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† CELEBRATING 154 YEARS AND RENEWING OUR FAITH IN GRATEFUL STEWARDSHIP! †



Pastor
Rev. Fr. Edgar B. Brillantes



Jesus heals blind Bartimaeus. Mark 10:46-52



Pastor Emeritus
Rev. Fr. Adrian R. Gervacio

OCTOBER IS ROSARY MONTH

Let's pray the rosary as a family for peace in the world



OCTOBER IS RESPECT LIFE MONTH

We pray for the protection of all human life, especially that of the unborn, the elderly, persons with disabilities, the terminally-ill and those threatened, trafficked and abused.



Today is **WORLD MISSION SUNDAY** Collection

"GO AND INVITE EVERYONE TO THE BANQUET" (Mt 22:9)

Catholics in every parish around the world are invited to participate in World Mission Sunday through prayer and support for the World Mission Sunday special collection. This collection supports the Pontifical Mission Societies, a worldwide network at the service of the Pope that supports the missions and the Young Churches with prayer and charity.

His Holiness Pope Francis tells us Mission is a tireless outreach to invite others to the Lord's banquet. The Pope reminds us that mission implies a continuous outreach to all people, not only by going out, but also by inviting each one in a personal way to meet the Lord.

We must go to the ends of the earth, with perseverance and without forgetting that we must incarnate a tireless commitment to the mission of evangelization.

Please give generously to the Mission.



SECOND
COLLECTION.
Thank you!



MARIAN DEVOTEES PILGRIMAGE

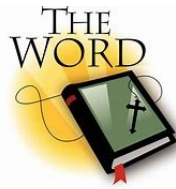


We warmly welcome to OLM the group of Marian Devotees from the St. Theresa Co-Cathedral. In observance of the Rosary Month, the group has been visiting different churches honoring the Blessed Virgin Mary in praying the Holy Rosary, the Divine Office of the Blessed Virgin Mary and the Chaplet of Divine Mercy. They are coming to OLM this Saturday, October 26, and will start their prayers and devotions at 3:30 PM after which they will join our community in the celebration of the Holy Mass.



Pastor's Corner

By Rev. Fr. Edgar B. Brillantes



Next Sunday's Reading

Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading
Deuteronomy 6:2-6

Second Reading
Hebrews 7:23-28

Responsorial Psalm
Psalm 18:2-4, 47, 51

Gospel
Mark 12:28-34

FOCUS: Have courage to follow the Lord on the way when he answers prayers.

In today's Gospel, Jesus asks Bartimaeus, *What do you want me to do for you?* Bartimaeus wanted his sight, and the Lord granted it. Bartimaeus then *followed him on the way*. As we encounter the Lord in the Eucharist, let us ask him for the courage to not only ask him for what we need but to *follow him on the way* when he answers.

First Reading: *Jeremiah 31:7-9*

Jeremiah prophesies that the Lord will bring back his people from the land to which they were exiled.

Second Reading: *Hebrews 5:1-6*

The author of Hebrews explains that just as the high priest can act as such only if he has been called by God to do so, so also Christ acts as our high priest because God has appointed him to do so.

Gospel: *Mark 10:46-52*

In the Gospel, Jesus restores the sight of Bartimaeus.

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

STEWARDSHIP SAINT FOR OCTOBER: SAINT LUKE



Luke is the author of the third Gospel and was a companion of Saint Paul. According to reliable tradition, he was a Syrian physician from Antioch who wrote his Gospel in Achaia (Greece). Both the Gospel and the Acts of the Apostles are attributed to Luke, because he appears to be the person intended by the first-person reference in Acts. The opening of Acts refers to the Gospel and is dedicated to the same person, Theophilus.

The basic point of Luke's New Testament writings is to emphasize the love and compassion of Jesus Christ. Luke also has an interest in the reality of poverty and reveals a deep concern for the poor, the outcast, and the underprivileged throughout the Gospel.

