

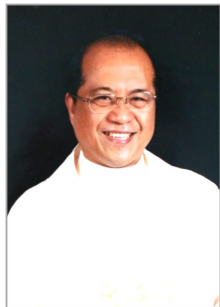


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† CELEBRATING 154 YEARS AND RENEWING OUR FAITH IN GRATEFUL STEWARDSHIP! †



Rev. Fr. Edgar B. Brillantes
Pastor



Rev. Fr. Adrian R. Gervacio
Pastor Emeritus

✦ THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD ✦

January 11/12: The Baptism of Jesus marks the beginning of Jesus' public ministry. It is like a second Epiphany because as Jesus is baptized by John to start his mission, the voice of God is heard calling Jesus "my beloved Son" and the bodily presence of the Holy Spirit descends upon him like a dove. It is the occasion of the first public revelation of the Three Persons in the Holy Trinity.

The baptism of Jesus reminds us of our identity as sons and daughters of God, brothers and sisters of Jesus, members of his Church, heirs of heaven and temples of the Holy Spirit through our own baptism. We too are God's beloved children when we follow the way of the Gospel as our way of life. Let us take time to thank God for the graces we received thru baptism and prepare for whatever God will ask us to carry out as our mission.



**WELCOME TO THE SANTO NINO FIESTA
PIT SENOR!
VIVA SANTO NINO!**



3:00 PM SOLEMN CONCELEBRATED MASS

WELCOME BISHOP LARRY SILVA

PRESIDING MINISTER

CONCELEBRANTS

FR. EDGAR BRILLANTES

FR. JOSEPH DIAZ

FR. JOSE MACOY

DEACON: RAFAEL MENDOZA

EMCEE: FR. ALFRED GUERRERO

*The Santo Nino fiesta on January 12 is spearheaded by the *Santo Nino de Cebu of Honolulu*. They led the 9-night novena prayers as spiritual preparation for the feast capped with joyful and sumptuous fellowship. *Bishop Larry Silva* is the presiding minister in the concelebrated Mass at 3:00 PM. The procession around the church follows after which the traditional Sinulog dance is performed. The event will be capped by a hearty fellowship at the hall. The Santo Nino de Cebu is currently headed by *Florencio Sipalay*. **PIT SENOR!**



Pastor's Corner

By Rev. Fr. Edgar B. Brillantes



Next Sunday's Reading

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading

Isaiah 62:1-5

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 96:1-3, 7-10

Second Reading

1 Corinthians 12:4-11

Gospel

John 2:1-11

FOCUS: God seeks out the sinner and loves us unconditionally.

Today's feast is another "epiphany" – a revelation of who Jesus is. By submitting himself to John's baptism (a baptism of repentance), Jesus, who is sinless, draws near to sinners and joins himself with them. The voice of the Father saying, *You are my beloved Son; with you I am well pleased* consoles us, because we who are joined to Christ in baptism are made beloved children of the Father. These truths reveal God's goodness and his unconditional love for us.

First Reading: *Isaiah 40:1-5, 9-11*

In today's first reading, the prophet Isaiah declares that God's servant will be *a light for the nations* and will bring forth justice for all.

Second Reading: *Titus 2:11-14, 3:4-7*

Peter, in the second reading, declares that God anointed Jesus with the Holy Spirit and power.

Gospel: *Luke 3:15-16, 21-22*

In the Gospel, John announces one mightier than himself coming and baptizes Jesus. When Jesus is baptized, the Holy Spirit descends upon him.

✦ WELCOME TO THE OLM 155TH PARISH ✦
✦ ANNIVERSARY ✦
+ IN THE JUBILEE YEAR OF HOPE 2025+

JUBILEE YEAR 2025

Pope Francis declared and invited all to celebrate the Jubilee Year 2025 which embraces the theme: Pilgrims of Hope. Hope is an important hallmark of the Catholic Church mission to share the light of God's love through encountering Christ with others, especially those experiencing difficult situations. The Pope said: *"To hope is to welcome this gift that God offers us every day to savor the wonder of being loved, sought, desired by a God who has made Himself flesh and blood, history and days, to share our lot. Hope is also a task that Christians have a duty to cultivate and put to good use for the sake of all their brothers and sisters."*

Pope Francis emphasizes that the Jubilee Year 2025 calls Christians to be living "signs of hope" through compassionate actions including becoming closer pastorally to all people *"in difficult situations."* Hope is an important hallmark of the Catholic Church mission to share the light of God's love through encountering Christ with others, especially those experiencing difficult situations. In his Jubilee message, he lovingly echoes his 2023 Christmas message to marginalized individuals: *"Christ is born for you! Rejoice, you who have abandoned all hope, for God offers you His outstretched hand. He does not point a finger at you but offers you His little baby hand, in order to set you free from your fears, to relieve you of your burdens, and to show you that, in His eyes, you are more valuable than anything else."*

The Jubilee 2025 officially began on Christmas Eve, with the opening of the Holy Door at St. Peter's Basilica in the Vatican right before the pope celebrated midnight Mass.

