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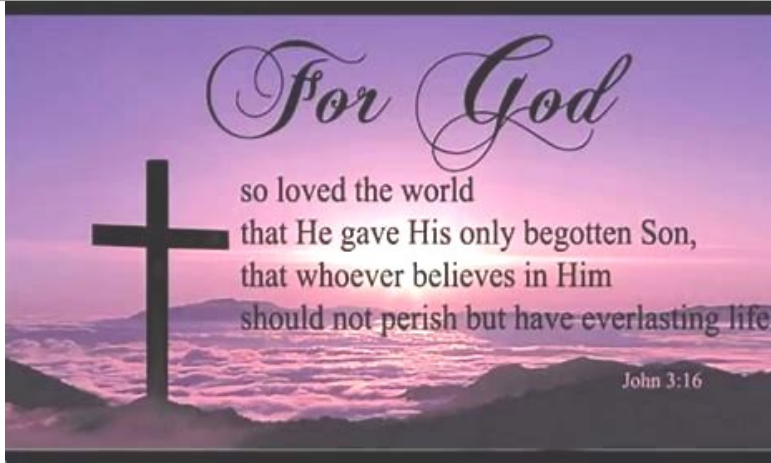
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† CELEBRATING 153 YEARS AND RENEWING OUR FAITH IN GRATEFUL STEWARDSHIP! †



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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.



ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION

Our catechumens at OLM are now called elect after their Rite of Election last Sunday. They are children of catechetical age, unbaptized as infants, who have reached the age of reason and are able to be taught and have been brought by their parents for Christian initiation. They are considered suitable candidates if they have developed and nourished their faith and are trying to develop their consciences. The initiation of these children requires both a maturity in their own conversion, according to their age, and further instruction needed for this age. As in the case of adults, their initiation lasts for some years before they receive the sacraments. The various stages and periods of their initiation are marked and enriched by liturgical rites. It is desirable that these children receive as much help and example as possible from their parents leading them to live genuine lives from this time forward.

After the Rite of Election, the scrutinies and presentations of the Creed and Lord's Prayer take place during Lent prior to the sacraments of initiation. The purpose of the scrutinies is mainly spiritual, and this is achieved by exorcisms. The scrutinies are intended to purify the catechumens' minds and hearts, to strengthen them against temptation, to purify their intentions, and to make firm their decision, so that they remain more closely united with Christ and make progress in their efforts to love God more deeply. By these rites, the spiritual and catechetical preparation of the elect is completed.

This Sunday, the elect will go through the first scrutiny and receive the profession of faith or creed. They will also make the penitential rite as they join their baptized classmates in the catechetical instruction who are making the sacrament of penance and reconciliation.

With our prayers and loving support, let us accompany the elect in their journey of faith together with their parents, godparents and catechists. May God bless the elect – *Deraiah Aloina Tuiotea, Gloria Toriana Tuiotea and Raiden Joseph Kupono Kovaloff.*

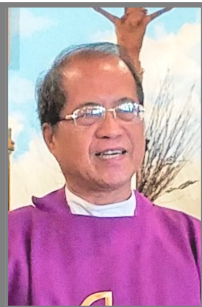


CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES COLLECTION – March 9 & 10

This weekend in all the Masses our parish will take up the *Catholic Relief Services Collection* to reveal Christ's love to our brothers and sisters in need. This collection makes grants to six Catholic agencies that provide relief and support for struggling communities and work for peace and reconciliation among our marginalized brothers and sisters, both here and around the world. Please prayerfully consider how you can support the collection. Learn more about the collection at:

www.usccb.org/catholic-relief.





Pastor's Corner

By Rev. Fr. Edgar B. Brillantes



Next Sunday's Reading Fifth Sunday of Lent

First Reading
Jeremiah 31:31-34

Responsorial Psalm
Psalm 51:3-4, 12-15

Second Reading
Hebrews 5:7-9

Gospel
John 12:20-33

FOCUS: Offer gifts of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving out of love and gratitude to our merciful God. We offer our humble gifts of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving to God out of gratitude. We recognize that all is gift. God has poured out his grace upon us. We joyfully draw near to the giver of all good gifts in the spiritual practices we take up in this season.

First Reading: 2 Chronicles 36:14-16, 19-23

The first reading chronicles the fall of Jerusalem because of the people's unfaithfulness, and the fulfillment of the prophecies through Cyrus, king of Persia.