Stewardship is a major theme in Luke's Gospel. As a matter of fact, what emerges from Luke's writings is a sophisticated theology of stewardship that is unique to his Gospel and not addressed so profoundly by other New Testament writers. Luke defines the duty and role of a steward as a unique sort of servant who is entrusted with material possessions by a master, takes charge of them and is required to use them prudently.

Luke envisions the steward as not having any possessions or property of his own, but as taking care of his master's property and wealth until the master summons him to turn in an account of his stewardship. There is a finiteness to stewardship. According to Luke, a steward carries out his responsibilities with alertness, knowing that the master's return may come at any time. And depending on the quality of his stewardship, there is the anticipation of a reward as a result of his stewardship. Luke believes stewards are not just a chosen or appointed few. Stewardship is the responsibility of all Christian disciples.

Luke takes his basic ideas of stewardship and applies them to the motif of material possessions as well, instructing his readers on the right use of wealth and the wrong use of wealth. Finally, Luke's concept of almsgiving, based on his theology of stewardship, was unique and radical at the time of his writing. Almsgiving was considered an obligation of Christian disciples; imperative inside and outside the community. Luke enjoined his readers to look upon the poor with genuine sympathy and urged those with material resources to remember their identity as stewards, to distribute their wealth to the poor as alms, and to give up ownership of their own material possessions.

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❖ ANNOUNCEMENTS #1 ❖

HALLOWEEN COSTUME CONTEST

Come and join our RE children and catechists at the 9:00 AM Mass and afterwards the Halloween Costume Parade and Contest. Prizes will be awarded to the *Most Spiritual*; *Most Original* and *Most Comical*. Everyone is also welcome to give away candies for the children's "Trick or Treat." Come and have fun with our children this Sunday, October 27.



FR. EDGAR CELEBRATES HIS 70TH BIRTHDAY!

You are all invited to come and celebrate Father's 70th birthday with him on Wednesday, October 30. It will start with a Thanksgiving Mass at 5:00 PM followed by fellowship in the Parish Hall. Let's celebrate this very special birthday with our pastor, Fr. Edgar.



*THE WHOLE MONTH OF NOVEMBER IS DEDICATED TO THE COMMEMORATION OF THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED.

Kindly fill up the Book of Remembrance with the names of your beloved dead. You may also submit their photos to be placed on the Memorial Board. They will be prayed for in the daily Mass. Offering envelopes in memory of our deceased loved ones are also available in the Church.



STEWARDSHIP PRAYER

Loving and Gracious God,
We ask You to open our hearts to your Son's life and ministry
and to answer the call to be his disciples.
May our response be rooted in the Gospel;
may we be ever mindful of the needs of our communities;
and may our stewardship flow from a profound sense of gratitude
for Your many blessings. By the gift of the Holy Spirit,
empower and inspire us
to respond in a way that brings hope to others
and reveals the love that comes to us
through Jesus Christ.
We ask this in His Name,
who is Lord forever and ever.
Amen.

*By Monsignor Anthony J. Marcaccio
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MASS ATTENDANCE

	<u>10/19-20/24</u>	<u>10/12-13/24</u>
Sat 6:00 pm	49A+3C	52A+3C
Sun 6:30 am	55A+1C	61A+1C
Sun 9:00 am	84A+23C	85A+16C



SACRIFICIAL OFFERTORY

	<u>10/19-20/24</u>	<u>10/12-13/24</u>
Offertory	\$ 2,654.00	\$ 2,909.37
Repair & Maintenance	\$ 45.00	\$ 63.00
Donation - Flowers		\$ 30.00
Religious Article	\$ 10.00	
Religious Ed Registration	\$ 60.00	
Mass Intention		\$ 10.00
Candles	\$ 80.00	\$ 40.00
Total	\$ 2,839.00	\$ 3,052.37



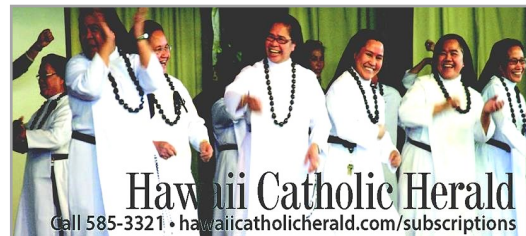
SCHEDULE OF MASSES

- *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



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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.