Pope Francis' prayer: *"May the grace of the Jubilee reawaken in us, Pilgrims of Hope, to spread the joy and peace of our Redeemer throughout the earth. Amen."*

OLM 155TH PARISH ANNIVERSARY

Incidentally, during the Jubilee Year 2025, we are also marking at OLM the 155th Anniversary of the foundation of our parish. We had some grandiose plans for the 150th Anniversary, five years earlier, but were aborted due to the outbreak of the deadly covid-19 pandemic. This time, with God's grace, we look forward to celebrate the milestone with various festivities lined up every month until the grand celebration in August 15 and 17 which is also our patroness' feast day.

The following is the proposed line-up of monthly activities during the Parish Anniversary:

- ***January** > Santo Nino Fiesta - c/o Santo Nino de Cebu of Honolulu
- ***February** > Month of Love dedicated to married couples and families – c/o Ministries & Organizations
- ***March** > Parish Lenten Mission * Friday Stations of the Cross * Lenten Penance Service – c/o Liturgy Committee
- ***April** > Holy Week * Easter * Divine Mercy Sunday * Fr. Edgar's 45th Anniversary of Ordination to the Priesthood – c/o Ministries & Organizations
- ***May** > Marian Devotions * Flores de Mayo * Mother's Day – c/o Filipino Catholic Club
- ***June** > Honoring Fathers on Father's Day * Recognition of Graduates – c/o Parish Staff, Ministries
- ***July** > Preparation for the grand celebrations
- ***August** > Novena to Our Lady of the Mount * Patroness Feast of the Assumption * Procession to the Grotto * Solemn Thanksgiving Mass * Parish Anniversary Celebration at Ala Moana Hotel - c/o Steering Committee & working committees

Other considerations:

- *Commemorative (Souvenir) Book – with solicited Messages, and advertisements from parishioners, businesses & friends
- *Commemorative Shirts – for sale
- *Recognition of faithful parishioners for 50 years and above, benefactors, donors, leaders, ministers – given plaque or token of appreciation
- *Slideshow presentation – photos of parish events and parishioners
- *Anniversary luncheon – invite former pastors and religious who served at OLM; Tickets to be offered first to parishioners then outside guests; 300 capacity banquet hall
- *Reception Committee – in-charge of RSVP; prepare program; entertainment numbers; Emcee; speakers; decorations; centerpieces; sound system; assignment of tables

The above order of the anniversary celebration is more or less final but still open to further better and wiser suggestions and modifications. We are hoping to engage everyone - from the parish leaders, ministers, organization members and every parishioner - to participate and get involved. Volunteering to take the helm of coordinating the anniversary activities is *Ms. Jennifer Jandoc*. She is forming a core group or steering committee and please be ready to be part of it when called. Big *mahalo* to *Jen* and all!

As we strive to do our best to proceed smoothly and joyfully, we likewise ask for your spiritual and moral support. May the Lord continue to bless our common mission and efforts to communicate Christ and convey hope, encouragement and inspiration to everyone. We are blessed more profoundly than we know, because Jesus our Savior is Emmanuel "*God-with-us*". We can also trust our Patroness, the Blessed Lady of the Mount, to guide and intercede for us. As "*Pilgrims of Hope*", let's celebrate and look forward to a spirit-filled and meaningful celebration of our Parish 155th Anniversary in this Jubilee Year of Hope and Grace!



THE JUBILEE PRAYER 2025

From Pope Francis

**Father in heaven,**

**May the faith you have given us in your Son, Jesus Christ, our brother,
and the flame of charity enkindled in our hearts by the Holy Spirit,
reawaken in us the blessed hope for the coming of your Kingdom.**

**May your grace transform us into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel.
May those seeds transform from within both humanity and the whole cosmos
in the sure expectation of a new heaven and a new earth,
when, with the powers of Evil vanquished, your glory will shine eternally.**

**May the grace of the Jubilee reawaken in us, *Pilgrims of Hope*,
a yearning for the treasures of heaven. May that same grace
spread the joy and peace of our Redeemer throughout the earth.
To you our God, eternally blessed, be glory and praise forever.**

Amen.*January 1, 2025***STEWARDSHIP REFLECTIONS****Resolve to Embrace God's Compassion in the New Year**

January is traditionally the time for new beginnings, fresh starts. For the Christian steward, the grace of being given another day, or God willing, a whole new year, stirs our deep gratitude. But it also calls us to ask what a "resolution" should really be. Our first resolve should always be to involve ourselves more intimately in the life of Christ, and how better to do that than by embracing Christ's call to be compassionate?

