https://www.catholicahawaii.org/media/650970/2022-form.pdf>

Peace!

Deacon Keith Cabiles, Chancellor

kcabiles@rcchawaii.org

✝ OBITUARY

+LUCIANO CRISTOBAL BARENG SR, 82

Funeral Service: October 12, 2022, 12:00 PM at Valley of the Temples Chapel

Interment: October 12, 2022, 2:00 PM at Valley of the Temples Memorial Park

+MELITON LAMORENA MANGROBANG, 75

Funeral Mass: October 29, 2022, 11:30 AM at Our Lady of the Mount Church

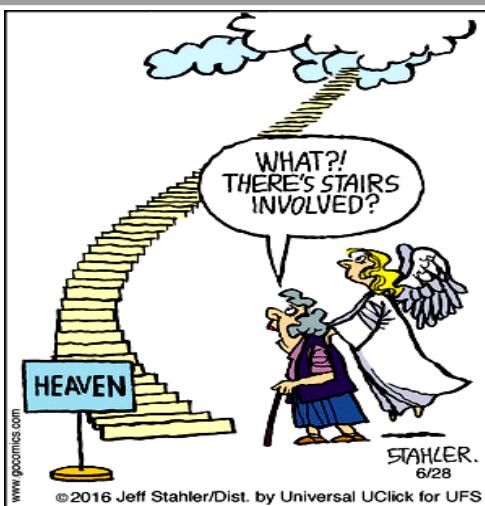
Interment: October 29, 2022, 1:00 PM at Valley of the Temples Memorial Park

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



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(Laugh Out Loud)



COLUMBUS DAY

Columbus Day is on the second Monday of October. This year it is on October 10, 2022. In Hawaii, it is NOT a holiday. It marks the anniversary of Christopher Columbus' arrival to America on October 12, 1492. He was an Italian explorer who took three ships the Santa Maria, Nina, and La Pinta and sailed across the Atlantic Ocean looking for a faster way to get to the Far East and by accident landed in the New World. The day celebrates the landing of Christopher Columbus's ships in the New World. (from: calendardate.com)

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

MASS SCHEDULE

Monday - Friday: 7:00am

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

RECONCILIATION

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

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

FOR ANY QUESTIONS OR CONCERNS, please contact Fran Kovaloff, bulletin editor, at fkovaloff@rcchawaii.org or (808) 228-2909.