

#### **OUR LADY OF THE MOUNT CHURCH**

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





Pastor Rev. Fr. Edgar B. Brillantes





Pastor Emeritus Rev. Fr. Adrian R. Gervacio



## A Glorious Easter To One & All!

#### SUNDAY OF THE DIVINE MERCY – April 7

\*Novena Prayers: March 29-April 6



St. Faustina Kowalska and the Image of Divine Mercy: St. Faustina of Poland is the well-known apostle of Divine Mercy. On the 30<sup>th</sup> of April, 2000, at 10:00 AM on the Second Sunday of Easter (*Divine Mercy Sunday*, the Feast requested by Jesus of St. Faustina), His Holiness Pope St. John Paul II celebrated the Eucharist in Saint Peter's Square and proceeded to the canonization of Blessed Sister Faustina Kowalska. [John Paul himself would be canonized on this same Feast Day – April 27 in 2014 – by Pope Francis.] Saint Faustina invites us by the witness of her life to keep our Faith and Hope fixed on God the Father, rich in mercy, Who saved us by the precious Blood of His Son. During her short life, the Lord Jesus assigned to St. Faustina three basic tasks: 1. to pray for souls, entrusting them to God's incomprehensible Mercy; 2. to tell the world about God's generous Mercy; 3. to start a new movement in the Church focusing on God's Mercy. At the canonization of St. Faustina, Pope St. John Paul II said: "The cross, even after the Resurrection of the Son of God, speaks, and never ceases to speak, of God the Father, Who is absolutely faithful to His eternal love for man. ... Believing in this

love means believing in mercy." The Lord of Divine Mercy, a painting of Jesus based on the vision given to St. Faustina Kowalska, shows Jesus raising his right hand in a gesture of blessing, with His left hand on his heart from which gush forth two rays, one red and one white. The picture contains the message, "Jesus, I trust in You!" (Jezu ufam Tobie). The rays streaming out have symbolic meaning: red for the Blood of Jesus, which is the life of souls and white for the water of Baptism which justifies souls. - The whole image is symbolic of the mercy, forgiveness, and love of God.

## BIG MAHALO FOR YOUR SUPPORT \*TO THE HOLY THURSDAY RICE BOWL COLLECTION – MARCH 28

> Collected Amount - \$ 1,705.97

The Lenten Rice Bowl program helps us keep in mind the countless men, women and children who today carry heavy crosses of their own in various forms of hunger, homelessness, and lack

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of security. In these brothers and sisters, we encounter Christ, as he walks that long road to Calvary. In these encounters, the Lenten practice of almsgiving allows us to help in the carrying of the cross of others by charity and acts of mercy and service. Let us continue to imitate Christ by generously giving of ourselves with our sisters and brothers here in Hawaii and around the world, remembering that the passion of Holy Week gives way to the joy Easter—when the fast turns into a feast of Hope. And as we celebrate Easter, it is our responsibility as members of God's one human family to continue participating in the paschal transformation of suffering into joy. May all of you have a very blessed Holy Week leading to a very hopeful Easter season. Mahalo!



# Pastor's Corner



By Rev. Fr. Edgar B. Brillantes

#### Next Sunday's Reading Third Sunday of Easter

First Reading Responsorial Psalm Acts of the Apostles 3:13-15, 17-19 Psalm 4:2, 4-7, 7-9

Second Reading Gospel

1 John 2:1-5 Luke 24:35-48

**FOCUS:** We are called to live out God's mercy.

In today's Gospel, Jesus confers his divine power to forgive sins on the Apostles through the Holy Spirit. This forgiveness is still available to us in the sacraments. The gift of God's mercy calls us to also perform acts of mercy to ensure that, as in the earliest communities of believers, no one among us is in need.

First Reading: Acts of the Apostles 10:34, 37-43

The first reading describes how the early community of believers held everything in common.

**Second Reading:** Colossians 3:1-4

In the second reading, John writes that to love God is to keep his commandments, and that faith in Jesus conquers the world.

**Gospel:** *John 20:1-9* 

In the Gospel, Jesus appears to the disciples in a locked room and breathes on them, giving them the power to forgive sins.