After all, Jesus himself instructed us, "Be compassionate as your Father is compassionate" (Luke 6:36). Clearly, we strive now to live and give compassionately, as we generally understand the term. We try to be kind, considerate and understanding individuals. We share with others. But Jesus' words challenge us to embrace a compassion that is much deeper, much more radical than our general understanding.

The word compassion, at its root, means "to suffer with." This goes beyond merely writing a check, offering a prayer or sending a note. Suffering is not a popular notion in our society and we strive to avoid it. But now we hear Christ instructing us to "suffer with" the poor, the vulnerable, the powerless, the neglected and the weak.

How can we possibly choose such a journey, this challenge to be truly present to those who suffer?

All things are possible with God, and it is through a commitment to a life of discipline, discipline in action and discipline in prayer, that we move towards the goal of true compassion. The Christian steward is committed to the Eucharistic life, and it is through this life which Christ offers us that we gain the courage and the will and even the need to follow him in his own example of compassion. Compassion is the doorway to a more responsive stewardship and a committed discipleship.

Through our deepening sense of compassion, may we resolve to be the kind of Christian stewards who bring Christ's presence more profoundly to a suffering world.

(Lifted from ICSC e-bulletin January 2025)

‘OHANA IN CHRIST 2024/2025
Support Your Parish and Those Most in Need



Aloha Pastors & Parish Staff,

Please see attached the progress report for ‘Ohana in Christ 2024/2025 appeal as of December 31, 2024. The totals reflect gifts dated 12/31/2024 and prior that have been received through 1/7/2025. Congratulations to the following parishes for reaching 100%:

***Korean Catholic Community * Newman Center/Holy Spirit * St. Pius X * St. John Vianney * Sacred Heart – Pahoa * St. Rita - Haiku**

Please let me know if you have any questions!

Mahalo,

Terra Jones

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✦ ‘Ohana In Christ 2024/2025: Progress Report as of December 31, 2024 ✦

<u>Parish by Vicariate</u>	<u>Collected</u>	<u>Goal</u>	<u>% vs. Goal</u>
Blessed Sacrament Church – Honolulu	\$5,865	\$7,934	74%
Cathedral Basilica of Our Lady of Peace	\$22,597	\$36,671	62%
Co-Cathedral of St. Theresa – Honolulu	\$7,571	\$29,113	26%
Holy Family Church – Honolulu	\$12,431	\$14,568	85%
Korean Catholic Community – Honolulu	\$16,370	\$16,083	102%
Our Lady of the Mount Church – Honolulu	\$3,715	\$7,430	50%
St. Anthony Church – Kalihi	\$386	\$12,428	3%
St. John the Baptist Church – Honolulu	\$2,102	\$11,386	18%
St. Philomena Church – Honolulu	\$6,385	\$17,660	36%
St. Stephen Church – Honolulu	\$1,270	\$8,356	15%
Vietnamese Catholic Community – Honolulu	\$1,874	\$7,038	27%
West Honolulu Total	\$80,566	\$168,667	48%

As one ‘ohana in Christ, each of us is called to play an important role in our parishes, our communities, and in the lives of others. We are called to support our brothers and sisters in need and share the Good News of Christ’s love for all by the love we show, the hope we provide, and the gifts we give. **By supporting the ‘Ohana in Christ annual appeal, you and our entire ‘ohana in Christ, work together to answer this call.**

Thank you for your support, for caring for those around you, and for being a member of this Catholic ‘ohana of faith.

Yes! I want to support the ‘Ohana in Christ annual appeal by making a gift today!

[Donate Online Now](#)

Or mail your check donation to:

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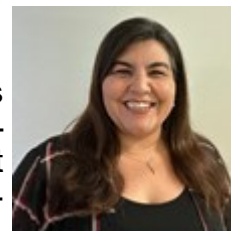
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❖ ANNOUNCEMENTS ❖

CATHOLIC SOCIAL MEDIA

Hau'oli Makahiki Hou!

The Diocese has a new partnership with Catholic Social Media by Prenger Solutions Group. Catholic Social Media is an all-in-one social media scheduler filled with content and resources for you. We want to make this available for you! We hope that you will learn to use this tool to improve your digital presence, delight your parishioners, and spread the Gospel on social media.