PICTORIALS

PARISH REPAIR & MAINTENANCE CREW

Last Friday, October 25, the kitchen sink and the laundry tub suddenly got clogged and overflowed with dirty water. Two of the Parish Repair & Maintenance crew, *Kalolo Tuihalafatai* and *Roger Isidro* came running to the rescue and traced and fixed the problem. They sawed the clogged pipes under the Rectory, cleaned and restored the normal flow of the drainage. The problem was solved and cleared in no time. Our heartfelt thanks to our very reliable parish volunteers.



❖ ANNOUNCEMENTS #2 ❖



Co COUNCIL 12935

ASSEMBLY 1577

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

OUR LADY OF THE MOUNT CHURCH 1614 MONTE ST. HONOLULU. HI 96819



CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL THE OFFICERS & MEMBERS OF OLM KOC COUNCIL 12935

Herman Monico > Grand Knight * **Rambeau Gahan** > Deputy Grand Knight

Galo Camacho > District Deputy

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CORPORATE MASS & MEETING > October 27, 2024 @ 9:00 AM

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Please mark your calendar for November 2 & 3 (Saturday and Sunday). The Knights of Columbus invite you to a very special event called "Wheelchair Sunday."

Next Sunday is "WHEELCHAIR SUNDAY!" Please join the Knights of Columbus for a brief presentation on how you can answer prayers and help someone in need of mobility receive a free wheelchair. \$150 can purchase and deliver a brand-new wheelchair that would sell for over \$500. Your tax-deductible donations help the Knights change lives in an immediate and tangible way. Please help us, Fr Edgar, our OLM Parish Community, and our Knights of Columbus, are working to reach our goal of \$42,000 for an ocean freight container containing 300 wheelchairs to help those in need of mobility. The places of distribution will be the Knights of Columbus Councils in Nueva Ecija; Apalit, Pampanga; Balanga, Bataan; Bagac, Bataan; Santo Domingo, Ilocos Sur; Bacarra and Batac in Ilocos Norte.

Video: [Wheelchair Sunday Video](#)

Please open your hearts and join the Knights of Columbus for a brief presentation on how you can help answer the prayers of a child, teen or adult in desperate need of a wheelchair. Give your donation from the heart in the second collection bag

Since 2003, the Knights of Columbus have helped to provide over 30,000 brand new wheelchairs all over the world, to children, teens and adults in need of mobility, but who could not afford a wheelchair. **Vivat Jesus!**

"Knights in Action IS Christ in Action"

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

✦ ✦ ✦ VIVAT JESUS! ✦ ✦ ✦



NATIONAL
**Eucharistic
Revival**

DIOCESE OF HONOLULU - EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL



*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 in the Diocese.



**HŌ'EU'EU
EUKALIKIA**



Mass INTENTIONS

Oct 15 > 7:00am Healing & speedy recovery - Aldrin Daligcon; Ligaya Badua; Aurelia Centino; Ester Ramos; Gloria Rodrigues; Bella Miranda; Fr. Adrian Gervacio
 Oct 16 > 7:00am Birthday - Rachel Soong; Caren Soong
 Oct 20 > 9:00am RM +Maria Pascual
 Oct 21 > 7:00am Birthday - Robin Therese Johnson
 Oct 22 > 7:00am Safe travel - Segundo Facuri
 Oct 23 > 7:00am Safe return flight - Fr. Edgar Brillantes
 * RM +Raymond Sedeno