#### **EASTER BREAK**

Our pastor, Fr. Edgar is taking his Easter break from April 4-8. Covering for him are *Fr. Victor Lanuevo* (Retired Military Chaplain), *Fr. Francis Sanchez* (Hospital Chaplain) and *Fr. Mario Palanca* (St. Francis Healthcare System Chaplain). We thank them all for their availability and willingness to help.

In case of emergency sick call, you may inform the parish office and they will call St. Theresa Co-Cathedral to render the service. or the family of the sick may be the one to call themselves.





#### FR. EDGAR'S 44<sup>TH</sup> ORDINATION ANNIVERSARY

April 14 is Fr. Edgar's 44<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of his Ordination to the Priesthood. Let us join him in praising and thanking God and Jesus the Eternal High Priest for the wonderful privilege of serving us here at Our Lady of the Mount Parish.

**Our Pastor's** We gather at 5:00 PM to celebrate Thanksgiving Mass and have fellowship after. You are welcome to bring your favorite recipe for the sharing. *Ad multos annos!* 





#### \*MAHALO: PONTIFICAL GOOD FRIDAY COLLECTION FOR THE HOLY LAND

> Collected amount - \$2,221.00.

Pope Francis has asked for support for the **Pontifical Good Friday Collection**, which helps Christians in the Holy Land, where they are now less than 2% of the population. Your support is essential to help the Church ministers in parishes, provide Catholic schools, and offer religious education. The Pontifical Good Friday Collection also helps to preserve the sacred shrines of Christianity, including in Jerusalem, Nazareth, and Bethlehem, to name only a few.

The pandemic had hit Christians in the Holy Land particularly hard. Most of them depend on pilgrimages for work. The war made their situation even more dramatic. In these times of crisis, the collection is necessary to meet the basic needs of the People of God still living in this Land and to maintain a Christian presence where the Church was born.

Thank you for your generosity! For more information about Christians in the Holy Land, visit <a href="https://www.myfranciscan.org">www.custodia.org</a>.









#### **CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP IN ACTION**

Parishioners stepped up to volunteer and share their talents and expertise in putting up the Easter water fountain which serves as baptismal font during the entire Easter season. Jun Cortez was assisted by Doi Facuri and Carlito Centino in setting up the fountain which goes in use from the Easter Vigil until the Feast of Pentecost. Jun Cortez used to do it with his son, Gary, as their personal commitment to the Lord. Together with Andy Llamedo, Jun Cortez also worked on the sound system in the church and hall checking and improving them which was crucially needed during the Holy Week and Triduum celebration.

Meanwhile, Carlito Centino changed the locks on the kitchen door in the parish hall while Adrian Daligcon fixed the lights in the Rectory after repairing the lavabo, toilet seats and bathroom.

Other ministries were also kept busy during the Holy Week and we're greatly lightened and unburdened when they're around. Big mahalo to all of them!



**Locations**Solution

For the past 3 or more years Locations Foundation of Hawaii has been donating some amount to our Church. On behalf of their employees who come to our church like *Jeannette Rodrigues* and Yvonne Tuihalafatai they have been consistently helping the youth in their formation and challenges.

Locations Foundation was founded in 1988 to improve local communities. Its team members are encouraged to give back to their communities through monetary donations, and volunteering service projects. Jeannette and Yvonne designated a portion of their contributions made to 501(c)3 non-profit organizations of their choice and they selected our church.

#### STEWARDSHIP PRAYER

#### For April

Oh Blessed Lord! Oh Risen Lord!

We look through the crosses we have carried this past year and give you thanks for the awe-inspiring hope that Easter brings. We give you thanks for calling us your friends and allowing us to share in the sacrifice of your body and blood, which is poured out for many.

Oh merciful Lord,

redeemer and teacher, by the power of the Holy Spirit give us the patience and insight

to listen to you during this time of continued uncertainty. Give us the wisdom to find creative ways to put the Eucharist into action; and give us the courage to bring your Easter message of hope to a world that desperately needs your love. To you be glory and honor forever and ever. Amen.