Catholic Social Media is going to make communicating with your parishioners and neighbors easier. It's a perfect complement to Flocknote, bulletins, and the parish website. The Catholic Social Media customer service team has a proven track record of helping parishes communicate effectively.

We're hosting a training webinar on **Wednesday, January 15, 2025 at 12 noon Hawaii** time to share more information about this. Those who are responsible for social media at your parish are encouraged to participate in this training. **Register [HERE](#).**

During the training:

You'll learn how to log into this tool, set up your account, and connect your parish's social media accounts (Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter). We will show you the content available to you: social media posts and videos, bulletin inserts, fliers, etc.

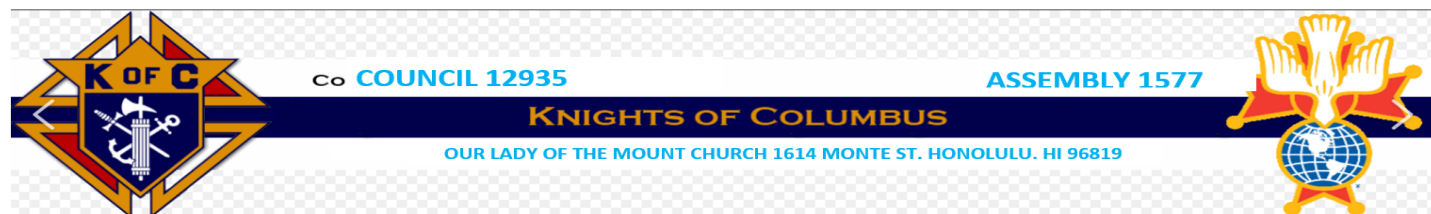
Also, based on your feedback, we will be working closely with the Catholic Social Media team to further build features into this tool to meet your needs and onboard other parishes,

If you have any questions, feel free to call or email me.

Thank you,

Lisa Gomes

Director, Evangelization and Catechesis * Diocese of Honolulu



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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January 19 – Corporate Mass & Meeting
“Knights in Action IS Christ in Action”

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

❖ ❖ ❖ **VIVAT JESUS!** ❖ ❖ ❖



❖ ANNOUNCEMENTS ❖

RED MASS

TUESDAY, JANUARY 14, 2025 at 9:00 a.m.
CATHEDRAL BASILICA OF OUR LADY OF PEACE
Downtown Honolulu (1184 Bishop Street, Honolulu, HI 96813)

The Red Mass has been a tradition since 1955 for government officials and the community to gather at the beginning of the Legislative Session to pray together. This year will feature guest speaker Kerry Alys Robinson, President and CEO of Catholic Charities USA.



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Tuesday, January 14, 2025 at 9:00 a.m.
Cathedral Basilica of Our Lady of Peace, downtown Honolulu

The Red Mass has been a tradition since 1955 for government officials and the community to gather at the beginning of the Legislative Session to pray together. Bishop Larry Silva will be the principal celebrant and this year will feature guest speaker Kerry Alys Robinson, President and CEO of Catholic Charities USA, speaking on “Blessed Are the Peacemakers: Reflections on Servant Leadership.” The general public is welcome to attend the Red Mass.

The Red Mass will also be livestreamed at: <https://honolulucathedral.org/livestream>



NATIVITY PILGRIMAGE TO THE PHILIPPINES

***July 20-31, 2025**

Join Bishop Larry Silva for this special 12-day nativity pilgrimage to the Philippines. The tour will go through Manila, Ilo-Ilo, Cebu, Simala, Batangas, and Tagaytay. The trip includes round-trip airfare, airport taxes & fuel surcharges, land transportation, first-class hotels, daily mass, meals as per itinerary, and a medical protection plan. To learn more, visit:

travel.nativitypilgrimage.com/silva-philippines

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❖ PICTORIALS ❖

FEAST OF THE THREE KINGS

In many Catholic countries, the celebration of Epiphany Sunday is also marked as the *Feast of the Three Kings*. People actually greet each other “*Happy Three Kings!*”

On the weekend of Epiphany Sunday, certain parishioners were designated to represent the Three Kings from the Orient as they bring to the manger and add to the Christmas scene the images of the Magi or the Wise Men from the East. For the anticipated Sunday Mass on Saturday at 6:00pm, the 3 Kings were – *Mark Correia * Guillermo Bacani * Emmanuel Artates (Photo #1)*

For the 6:30am Sunday Mass – *Roger Isidro * Rudy Fiesta * Adriano Daligcon (Photo #2)*