Second Reading: Ephesians 2:4-10

In his Letter to the Ephesians, Paul speaks of the richness of God's mercy and *the immeasurable riches of his grace*.

Gospel: John 3:14-21

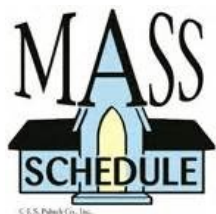
The Gospel tells of Jesus' conversation with Nicodemus and the immense love God has for us.

LENTEN PARISH MISSION

We invite all parishioners to attend our Lenten parish Recollection as part of our spiritual preparation for Easter. We especially enjoin our liturgical ministers, the Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers, to attend because this serves as their fulfillment of the requirement to hold annual spiritual recollection and renewal of commissioning. The video presentations deal with relevant topics on the Eucharist, devotions and Christian life and are held on *Fridays - March 8, 15 and 22 at 6:00 PM* in the Parish Hall.



****Everyone is also invited to the movie presentation for Lent on Monday, March 18 at 6:00 PM in the Parish Hall.****



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
 Next Ilocano Mass > April 21, 2024 – 6:30 PM
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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 (Holy Infant Jesus) at 6:30pm.





2024 LENT & HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

STATIONS OF THE CROSS – Fridays 7:00pm.

LEAD GROUPS
March 15 Ilocano Choir & Ministry
March 22 Liturgy Committee



PRE-EASTER CHURCH CLEANING - March 16, 8:00 AM - 12:00 Noon, lunch to follow

LENTEN PARISH MISSION PRESENTATIONS - March 8, 15, 18, 22 at 6:00pm

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
9:00am - Elect anointed with Holy Oils
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)



STEWARDSHIP REFLECTIONS

OUR WORK IS LOVING THE WORLD - A Lenten Stewardship Reflection

Insightful stewardship expressions can be found in any number of poems we read reflectively. In the poem "Messenger" for instance, the poet Mary Oliver writes: "My work is loving the world."

What does the poet mean by her use of the word "work" in relationship to "loving?" How can Christian stewards make prayerful use of this reflection during the season of Lent?

The forty days of Lent provide stewards with a marvelous opportunity to evaluate the nature of our life's "work." Being reminded to take a meaningful and substantive spiritual "pause" in our lives for forty days is a gift in itself. Sometimes, we have good intentions to improve our spiritual lives. But we tend to put it off. The season of Lent begins by reminding us of the brevity of our lives, and then presents us with the immediacy of forty days to focus more intensely on our life in Christ. This is the first step toward embracing Christian stewardship as a way of life.

It's a good number, forty days; good enough to provide structure to help us open our hearts to conversion as we examine just what our "work" in this world should genuinely be about. As we imagine what Jesus must have done in the desert for forty days, we have the opportunity to examine our lives and vocation, as well as our strengths, weaknesses and temptations. Oliver probably realizes that if most of us are asked what our "work" is, we would reply with a description of how we earn our paycheck or take care of our family. In a sense, this is correct. We all have to support ourselves and provide for our families. Oliver would hardly reject that necessity. But her poem also suggests that, no matter how we spend our lives, there must be a deeper dimension to our life's purpose; a way of engaging the world with our loving presence. Indeed, there is a Catholic worldview that encourages us to pray for and to act in ways that make a difference in a world that is hungry for Christ's love.

For Christian stewards, bringing Christ's loving presence into our work and our workplace is necessary in order to live in the world as disciples of the Lord. It is key to living the Christian life in our world today.

The very word "work" connotes a certain dedication and commitment, indeed a certain obligation. This rings true in Oliver's simple line. As Christian stewards, we have a fundamental obligation to love and embrace the world as ambassadors of Christ. The season of Lent provides us with a singular opportunity to examine how well we're doing and to make an even greater commitment to exercising good stewardship of all the Lord has entrusted to us.