(Lifted from ICSC e-Bulletin, April 2024)

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**MASS ATTENDANCE** 

3/23-24/24

66A+3C

47A+0C

102A+25C



3/30-31/24

145A+15C

91A+5C

166A+30C

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Holy Thursday

Sat 6:00 pm

Sun 6:30 am

Sun 9:00 am

Good Friday

3/28/24 117A+6C 3/29/24 127A+4C

Offertory	\$ 3,070.00	\$ 4,087.00
Holy Easter		\$ 3,155.00
Holy Thursday		\$ 1,937.00
Holy Thursday (Rice Bowl)		\$ 1,705.97
Holy Land - Good Friday		\$ 2,221.00
Repair and Maintenance	\$ 10.00	\$ 25.00
Donation	\$ 600.00	
Baptism Certificate	\$ 20.00	
Candles	<u>\$ 90.00</u>	\$ 50.00
Total	\$ 3,790.00	\$13,180.97

### ♦ MHHOUNCEMENTS #1 ❖

#### INITIATION SACRAMENTS FOR THE CATECHUMENS/ELECT

On Easter Vigil as the universal church rejoices at the glorious Resurrection of the Lord Jesus Christ, our parish celebrated the initiation sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Holy Eucharist for the Elect who have gone through the Order of Christian Initiation for Adults and Children of Catechetical Age. We congratulate the three children from our parish together with their parents and godparents - Deraiah Aloina Tuiofea, Gloria Toriana Tuiofea and Raiden Joseph Kupono Kovaloff. A fourth Elect joining the three is an adult who attended the Order of Christian Initiation for Adults at the Co-Cathedral of St. Theresa under the tutelage of Deacon Raymond Lamb and is converting from Shintoism. His name is Warren Kazuo Okuma. For this celebration the Pastor has been deputized by the law of the Church to administer the 3 initiation sacraments.



Another group of parishioners received the sacrament of Confirmation on Easter Vigil. They are three baptized Catholic adults who were catechized and prepared by *Dorothy Pregil* namely - *Victoria De Santos, Joel Rabago* and *Nicholas Rabago*. The Pastor is also given delegation to administer Confirmation by the Bishop who is the ordinary minister of Confirmation.

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 them all.



## CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL WHO RECEIVED THE SACRAMENTS AND THEIR PARENTS, GODPARENTS & SPONSORS

#### EASTER VIGIL CELEBRATION OF THE INITIATION SACRAMENTS – MARCH 30, 2024 >BAPTISM\*CONFIRMATION\*HOLY COMMUNION

Child - DERAIAH ALOINA TUIOFEA

Father - Nigel Aloalo Tuiofea

Mother – Rosalina Lehuanani Tracey Peterson

Godparent – Diena Peterson Confirmation name - Theresa

Child - GLORIA TORIANA TUIOFEA

Father - Nigel Aloalo Tuiofea

Mother - Rosalina Lehuanani Tracey Peterson

Godparent – Nicole Peterson Confirmation name - Faustina

Name - VICTORIA AUGUSTA DE SANTOS

Baptized – August 12, 1979 / Cathedral of Our Lady of Peace, Honolulu. HI

Father – Albert De Santos / Mother – Constance Silva

Godfather - Wilfred Soong / Confirmation name - Padre Pio

Name - NICHOLAS ELIJAH RABAGO

Baptized - October 16, 2005 / Co-Cathedral of Saint Theresa of

the Child Jesus / Honolulu, HI

Father – Joel Gutierrez Rabago / Mother – Victoria Augusta De Santos

Godmother - Terri Leong / Confirmation name - Paul

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#### INFANT BAPTISM - MARCH 31, 2024

