



OUR LADY OF THE MOUNT CHURCH

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



Pastor
Rev. Fr. Edgar B. Brillantes



THE TRANSFIGURATION
"This is my beloved Son. Listen to him."
Mark 9:7



Pastor Emeritus
Rev. Fr. Adrian R. Gervacio

Have a Blessed Season of Lent!



+ STATIONS OF THE CROSS +

Join us in this favorite devotion during Lent – every Friday at 7:00 PM.



STEWARDSHIP PRAYER

Merciful God,
We embark on our journey of renewal through difficult and uncertain times;
times of division and strife,
and for many, suffering and discouragement.

But our journey is with your Son, Jesus,
who bore his cross and suffered in ways we cannot imagine.
We journey with Jesus toward the great paschal feast of Easter,
where we have the grace to experience the true joy of Resurrection.
Teach us to be good stewards of your mercy and forgiveness,
so that we may extend these gifts to others.

Give us the strength to bear witness to your Son at all times,
even during these times of stress and adversity.

And fill our hearts with love
that we may be faithful to the Gospel Jesus proclaimed
and ready to celebrate our unity with him and each other.

Grant this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
God, for ever and ever. Amen.

(Lifted from ICSC e-Bulletin, February 2024)



Eucharistic EUCHARISTIC ADORATION



First Friday – March 1: In the spirit of the season of Lent, when we are called to spend more time in prayer, we invite you to join us in a solemn Eucharistic adoration of the Lord immediately following the Mass at 7:00 AM. We pray for peace in the world, for love and harmony in homes and families and for a meaningful & spirit-filled Lent.



Pastor's Corner

By Rev. Fr. Edgar B. Brillantes



Next Sunday's Reading Third Sunday of Lent

First Reading
Exodus 20:1-17

Responsorial Psalm
Psalm 19:8-11

Second Reading
1 Corinthians 1:22-25

Gospel
John 2:13-25

FOCUS: *This is my beloved Son. Listen to him.*

We do not have a God who sits enthroned, looking down from a great distance to arbitrarily ask us to do this or not do that. No, we have a God who loves us enough that we can trust him completely, as Abraham did. We have a God who did not hold back anything, not even his beloved Son, to lead us to the goodness he desires for us.

First Reading: *Genesis 22:1-2, 9,-13, 15-18*

In the first reading, God calls Abraham to sacrifice Isaac, but provides a ram instead and promises blessing on all nations in response to Abraham's trust.

Second Reading: *Romans 8:31-34*

In the Epistle, we are reminded that God did not spare his own Son and so gives us everything with him.

Gospel: *Mark 9:2-10*

In the Gospel, Jesus is transfigured and a voice from the cloud says: *This is my beloved Son. Listen to him.*



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
- Ilocano Mass > 3rd Sunday – 6:00 PM



OLM 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 Mother of Perpetual Help and Holy Rosary at 7:00pm.

Every Friday – Novena to Santo Nino (Child Jesus) at 6:30pm.



❖ YEAR OF PRAYER 2024 ❖

In January 21, during the church's celebration of *Sunday of the Word of God*, Pope Francis officially declared the *Year of Prayer*. He said: "Today we begin the Year of Prayer; that is, a year dedicated to rediscovering the great value and absolute need for prayer in personal life, in the life of the church and in the world."

The pope called for the special year to help prepare Catholics worldwide for the Holy Jubilee Year 2025, which begins with the opening of the Holy Door in St. Peter's Basilica at the Vatican on December 24, 2024.

The year is meant as a time to go back to basics; to discover how to pray and how to educate people in prayer "so that prayer can be effective and fruitful."

The Dicastery for Evangelization said that the year complements the U.S. Bishops' National Eucharistic Revival: "We are well pleased that the American bishops want to call attention to what Vatican II calls the source and summit of Christian life because the Eucharist must be the foundation of every renewal. Therefore, the Eucharistic revival initiative is very appropriate in view of the 2025 jubilee."

(Lifted from Hawaii Catholic Herald, February 2, 2024, p. 20)



DIOCESAN NEWS ❖ DIOCESAN

‘OHANA IN CHRIST

APPEAL FROM BISHOP LARRY SILVA:

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. Funds raised will support many important services and ministries throughout the Diocese that no single faith community could meet alone.

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.