Oct 24 > 7:00am Birthday - Wilfred Soong

Oct 25 > 7:00am RM +Caroline & Martin Rodrigues; +Molly Green

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 Oct 26 > 6:00pm Healing & speedy recovery of Sr Clemence Mira, SPC; Will & Shirley Ketterling; Aurelia Centino; Audrey Peralta; Mark Correia; Ester Ramos; Fely Orsino; Gloria Rodrigues; Fr Adrian Gervacio; Bella Miranda; Julieta Walsh; Moses & Cristina Andres * Thanksgiving - Segundo Facuri; Carlito & Lia Centino; Gil & Vangie Bacani * Special intention - of the Marian devotees of St. Theresa Co-Cathedral; for the safety of travelers, vacationers & deployed military personnel; for the Board members of the Irmandade de Nossa Senhora do Monte; For Respect of human life from conception to natural death * RM +Rudy Balmilero; +Departed pastors, benefactors & parishioners of OLM

Oct 27 > 6:30am (Missa pro populo) Birthday - Ropati Liua * Healing & speedy recovery - Sr. Clemence Mira, SPC; Will & Shirley Ketterling; Aldrin Daligcon; Gloria Rodrigues; Fr Adrian Gervacio; Bella Miranda; Mila Llantero; Audrey Peralta; Suzie Reynon; Cipriana Luczon; Tom de Corte; Rochelle Taylor; Caridad Dagdagan; Roselani Ramones; Logan Isidro; Alfonso & Mary Villanueva; All the infirmed in our homes & families * Thanksgiving - Francisca Kovaloff; Joseph & Mila Llantero; Bill & Joann Amoroso * Special intentions - of Fr. Mario Raquero; For the Board members of the Irmandade de Nossa Senhora do Monte; For the release of jailed pro-lifers; For the safety of travelers, vacationers & those deployed in the military; For Respect of human life from conception to natural death * RM +Priscilla Sternberg; +Manuel Bringas; +Deceased victims of pandemic, wars and disasters

> 9:00am Birthday - Carmen Dona * Healing & speedy recovery - Angelita Saga; Ligaya Badua; Ester Ramos; Fr. Adrian Gervacio; Walter Caraang; Seitasi Ah Kui; Latai Holeva Manupuna; Imelda Ruaburo; Andy Magbojos * Thanksgiving - Nazario & Alicia Balbuena; Alfreda Bucaneg; Armelita Canoneo; Silver & Marivic Palting; Marc & Clem Ulep; Jaime & Medy Macalma * Special intentions - For the Board members of the Irmandade de Nossa Senhora do Monte; For Respect of human life from conception to natural death; For the release of jailed pro-lifers; For the safe travel of Cathy Purganan, Aida Isidro and safety of travelers, vacationers & deployed military personnel * RM +Roel Jandoc; +Alberta Patoc; +George & John Nino Trocio +Departed pastors, benefactors & parishioners of OLM

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 Oct 28 > 7:00am Healing & speedy recovery - Aldrin Daligcon; Ligaya Badua; Aurelia Centino; Ester Ramos; Gloria Rodrigues; Bella Miranda; Fr. Adrian Gervacio * Rm +Rudy Balmilero

Oct 30 > 7:00am Birthday - Mary Ann Llamedo; Alfonso Villanueva; Fr. Edgar Brillantes

Oct 31 > 7:00am RM +Peterine Ramones

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 *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.