Child - GRACE TAVENA TUIOFEA

Date / Place of birth - August 19, 2017 / Honolulu, Hawaii

Father - Nigel Aloalo Tuiofea

Mother - Rosalina Lehuanani Tracey Peterson

Godmother – Diena Peterson

Child - LAVINIA LEHUALANI DOROTHY TUIOFEA

Date / Place of birth - October 18, 2021 / Honolulu, Hawaii

Father - Nigel Aloalo Tuiofea

Mother - Rosalina Lehuanani Tracey Peterson

Godmother - Nicole Peterson

Baptism catechism class - Wednesday, March 20, 2024 at 6:00pm / parish hall

Baptism team - Mary Ann Goloran, Cathy Villanueva and Fran Kovaloff

Child - RAIDEN JOSEPH KUPONO KOVALOFF

Father – Joseph Thomas Kovaloff

Mother - Davilin Noelani Faria

Godfather - Thomas Merrick Ornellas

Godmother - Sandy Ornellas Confirmation name - Joseph

Adult - WARREN KAZUO OKUMA

Father – Yonekichi Okuma

Mother - Ann Chieko

Godparent - Juliette Ratum

Confirmation name - Melchior

Name - JOEL GUTIERREZ RABAGO

Baptized - June 8, 1970 / Our Lady of Manaoag, Manaoag,

Pangasinan, Philippines

Father – Jesus Rabago / Mother – Lauretta Gutierrez

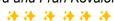
Godmother - Dorothy Pregil / Confirmation name - Michael

Child - DREW GIANNA BAUTISTA KNIGHT
Date / Place of birth - July 9, 2023 / Honolulu, Hawaii

Father – Nung Pusit Knight

Mother – April Kamilah Bagasao Bautista

Godfather – Randy Bautista Godmother – Melisa Bautista



### **♦ ANNOUNCEMENTS** #2**♦**

#### CHAMINADE SCHOLARSHIP

The Chaminade Scholars are Chaminade University students who desire to strengthen their relationship with God and have distinguish themselves through their academic achievements as well as their service to their community.

The scholarship is open to graduating high school students that attend a Catholic parish or Catholic high school. Applications are now being accepted. Recipients are mentored by a member of the Campus Ministry team and engage in a formation process assisting them in their faith development. The scholarship provides \$2000 each year for four years. For more information contact the Chaminade University admissions office at admissions@chaminade.edu or call (808) 739-8340.



\*Email from Martin Solma > martin.solma@chaminade.edu



#### LENTEN PARISH MISSION & LITURGICAL MINISTERS' RECOLLECTION



The Parish Mission and Ministers' Recollection were done in three days – March 8, 15 and 22 at the parish hall. The video presentations from Formed.org were used and each one dealt with different subjects - Sea of Galilee: Multiplication of Bread \* Spirituality of Lent \* Triduum: A Spiritual Journey. All parishioners were invited to attend as part of our spiritual preparation for Holy Week. The liturgical ministers, both the Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers, were enjoined to attend because this serves as their fulfillment of the requirement to hold annual spiritual recollection and renewal of commissioning. A full-length movie from Formed.org titled "The Boy in Striped Pajama" was also shown on March 18 in the parish hall.

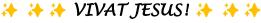




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#### DIOCESE OF HONOLULU—EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL PILGRIMAGE STARTED ON NOVEMBER 1



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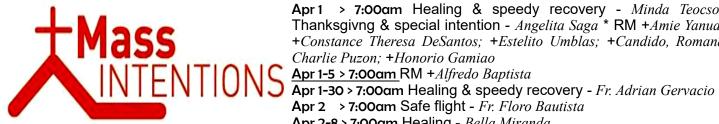
This Year of Parish Revival is about falling deeper in love with the Eucharistic Heart of Jesus and following him more closely. Mirroring this internal journey with an external one is a beautiful way to connect body and soul in the pursuit of Christ. Most of us will not have the opportunity to join the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





Apr1 > 7:00am Healing & speedy recovery - Minda Teocson Thanksgivng & special intention - Angelita Saga \* RM + Amie Yanuario; +Constance Theresa DeSantos; +Estelito Umblas; +Candido, Romana & Charlie Puzon: +Honorio Gamiao

Apr 2 > 7:00am Safe flight - Fr. Floro Bautista

Apr 2-8 > 7:00am Healing - Bella Miranda

Apr 2-10 > 7:00am RM + Felicidad Aganon Bala

Apr 3 > 7:00am Birthday - Maria Cristina Atendido \* RM + Jeanne Oshiro; + Vitorio Vili; + Loreto Castillo

Apr 4 > 7:00am Birthday - Isidra Bautista \* RM + Cecilia Carvalho; + Ramon Rodrigues