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



†						SACRIFICIAL OFFERTORY <i>Thank you</i>			
MASS ATTENDANCE									
	<u>2/24-25/24</u>	<u>3/2 - 3/24</u>				<u>2/24-25/24</u>	<u>3/2 - 3/24</u>		
Sat 6:00 pm	60A+7C	52A+1C				Offertory	\$ 3,411.00	\$ 3,199.00	
Sun 6:30 am	57A+0C	58A+0C				Initial Offering	\$ 3.00		
Sun 9:00 am	85A+5C	105A+20C				Repair and Maintenance	\$ 20.00	\$ 1,095.00	
						Ash Wednesday		\$ 15.00	
						Donation			
						Santo Nino		\$ 293.00	
						Printing		\$ 300.00	
						Mass Intentions	\$ 170.00	\$ 280.00	
						Candles	\$ 64.35	\$ 145.00	
						Total	<u>\$ 3,668.35</u>	<u>\$ 5,327.00</u>	

STEWARDSHIP PRAYER For March

Heavenly Father,
Thank you for this new day,
and another opportunity to give the traditions of Lent genuine meaning in my life.
Help me to be a good steward of this day; to use it wisely to reflect on my words and d
review my habits, and correct my faults. Inspire me to live as Jesus did,
to embrace his cross, and live the great paschal mystery in a way that gives hope to others.
Be merciful to me this day. Forgive me my failings and weaknesses.
Cultivate in me a humble and repentant heart. Prepare me for the renewal of my baptismal vows,
today and throughout the season of Lent; so that at Easter I may truly rejoice in Christ Jesus,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever. Amen

(Lifted from ICSC e-Bulletin, March 2024)



❖ ANNOUNCEMENTS ❖



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

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‘OHANA IN CHRIST

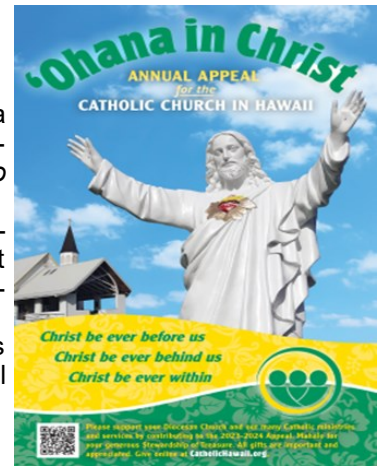
APPEAL FROM BISHOP LARRY SILVA:

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



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‘OHANA IN CHRIST PROGRESS REPORT

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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.catholichawaii.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](https://www.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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DIOCESAN NEWS ❖❖❖ DIOCESAN NEWS

❖❖❖ 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."

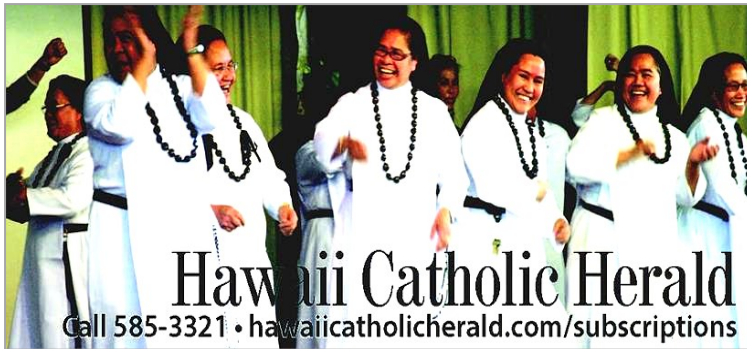
The Dicastery for Evangelization said that the year complements the U.S. Bishops' National Eucharistic Revival: "We are well pleased that the American bishops want to call attention to what Vatican II calls the source and summit of Christian life because the Eucharist must be the foundation of every 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)



Pope Francis's 2024 Lenten message raises provocative questions about how we respond to those who are hungry—both physically and spiritually. This year, U.S. Catholics are on a Lenten journey amidst the third and final year of the U.S. Bishops National Eucharistic Revival, which culminates in July at the U.S. National Eucharistic Congress in Indianapolis. Amidst our Lenten reflections, it's vital to recognize the centrality of the

Eucharist for our faith and the role of Eucharistic Congresses have in our church history, including in the roots of the CRS Lenten Rice Bowl program now used in parishes throughout the US. Every gift you give helps a child thrive, brings hope to a family and rebuilds a community. **Please pick up a Rice Bowl that are at the doors. Your bowls will be collected on Holy Thursday. Thank you for your generosity!**



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KEIKI EASTER GOODIE BAGS

On **Saturday, March 23, from 9:00AM to 11:30AM**, the Faith Formation Catechists and Youth and Young Adult members will be making Easter goodie bags for our children and invite you to join them. The bags will be distributed after all the Masses on **Saturday, Easter Vigil, March 30 and on Easter Sunday, March 31**. **They are asking you to donate Easter goodies to fill the bags.** You may drop off your donations in the baskets at the Church doors on Saturday, March 16 and Sunday, March 17. During the week you may drop off your donations at the Office. Thank you and God bless!