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:** Sr. Clemence Mira, SPC * Will & Shirley Ketterling * Angelita Saga * Aurelia Centino * Aldrin Daligcon * Ligaya Badua * Kathleen Barnachea * Rebecca Calapre * Maria Cristina Atendido * Aristone Tabora * Rayna Ann Teocson * Michael Schwengler Jr * Andy Magbojos * Lina Santos * Audrey Peralta * Shari-Ann Teruya-Loo * Theresa Schwengler * Wilson-Perez children & parents * Shannon, Tia, Riley, Hayley, Nicholas of the Wilson-Perez family * Carolina Soriano * Mark Correia * Jon Sasaki * Gloria Rodrigues * Fely Orsino * Janet Lucanias * Marivel C Agustin * Jay Arucan * Ester Ramos * Juliet Hobson * Walter Caraang * Hannah Leong * Jovencio & Isabel Cadiz * Alice Schwengler * Mila Llantero * Fran Kovaloff * Eileen McLean * Michael Adams * Florentino Orcino * Chita Magbojos * Suzie Reynon * Jason Schwengler * Celia dela Cruz Morris * Bella Miranda * Fr. Adrian Gervacio * Herbert Yim * Bill Rodrigues * Rachel Soong * Connie Caraang * Julieta Walsh * Cipriana Luczon * George Calizar * Trini Agamao * Rochelle Taylor * Marie Schwengler * Federico Boy Bitonio * Nelie Puzon * Frances Gascon * Moses & Cristina Andres * Gil Acido * Seitasi Ah Kui * Mila Beltran * Latai Holeva Manupuna * Bobbie Walker * 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:** Mary Ann Llamedo * Alfonso Villanueva * Fr. Edgar Brillantes * Raphael Angelo Ramos * Ropati Liua * Wilfred Soong * Rachel Soong * Caren Soong * Steve Tapat * Kegan B Malacas * Thomas Mita * Jennifer Pe Benito Asperilla * Carmen Donna * Andy Magbojos * Janice Vannatta * Francisca Brillantes * Juan Cezar Brillantes * Michael Schwengler Sr & Jr * Gwen Zanellato * Jackie Montano * Earl Gamiao * Jun Cortez * Fr. Leonard Tubana * Aurelia Centino * Joann Thilgen * Jaime Macalma * Megan K Leong * Brielle Victoria Aczon * Paul George Trocio * Timothy B Barroga Jr * Gianne Atendido * Nicolasa Tolentino (90) * Fr. Adrian Gervacio

❖ **WEDDING ANNIVERSARY:** Frank & Dionisia Battad (55) * Jayson & Bridget Canoneo (25) * M/M Feliciano Abayon (35) * David & Esther Domingcil Smith (4) * Feao & +Lisiate Sole (20) * Ruperto & Condelita Pescador (49) * Bill & Joanna Amoroso (66)

❖ **ORDINATION ANNIVERSARY:** Fr. Steve Nguyen (25) * Fr Alfred Guerrero (7) * Bishop Larry Silva (19) * Fr. Edgar Brillantes (44) * Fr. Tito Bonoan (44) * Fr. Augusto Acob (44) * Fr. John Macalisang (38) * Fr. Adrian Gervacio (57)

❖ **SAFE TRIP & VACATION:** Mary Ann Llamedo * Aida Isidro * Cathy Purganan * Renato & Cora dela Rosa * Olivia Mita * Cathy Sanchez

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† REMEMBER IN PRAYER *(Contd.)*

❖ **THANKSGIVING:** Nazario & Alicia Balbuena >Alfreda Bucaneg >Liberato & Rosario Valdez & family >For all Priests on Priesthood Sunday >Tony & Ana Rarangol >Marc & Clem Ulep >Fermin & Luida Susa >Francisca Kovaloff >Mike & Maryleen Rubia >Rowena & Federico Bitonio >Rommel & Milani Ramos >Cathy Purganan >Consolacion Caraang >Teresa A. Siruno >Adriano & Norma Daligcon >Jun & Caridad Cortez >M/M Edgar & Jocelyn Mendoza & family >Armelita Canoneo >Rose Marie Domingo >Joseph & Mila Llantero >Cora Orcino >Alex & Marichu Pe Benito >Olivia & Thomas Mita >Vicente & Luz Velasco >Carlito & Aurelia Centino >M/M Jaime Macalma >William & Mitronia Amoroso >Artates, Bacani, Chesser & Aczon families >Rosita Dolormente >Marlene Calventas & family >Silver & Marivic Palting