**Apr 4-8 > 7:00am** Safe travel - *Fr. Edgar* 

Apr 6 > 6:00pm Birthday - Isidra Bautista \* Healing & speedy recovery - Bella Miranda; Fr Adrian Gervacio; Rudy Balmilero; Audrey Peralta; Julieta Walsh \* Thanksgiving - Jeannette Rodrigues; Yvonne Tuihalafatai; Chester, Shantil & Baby Isaac Centino \* Special intention - For grace-filled Easter season; For the safety of travelers, vacationers & deployed military personnel \* RM +Felicidad Aganon Bala; +Magdalena Corpuz; +Amie Yanuario; +Departed pastors, benefactors & parishioners of OLM

Apr 7 > 6:30am (Missa pro populo) Birthday – Adriano Daligcon; Cheville Lucas Gumban; Virgilio Lucas; Betty Torricer; Helen Martija \* Healing & speedy recovery - Bella Miranda; Oriculo Arios; Fr Adrian Gervacio; Audrey Peralta; Logan Isidro; Cipriana Luczon; Trini Agamao; Rochelle Taylor; Caridad Dagdagan; Roselani Ramones; Alfonso & Mary Villanueva; Moses & Cristina Andres; All the infirmed in our homes & families \* Safe travel - Fr. Edgar \* Safety of all travelers & vacationers & those deployed in the military \* Thanksgiving - Jeannette Rodrigues; Yvonne Tuihalafatai; Joseph & Mila Llantero; Bill & Joan Amoroso \* Special intentions - Rosario Santos; For grace-filled Easter season \* RM + Candido, Romana & Charlie Puzon; +Honorio Gamiao; +Caroline & Martin Rodrigues; +Alfredo Baptista; +Magdalena Corpuz; +Marcelino, Sabas & Maxima Torricer; +Chase Revill; +Este & Placido Eugenio; +Connie & Felipe Ibaan; +Marina Pescador; +Deceased Victims of the covid pandemic, wars and disasters

> 9:00am Healing & speedy recovery - Celia dela Cruz Morris; Bella Miranda; Fr Adrian Gervacio; Rudy Balmilero; Florentino Orcino; Connie Caraang; Julieta Walsh; Seitasi Ah Kui; Latai Holeva Manupuna; Imelda Ruaburo; Herbert Yim ' Safe ravel - Fr. Edgar \* Safety of travelers, vacationers & deployed military personnel \* Thanksgiving - Jeannette Rodrigues; Yvonne Tuihalafatai; Cathy Purganan; Teresa Siruno; Alex & Marichu Pe Benito; Armelita Canoneo; Olivia Mita; Silver & Marivic Palting \* Special intentions - For the perseverance of the neophytes in their faith journey; For grace-filled Easter season \* RM +Felicidad Aganon Bala; +John Nino Trocio; +George Trocio; +Estelito Umblas; +Magdalena Corpuz; +Deceased Victims of pandemic, wars, crimes & disasters

Apr 8 > 7:00am Birthday - Theresa Alvaro \* Safe return flight - Fr. Edgar \* RM + Magdalena Corpuz

Apr 8-10 > 7:00am Healing - Bella Miranda \* RM + Felicidad Aganon Bala

Apr 8-30 > 7:00am Healing & speedy recovery - Fr. Adrian Gervacio

Apr 9 > 7:00am RM +Estelito Umblas; +Hugo & Yoko Cuistas; +Clara Adlawan

Apr 11-19 > All Masses RM + Ernesto Pena (death anniversary)

Apr 13 > 6:00pm RM + Fr. Theodore Herchenrath

Apr 14 > 6:30am RM + Walter & Violet Freitas; + James Rodrigues, Sr. & Jr.

Apr 14 > 5:00pm  $44^{th}$  Ordination Anniversary – Fr. Edgar Brillantes

Apr 20 > 6:00pm Thanksgiving – Benny Mina & Family

\*May we ask you to pray for the healing and speedy recovery of Fr. Adrian Gervacio. Let us continue praying for the health of everyone.

