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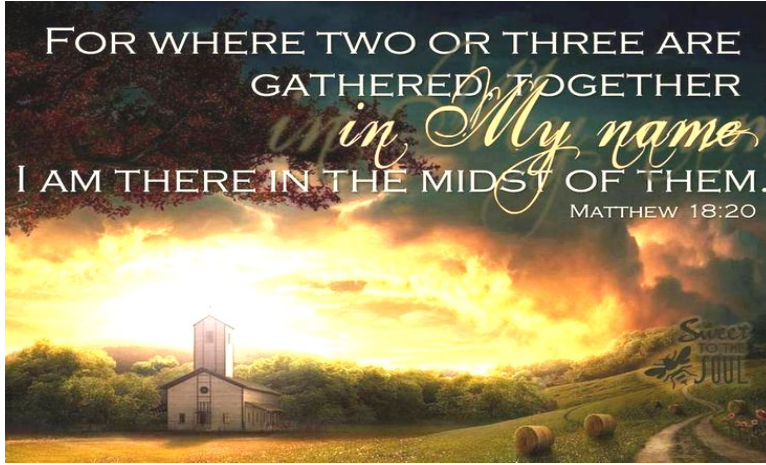
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† CELEBRATING 153 YEARS AND RENEWING OUR FAITH IN GRATEFUL STEWARDSHIP! †



Pastor
Rev. Fr. Edgar B. Brillantes



Pastor Emeritus
Rev. Fr. Adrian R. Gervacio

“For where two or three are gathered together in my name, there am I in the midst of them” (Mt 18:20).



SUPPORT OF OUR MAUI COMMUNITY

*SPECIAL SECOND COLLECTION – SEPTEMBER 9 & 10

Maui Wildfire Donation Letter.pdf

Pastors and Parish Business Managers,

Please share the Bishop’s letter with your faith community this weekend during Mass and for the rest of this month. For those who do not give online, you can take up a second collection for this effort in the month of August and forward the funds to our office like all second collections. We will be sure to deposit to HCCF so the funds can be used for the relief efforts! Much thanks and aloha for all you do! Together we can help to rebuild the lives and souls of our Maui faith community.

Lisa Sakamoto, Diocese of Honolulu Business Office



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August 11th, 2022

Most Reverend Larry Richard Silva * 1184 Bishop Street * HONOLULU, HI - 96813-2859

Your Excellency:

In the temporary absence of Archbishop Christophe Pierre, Apostolic Nuncio, I am asked to convey to you the following message signed by His Eminence Cardinal Pietro Parolin on behalf of His Holiness Pope Francis, who expresses his personal closeness to you and to the people affected by the terrible consequences of the ongoing wildfire on the Island of Maui.

THE MOST REVEREND LARRY SILVA, BISHOP OF HONOLULU

HIS HOLINESS POPE FRANCIS WAS DEEPLY SADDENED TO LEARN OF THE LOSS OF LIFE AND THE DESTRUCTION CAUSED BY THE WILDFIRES ON THE HAWAIIAN ISLAND OF MAUI, AND HE EXPRESSES HIS SOLIDARITY WITH ALL THOSE SUFFERING FROM THIS TRAGEDY, ESPECIALLY THOSE WHOSE LOVED ONES HAVE DIED OR ARE MISSING. HIS HOLINESS ALSO OFFERS THE ASSURANCE OF PRAYERS FOR THE DEAD, INJURED AND DISPLACED, AS WELL AS FOR THE FIRST RESPONDERS AND EMERGENCY PERSONNEL. AS A SIGN OF HIS SPIRITUAL CLOSENESS THE HOLY FATHER WILLINGLY INVOKES UPON ALL THE PEOPLE OF MAUI ALMIGHTY GOD’S BLESSINGS OF STRENGTH AND PEACE.

CARDINAL PIETRO PAROLIN, SECRETARY OF STATE

Your Excellency may wish to share a copy of the message with local authorities, as a sign of the Pope’s closeness.

Offering my personal prayers for the victims as well as for all who generously provide first aid and assistance, with kind regards, I remain

Respectfully yours, *Msgr. Séamus P. Organ*, Chargé d'affaires a. i.



Pastor's Corner

By Rev. Fr. Edgar B. Brillantes



Next Sunday's Reading Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading
Sirach 27:30-28.7

Responsorial Psalm
Psalm 103:1-4, 9-12

Second Reading
Romans 14:7-9

Gospel
Matthew 18:21-35

FOCUS: Jesus is present when we gather together and love one another.

The liturgical gathering makes Christ present in numerous ways, such as through the proclamation of the word of God and in the Eucharist. Perhaps the most overlooked reality of Christ's presence comes through the physical gathering of God's people, who are instructed to owe nothing to anyone except love. This love between us makes God presence visible on earth.

First Reading: *Ezekiel 33:7-9*

Ezekiel, in today's first reading, is appointed watchman to guide his people in the ways of the Lord.

Second Reading: *Romans 13:8-10*

In the second reading, Paul describes to the Roman Church how love fulfills the entire law and satisfies every commandment.

Gospel: *Matthew 18:15-20*

The Gospel includes Jesus' instructions for navigating conflict and correcting those who sin. He concludes by saying that he is present when people gather in his name for prayer.

NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL: 2022-2025

"Let's be Eucharistic Stewards"

The second phase of the National Eucharistic Revival declared by the US Bishops Conference is the **Year of Parish Revival** which began on the Solemnity of Corpus Christi, June 11, 2023. On this new season of grace, we are praying together the Eucharistic Revival Prayer in all the Masses.

One of the fruits we anticipate from the National Eucharistic Revival movement is a greater unity within the Catholic Church. Let us join our brothers and sisters from all heritages and backgrounds in earnest intercession as we ask God to pour out an overflowing measure of grace and healing throughout the next year of this movement.

"Eucharistic Stewardship" is a prominent theme in the fifth chapter of the United States Catholic Bishops' pastoral letter *Stewardship: A Disciple's Response*. The bishops teach us that Catholics are called to make the Eucharist a priority in their communal life of prayer, worship and action. The bishops maintain that to be a follower of Jesus Christ one must be a good steward of the Eucharist each and every day.

In implementing the Eucharistic Revival program, the Dioceses and parishes have their coordinators and point persons. In the Diocese of Honolulu, *Fr. Ese'ese Ace Tui* is the Coordinator and in OLM Parish, *Fran Kovaloff* is the point person.



National Eucharistic Revival Prayer



Lord Jesus Christ, you give us your flesh and blood for the life of the world, and you desire that all people come to the Supper of the Sacrifice of the Lamb. Renew in your Church the truth, beauty, and goodness contained in the Most Blessed Eucharist.

Jesus living in the Eucharist, come and live in me.

Jesus healing in the Eucharist, come and heal me.

Jesus sacrificing yourself in the Eucharist, come and suffer in me.

Jesus rising in the Eucharist, come and rise to new life in me.

Jesus loving in the Eucharist, come and love in me.

Lord Jesus Christ, through the paschal mystery of your death and resurrection made present in every Holy Mass, pour out your healing love on your Church and on our world. Grant that as we lift you up during this time of Eucharistic Revival, your Holy Spirit may draw all people to join us at this Banquet of Life. You live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, God forever and ever.

Our Lady of Peace, Mother of the Eucharist, Pray for us.



STEWARDSHIP PRAYER FOR SEPTEMBER

Lord Jesus Christ,

As we begin to shift from summer schedules to autumn demands, teach us to recognize you, and help us follow you amidst our busy life. Open the Scriptures to us that we may know you, see you, hear you –

in the voices of friends and family,

in the ministries of our parish,

in the proclamation of the Word,

and in the Breaking of the Bread.

Teach us to be good stewards,

that we may use your gifts wisely

and care for all those you place in our path.

Encourage us, when we are overwhelmed.

Strengthen us, when we are frightened.

Challenge our complacency.

Help us make this new season a time of spiritual renewal, hope, and action to proclaim the Gospel in our words and in our deeds. For the kingdom and the power and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

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ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH IN THE STATE OF HAWAII
DIOCESE OF HONOLULU
 WITNESS TO JESUS

August 11, 2023

To our Catholic Faithful in Hawaii and Beyond:

Peace be with you!

Today our thoughts and prayers are with all those affected by the devastating wildfires that have ravaged the island of Maui. As a community of faith, we are called to come together and provide unwavering support to those who are suffering. It is in times like these that our collective love, faith, and compassion can make a tremendous difference.

In 2008, the Hawaii Catholic Community Foundation (HCCF) was established as a 501(c)(3) nonprofit corporation to support our parish and school communities. We have set up a dedicated webpage for donations to go directly to HCCF to support the relief efforts for our fellow community members affected by the Maui wildfires. This is an opportunity for us to show our solidarity as a Catholic faith community and lend a helping hand to those who have lost so much.

You can make a tax-deductible contribution by visiting the following link:

<https://tinyurl.com/MauiCatholic> . Every donation, no matter the amount, will play a crucial role in helping to rebuild lives and restore hope.

Let us also remember the power of prayer. In our collective prayers, we ask for strength, resilience, and healing for the fire victims and their families. May we find the grace to rebuild our families, their livelihoods, and the physical structures that were lost. Let our faith guide us as we navigate the challenges ahead, knowing that with the grace of God, all things are possible.

May God bless you all abundantly, and may our efforts bring comfort and hope to those in need. Maria Lanakila (Our Lady of Victory), pray for us!

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Most Reverend Larry Silva
 Bishop of Honolulu

Rev. Msgr. Terrence Watanabe
 Vicar Forane of Maui-Lanai



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

Congratulations to the OLM Knights of Columbus Council 12935 for completing their project of erecting a memorial structure for the unborn amidst garden plants on the mauka side of the Church. The Plaque of the Unborn is displayed on top. Everyone is invited to stop by and say a prayer for all the children who were not given the chance to see the light of day. They are praying for us too as our *angelitos* and *angelitas* or little angels.

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**STEWARDSHIP EXPRESSIONS
BE GENEROUS AND PRUDENT WITH PARISH COMMITMENTS**

For millions of kids in the Northern Hemisphere, September marks the beginning of school. Little ones bid a teary farewell at the kindergarten door, and college students embark on their first steps towards adulthood. For everyone in between, it's a time when the lazy days of summer are transformed into a season of routines, schedules and commitments.

The same goes for grown-ups, even those of us who don't have kids. If you're not being besieged to sign up for a long list of volunteer opportunities at school, sports or scouts, your parish may be gearing up for the ministry fair and "commitment Sunday." A good steward will approach this season of "sign-ups" with the right attitude and prayerful reflection.