❖ **SPECIAL INTENTION:** Fr. Mario Raquepo * Rob & Richard Saimon & family * Joaquin Hagedorn Jr * Victoria de Santos * Manuel Espindola * Fr Danny Laeda * Diocese of Laoag Clergy * Schwengler family * Nazario & Alicia Balbuena * Aurelia Centino * Keishia Pascual * Robert & Imelda Fernandez * Irmandade de Nossa Senhora do Monte * For the release of jailed pro-lifers – Jonathan Darnel, Will Goodman, Lauren Handy, John Hinshaw, Heather Idoni, Jean Marshall, Beverly Beatty Williams, Joan Andrews Bell * Fe Go & OLM FCC * Florencio Sipalay & Santo Nino de Cebu Ministry * Diena Peterson & OLM Youth Ministry * 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

❖ **DECEASED:** +Rudy Balmilero * +Raymond Sedeno * +Caroline & Martin Rodrigues * +Molly Green * +Alberta Patoc * +Felix Edmalin * +Peterinne Ramones * +Maria Barranco * +Roel Jandoc * +George Trocio * +John Niño Trocio * +Manuel Bringas * +Sylvia Bustin * +Lorraine Freitas * +Gaudencio Garcia * +Maria P Pascual * +Delfin Barsatan * +Restituto, Juana & William Uclusin * +Casimiro Alvarez * +Deceased relatives of Gavino Bumanglag * +Regina De Santos * +Rudy, Helen, Marlene, Grandal & Chad Pang * +Priscilla Sternberg * +Catalino Tolentino (4th Anniv) * +Gabriela Carmelo * +Audell Currie * +Natividad Alfaro * +Meliton Mangrobang Jr * +Lydia Criste * +Reynaldo Centeno * +Fidela Madarang * +Silvestre Tolentino * +Teresita Fontanilla * +Leonarda, Nicolas, Jose & Sofia Palting * +Patrocenia dela Cruz * +Severo Villampir Sr & Jr * +Peterine Ramones * +Donald & Marian Gomes * +Maria Goloran * +Felipa Barnachea * +Rolando Gubatan * +Silvestre Marquez * +Modesto Bautista * +Rosita Cannaoay Antolin * +Fuli Fernandez * +Mary Alvaro * +Florencia Alcantara * +Sr. Anita Mendoza, SHF * +Leoncia C Carmen * +Lorenzo E Carmen * +Juan Mendoza Martinez Jr * +Charlotte Marie Momosea * +Petronila Quitilen Jandoc * Jose Jandoc Sr * +Jose Jandoc Jr * +Belen A Quinto * +Rodolfo Balmilero * +Alipio B Bonilla * +Flaton Fontanilla * +Jonathan Tanaid * +Hedy Amigable * +Teodoro Acosta * +Crescencia Acosta; +Encarnacion Fontanilla * +Rica Atok * +Demetrio & Melecia Manuel * +Marina Pescador * +Rosa Cariaso * +Luis & Esperanza Baldos * +Religious, benefactors, donors & parishioners of OLM * +Victims of the covid-19 pandemic, wars, crimes & natural disasters * +Holy Souls in purgatory



❖ ANNOUNCEMENTS #3 ❖

ELECTION 2024 REMINDERS & DEADLINES

An educational effort of the Hawaii Family Forum, a 501(C)(3) organization.
 We do not endorse or oppose political candidates and/or political parties.

Time is running out.

- If you are going to mail in your ballot, we recommend that you put it in the mail BEFORE November 2nd to ensure that it arrives on time.

If you plan to vote on election day, or you want to vote in person, you can find more information [here](#). You may vote in person by visiting any voter service center in your county. Voter service centers are open 10 days through Election Day for in-person, same-day registration and accessible voting.

If you have already voted, make sure you encourage your family and friends to do the same.

Understanding the Ballot Amendments

If the amendment questions on the ballot are confusing to you, you are not alone! If you need some guidance, please view the video links below. The interviews are only 30 minutes long (or so), and they will give you a clearer picture of the questions and what your answer means.