Sincerely yours in Christ,
Most Reverend Larry Silva



‘OHANA IN CHRIST PROGRESS REPORT

‘OIC PROGRESS REPORT

From: HCCF (Hawaii Catholic Community Foundation) Admin
Mon 2/5/2024 8:47 AM

Aloha Pastors & Parish Staff,

Good news, the appeal is now over 60% of goal - and still ahead of last year.

Congratulations to the latest parish over goal: **St. George, Waimanalo!**

The attached preliminary report will also be posted at: <https://www.catholicohawaii.org/12075>
MAHALO!



‘Ohana In Christ 2023/2024

Progress Report as of January 30, 2024

Parish by Vicariate	Collected	Goal	% vs. Goal
Our Lady of the Mount Church – Honolulu	\$4,972	\$5,605	89%
West Honolulu Total	\$90,543	\$168,312	54%

CONGRATULATIONS and MAHALO to all the parish team!
Blessings, with much appreciation for your Stewardship of Treasure.

> If you have not done so, please mail your donation and pledge card using the enclosed self-addressed envelope or drop it at the collection basket at Mass. You may also give online at CatholicHawaii.org. If you didn't get your 'Ohana in Christ packet in the mail you may get from the pamphlet holders in the church.

> Please issue your gift-check to **‘Ohana in Christ - NOT TO OLM.**

> MAHALO for your Generous Support * All Gifts are Important and Appreciated!

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OLM REPAIR & MAINTENANCE



The Facilities & Maintenance Committee under Roger Isidro collaborated with the Grounds keeper, Carlito Centino, in replacing all the worn-out toilet bowl seats in the Men's and Ladies' Restrooms. A total of six new ones were installed. *Mahalo to all the good stewards!*

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTIONS

ALMSGIVING - AN IMPORTANT LENTEN EXERCISE



When we look at the three traditional “disciplines” of Lent, prayer, fasting and almsgiving, we know that almsgiving gets the least attention. Yet, the Bible places emphasis firmly on almsgiving:

Prayer and fasting are good, but better than either is almsgiving accompanied by righteousness ... It is better to give alms than to store up gold; for almsgiving saves one from death and expiates every sin. Those who regularly give alms shall enjoy a full life (Tobit 12:8-9).

A central part of our faith is the practice of almsgiving. It is a practice described in our Catholic Catechism thusly:

The foundational call of Christians to charity is a frequent theme of the Gospels. During Lent, we are asked to focus more intently on “almsgiving,” which means donating money or goods to the poor and performing other acts of charity. As one of the three pillars of Lenten practice, almsgiving is “a witness to fraternal charity” and “a work of justice pleasing to God.” (Catechism of the Catholic Church, no. 2462).




To be a Christian steward includes having compassion towards others, especially the most vulnerable in our society. Almsgiving is an act where we imitate the love and mercy that God has for these people by providing for their most basic and fundamental needs.

Almsgiving is also an expression of our gratitude for all that God has given us, and a realization that as a member of a community of faith, it is never just about “me and God.” It is fundamental to being a good steward of our community. For disciples of the Lord, almsgiving means much more than simply throwing a little change in the poor box. It is an attitude of generosity. It challenges us to examine how we are using our time, abilities, and money to better the lives of those around us. It urges us to share what we have been given by God with others in love and justice. It reminds us that Jesus blesses those who seek to be “poor in spirit” (Matthew 5:3).

Almsgiving opens our hearts to the realization that God blesses us through those we serve. We see God in the life of Jesus, and we see Jesus in all those who are in need of our care. Look around, see those who are in need, and ask God to take away those obstacles and distractions that keep us from being generous with them. In turn, we will receive God’s blessing in ways we cannot even imagine.

(Lifted from International Catholic Stewardship Council e-Bulletin, February 2024)



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❖ ANNOUNCEMENTS ❖

❖ OPEN HOUSE ❖

**SACRED HEARTS ACADEMY**

February 25, 2024 > 11:00 AM

"Where Girls Who Aspire Become Women Who Inspire"

Designed exclusively for girls in Preschool to Grade 12.

New Special Tuition Discounts > MILITARY DISCOUNT * SIBLING DISCOUNT

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Admission Application Fee (\$50) is waived for registered Open House attendees.

Come and take the opportunity to meet our outstanding teachers and learn about our exciting academic and extended learning offerings through sessions led by our faculty and administration in addition to student-led campus tours.