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.

Rev. Ese'ese "Ace" Tui

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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 Eukalika*" 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**





Mass INTENTIONS

Mar 3 > 9:00am RM +John Nino Trocio; +George Trocio

Mar 4 > 7:00am Surgery & healing - Jason T Bautista *
RM +Simplicio Canoneo; +Joe & Millie Josol

Mar 4-12 > 7:00am RM +Matilde Servania

Mar 5 > 7:00am Special day - Medy Macalma * Healing -
Connie Caraang; Julieta Walsh * RM +Pat Laca

Mar 6 > 7:00am Thanksgiving - Lydia Felipe * Successful
surgery & healing - Bill Rodrigues * RM +Fr Jojo Junio

Mar 7 > 7:00am Birthday - Brandy Aczon * RM +Teresita "Tessie" Fontanilla: +Cesario Pascual

Mar 7-10 > 7:00am Healing - Audrey Peralta

Mar 8 > 7:00am Birthday - Brenton Aczon

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Mar 9 > 6:00pm Healing & speedy recovery - Angie Sera; Rolita Ezeonu; Audrey Peralta; Julieta Walsh * Thanksgiving - Chester, Shantil & Baby Isaac Centino * Special intention - For peace in the world; for meaningful & spirit-filled Lent; For the safety of travelers, vacationers & deployed military personnel * RM +Julita, Nicolas & Ricardo Icasiano; +Ercie Rentino; +Regina Nacman; +Guadalupe Abarquez * +Gloria & Gudfrey Hermosura; +Defrosa & Martha Lorenzo; +Pedro & Flora Lorenzo; +Matilde Servania; +Departed pastors, benefactors & parishioners of OLM

Mar 10 > 6:30am (Missa pro populo) Birthday - Jocelyn Ramiscal * Wedding anniversary - Fermin & Luida Susa (35) * Healing & speedy recovery - Audrey Peralta; Rachel Soong; Hannah Leong; Fran Kovaloff; Cipriana Luczon; Trini Agamao; 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 - Joseph & Mila Llantero; Lydia Felipe * Special intentions - For meaningful & spirit-filled Lent; for peace in the world * RM +Tessie Fontanilla; +Silvestre Marquez; +Matilde Servania; +Deceased Victims of the covid pandemic, wars and disasters

> 9:00am Healing & speedy recovery - Angie Sera; Rolita Ezeonu; Thomas Nash Shirai; Florentino Orcino; Connie Caraang; Julieta Walsh; Olivia Mita; Rudy Balmilero; Seitasi Ah Kui; Latai Holeva Manupuna; Imelda Ruaburo * Safety of travelers, vacationers & deployed military personnel * Thanksgiving - Jewelle & Nester Deuz; Teresa Siruno; Alex & Marichu Pe Benito; Cora Orcino; Silver & Marivic Palting; Armelita Canoneo * Special intentions - Robert Fernandez; For the perseverance of the Elect in their faith journey; For a meaningful & spirit-filled season of Lent * RM Julita, Nicolas & Ricardo Icasiano; +Ercie Rentino; +Regina Nacman; +Guadalupe Abarquez; +Gloria & Gudfrey Hermosura; +Jovencita Raganit; +Antonio Mateo Sr; +Deceased Victims of pandemic, wars, crimes & disasters

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Mar 11-12 > 7:00am RM +Matilde Servania

Mar 12 > 7:00am Birthday - Coby Jay Jacinto; Sr. Clemence Mira, SPC * RM +Cora Custado

Mar 13 > 7:00am RM +Eddie Zanellato

Mar 15 > 7:00am Birthday - Emelyn Chesser; Clemente Fontanilla; Nemecia Bistayan

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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:** Angie Sera * Rolita Ezeonu * Audrey Peralta * Thomas Nash Shirai * Bill Rodrigues * Jason T Bautista * Marivic Palting * Wilfred & Rachel Soong * Hannah Leong * Connie Caraang * Julieta Walsh * 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 * 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:** Emeline Chesser * Clemente Fontanilla * Jocelyn Ramiscal * Coby Jay Jacinto * Sr. Clemence Mira, SPC * Nemecia Bistayan * Brandy Aczon * Brenton Aczon * Medy Macalma * Mila Llantero * Rosemarie Bautista Gamatero * Diena Peterson * Grace Gumban * Adoracion Laguer * Dusty Miranda * Abraham Marcos Brillantes * Marivic Palting * Chato Valdez * Kalolo Tuihalafatai * Tony Peterson * Mila Fernandez * Jayson Cadiz Malla (40) * Audrey Peralta * Vangie Bacani * Steven Schwengler * Tita & Anthony Calizar * Alexia Jacinto * Condelita Pescador * Alvin Pescador