For the 9:00am Mass – *Grand Knight Herman Monico * SK Vicente Velasco * SK Renato dela Rosa (Photo #3)*



(Photo #1) >



<(Photo #2)



(Photo #3)>



❖ PICTORIALS ❖



INVESTITURE OF ALTAR SERVERS

Two *delos Reyes* brothers, *Lance Pierre* and *Jaden Mikel* were installed as altar servers by Pastor Fr. Edgar Brillantes at the 9:00 AM Mass on Sunday, December 29, 2024. They underwent training and instruction on December 26. We are happy and grateful to have additional altar servers who can be available in the other weekend Masses and special occasions. The coordinator is **Sacristan Alvin Baron**. We pray that they and all the other altar servers can please and honor God with their dedicated service. Their uncle and aunty, *Florencio & Rosario Sipalay*, proudly assisted. Congratulations *Lance* and *Jaden*!

We wish them all the best and we pray for more volunteers to join a ministry to serve the Lord.

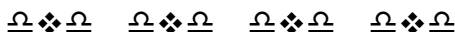


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2025 STEWARDSHIP OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

The 2025 Stewardship Offertory envelopes are on the table at the front of the Church. Please pick up your box of envelopes before or after Mass. We thank you and appreciate your much-needed monetary support. If you don't have these envelopes and would like to have them, please write your full name, address and phone number on the sheet of paper that is on the table. You will be notified when your envelopes are ready. You may call the office if you have any questions. Thank you!



SCHEDULE OF MASSES



- *Weekday Masses (Mon-Fri) > 7:00 AM
- *Weekend Masses: Saturday Vigil Mass > 6:00 PM
- Sunday Masses > 6:30 AM * 9:00 AM
- Ilocano Mass > 3rd Sunday – 6:00 PM



OLM DEVOTIONS



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

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

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

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



MASS ATTENDANCE

	<u>12/28-29/24</u>	<u>1/4 - 5/25</u>
Sat 6:00 pm	39A+1C	56A+1C
Sun 6:30 am	50A+1C	60A+1C
Sun 9:00 am	116A+12C	92A+12C



SACRIFICIAL OFFERTORY

	<u>12/28-29/24</u>	<u>1/4 - 5/25</u>
Offertory	\$ 3,110.25	\$ 3,154.00
Initial Offering		\$ 381.00
Repairs & Maintenance	\$ 131.00	\$ 320.00
Simbang-Gabi		
12/22, 23, 24	\$ 1,541.50	
12/22		\$ 100.00
Christmas Midnight 12/25		
& Christmas Day 12/25	\$ 4,746.00	
New Year's Day		\$ 1,744.00
Baptism Certificate		\$ 300.00
Funeral		\$ 300.00
Use of Hall		\$ 400.00
Mass Intention		\$ 80.00
Donations		
Printing supplies		\$ 300.00
Calendar		\$ 676.00
Immaculate Conception	\$ 60.00	
Candles	\$ 166.00	\$ 90.00
Total	<u>\$ 9,754.75</u>	<u>\$ 7,845.00</u>



† REMEMBER IN PRAYER



❖ **GOOD HEALTH / SUCCESSFUL SURGERY:** Joni Llamedo * Caroline Gruenhagen * Andy Doh * Ashly Sanchez Sagucio * Minda Teocson * Metty Basa * Leony Orcino * Schwengler family * Jaden Samiano * Linda Puzon * Edna Gamiao * Kathy Ferreira * Tony Peterson * Marie Schwengler * Theresa & Michele Schwengler * Tom DeCorte * Rochelle Taylor * Norma Daligcon (Eye surgery) * Guillermo Bacani * Wyn Christopher Naval * Becky Decorte * Michael Schwengler Sr * Sr. Clemence Mira, SPC * Juliet Hobson * Eusebio Pagala * Ligaya Badua * Rebecca Calapre * Aristone Tabora * Rayna Ann Teocson * Michael Schwengler Jr * Andy Magbojos * Lina Santos * Audrey Peralta * Carolina Soriano * Mark Correia * Gloria Rodrigues * Fely Orsino * Janet Lucanias * Marivel C Agustin * Ester Ramos * Walter Caraang * Hannah Leong * Jovencio & Isabel Cadiz * Alice Schwengler * Mila Llantero * Fran Kovaloff * Florentino Orcino * Suzie Reynon * Jason Schwengler * Celia dela Cruz Morris * Bella Miranda * Fr. Adrian Gervacio * Rachel Soong * Julieta Walsh * Cipriana Luczon * George Calizar * Trini Agamao * Federico Boy Bitonio * Nelie Puzon * Frances Gascon * Moses & Cristina Andres * Gil Acido * Seitasi Ah Kui * Mila Beltran * Latai Holeva Manupuna * Bobbie Walker * Roselani Ramones * Logan Isidro * Nicolas Ulep * Imelda Ruburo * Caridad Dagdagan * Andy & Marina Torio * Marilou Bruno * Alfonso & Mary Villanueva * Jesse Ulep * Ruperto Pescador