Learn more: www.sacredhearts.org * admissions@sacredhearts.org * 808-734-5058 ext 234

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GRADES K-12

"Where Boys Who Want To Change The World Become The Men Who Do"

Open House > Sunday, February 25, 2024, 1:00 PM @ Dr. Richard T. Mamiya Theater

Please join us to learn about our educational programs, meet our faculty and staff, and tour our campus.

Admissions Office: 808-739-4832 * www.saintlouis-hawaii.org

**NEW NORM REGARDING EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION TAKING COMMUNION TO THE HOMBOWN**

Bishop Silva requests every parish to place the following announcement in its weekly bulletin for three consecutive weeks:

In order to safeguard the sacredness of the Holy Eucharist, Bishop Silva has forbidden that the Eucharist be given to anyone presenting a pyx in the Communion line. Only those who are authorized by the parish priest to take Holy Communion to the sick may receive the Eucharist from the priest after the Communion of the faithful, and never during the Communion procession.

**WHAT IS A LEAP DAY?**

While nothing particularly notable happens on leap day (beyond making February one day longer), the reason why we do it comes down to science.

Our normal calendar years are typically 365 days long, or the number of days it takes Earth to orbit the sun. But according to the National Air and Space Museum, 365 days is a rounded number. It actually takes

365.242190 days for the Earth to orbit completely, or 365 days, 5 hours, 48 minutes and 56 seconds.

By adding an extra day every four years, this allows our calendar to stay on track with the Earth's actual orbit and not have our seasons drift, as our equinoxes and summer and winter solstices would no longer align with the seasons.

www.usatoday.com





Mass INTENTIONS

Feb 18 > 9:00am Wedding anniversary - *Nato & Adoracion Laguer (49)* * Thanksgiving - *Alex & Marichu Pe Benito*

Feb 18-26 > 7:00am RM +*Lovell Villalobos*

Feb 19 > 7:00am Presidents' Day - For the *Presidents* past and present

Feb 19-23 > 7:00am Healing - *Marivic Palting; Connie Caraang*

Feb 19-27 > 7:00am RM +*Marina Pescador*

Feb 21 > 7:00am RM +*James & Bessie Soong*

Feb 22 > 7:00am Surgery & healing - *Jason T Bautista* * RM +*Delfin U Barsatan*

Feb 23-24 > 7:00am RM +*Constance "Connie" DeSantos*

Feb 24-Mar 4 > 7:00am Surgery & healing - *Jason T Bautista*

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Feb 24 > 6:00pm Healing - *Jason Bautista; Marivic Palting; Julieta Walsh* * **Special intention** - *Chester & Shantil Centino; For peace in the world* * **For the safe travel** of *Dolores Malla, Teresita & Curtis Erese; safety of travelers, vacationers & deployed military personnel* * RM +*Marina Pescador; +Jesusa & Pablo Arao; +Constance "Connie" DeSantos; +Emiliano & Teodora Lumabao; +Juan & Basilisa Suazo; +Nicomedes & Ines Lorenzo; +Departed pastors, benefactors & parishioners of OLM*

Feb 25 > 6:30am (Missa pro populo) Healing & speedy recovery - *Wilfred & Rachel Soong; Fr. Edgar; Hannah Leong; Connie Caraang; Julieta Walsh; Audrey Peralta; Marivic Palting; Fran Kovaloff; Cipriana Luczon; Trini Agama; Rochelle Taylor; Caridad Dagdagan; Roselani Ramones; Alfonso & Mary Villanueva; Moses & Cristina Andres; All the infirmed in our homes & families* * **Safety of all travelers & vacationers & those deployed in the military** * **Thanksgiving & Safe travel** - *Magdalena Leano & family; Joseph & Mila Llantero* * **Special intentions** - *For peace in the world* * RM +*Marina Pescador; +Dolores Batangan (2nd anniv); +Garry del Rosario; +Matilda Servania; +Loreto & Leticia Castillo; +Delfin Barsatan; +Lovell Villalobos; +Deceased Victims of the covid pandemic, wars and disasters*