Here are some considerations for using your gifts of time and talent wisely and generously: a smart person once said that your vocation is the place where your greatest happiness intersects with the world's greatest need. So commit yourself to something you can get excited about. Don't sign up from a guilt complex, or a "nobody's going to do this so I guess I should" frame of mind. Feel free to try something new; don't think that since you joined one committee last year, you're stuck for life. Be generous with your time, but don't over-commit. Think of the time you spend surfing the web or watching television, and then think about how you can channel some of that time into service for your parish family. Just don't over-book yourself. Remember that stewardship of your family, and taking care of your own spiritual health, are of primary importance. Be selective about the parish commitments you make, and then give yourself whole-heartedly and efficiently to your chosen role. Be a person your committee can always count on. And when you're pondering commitments, don't forget to consider the commitments of your whole family and how they intersect. Today's kids are often over-booked, and all these "sign-ups" should never take away from family nights around the dinner table and evenings spent together. Plan a family discussion, and family prayer, before everyone plunges into a fall and winter of busyness. Make this year's commitment of time and talent enriching for all!



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MASS ATTENDANCE

	<u>8/26-27/23</u>	<u>9/2 - 3/23</u>
Sat 6:00pm	56A+4C	57A+5C
Sun 6:30am	55A+1C	60A+0C
Sun 9:00am	107A+17C	120A+15C



SACRIFICIAL OFFERTORY



	<u>8/26-27/23</u>	<u>9/2 - 3/23</u>
Offertory	\$ 3,013.00	\$ 3,973.95
Repair & Maintenance	\$ 45.00	\$ 822.00
Catholic University of America		\$ 1,034.88
Special Event		\$ 190.00
Candles	\$ 85.00	\$ 135.00
Total	\$ 3,143.00	\$ 6,155.83



CELEBRATING PRIESTHOOD SUNDAY 2023

From: Honorio, Fr. Gregorio <ghonorio@rcchawaii.org>

Sent: Monday, September 4, 2023 11:28 AM

To: Pastors & School Administrators

Cc: Silva, Bishop Larry <lsilva@rcchawaii.org>

Subject: Priesthood Sunday 2023

Aloha!

Happy Labor Day.

Attached are resources for your parish/school to celebrate Priesthood Sunday on September 24, 2023. Priesthood Sunday is a special day to honor the priesthood in the United States. It is a day to reflect upon and affirm the central role of the priesthood in the Church's life. With priests, we can receive Jesus in the Eucharist. *St. Augustine said, "O wonderful the dignity of priests; in whose hands the Son of God is made flesh as in the womb of the Virgin."* Priesthood Sunday is designed to be an event led by the laity. The US Council of Serra International coordinates and sponsors this nationwide event.

Please do not wait until your priest/s retires or moves to another assignment to celebrate their service. Like Father's Day, let Priesthood Sunday be the one day a year when we make it a point to make priests feel truly appreciated and special.

On behalf of Bishop Larry Silva and Monsignor Gary Secor, thank you for all you do for our priests.

Note: Parishes/schools may choose to celebrate Priesthood Sunday on another Sunday when convenient.

Mahalo,

Rev. Gregorio Honorio Jr.

Vicar for Clergy

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PARISH CALENDAR

- September 9 & 10 > Special Second Collection for "Support Maui"
- September 10 > Sunday School Registration of Students
- September 11 > Patriot Day
- September 14 > Feast of the Exaltation of the Cross
- September 15 > Feast of Our Lady of Sorrows
- September 16 > Finance Council Meeting
- September 17 > Catechetical Sunday, commissioning of catechists at the 9:00AM Mass
- September 17 > Sunday School classes begin after the 9:00AM Mass, all meet in the hall
- September 17 > Ilocano Mass at 5:30PM; followed by fellowship in the hall
- September 24 > Priesthood Sunday; potluck fellowship in the hall after the 9:00AM Mass



DEVOTIONS

Come and spend some time with the Lord in church as a community to pray for peace in the world, for the end of the covid pandemic and for God's blessings on your home and family.

Every First Friday – Eucharistic Adoration from 7:30am-8:30am.

Every Thursday – Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help and Holy Rosary at 7:00pm.

Every Friday – Novena to Santo Nino at 6:30pm.



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‘OHANA IN CHRIST



Aloha Pastors and Parish Office Staff,

Like past years, each parish office will receive a "Parish Kit" in September to help promote 'Ohana in Christ on the weekend of September 30/October 1. The kit will contain a cover letter, posters, and return gift envelopes (...with Bishop's Letter and Donor Card enclosed). New this year, a banner (of the poster) and stand will also be provided. The banner is 6' tall with grommets for ease of hanging, so the stand is optional.

Also note the projected timeline below. Many thanks for your continued support and prayers, Mark (808) 203-6723

2023/2024 'OIC Timeline:

- September 1 > Parish Kits shipped to each parish for pre-launch promotion (...video/audio links to follow)
September 20 > Letter from Bishop mailed to all past 'OIC donors who gave "direct"
Sept 30/Oct 1 > Pastors promote 'OIC at all Masses via testimony, video/audio & distribution of "Return Gift Envelopes"



'OHANA IN CHRIST PROMOTIONAL MATERIALS FOR 2023/2024 APPEAL

Aloha Pastors and Parish Staff,

Blessings with many thanks for all you do!