[Oahu Charter Questions with Councilman Augie Tulba](#)

[Constitutional Question #1 relating to the same-sex marriage issue](#)

[Constitutional Question #2 relating to district judge confirmations](#)

<p>October 22, 2024</p>	<p>Voter service centers open. Services include accessible in person voting and same day registration. (HRS §§ 11-15.2 & 11-109)</p> <p>CLICK HERE FOR LOCATIONS</p>
<p>October 28, 2024</p>	<p>Deadline for voters to submit a paper Voter Registration Application for the General Election to the County Elections Division. (HRS § 11-24)</p> <p>Paper applications must be postmarked to the County Elections Division by this date. After this date, applicants may continue to register for the General Election using the Online Voter Registration System or at a voter service center. (HRS § 11-15.2)</p>
<p>October 29, 2024</p>	<p>Deadline for registered voters who are away from their Hawaii residence to submit an Absentee Application to have their ballot mailed to an alternate mailing address for the General Election. Applications must be received by the County Elections Division by this date. (HRS § 15-4)</p>
<p>General Election Nov 5, 2024 7:00 am – 7:00 pm</p>	<p>Voted ballots must be received by 7:00pm by the County Elections Division. Additionally, voter service centers and places of deposit close. (State Constitution, Article II, Section 8, HRS §§ 11-104 and 11-131)</p>



❖ ANNOUNCEMENTS #4 ❖



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

October 15, 2024
Memorial of St. Theresa of Avila

Dear Brothers and Sisters in the Diocese of Honolulu,

Peace be with you!

St. Theresa of Avila was known for her personal holiness, but also for her vision and hard work in reforming the Carmelite Order, which had become very lax. Some applauded her efforts, while others opposed them; but she knew, through her prayerful discernment, that this reform was the will of God, even though it was difficult to achieve.

As we approach the 2024 election, we know that there is much to be reformed in our own country. We have lost a respect for life in all its stages. We have allowed marriage and solid parenting as the basis for a stable society to erode. We have the heavy challenge of not only housing the homeless but of addressing the root causes of homelessness. Our civil disagreement with one another has become toxic, demonizing of those who do not agree with us. While religious freedom once prevailed, there was a general sense that religion was respected for its thoughtful and experienced service of the community, and this, too, has eroded.

We are soon to experience one of the most important elections for the future of our country. It is our duty as followers of Jesus to take our civic duties seriously. We are to be good stewards of our beloved land by **voting**, so that those we elect can embody the values that will truly reform our country. We need to carefully prepare for voting by prayerfully discerning the Lord's will and applying what we discern on the ballot. And even after the election we need to continually pray for our elected leaders and stay engaged with them, so that the gift of democracy that has been given to us can truly flourish.

Please pray, discern, and VOTE! St. Theresa, pray for us!

Sincerely yours in Christ,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Larry Silva".

Most Reverend Larry Silva
Bishop of Honolulu

FEAST DAYS

- Oct 28** Feast of Sts. Simon and Jude, Apostles
- Nov 1** Solemnity of All Saints
- Nov 2** Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls' Day)

OTHER

- Oct 27** RE Halloween Costume Contest and Fellowship after the 9:00 AM Mass
 - Oct 30** Fr. Edgar's 70th Birthday * Thanksgiving Mass at 5:00 PM * Fellowship to follow. You are all invited!
 - Nov 1** First Friday, Eucharistic Adoration after The 7:00 AM Mass
 - Nov 2 & 3** Wheelchair Sunday Second Collection
 - Nov 9 & 10** - 'Ohana in Christ Diocesan Appeal
 - Nov 16 & 17** - Catholic Campaign for Human Development
- Holidays in November, the office is closed:**
- *Nov 11** Veterans's Day (Monday)
 - *Nov 28** Thanksgiving Day (Thursday)
 - *Nov 29** Day after Thanksgiving (Friday)

RITE OF MARRIAGE
CONGRATULATIONS TO -
TAVALE MASALOSALO &
DIENA MOTIANA PETERSON
 ON THEIR WEDDING DAY
November 2, 2024 at
Our Lady of the Mount Church

"A Wedding is a Day... A Marriage is a Lifetime"



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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.