> 9:00am Birthday - *Adoracion Laguer* * **Healing & speedy recovery** - *Jason Bautista; Florentino Orcino; Marivic Palting; Shannon Shirai; Connie Caraang; Chita Magbojos; Linda Casinas; Julieta Walsh; Rudy Balmilero; Seitasi Ah Kui; Latai Holeva Manupuna; Imelda Ruaburo; Angie Sera; Alfonso & Mary Villanueva* * **Safe travel of Veronica Shirai and safety of travelers, vacationers & deployed military personnel** * **Thanksgiving** - *Great Aloha Runners Cora Orcino & Natividad Palting; Teresa Siruno & family* * **Special intentions** - *Robert Fernandez; OLM Knights of Columbus; For a meaningful & spirit-filled season of Lent* * RM +*John Nino & George Trocio; +Silvestre Marquez; +Antonio Mateo Sr; +Angel A Pascual Sr; +Juanita R Pascual; +Avelina Orcino; +Constance Theresa "Connie" DeSantos; +Pat Laca; +Deceased Victims of pandemic, wars and disasters; +Departed pastors, benefactors and parishioners of OLM*

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Feb 26 > 7:00am RM +*Lovell Villalobos*

Feb 26-27 > 7:00am RM +*Marina Pescador*

Feb 26-Mar 4 > 7:00am Surgery & healing - *Jason T Bautista*

Feb 27 > 7:00am RM +*Collin H P Leong*

Feb 29 > 7:00am RM +*Ellen Miyashiro; +Hilda Kelsom*

Mar 1 > 7:00am RM +*Constance "Connie" DeSantos*

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*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!*

† REMEMBER IN PRAYER



❖ **GOOD HEALTH / SUCCESSFUL SURGERY:** Jason T Bautista * Marivic Palting * Wilfred & Rachel Soong * Fr Edgar * Hannah Leong * Connie Caraang * Julieta Walsh * Audrey Peralta * Fran Kovaloff * Florentino Orcino * Mevelyn Acosta * Linda Casinas * Shannon Shirai * Cipriana Luczon * Caroline Gruenhagen * Lilian Barsana * Chita Magbojos * Agnes Lahaina Sharsy * George Calizar * Maria Pascual * Lora Taa * Lauretta Rabago * Trini Agamao * Michael Schwengler Jr * Simeon Ugot * Evelyn Wordell * Schwengler family * Rochelle Taylor * Michele Schwengler * Jhomalyn Racho Molina * Marie Schwengler * Rudy Balmilero * Gene Lumantas * Federico Boy Bitonio * Nelie Puzon * Frances Gascon * Moses & Cristina Andres * Isabel Cadiz * Myrna Agbayani * Gil Acido * Seitasi Ah Kui * Mila Beltran * Belen Quinto * Latai Holeva Manupuna * Bobbie Walker * Petronila Jandoc * Tom DeCorte * Roselani Ramones * Logan Isidro * Nicolas Ulep * Imelda Ruaburo * Caridad Dagdagan * Andy & Marina Torio * Marilou Bruno * Alfonso & Mary Villanueva * Jesse Ulep * Ruperto Pescador

❖ **BIRTHDAY:** Adoracion Laguer * Marivic Palting * Chato Valdez * Kalolo Tuihalafatai * Tony Peterson * Mila Fernandez * Jayson Cadiz Malla (40) * Audrey Peralta * Vangie Bacani * Steven Schwengler * Matea Ranit * Tita & Anthony Calizar * Alexia Jacinto * Condelita Pescador * Alvin Pescador * Fr. Tito Bonoan * Celerina Bueno * Nemecia B Bistayan * George Roberts * Rowena Adela Bitonio * Mark Schwengler * Doren Gruenhagen * Mark McCamley * Andrea Baptista * Anjelica Mathis * Meryam Cabanilla Leong * Clementina Ceria-Ulep * Agnes Lahaina Sharsy * Emmanuel Artates

❖ **WEDDING ANNIVERSARY:** Nato & Adoracion Laguer (49) * Florencio/Charito Sipalay (47) * M/M Ramses Ignacio (2nd) * Renato/Cora dela Rosa (44) * Maria Luisa Montaus (40) * Federico & Rowena Bitonio (37)

❖ **GRADUATION:** Britney Mina * Adrian Padilla

❖ **SAFE TRIP & VACATION:** Dolores Malla * Teresita & Curtis Erese * Veronica Shirai * Nenita B Barroga * Joseph & Mila Llantero * Cathy Sanchez