❖ **BIRTHDAY:** Jan Nino Montaus (33) * Alex & Liam Pe Benito * Liberato Thirdy Valdez III * Edna Gamiao * Jhonell Macalma * Minda Teocson * Norma Daligcon * Winifred Kam * Natalie Capino * Jaymell Macalma * Marina Agcaoili * Bryan Andaya * Marianne Macalma * Maria Villanueva * Liberato Valdez * Fr. Spa Silva * Margaret Telles * Lydia Felipe * Krystle Parinas * Grazielle & Athon Josh Asarias * Zoe Cris Atendido * Ruperto Pescador * Ace Cabico * Roselani Ramones (93) * Marilyn Chee * Maria Concepcion Pe Benito (69) * Warren dela Rosa * Evangeline Trocio * Daisy Serquinia * Christopher Madarang * Rosita Dolormente * Glen Isidro * Raify Saimon * Fr. Manuel Hewe * Aiden Max Lucas * Francisca Tabonda (100) * Frankie Cabral Jr * Madison Chow * Fanny H Montemayor (92)

❖ **WEDDING ANNIVERSARY:** Maria Luisa Montaus (41) * Adriano & Norma Daligcon (47) * Renato & Corazón dela Rosa (45) * Mark & Clementina Ceria-Ulep (20) * Emmanuel & Susan Artates (23) * Doren & Caroline Gruenhagen * Alex & Marichu Pe Benito (10) * M/M Thomas & Becky DeCorte Sr (54)

❖ **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:** Vicente & Luz Velasco * Silver & Marivic Palting * Fermin & Luida Susa * Condelita & Ruperto Pescador * Andy & Mary Ann Llamedo * Rogelio & Nelmindra Andrada * Rowena & Federico Bitonio * Feao Sole & family * David & Esther Domingcil Smith * Rosita Dolormente * Juriz & Fe Go * Doi Facuri * Barroga & Malacas families * Cathy Sanchez

❖ **GRADUATION:** Khassidy Pe Benito Asperilla * Naomie Malacas

(Contd.)

† REMEMBER IN PRAYER *(Contd.)*

❖ **THANKSGIVING:** Raquel & Gian Rivera * Ronnie & Gracia Gasparil & family * Renato & Corazón dela Rosa * Adriano & Norma Daligcon & family >Liberato & Rosario Valdez & family >Thomas & Olivia Mita >Ryan Mita >Rogelio & Nelmina Andrada >M/M Roger Isidro >M/M Adriano Daligcon >Rosita Dolormente >Myrna Balmilero >M/M Virgilio Cabico & family >Jeannie & Nelson Tan >Minerva Luzadan >Feliza Laride * Aileen Barranco >Jean lida >Domi & Fe Ganding >Keisha Pascual >Segundo Facuri >Gerard Jesse P Magbojos >Andy & Chita Magbojos & family >Nazario & Alicia Balbuena >M/M Edgar & Jocelyn Mendoza & family >Tony & Ana Rarangol >Marc & Clem Ulep >Fermin & Luida Susa >Francisca Kovaloff >Cathy Purganan >Consolacion Caraang >Teresa A. Siruno >Jun & Caridad Cortez >Armelita Canoneo >Rose Marie Domingo >Joseph & Mila Llantero >Cora Orcino >Alex & Marichu Pe Benito >Vicente & Luz Velasco >Carlito & Aurelia Centino >M/M Jaime Macalma >William & Mitronia Amoroso >Marlene Calventas & family >Silver & Marivic Palting