To help promote this year's 'OIC appeal (...along with your parish kit materials) please post, link, and share accordingly:

'OIC Video:

- YouTube: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OqEXJfMczXo
Vimeo: https://vimeo.com/user148622704/oic2023?share=copy

...also posted on Diocesan website: https://www.catholicahawaii.org/12075

Attachments:

Bishop's audio message: mp3 file (...includes optional plug by Keith Tamashiro, Chair - Diocesan Stewardship & Development Commission)

'OIC Poster to post (PNG) or share (PDF)

Bishop's 1st Ask Letter to post (PNG) or share (PDF)

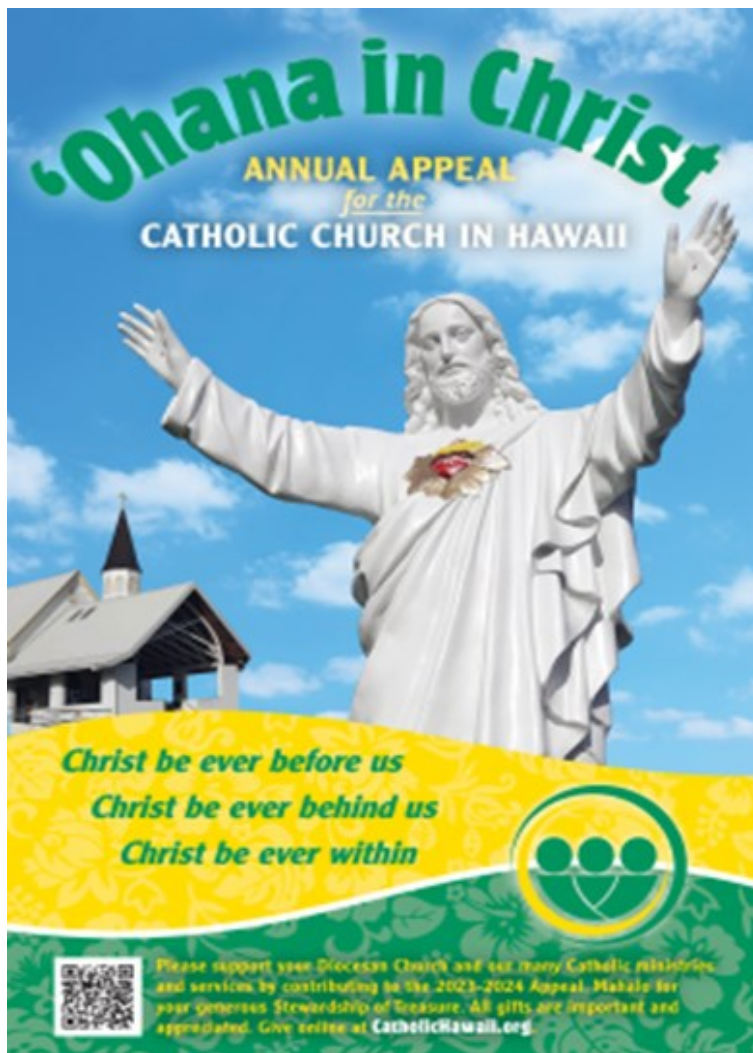
FAQs to post (PNG) - for PDF, see Bishop's letter

Logo & Banner: two versions (JPG)

Stay tuned for further 'OIC updates.

MAHALO!

Mark Clark
(808) 203-6723





'Ohana in Christ

THE ANNUAL APPEAL *for the* CATHOLIC CHURCH IN HAWAII

September 2023

Aloha to All,

Peace be with you!

*May the Spirit of Christ be our hope through the day,
be our guard through the night, our companion on the way.*

Song of St. Patrick, Martyr Haugen

Each day, the Catholic Church in Hawaii shares the Spirit of Christ throughout our 'Ohana of parishes, schools, social agencies, and communities across the Islands. This is all possible thanks to your generous response to our Catholic mission and the call to Witness to Jesus.

Beyond the good works at each parish, the annual '**Ohana in Christ** appeal helps us respond to the material and spiritual needs of the greater church. As detailed in the list below, funds raised support many important services and ministries throughout the Diocese of Honolulu that no single faith community could meet alone.

I am deeply grateful for the ways you have contributed to this work in the past. Once again, I humbly ask for you to prayerfully consider making a generous gift to this important appeal. Please know that I pray for you and your loved ones each day - and will remember all donors in a special Mass.

In the Spirit of Christ - and together as '**Ohana in Christ** - we can and will respond to the Lord's call and continue to build His Kingdom.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

+ Larry Silva

Most Reverend Larry Silva
Bishop of Honolulu



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

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

Parish Services

- Staffing & Training
- Finance & Insurance
- Savings & Loan
- Safe Environment
- Stewardship & IT
- Cemetery & Real Estate
- Emergency Preparedness

People Programs

- Youth & Young Adult
- Catholic Schools
- Adult Faith Training
- Catholic Social Ministry
- Food & Shelter Assistance
- Evangelization & Respect Life
- Hospital & Prison Ministries

And Much More

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

OLM 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.

❖ With grateful hearts we thank the Board & entire membership of *Irmandade de Nossa Senhora do Monte* for their generous donation of \$10,000.00 in honor of our Patroness feast and parish anniversary.