❖ **THANKSGIVING:** Magdalena Leano & family >Cora Orcino >Natividad Palting >Teresa Siruno >Alex & Marichu Pe Benito >Nenita B Barroga >Ador & Adrian Padilla >Olivia & Thomas Mita >M/M Lucky Meljay & Roda April Mercado * >Cora & Renato dela Rosa & children >Cora Orcino >Vicente & Luz Velasco >Carlito & Aurelia Centino >Joseph & Mila Llantero >M/M Liberato Valdez & family >M/M Jaime Macalma >Andy & Chit Magbojos & family >William & Mitronia Amoroso >Armelita Canoneo >Artates, Bacani, Chesser & Aczon families >Cathy Purganan & family >Silver & Marivic Palting >Rosita Dolormente

❖ **SPECIAL INTENTION:** Chester & Shantil Centino * Allyse & Athena Arucan * Caroline Gruenhagen * Robert Fernandez * Fran Kovaloff * Jun & Caridad Cortez * Jervis Villa * Matilde Abida * Irmandade de Nossa Senhora do Monte * Fe Go & OLM FCC * Diena Peterson & OLM Youth Ministry * Bella Miranda & family * OLM Pastoral Council officers & members * OLM Knights of Columbus Council 12935 * For the victims & survivors of the Maui disaster * 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 and Israel * For meaningful & spirit-filled season of Lent

❖ **DECEASED:** +Marina Pescador * +Collin H P Leong * +Silvestre Marquez * +Constance Theresa "Connie" DeSantos * +Dolores Batangan (2nd anniv) * +Garry del Rosario * +Hilda Kelsom * +Ellen Miyashiro * +Avelina Orcino * +Sara Saniatan Yara * +Matilda Servania * +Pio, Consuelo, Jovito & Bessie Alcantra * +Conrado Benitez Sr * +Rosa Umblas * +Lovell Villalobos * +Angel A Pascual Sr * +Juanita R Pascual * +James & Bessie Soong * +Jesusa & Pablo Arao * +Marcelino & Rosalina Mina * +Clarencio & Tessie Mina * +Imelda & Mechalene Mina * +Josefino D Calzo * +Adelaida C Calzo * +Pat Laca * +Evelyn C Garcia * +Karen Swelen Cadiz (2nd anniv) * +Gordon Leong * +Martin Rodrigues * +Cecilia Leong * +Frances Duhaylunsod * +Emiliano & Teodora Lumabao * Juan & Basilisa Suazo * Nicomedes & Ines Lorenzo * +Luciano Lucero Jr * +Teresa Lucero * +Julieta Tabora * +Seigfred Espina delos Reyes * +Rizza Go * +Richard "Sonny" Peralta * +Loreto & Leticia Castillo * +Constance "Connie" DeSantos * +Maria Goloran * +Lorenzo Edra Carmen * +Nicanor Bucaneg * +Ely Purganan * Rosario Purganan * +Loreta Pascual * +Ferdinand Brillantes * +John Niño Trocio * +George Trocio * +Marcela Cantiveros * +Luis Cantiveros * +Arsenio & Esperanza Balmores * +Marina Umblas Segui * +Jose & Sofia Palting * +Leonarda Palting * +Ricardo & Ana Francisca Mateo * +Anthony Gutierrez * +Vicente Guerrero * +Maria Guerrero * +Ceferino Aranda * +Mercedes Aranda * +Rosario Asuncion * +Lilia Cerezo * +Emilio Aranda * +Francisca Aranda * +Leticia Rivera * +Pedro Aranda * +Aquilina Aranda * +Tessie Fontanilla * +Alfonso Agamao * +Richard Sabin * +Delfin Barsatan * +Courtney-Ann Kanani Pregil * +Religious, benefactors, donors & parishioners of OLM * +Victims of the covid-19 pandemic, wars, crimes & natural disasters * +Holy Souls in purgatory

❖ PICTORIALS #1 ❖



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

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RELIGIOUS APPRECIATION DINNER