❖ **SPECIAL INTENTION:** Gilbert Bacani * Catherine Baron Fryer * Ly-Ai Polintan * Rob & Richard Saimon & family * Schwengler family * Robert & Imelda Fernandez * Irmandade de Nossa Senhora do Monte * 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 'Ohana In Christ Diocesan Appeal & OLM Projects * For all Seminarians and increase of priestly vocations in the Diocese * For a spirit-filled celebration of the Jubilee Year of Hope * 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:** +Emilio Aranda * Francisca Aranda * Leticia Rivera * Pedro Aranda * Aquilina Aranda * +John Loo * +Nancy Coelho * +Leonora & Victorio Bautista * +Virginia T Luzadas * +Walter Mita * +Juana & Luis Bala * +Florenda & Victorino Bala Sr * Irene & Julian Lacuesta * +Jose Hombrebueno * +Rosita & Leopoldo Hombrebueno * +Ricardo Mateo Sr * +Sofia & Jose Palting * +Leonarda & Nicolas Palting * +Lolita Retutal * +Rino Aquino Soria * +Alfredo Dagui-mol * +Mariano, Manuela & Dina Balmilero * +Febe Tacas * +Agapito & Apolonia Fontanilla * +Honorio Gamiao * +George Trocio * John Nino Trocio * +Manuela, Marcial, Runolfo & Erasmo Cariaga * +Norma Rebecca * Maria Pascual * +Lil Perry * Ruth Saito * Stephen & Gregory Rodrigues * +Bessie Soong * +Jose Calpito * Aniceta Capino * Maria Balmores * Fortunato Capino * +Arsenio & +Esperanza Balmores * +Paula Balmores * +Jose, +Maria, +Jabez, +Jeffrey Goloran * +Seigfred & +Rizza delos Reyes * +Pamata Liua * +Ma. Teresa Cabaluna * +Fr. Emerito Venida * +Avelina O Fralaide (2nd anniv) * +Ana Francisca Mateo * +Lucila Giron * +Victoriana Bacani * +Urbana Artates * +Meliton Mangrobang Jr * +Precious Dwayne Madarang Serquinia * +Elpidio Antolin * +Imelda Ranit * +Fr Etuale Etuale * +Gloria Repato * +Tomas Cacpal * +Ruben Villarin * Aleth Francisco * +Cresencia Acosta * +Gregoria Barroga * +Mari Alice Barranco * +Tito Ulep * +Marcela Ulep * +Irineo Ulep * +Pepito Ulep * +Linda Goting * +Alberta Cabaron Patoc * +Rudy Balmilero * +Carmela Valerio * +Belen A Quinto * +Rica Atok * +Luis & Esperanza Baldos * +Religious, benefactors, donors & parishioners of OLM * +Victims of the covid-19 pandemic, wars, crimes & natural disasters * +Those whose names are in the Book of Remembrance * +Those whose photos are in the Memorial Board * +Holy Souls in purgatory



Mass INTENTIONS

Jan 4 > 6:00pm RM +Juana & Luis Bala; +Florenda & Victorino Sr Bala; +Irene & Julian Lacuesta

Jan 5 > 6:30am RM +Juana & Luis Bala; +Flor

> **9:00am Healing** - Andy Van * Thanksgiving - Ronnie & Gracia Gasparil & family * Safe travel - Silver & Marivic Palting; Vciente & Luz Velasco * RM +Sofia & Jose Palting; +Leonarda & Nicolas Palting

Jan 6-10 > 7:00am Healing - Joni Llamedo; Andy Doh * Safe travel - Silver & Marivic Palting; Vicente & Luz Velasco * Thanksgiving - Raquel & Gian Rivera * Special intention - For the meaningful celebration and success of OLM 155th Parish Anniversary & Santo Nino Fiesta * RM +Sofia & Jose Palting; +Leonarda & Nicolas Palting; +Honorio Gamiao

Jan 7 > 7:00am Thanksgiving - Ronnie & Gracia Gasparil & family * RM +Lolita Retutal; +Rino Aquino Soria

Jan 8-10 > 7:00am RM +Febe Tacas; +Cassius Ramos Benigno; +Lolita Retutal; +Rino Aquino Soria

Jan 10 > 7:00am RM +Walter Mita

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Jan 11 > 6:00pm Wedding anniversary - Doren & Caroline Gruenhagen * Healing & speedy recovery - Joni Llamedo; Amando Flores; Ester Ramos; Fely Orsino; Audrey Peralta; Logan Isidro; Gloria Rodrigues; Fr Adrian Gervacio; Bella Miranda; Julieta Walsh; Moses & Cristina Andres * Thanksgiving - Myrna Balmilero; Carlito & Lia Centino * Special intention - For meaningful celebration and success of OLM 155th Parish Anniversary & Santo Nino Fiesta; for spirit of generosity to the 'Ohana in Christ Annual Appeal; for the safety of travelers, vacationers & deployed military personnel * RM +Virginia Luzadas; +Agapito & Apolonia Fontanilla; +Felix Edmalin; +Arsenio Dacanay; +Febe Tacas; +Juana & Luis Bala; +Florenda & Victorino Bala Sr; +Irene & Julian Lacuesta; +Alfredo Daguimol; +Mariano, Manuela & Dina Blamilero; +Jose Hombrebueno; +Rosita & Leopoldo Hombrebueno; +Christopher Flores; +Ray Quan; +Palmas Flores +Rizza Go & Seigfred delos Reyes; +Departed pastors, benefactors & parishioners of OLM