❖ **WEDDING ANNIVERSARY:** Fermin & Luida Susa (35) * 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:** Helen Manzano * Dolores Malla * Teresita & Curtis Erese * Veronica Shirai * Nenita B Barroga * Cathy Sanchez

❖ **THANKSGIVING:** Lydia Felipe > Jewelle & Nester Deuz > Chester, Shantil & Baby Isaac Centino > Alexia Jacinto > Teresa A. Siruno > 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

❖ **SPECIAL INTENTION:** Carly Rabago * Robert & Imelda Fernandez * Fran Kovaloff * Jun & Caridad Cortez * 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:** +Julita Nacman Icasiano * +Nicolas Villarica Icasiano * +Ricardo Icasiano * +Ercie Rentino * +Regina Nacman * +Guadalupe Abarquez * +Gloria Hermosura * +Gudfrey Hermosura * +Defrosa Lorenzo * +Martha Lorenzo * +Flora Lorenzo * +Pedro Lorenzo * +Cora Custado * +Eddie Zanellato * +Jovencita Raganit * +Felicidad Aganon Bala * +Cesario Pascual * +Alan Lee Purganan * +Matilde Servania * +Simplicio Canoneo * +Joe & Millie Josol * +Fr Jojo Junio * +Teresita "Tessie" Fontanilla * +Marina Pescador * +Collin H P Leong * +Silvestre Marquez * +Constance Theresa "Connie" DeSantos * +Dolores Batangan (2nd anniv) * +Garry del Rosario * +Hilda Kelsom * +Ellen Miyashiro * +John Niño Trocio * +George Trocio * +Avelina Orcino * +Sara Saniatan Yara * +Pio, Consuelo, Jovito & Bessie Alcantara * +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) * +Luciano Lucero Jr * +Teresa Lucero * +Julieta Tabora * +Seigfred Espina delos Reyes * +Rizza Go * +Loreto & Leticia Castillo * +Maria Goloran * +Lorenzo Edra Carmen * +Nicanor Bucaneg * +Ely Purganan * +Rosario Purganan * +Loreta Pascual * +Arsenio & Esperanza Balmores * +Marina Umblas Segui * +Alfonso Agamao * +Richard Sabin * +Delfin Barsatan * +Courteney-Ann Kanani Pregil * +Religious, benefactors, donors & parishioners of OLM * +Victims of the covid-19 pandemic, wars, crimes & natural disasters * +Holy Souls in purgatory



❖ ANNOUNCEMENTS ❖

Get Up To Date!

COVID-19 Vaccinations



Why do I need it?

The COVID-19 virus continues to change. The latest vaccine offers the most up to date protection.

COVID-19 can spread year round.
It's never too late to get up to date!



Sunday, April 21, 2024

10:30 - 11:30 AM

Our Lady of the Mount Church
1614 Monte St., Honolulu, HI 96819

VACCINES:

- Spikevax (Moderna)**
- Comirnaty (Pfizer)**
- RSV (IS AVAILABLE)**

Please bring:

- Photo ID**
- Medical Insurance Card**

Note on Insurance Coverage:

Insurance will only be covering for the vaccines if you did not receive any other formulation of COVID vaccines in the past 2 months and that this will be your first time receiving the 2023 - 2024 formulation. Arexvy (RSV vaccine) is for people who are 60 years and older if you have not received it yet.



To pre-register, please call: Dr. Clementina Ceria-Ulep (808) 258-0802



MAHALO TO: Our Lady of the Mount Church, St. Anthony Church Kalihi, Diocesan Congress of Filipino Catholic Clubs, Oahu Council of Filipino Catholic Clubs, Hawai'i Public Health Institute, Times Pharmacy, Filipino Community Center