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 2024

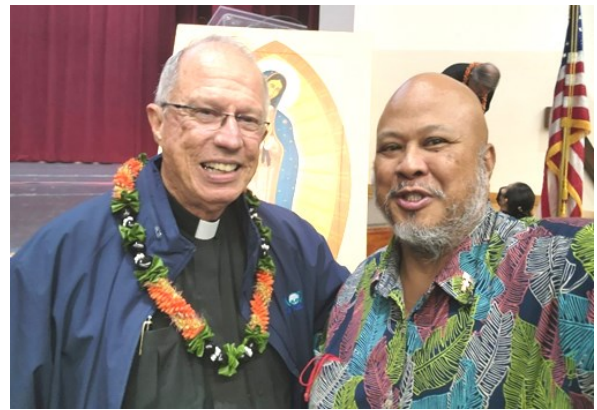
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TICKETS
[HTTPS://EVENTS.KOFCHAWAII.ORG/RELIGIOUS-APPRECIATION-DINNER-PAGE](https://events.kofchawaii.org/religious-appreciation-dinner-page)

- General Admission: \$55.00
- Individual Bar Wristband: \$20.00
- Table of 10: \$550.00
- All-inclusive Table: \$650.00 (10 seats and wristbands)

The KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS tendered a *Religious Appreciation Dinner* for Priests, Religious Sisters and Brothers on February 19, *Presidents' Day*, at the Hawaii Okinawan Center. OLM Council 12935 was represented in full force by the Chaplain *Fr. Edgar Bril-lantes*, *SK Herman Monico*, *SK Marc & Clem Ceria-Ulep*, *SK Floren-cio and Rosario Sipalay*, *SK Vicente & Luz Velasco*, *SK Renato & Cora dela Rosa*, *SK Alex & Marichu Pe Benito* and *SK Rambeau Gahan*. The Vicar General, *Msgr. Gary Secor*, was the guest-speaker.



❖ PICTORIALS #2 ❖



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NATIONAL Eucharistic Revival



EUCCHARISTIC CONGRESS - JULY 2024

Wed 1/24/2024 2:56 PM

Dear all,

I hope this email finds you well. I am writing to encourage you and your parishioners to consider signing up for the **National Eucharistic Revival Conference**. This conference is a movement to restore understanding and devotion to the Eucharist in the United States by helping us renew our worship of Jesus Christ in the Eucharist. The conference will be held in Indianapolis from July 17-21, 2024.

The conference is part of a three-year revival initiative launched by the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops to rekindle devotion to the Eucharist. The initiative aims to help us return to the source and summit of our faith in the celebration of the Eucharist, which is more important than ever in these challenging times.

I encourage you to join thousands of fellow Catholics in nine days of prayer that will ignite your desire for transformation and instill a vision for the healing grace God wants to unleash in our world. You can learn more about the conference by going to their website at www.eucharisticrevival.org. The Diocese of Honolulu purchased tickets for this event – if you or your group would like to get tickets please email euchcongress2024@rcchawaii.org.

May God bless you.

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DIOCESE OF HONOLULU - EUCCHARISTIC REVIVAL PILGRIMAGE STARTED ON NOVEMBER 1

This Year of Parish Revival is about falling deeper in love with the Eucharistic Heart of Jesus and following him more closely. Mirroring this internal journey with an external one is a beautiful way to connect body and soul in the pursuit of Christ. Most of us will not have the opportunity to join the Eucharistic Caravan on the mainland leading to the Eucharistic Congress on July 17, 2024 in Indianapolis.

We can participate in the revival here at home. Make the Honolulu Diocese Pilgrimage a part of your experience of revival by planning a self-led personal pilgrimage in the next months leading up to the beginning of the Eucharistic Caravan in San Francisco.

The Diocese of Honolulu offers a Hawaii Eucharist Revival virtual pilgrimage called **Hawaii Pilgrim** or by getting the **Polarsteps - Travel Tracker app** for your digital device. Sign up for a free Polarsteps account. Enter "Hawaii Pilgrim" on the Explore (Search people & places) tab. Click on "Follow" and begin your journey. Use Hawaii Pilgrim to find church addresses, Mass, adoration and other regularly scheduled events when the church will be open.

*In implementing the Eucharistic Revival program, the Dioceses and parishes have their point persons. In the Diocese of Honolulu, it is *Fr. Alfred Omar Guerrero* and in OLM Parish, *Fran Kovaloff* is the point person. *Fr. Ese'ese "Ace" Tui* is the head of the Eucharistic Revival Task Force.



EUCCHARISTIC REVIVAL LOGO

Here is the explanation of the Hawaiian phrase.