❖ We thank *M/M William & Mitronia Amoroso* for their recent donation of \$1,150.00 to the Repair & Maintenance Fund on the Feast of Corpus Christi on June 11.

❖ *Mrs. Angelita Sera* gave \$500.00 to OLM Repair & Maintenance Fund. God bless a generous spirit.

❖ *Mr. Alfonso Villanueva* gave \$150.00 for the repainting of the circular frame of the stained-glass art and name-sign of our church on its façade.

*****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.

*We also acknowledge the continuing support of parishioners to the '**Ohana in Christ Diocesan Annual Appeal** that helps our parish meet its quota and support the diocesan operations and programs.

*****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

****Roger Isidro* fixed the bathroom damage in the Kokua Pantry office inside the Pastoral Center. *Roger & Carlito Centino* cleaned up the roof and gutter of the Rectory.

****Jun Cortez* assisted *Fr. Adrian* in cleaning up the window жалousies and blinds in the rectory kitchen.

****Adriano Daligcon* repaired some damaged office table drawer and replaced busted sensor lights and corroding laundry sink.

****Roger Isidro* and his team which includes *Rudy Fiesta, Edward Dayoan and Adriano Daligcon* repainted the sliding gate of the church's parking lot as well as the iron fence and guard rails to the church on Saturday, April 15.

On June 11, they repainted the name sign of our church and the circular frame of the stained glass art of the Marian image on the façade.

❖**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.

****Kalolo Tuihalafatai and his crew* erected the concrete structure for the Memorial marker of the Unborn, The *OLM Knights of Columbus* completed it by affixing marble slabs around it. We appreciate everyone for their generous sharing of time, skills and resources.

❖**LITURGY** – Our Music minister, *Mary Ann Llamedo*, is inviting interested members of the choir at Mass. Their practice is held every Saturday at 10:00am.

We continue to have powerpoint projections of the readings and hymns on the TV monitors thru the kind services of the *Llamedo family* and assisted by *Jun Cortez, Marc, Clem & Dave Ulep*.

❖**STEWARDSHIP OFFERING COUNTERS** – We're grateful to the faithful and ever-smiling money counters who take turns every other Sunday to do the task – *Consolacion Caraang * Becky DeCorte * Aida Isidro * Rosie Jacinto * Dorie Mina * Caroline 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 and checks and locks the gate and building doors at the end of the day.

*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. As grounds and maintenance man, *Lito* has been maximizing the garden spaces with lawn grasses and sweet camote vines.

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

*Four volunteers spent their Wednesday morning (May 24) cleaning and replanting some decorative plants around the church – *Gil Bacani * Cora dela Rosa * Renato dela Rosa * Julieta Walsh*. You are always welcome to join them next time.

****Our parish is always welcoming and open to any parishioner who wants to serve 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.*

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:** Rudy Balmilero * Gene Lumantas * Kira Niotta * Grace Bolneo & family * Audrey Peralta * Nelia Puzon * Veda Nerisa Esdicul * Francisco Acidera * Frances Gascon * Moses & Cristina Andres * Jovencita Raganit * Gladys Conrath * Federico Boy Bitonio * Alfredo Javines * Gil & Vangie Bacani * Milo Navarro * Mevelyn Acosta * Roberta Christensen * Elnora Romero * Fran Kovaloff * Alice D Schwengler * Jayla Raquel Ventura * Isabel Cadiz * Jacob Tognaci * Myrna Agbayani * Alfonso & Trini Agamao * Michael Schwengler Jr * Robin Therese Johnson * Florentino Orcino * Marina Pescador * Gil Acido * Julius Brillantes * Seitasi Ah Kui * Mila Beltran * Normand Roberts * Rogelio Ojerio * Belen Quinto * Latai Holeva Manupuna * Rachel Soong * Matea Ranit * Bobbie Walker * Petronila Jandoc * Juanita Palting Cacanindin * Rochelle Taylor * Tom DeCorte * Mike, Theresa & Marie Schwengler * Bruce Anguay * Alfredo Jandoc * Faith Ivy Claro * Vanessa Egan * Roselani Ramones * Logan Isidro * Yvonne Fukumoto * Maria Pascual * Nicolas Ulep * Imelda Ruaburo * Ropati Liua * Caridad Dagdagan * Andy & Marina Torio * Marilou Bruno * Alfonso & Mary Villanueva * Jesse Ulep * George Calizar * Ruperto Pescador

❖ **BIRTHDAY:** Fr. Adrian Gervacio * Annie Pinera * Dennis L Lewellen Jr * Quinton Leong * Aurea Macalisang * Luida Susa * Rose * Augusto Balmores * Evelyn Ranit * Kelli Goo * Jenna & Cresencia Paranada * Fran Kovaloff * Paula McHardy * Angelica Palmaria * Jewel Riu & Sophia Nicole Atendido * Bishop Larry Silva * Julieta Walsh * John I Martinez * Jayson Canoneo * Maria Lourdes Carmen * Victoria de Santos * Nazario Balbuena * Mark Correia * Brian Schwengler * Rose Jean LaGuardia * Christopher Chesser * Theresa Schwengler * Ma. Victoria Carmen * Gilbert Bacani * Liam Paul Gumban * Veronica Quarto * Mary Salvador Acosta * Edward Dayoan (86) * Alfredo Javines