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**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: Celia dela Cruz Morris \* Bella Miranda \* Minda Teocson \* Fr. Adrian Gervacio \* Marbic Castillo \* Mary Peralta Tomas \* Oriculo Arios \* Felipa C Barnachea \* Herbert Yim \* Angie Sera \* Rolita Ezeonu \* Audrey Peralta \* Marie Francis Shirai \* Thomas Nash Shirai \* Olivia Mita \* 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 \* 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: Adriano Daligcon \* Theresa Alvaro \* Isidra T Bautista \* Cheville Lucas Gumban \* Virgilio Lucas \* Betty Torricer \* Helen Matija \* Renato dela Rosa \* Guillermo Bacani \* Kian Chesser \* Segundo "Doi" Facuri \* Ador Padilla \* Francis C. L. & John W. K. Leong \* Jose Paolo Go \* Antoine Jose Go delos Reyes \* Louis Joseph Culao \* Nathaniel Culao \* Marc Gaius Atendido \* Sr. Dora Nuetzi, MM \* Caridad Dagdagan \* Robert & Joseph Era Malab \* Claire Saga \* Gabriela Carmelo \* Meran Ritaro \* Emeline Chesser \* Clemente Fontanilla \* Rosemarie Bautista Gamatero \* Grace Gasparil \* Sharlene Agustin \* Aldrin Daligcon \* Jocelyn Ramiscal \* Coby Jay Jacinto \* Sr. Clemence Mira, SPC \* Nemecia Bistayan \* Brandy Aczon \* Brenton Aczon \* Julie Manuel \* Medy Macalma \* Mila Llantero \* Diena Peterson \* Grace Gumban \* Adoracion Laguer \* Dusty Miranda \* Abraham Marcos Brillantes \* Marivic Palting \* Chato Valdez \* Kalolo Tuihalafatai \* Tony Peterson

❖WEDDING ANNIVERSARY: Rey & Minda Teocson (38) \* Fermin & Luida Susa (35) \* Nato & Adoracion Laguer (49) \* Florencio & Charito Sipalay (47) \* M/M Ramses Ignacio (2<sup>nd</sup>) \* Renato & Cora dela Rosa (44)

❖ORDINATION ANNIVERSARY: Fr. Edgar Brillantes (44) \* Fr. Adrian Gervacio (57)

❖GRADUATION: Britney Mina \* Adrian Padilla

❖SAFE TRIP & VACATION: Tina Lumabao \* Dolores Malla \* Teresita & Curtis Erese \* Nenita B Barroga \* Cathy Sanchez