"Hō'eu'eu Eukalikia"

In the Hawaiian language, "*Hō'eu'eu*" means "*to rouse*" or "*to stir up,*" and "*Eukalikia*" is a term referring to the Eucharist, the Christian sacrament of communion. Together, the phrase "*Hō'eu'eu Eukalikia*" can be translated as "*To stir up the Eucharist.*"

In the context of our Hawaii diocesan Eucharistic revival, this phrase serves as a powerful reminder to reawaken our appreciation, understanding, and active participation in the Eucharist. It calls on us to deepen our connection with this sacred sacrament and to share its significance with others.

Your parish, vicariate, group may use the logo on your bulletins, social media, website and even shirts. Blessings.



**HŌ'EU'EU
EUKALIKIA**



2024 LENT & HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

February 14 **ASH WEDNESDAY** > Fasting & Abstinence
 7:00am – Morning Mass with Imposition of Ashes (Fr. Adrian)
 6:30pm – Evening Mass with Imposition of Ashes (Fr. Edgar & Fr. Adrian)

STATIONS OF THE CROSS – Fridays 7:00pm

LEAD GROUPS

Feb 16 Pastoral Council, Finance Council & Stewardship Committee
Feb 23 Filipino Catholic Club & Santo Nino Visayan Group
March 1 Catechists, Youth & Young Adults & Outreach
March 8 Knights of Columbus
March 15 Ilocano Choir & Ministry
March 22 Liturgy Committee



LENTEN VIDEO PRESENTATIONS – March 19

PENANCE & RECONCILIATION SERVICE – March 19

CHRISM MASS – Tuesday, March 26, 2024 at 7:00pm / Co-Cathedral of St. Theresa
 *Parish Representatives for Holy Oils: *Adriano and Norma Daligcon*

HOLY WEEK

Cover all images and crosses with purple cloth

March 23 **Vigil Mass - PALM SUNDAY**
 6:00pm Mass & Blessing of Palms at the Church entry (*Fr. Adrian*)

March 24 **PALM SUNDAY**
 6:30am Mass & Blessing of Palms at the Church entry (*Fr. Edgar*)
 9:00am Mass w/Blessing & Procession of Palms from Hall to Church (*Fr. Edgar*)

March 28 **HOLY THURSDAY**
 7:00pm Mass of the Lord's Supper (*Fr. Edgar & Fr. Adrian*)
 +Washing of the Feet: *Members of the Hospitality Committee and Eucharistic Ministers*
 +Presentation of the Holy Oils: *Adriano & Norma Daligcon and Sharlene Daligcon Agustin*
 * Place a basket on both sides of altar for Rice Bowl drop off



(After distribution of Communion, the ciboria of consecrated hosts for Good Friday are processed to the Hall for Adoration)

8:00pm-12:00am (Midnight) – SOLEMN EUCHARISTIC ADORATION / LEAD GROUPS

*8:00pm-9:00pm – *All Priests, Office Staff, RE Catechists, Altar Servers, Music Ministry & Choir, Parishioners*

*9:00pm-10:00pm – *Pastoral Council, Finance Council, Stewardship Committee, Parish Planning & Building Committee, Education Committee, Stewardship Counters, Parishioners*

*10:00pm-11:00pm – *EMs of Holy Communion, Lectors, Hospitality Ministry, Liturgical Environment Committee, Outreach Ministry (Kokua), Parishioners*

*11:00pm-12mn – *Knights of Columbus, Ilocano Ministry & Choir, Santo Nino Ministry & Visayan Community; Filipino Catholic Club, Respect Life Ministry, Parish Bulletin Staff, Parishioners*

March 29 **GOOD FRIDAY**
 12:00pm – Stations of the Cross (*Ministry: Gloria Rodrigues, Coordinator*)

3:00pm - Divine Mercy Novena

7:00pm – Good Friday Services of the Passion of the Lord (*Fr. Edgar & Fr. Adrian*)

+Passion Narrative * Veneration of the Cross * Place an offering basket on both sides of the Cross to place the offertory envelopes for the Holy Father * Holy Communion * Divine Mercy Novena starts

March 30 **HOLY SATURDAY**
 7:00am - Divine Mercy Novena
 6:00pm - Easter Vigil Mass (*Fr. Edgar & Fr. Adrian*)

+Blessing of Fire * Lighting of Paschal Candle * Exultet * Solemn Scripture Readings * Blessing of Baptismal Water * Clothing of Baptismal Garment * Presentation of a Lighted Candle * The Blessing of Water * Baptism & Confirmation of the Elect * Renewal of Baptismal Promises * First Communion * Place filled bottles of water at the water font for blessing (?).