❖ **WEDDING ANNIVERSARY:** Liberato Jr & Kathleen Valdez * Jayson & Bridget Canoneo (24) * Glen & Vicky Chee Hiramoto * Krystle & Paul Parinas (13) * Constantino & Mevelyn Acosta (9th) * Juriz & Fe Go (45)

❖ **SAFE TRIP & VACATION:** Segundo Facuri * Paul Amiel Palmaria * Olivia Mita * Paul George Trocio

❖ **THANKSGIVING:** Erlinda Ceria-, Grellyn, Sheila & Barryne Rosario >Liberato & Rosario Valdez >Charito Valdez >Andy Magbojos >Joseph & Mila Llantero >Lydia Felipe >M/M Jaime Macalma >Nishimura family >Maria Luisa Montaus >Benny & Dorie Mina >Constantino & Mevelyn Acosta >Rhose Marie Domingo & family >Elsa Castro >Linda Puzon >Fe & Jose Rizal Go >William & Mitronia Amoroso >Consolacion Caraang >Armelita Canoneo >Nazario & Alicia Balbuena >Carlito & Aurelia Centino >Thomas & Olivia Mita >Alex & Marichu Pe Benito >Cora & Renato dela Rosa >Cora, Bryan Andaya & family >Clemente Fontanilla >Benny Acosta >Nato & Adoracion Laguer >Artates, Bacani, Chesser & Aczon families >Cathy Purganan & family >Silver & Marivic Palting

❖ **SPECIAL INTENTION:** Irmandade de Nossa Senhora do Monte * Bill & Joan Amoroso * Audrey Peralta * Diena Peterson * Chester & Shantil Centino * Victoria de Santos * Wilfred Soong * Theresa Schwengler * Michele Schwengler * Steven Schwengler * Jun & Caridad Cortez * Angelita Saga * Anna Brown Simon * Fe Go & OLM FCC * Jocelyn Ramiscal * Llamedo & Flores families * Michael Schwengler Sr & Jr * Brian & Mark Schwengler * Diena Peterson & OLM Youth Ministry * Theresa Schwengler * Tom & Becky de Corte & the Kokua Ministry * Chester & Shantil Centino * Bella Miranda & family * OLM Pastoral Council officers & members * FCC officers & members * OLM Knights of Columbus Council 12935 * For the victims & survivors of the Maui disaster * For the newly-recommissioned liturgical ministers * For benefactors & donors of 'OIC Diocesan Appeal & OLM Projects * For all Seminarians and increase of priestly vocations in the Diocese * For the success of the National Eucharistic Revival * For the deliverance & healing of those afflicted with the covid-19 * For peaceful resolution of the war in Ukraine

❖ **DECEASED:** +Jose & Lydia Criste * +Maria Goloran * +Robet Jay * +Lorenzo G Carmen * +Leoncia C Carmen * +Cresencia Edmalin * +Rolando Gubatan Sr * +Modesto Bautista * +Sr Anita Mendoza, SHF * +Mary Sabog Alvaro * +Lisiate Sole * +Leonardo Sescon Jr * +Francisco Rodrigues * +Ana Francisca Mateo * +Dionisia Legaspina Fabro * +Motiana Bernard * +Aurelio Sagayaga * +Caren Soong Kanakaole * +James Soong * +Cres Paranada * +Feliza, Johnny & Santiago Asistente * +Pastor, Malwenda & Walter Balbuena * +Emiliana, Primitivo & Magdaleno Teves Sanchez * +Tito, Marcela, Irineo & Angelina Ulep * +Susan dela Cruz * +Benny Montemayor * +Flaton Fontanilla * +Encarnacion Fontanilla * +Jonathan Tanaid * +Vicenta Mabunay * +Anacleto Campo * +Laureana, +Angela & +Nicolas Balbuena * +Juanita Abellana * +Numeriano Abellana * +Goldie Paula P Toraja * +Ely Purganan * +Rufina Arreola Buenafe * +Pablo Gelacio Jr * +Jose Jandoc Jr * +Joe & Millie Josol * +Adeline "Addie" Freitas * +John Silva Ferreira * +Johanna Silva Ferreira * +Dorothy Pregil Teves * +John Ferreira * +Anthony Ferreira * +Herman Ferreira * +Priscilla Andrade * +Mildred Nobriga * +Edmund Ferreira * +Manuel Ferreira * +Mary Benigna Oliveira * +Jose Goloran * +Lolita Torralba * +Casey Domingo * +Urbana Artates * Virgilio Artates * +Loretta Tabin * +Lucy Poueu * Donald & Martin Verece * +Veronica Coyaso * +Pascual & Rufina Simeon * +Filomena Carlos * +Constance & Regina de Santos * +Meliton L Mangrobang Jr * +Edith, Henry & Anthony Santos * +Luciano Lucero Jr * +Maximino Barnachea * +Josephina Yoro * +Lino Cabico * +Aleja Acosta * +Aurelio Acosta * +Erlinda Acosta * +Sophia Angelita Acosta * +Kamlyn Mariko Yokoyama * +Aquilina B Ocariza * +Roberto Balog Reyes * +Simplicio Canoneo * +Valentina Jose Tabios * +Gervacio Tacas * +Arnel C Domingo (4th anniv) * +George Trocio * John Nino Trocio * +Abraham P Palting * +Magdaleno Sanchez * +Maximo Balbuena * +Pedro Bolanos * +Calixto Abaya * +Alfredo Acedera * +Juana Uclusin * +Pio & Consuelo Alcantra * +Jovito Alcantra * +Conrad Benitez Sr. * +Religious, benefactors, donors & parishioners of OLM * +Victims of the coronavirus pandemic, wars, crimes & natural disasters * +Holy Souls in purgatory

9/11—WE WILL NEVER FORGET!