**❖THANKSGIVING**: Jeannette Rodrigues \* Yvonne Tuihalafatai \* Benny Mina & Family \* Angelita Saga >Lydia Felipe >Jewelle & Nester Deuz (Baby shower) > Chester, Shantil & Baby Isaac Centino > Alexia Jacinto > Joseph & Mila Llantero > Teresa A. Siruno >Magdalena Leano & family >Cora Orcino >Natividad Palting >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 >Vicente & Luz Velasco >Carlito & Aurelia Centino >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: Rosario Santos \* Dr Daniel Peneyra \* Carly Rabago \* Robert & Imelda Fernandez \* Fran Kovaloff \* Jun & Caridad Cortez \* 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: +Hugo & Yoko Cuistas \* +Clara Adlawan \* +Fr. Theodore Herchenrath \* Walter & Violet Freitas \* +James Rodrigues Sr. & Jr. \* +Ernesto Pena \* +Felicidad Aganon Bala \* +Alfredo Baptista \* +Marcelino, +Sabas & +Maxima Torricer \* +Chase Revill \* +Este & +Placido Eugenio \* +Connie & +Felipe Ibaan \* +Candido, Romana & Charlie Puzon \* +Honorio Gamiao \* +Caroline & Martin Rodrigues \* +Jeanne Oshiro \* +Cecilia Carvalho \* +Ramon Rodrigues \* +Amie Yanuario \* +Constance Theresa DeSantos \* +John Niño Trocio \* +George Trocio \* +Magdalena Peneyra Corpuz \* +Estelito Umblas \* +Minervina Dario resa DeSantos \* +John Nino Trocio \* +George Trocio \* +Magdalena Peneyra Corpuz \* +Estelito Umbias \* +Minervina Dario Singson \* +Cresencia Acosta \* +Daphnie Santos \* +Alan Lee Purganan \* +Benny Montemayor \* +Gaudencio Fabro Sr \* +Dionisia Fabro \* +Jaypee Fabro \* +Fr Lawrence Mampaey, SSCC \* +Loretta Tabin \* +Felicidad Aganon Bala \* +Sandra Medeiros \* +Adolfo Baniaga \* +Jabez & Leoncia Goloran \* +Elijah Gabriel Betita \* +Cristina Gador \* +Patricia Drummundo \* +Francisco, Genara, Alfredo, Amelito & Cecilia Cabral \* +Bessie & James Soong \* +Jaypee de Fiests Fabro \* Melvin de Fiesta \* Oscar de Fiesta \*+Benny Montemayor \* +Florenda Bala \* +Victorino Bala Sr \* +Luis Bala; +Juana Bala; +Julian Lacuesta; +Irene Lacuesta \* +Encarnacion Fontanilla \* +Joseph Calizar \* +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 \* +Cristobal Adlai Factora \* +Martina Grey \* +Andrea Pasión \* +Cora Custado \* +Eddie Zanellato \* +Jovencita Raganit \* +Cesario Pascual \* +Matilde Servania \* +Simplicio Canoneo \* +Joe & Millie Josol \* +Fr Jojo Junio \* +Teresita "Tessie" Fontanilla \* +Marina Pescador \* +Collin H P Leong \* +Silvestre Marquez \* +Dolores Batangan (2<sup>nd</sup> anniv) \* +Garry del Rosario \* +Avelina Orcino \* +Sara Saniatan Yara \* +Pio, Consuelo, Jovito & Bessie Alcantra \* +Conrado Benitez Sr \* +Rosa Umblas \* +Lovell Villalobos \* +Jesusa & Pablo Arao \* +Marcelino & Rosalina Mina \* +Clarencio & Tessie Mina \* +Imelda & Mechalene Mina \* +Josefino D Calzo \* +Adelaida C Calzo \* +Pat Laca \* +Luciano Lucero Jr \* +Teresa Lucero \* +Seigfred Espina delos Reyes \* +Rizza Go \* +Loreto & Leticia Castillo \* +Maria Goloran \* +Ely Purganan \* Rosario Purganan \* +Loreta Pascual \* +Alfonso Ágamao \* +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

#### 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 - Diena 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@rcchawaii.org.

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

- \* Baptism Team Mary Ann Goloran, Cathy Villanueva & Francisca Kovaloff
- >Marriage: Couples are required to make arrangements *four months before* the wedding date.
- \* Diocesan policy requires couples to attend an Engagement Encounter Weekend.
- >Wake and Funeral Services: Before making arrangements with the mortuary.

### **♦ THE STANDUNCEMENTS**

### **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



#### PARISH NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### **FEAST DAYS**

Apr 8 Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord

**Apr 11** Memorial of St. Stanislaus, Bishop and

Martyr

**Apr 13** Memorial of St. Martin I, Pope and Martyr

#### **OTHER**

**Apr 13** Kokua/Outreach Ministry open, 9-11AM **Apr 14** >Faith Formation Catechists' meeting, after

classes; upstairs classroom

>Fr. Edgar's 44th Ordination Anniversary, 5:00 PM Mass followed by a fellowship; everyone is welcome to bring your favorite

recipe for sharing

**Apr 21** >Second collection, Diocesan Priests'

Retirement Fund

>Vaccination Clinic, after 9:00 AM Mass >llocano Mass, 6:30 PM; fellowship to follow

in the parish hall

**Apr 24** Pastoral Council meeting, 6:30 PM, parish

hall

Apr 27-28 Special collection for the cause for beatifica-

tion and canonization of Servant of God

Joseph Dutton Layman

Apr 28 KOC Corporate Mass. 9:00 AM: meeting to

follow in the parish hall.

#### † OBITUARY

#### +MARINA LAZO PESCADOR, 95

FUNERAL MASS – April 27, 2024, Saturday,

10:00 AM at OLM Church

INTERMENT SERVICE – April 27, 2024,

1:00 PM at Valley of the Temples Memorial Park



FUNERAL SERVICE - April 30, 2024, Tuesday,

10:00 AM at Mililani Makai Chapel

INTERMENT SERVICE - April 30, 2024, 11:00 AM at Mililani

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.





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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.

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