March 31 **EASTER SUNDAY** – SOLEMN FEAST OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD
 6:30am Mass (*Fr. Adrian*) * 9:00am Mass (*Fr. Edgar*)
 (Easter goodies to be distributed to the children after the 9:00am Mass)





2024 STATIONS OF THE CROSS

ASSIGNMENTS

Fridays @ 7:00 PM

Date (Priest or Lead)	Ministry (Lead)	Readers (14 Stations)	Piano / Cantor	Cross Bearer	Candle 1 Bearer	Candle 2 Bearer
Feb 16	Pastoral Council Finance Council Stewardship Committee (G. Roberts / M. Ulep / K. Ferreira)	Fe Go George Roberts Olivia Mita Cora dela Rosa Vangie Bacani Rosemary Mohika Marichu Pe Benito	Cantor: George Roberts	Manny Espindola	Renato dela Rosa	Randy Rivera
Feb 23	Filipino Catholic Club * Santo Nino Group (F. Go / F. Sipalay)	Florencio Sipalay Esther Smith Evangeline Trocio Angie Balbuena Jun Barberona Juris Go Aurea Macalisang Medy Macalma Teresa Siruno Armi Canoneo Lance de los Reyes Seigrid de los Reyes Ma. Luisa Dr. Clem Ceria-Ulep	Cantor: Fe Go	Manny Espindola	Jaden de los Reyes	Antoine de los Reyes
Mar 1	Catechists * Youth & Young Adults * Outreach (F. Kovaloff / D. Peterson / L.Puzon)	Vangie Bacani Diena Peterson Lucille Mohika Rosemary Mohika Mary Ann Goloran Cathy Villanueva Rosario Sipalay Fe Go	Cantor: Gloria Rodrigues	Manny Espindola	Florencio Sipalay	Guillermo Bacani
Mar 8	Knights of Columbus (G. Roberts))	George Roberts	Cantor:	Manny Espindola		
Mar 15	Ilocano Choir Ministry (S. Palting)	Silver Palting	Cantor:	Manny Espindola		
Mar 22	Liturgy >Altar Servers >Decorating >EMs >Hospitality >Lectors >Music (G. Rodrigues for F. Kovaloff)	Gloria Rodrigues	Cantor: Gloria Rodrigues	Manny Espindola		

PARISH NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

FEAST DAY

Feb 27 St. Gregory of Narek, Abbott and Doctor of the Church

OTHER

- Feb 25** > Knights of Columbus, Corporate Mass, 9:00 AM, meeting to follow in the Hall
> Catechists' meeting after class, classroom
- Feb 28** Pastoral Council meeting, 6:30 PM, Hall
- Mar 1** > World Day of Prayer
> First Friday, Eucharistic Adoration, after the 7:00 AM Mass
- Mar 6** Liturgy Committee meeting, 6:30 PM, Rectory office

STATIONS OF THE CROSS - 7:00pm

Lead Ministries / Organizations:

- Mar 1** Catechists, Youth & Young Adult & Outreach
- Mar 8** Knights of Columbus
- Mar 15** Ilocano Choir Ministry
- Mar 22** Liturgy Committee: Altar Servers; Decorating Committee; EMs; Hospitality; Lectors; and Music Ministry



† OBITUARY

+MARINA LAZO PESCADOR, 95

FUNERAL MASS – April 27, 2024, 10:00 AM at OLM Church

INTERMENT SERVICE – April 27, 2024, 1:00 PM at Valley of the Temples Memorial Park

“Eternal rest grant unto the souls of the faithful departed, O Lord.”

We extend our heartfelt prayers and sympathy to the grieving families.



Coordinator, *Becky DeCorte* iannounced that **the next opening of the Kokua/Outreach Ministry is Saturday, March 9, 2024, from 9:00 AM to 11:00 AM.** Please bring your own bags. She and her team look forward to serving you once again!

"Fasting" doesn't mean eating fast food!



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(Laugh Out Loud)



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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 - 6:00pm

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.