Members of FDNY Ladder Company 3, located in Manhattan’s East Village, were some of the first responders to the World Trade Center disaster. Eleven of them, many of whom had just gone off duty after finishing their overnight shifts, perished shortly after entering the North Tower.



History of Patriot Day

On September 11, 2001, four jet planes were hijacked. The hijackers then deliberately flew three of the planes into the New York World Trade Centre and the Pentagon in Arlington, Virginia, causing the deaths of 2,977 people. The fourth plane (United Airlines Flight 93) was directed at Washington DC, but its passengers bravely attempted to take back control and it crashed into a field near Shanksville, Pennsylvania. These attacks, because of the loss of life and damage caused, form the biggest act of terrorism ever on United States soil.

The attacks did not only have an immense economic impact on the United States but additionally brought increased attention to national security. This has had huge implications for United States national and international politics (particularly for the relationships between the United States and Islamic countries in the Middle East).

Patriot Day 2023 is recognized by United States law as the official day of remembrance for these tragic events, and has been observed every year since the attacks. Although the attacks took place within the United States, the shock and grief experienced in response to the attacks was shared throughout the world, and for this reason Patriot Day 2023 will be observed, not only in America, but across the world.

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Sept 1-30 > 7:00am Special intention - For all the victims, casualties & residents affected by the Maui wildfire disaster

Sept 3 > 6:30am Birthday - Fr. Adrian Gervacio; Kelli Goo; Jenna & Crescencia Paranada * Healing - Grace Bolneo & family; Audrey Peralta * Special intention - Bill & Joan Amoroso * RM +Meliton Mangrobang Jr; +Rufina Buenafe; +Casey Domingo; +Motiana Bernard; +Crescencia Paranada; +Feliza, Johnny & Santiago Asistente

> 9:00am Birthday - Fr. Adrian Gervacio; Kelli Goo; Jenna & Crescencia Paranada * Safe trip

- Paul Amiel Palmaria; * Thanksgiving - Erlinda Ceria, Grelyn, Sheila & Barryne Rosario * Special intention - M/M Jaime Macalma * RM +Dionisia Legaspina Fabro; +Crescencia Edmalin; +Betsaida Vila; +Leonarda, Nicolas & Rosalina Palting; +Jose, Sofia, Jacinta & Marta Palting; +Ana Francisca Mateo

Sept 3-24 (Sundays only) > 9:00am Healing - Rudy Balmilero * RM +Crescencia Edmalin

Sept 3-30 > 7:00am RM +Leonarda, Nicolas & Rosalina Palting; +Jose, Sofia, Jacinta & Marta Palting

Sept 4 > 7:00am Labor Day - For all laborers, employers & employess * Healing - Federico Bitonio

Sept 5 > 7:00am/7:00am Birthday - Quinton Leong * Safe travel & vacation - Fr Adrian G * Healing - Federico Bitonio * RM +Lorenzo G Carmen (Birthday)

Sept 6 > 7:00am Birthday - Dennis L Lewellen Jr * Healing - Jovencita Raganit; Federico Bitonio; Veda Nerissa Esdicul * RM +Francisco Rodrigues; +Lisiate Sole

Sept 7 > 7:00am Birthday - Jovencita Raganit; Federico Bitonio; Veda Nerissa Esdicul * Safe travel & vacation - Doi Facuri * RM +Lisiate Sole

Sept 8 > 7:00am Birthday - Fr Adrian; Annie Pinera * Healing - Kira Niotta; Gene Lumantas; Federico Bitonio; Veda Nerissa Esdicul * RM +Mary Lynn Blanco

Sept 9 > 6:00pm Birthday - Brielle Bacani Aczon * Healing & speedy recovery - Petronila Jandoc * Special intentions - Chester & Shantil Centino * For victims, casualties & residents affected by the Maui wildfires * Safety of all travelers, vacationers & deployed military * RM +Mary Sabog Alvaro; +Pastor, Malwenda & Walter Balbuena; +Leonarda, Nicolas & Rosalina Palting; +Jose, Sofia, Jacinta & Marta Palting +Departed pastors, benefactors and parishioners of OLM

Sept 10 > 6:30am (Missa pro populo) Birthday - Dennis Lewellen Jr * Healing & speedy recovery - Nelie Puzon; Audrey Peralta; Frances Gascon; Alfredo Javines; Alice Schwengler; Fran Kovaloff; Isabel Cadiz; Marina Pescador; Ruperto Pescador; Mila Beltran; Tom de Corte; Rochelle Taylor; Logan Isidro; Caridad Dagdagan; Alfonso & Trini Agama; Roselani Ramones; Moses & Cristina Andres * Safety of travelers & vacationers & those deployed in the military * Thanksgiving - Joseph & Mila Llantero * Special intentions - Bill & Joan Amoroso * For victims, casualties & residents affected by the Maui wildfires * RM +Meliton L Mangrobang Jr; +Casey Domingo; +Jose Jandoc Jr; +Loretta Tabin; +Arnel C Domingo; +Deceased Victims of the covid pandemic, wars and disasters