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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!*



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Jan 12 > 6:30am (Missa pro populo) Birthday - Jan Nino Montaus (33) * Wedding anniversary - Maria Luisa Montaus (41) * Healing & speedy recovery - Joni Llamedo; Amando Flores; Min-da Teocson; Tony Peterson; Nelie Puzon; Gloria Rodrigues; Fr Adrian Gervacio; Bella Miranda; Mila Llantero; Audrey Peralta; Suzie Reynon; Cipriana Luczon; Tom DeCorte; Rochelle Taylor; Caridad Dagdagan; Roselani Ramones; Logan Isidro; Alfonso & Mary Villanueva; All the in-firmed in our homes & families * Thanksgiving - Adriano & Norma Daligcon; Joseph & Mila Llantero; Bill & Joann Amoroso; Fran Kovaloff; Gloria Rodrigues * Special intentions - For the meaningful celebration and success of OLM 155th Parish Anniversary & Santo Nino Fiesta; For the spirit of generosity to the 'Ohana in Christ Diocesan Appeal; For the Board members of the Irmandade de Nossa Senhora do Monte; For the safety of travelers, vacationers & deployed military personnel * RM +Emilio Aranda; +Francisca Aranda; +Leticia Rivera; +Pedro Aranda; +Aquilina Aranda; +John Loo; +Nancy Coelho; Leonora & Victorio Bautista; +Departed pastors, benefactors & parishioners of OLM

> 9:00am Birthday - Jan Nino Montaus (33); Alex & Liam Pe Benito * Wedding anniversary - Maria Luisa Montaus (41) * Healing & speedy recovery - Joni Llamedo; Amando Flores; Carrie Melchor; Andy Doh; Erdito Quarto; Ester Ramos; Logan Isidro * Thanksgiving - Ronnie & Gracia Gasparil: Raquel & Gian Rivera; Renato & Corazon dela Rosa; Adriano & Norma Daligcon & family; Ramses & Jenny Ignacio; Teresa Siruno; Thomas & Olivia Mita; M/M Jaime Macalma & family * Safe travel & vacation of Vicente & Luz Velasco; safety of all travelers, vacationers & deployed military personnel * Special intentions - For the meaningful celebration and success of OLM 155th Parish Anniversary & Santo Nino Fiesta; for the Board members of the Irmandade de Nossa Senhora do Monte; For spirit of generosity to the 'Ohana in Christ Annual Appeal * RM +Walter Mita; +George Trocio; +John Nino Trocio; +Pepito Ulep; +Pamata Liua; +Linda Goting; +Departed pastors, benefactors & parishioners of OLM

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Jan 13 > 7:00am Special intentions - For the meaningful celebration and success of OLM 155th Parish Anniversary

Jan 14 > 7:00am Successful procedure & Healing - Caroline Gruenhagen

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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 and safety of everyone.**

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FEAST DAYS

- Jan 13** Memorial of St. Hilary, Bishop and Doctor of the Church
- Jan 17** Memorial of St. Anthony, Abbott
- Jan 18** Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary / Week of Prayer for Christian Unity begins
- Jan 20** Memorials of St. Fabian, Pope and Martyr / St. Sebastian, Martyr

OTHER

- Jan 12** >Santo Nino Celebration-Fiesta Mass 3:00 PM
>Catechists' meeting after the 9:00 AM Mass
- Jan 19** Knights of Columbus, Corporate Mass at 9:00 AM and meeting to follow
- Jan 20** Martin Luther King Jr. Day - holiday, the Office is closed
- Jan 25/26** 2 Second collections - Church in Latin America and Black & Indian Missions

FUNERAL SERVICES

+REST IN PEACE+



+PEPITO PAGUIRIGAN ULEP, 76

- *Wake Service – January 10, 2025 at 6:30 PM, in the Valley of the Temples Chapel
- *Funeral Mass – January 11, 2025 at 10:00 AM, in Our Lady of the Mount Church
- *Interment – January 11 at 12:00 PM, in the Valley of the Temples Memorial Park

+RINO AQUINO SORIA, 58

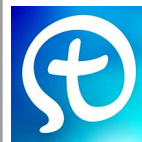
- *Funeral Service – January 13, 2025 at 12:00 PM, in the Valley of the Temples Chapel
- *Interment – January 13 at 2:00 PM, in the Valley of the Temples Memorial Park



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Since we now have a leaking roof problem, it might be a good time to schedule baptisms.



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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.