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*

Website & *myParish App* Administrator - *Mary Ann Llamedo*

Faith Formation Program Coordinator - *Francisca Kovaloff*

Bookkeeper - *Deacon Rafael Mendoza*

Information Technology Personnel - *Fidel Flores*



COMMITTEE * MINISTRY * ORGANIZATION * CHAIRPERSONS

Pastoral Council (*Meeting 4th Wednesday of the month, 6:00pm*) -
George Roberts

Stewardship Committee - *Marcelino Ulep*

Education Committee - *Vacant*

Finance Council - *Kathy Ferreira*

Liturgy Committee - *Francisca Kovaloff (Meeting 1st Wednesday of the Month, 6:30pm),*

* 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*

Cemetery Maintenance - *Kalolo Tuihalafatai*

Filipino Catholic Club - *Fe Go (Meeting 2nd Sun of the Month, after the 9:00am Mass)*

Ilocano Ministry & Choir - *Silverio Palting (Novena to Our Mother of Perpetual Help and Rosary, Thursdays at 7:00pm)*

Knights of Columbus - *George Roberts*

Corporate Mass 9:00am, 4th Sun of the month; meeting after

Order of Christian Initiation of Adults - *Dorothy Pregil*

Outreach Coordinator & Family Fun Night - *Becky DeCorte*

* Kokua & Food Pantry Ministry - *Becky DeCorte*

Parish Bulletin Editor - *Francisca Kovaloff*

Parish Planning and Building Committee - *Vacant*

Prison & Hospital Ministries - *Wilfred Soong*

Respect Life Ministry & Safe Environment Ministry — *George Roberts*

Santo Nino Visayan Group - *Florencio Sipalay (Novena to Santo Nino, Fridays at 6:30pm)*

Stewardship Counter & Receptionist - *Linda Puzon*

Youth Ministry / Young Adult Ministry - *Diana Peterson*

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

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

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

Faith Formation Classes: After the 9:00am Mass

(Catechists: *Evangeline Bacani, Fe Go, Mary Ann Goloran, Lucille Mohika, Rosemary Mohika, Rosario Sipalay, Cathy Villanueva*)

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

Santo Nino Novena & Rosary: Fridays, 6:30pm in the Chapel

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: Every second Saturday of the month, 9-11am

Contact the Rectory Office for the following:

Telephone / Fax: 808-845-0828 * Email: olm@rochawaii.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.

PARISH NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

FEAST DAY - None

OTHER

Mar 10 >Filipino Catholic Club mtg, after 9AM Mass
 >RE Children Reconciliation after 9AM Mass
 >Pre-Easter Church Cleaning sign-up
 >Solicit for goodies for children Easter bags
 >Vaccination clinic sign-up

Mar 12 FORMED coaching online, 10:30AM

Mar 16 Pre-Easter Church cleaning, 8AM-12 Noon
 lunch to follow

Mar 17 >RE meeting after classes, Pastoral Center, 1st classroom, 2nd floor
 >Drop off goodies for children Easter bags
 >Oahu Council of Filipino Catholic Club Meeting, 1:00 PM, parish hall

Mar 23 Prepare Easter goodie bags, hall, 9-11:30

Mar 8, 15, 22 - Preparation for Renewal (New)
 Commissioning of Commitment for Liturgical Ministers, 6:00 PM, parish hall

Apr 13 Kokua/Outreach Ministry open, 9-11AM

Apr 21 >Vaccination Clinic, after 9AM Mass
 >Ilocano Mass, 6:30PM

STATIONS OF THE CROSS - 7:00PM

Lead Ministries / Organizations:

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 – Saturday, 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.



** PRE-EASTER CHURCH CLEANING **



Date: Saturday, March 16, 2024

Time: 9:00 AM to 12:00 Noon

Lunch to follow

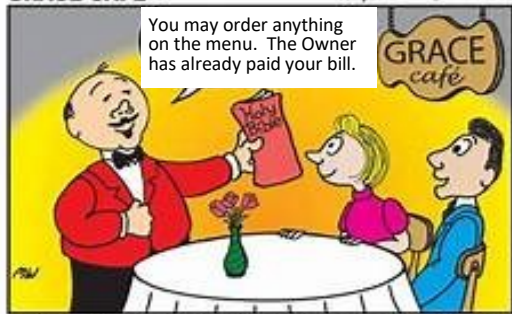
We need all of you to help!

Sign up after all the Masses or see Coordinator Mary Ann Llamedo (Music Director).

Thank you!

GRACE CAFE

A Joyful Toon by Mike Winters



For all the promises of God in him are yea, and in him Amen, unto the glory of God by us. - II Corinthians 1:20



L.O.L.
(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 - 6:30pm (Next Mass - April 21, 2024)

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.

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