> 9:00am Healing & speedy recovery - Rudy Balmilero; Gene Lumantas; Federico Bitonio; Mevelyn Acosta; Veda Nerissa Esdicul; Florentino Orcino; Seitasi Ah Kui; Belen Quinto; Latai Holeva Manupuna; Imelda Ruaburo; Alfonso & Mary Villanueva; all those infected by the coronavirus disease * Safety of all travelers, vacationers & deployed military personnel * Thanksgiving - Liberato & Rosario Valdez & family; Armelita Canoneo; Alex & Marichu Pe Benito; Cleo Bala-Casino; Corazon Orcino; Cathy Purganan * Special intentions - M/M Jaime Macalma; For victims, casualties & residents affected by the Maui wildfires * RM +Crescencia Edmalin; +Maria Goloran; +Susan dela Cruz; +Benny Montemayor; +Flaton Fontanilla; +Encarnacion Fontanilla; +Jonathan Tanaid; +Emiliana, Primitivo & Magdalena Teves Sanchez; +Dionisia Legaspina Fabro; +Tito, Marcela, Irineo & Angelina Ulep; +Leonarda, Nicolas & Rosalina Palting; +Jose, Sofia, Jacinta & Marta Palting; +Deceased Victims of the covid pandemic, wars and disasters; +Departed pastors, benefactors and parishioners of OLM

Sept 3-24 (Sundays only) > 9:00am Healing - Rudy Balmilero * RM +Crescencia Edmalin

Sept 11 > 7:00am RM +Rolando Gubatan Sr; +Modesto Bautista

Sept 11-30 > 7:00am RM +Leonarda, Nicolas & Rosalina Palting; +Jose, Sofia, Jacinta & Marta Palting

Sept 12 > 7:00am RM +Leonia C Carmen (Birthday); +Sr Anita Mendoza SHF

Sept 13 > 7:00am RM +Juana Uclusin Sept 13-21 > 7:00am RM +Robert Jay

Sept 14 > 7:00am Birthday - Brielle Bacani Aczon * Safe flight - Olivia Mita

Sept 16 > 6:00pm RM +Jose & Lydia Criste

*Let us continue praying 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!*

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PARISH NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

FEAST DAY

- Sep 12** Memorial of the Most Holy Name of Mary
- Sep 13** Memorial of St. John Chrysostom, Bishop and Doctor of the Church
- Sep 14** Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross
- Sep 15** Memorial of Our Lady of Sorrows
- Sep 16** Memorial of Sts. Cornelius, Pope and Cyprian, Bishop, Martyrs

OTHER

- Sep 10**
 - > Filipino Catholic Club meeting after the 9:00AM Mass in the Pastoral Center
 - > Sunday School Grand Registration, after the 9:00AM Mass in the parish hall; Catechist meeting to follow.
 - > Priesthood Sunday potluck fellowship, sign-up after all the Masses
- Sep 11** Patriot Day
- Sep 16** Finance Council Mtg, 8:00AM, in the parish hall
- Sep 17**
 - > Catechetical Sunday; Commissioning of Catechists
 - > Sunday School classes begin, after the 9:00AM Mass; all meet in the parish hall
 - > Ilocano Mass, 5:30PM, fellowship in the parish hall to follow
- Sep 24** Priesthood Sunday; potluck fellowship in the hall after the 9:00AM Mass

† OBITUARY



+JOSE QUITILEN JANDOC, JR, 62
 Funeral Mass – September 9, 2023, 11:00 AM @ OLM Church
 Interment – 2:00 PM @ Valley of the Temples Memorial Park

+BETSAIDA VILA, 73
 Wake Service – September 19, 2023, 6:00 PM @ Valley of the Temples Mortuary Chapel
 Funeral Mass – September 20, 2023, 10:00 AM @ OLM Church
 Interment – 12:00 PM @ Valley of the Temples Memorial Park

+RUFINA ARREOLA BUENAFE, 92
 Wake Service – October 4, 2023, 6:30 PM @ Mililani Downtown Mortuary Chapel
 Funeral Mass – October 5, 2023, 10:45 AM @ OLM Church
 Interment – 1:00 PM @ Valley of the Temples Memorial Park

+AURELIO CADIZ SAGAYAGA, 90
 Funeral Service – October 5, 2023, 6:30 PM @ Mililani-Mauka Mortuary Chapel
 Interment – October 6, 10:00 AM @ Mililani-Waipio Memorial Park

*“Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.”
 We extend our heartfelt prayers and sympathy to the grieving families.*



☺L.O.L. (Laugh Out Loud)☺

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THE BOARD DECIDED THAT JOHN WILL REMAIN THE HEAD GREETER ... AT LEAST UNTIL HIS MEDICATION WEARS OFF

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

Third Sunday after the 9:00am Mass

SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Weekday Masses: Monday to Friday - 7:00am
 Weekend Masses: Saturday (Vigil) - 6:00pm * Sunday - 6:30am & 9:00am
 Ilocano Mass: 3rd Sunday - 5:00pm

RECONCILIATION

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

MISSION STATEMENT

We, the Our Lady of the Mount parishioners are a multicultural welcoming parish; 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 & spirituality.