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"Do not be afraid, from now on you will be catching men." Luke 1:11

Rev. Fr. Adrian R. Gervacio Pastor Emeritus

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WORLD DAY OF THE SICK

On February 11 is the feast of Our Lady of Lourdes. It is a memorial honoring Mary as the Immaculate Conception when she appeared to St. Bernadette Soubirous in a cave at Massabielle in Lourdes, France. This day was designated by Pope John Paul II as World Day of the Sick to pray and remember our sick brothers and sisters who are united in Christ through offering of their suffering for the good of the Church. Since 1876, Lourdes has become a major center of pilgrimage for many people of faith who find healing in the waters of the grotto's spring. Bishop Silva is celebrating on this day the Holy Mass with anointing of the Sick at the Cathedral-Basilica at 12:00pm. At OLM, we shall also commemorate this event with holy anointing of the sick and elderly, from age 65 up, in our church during the weekend Masses on February 15 & 16.

Our Lady of the Mount Church

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Next Sunday's Reading Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading Jeremiah 17:5-8

Responsorial Psalm Psalm 1:1-4. 6

Second Reading 1 Corinthians 15:12, 16-20 Gospel Luke 6:17-20-26

FOCUS: In the sight of the angels I will sing your praises, Lord.

By Rev. Fr. Edgar B. Brillantes

Pastor's Corner

Both Isaiah and Simon Peter stand in awe of the power of the Lord. Isaiah declares his lips unclean and Peter calls himself a sinful man. They recognize their own lowliness in the face of the Lord's majesty. Paul reminds us that Christ died for our sins and was raised. When we confess our sinfulness, we also acknowledge God's power to forgive us.

First Reading: Isaiah 6:1-2, 3-8

Isaiah sees the Lord seated on a throne and declares himself a man of unclean lips.

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:1-11

Paul reminds the Corinthians of the gospel he preached to them that Christ died for our sins and rose again.

Gospel: Luke 5:1-11

In the Gospel, after following Jesus' instructions leads to an abundant catch of fish, Peter declares himself a sinner. Peter, James, and John leave everything to follow Jesus.

JUBILEE YEAR 2025

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." 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 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." We are praying at OLM the Jubilee Prayer at the end of all the weekend Masses.

PARISH ANNIVERSARY MEE/TING

*February 19, Wednesday, at 6:30pm

*Agenda: Finalize the activities and program for the February event focusing on Marriage & Family Life

ANOINTING OF THE SICK IN CHURCH

*February 15-16, Saturday & Sunday, within the Mass

*In celebration of World Day of the Sick, there will be anointing of the Sick & Elderly (age 65 & up).

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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 RENEWAL

*February 22-23, Saturday-Sunday

It's that time again when we have to renew our spirit of stewardship. Marc Ulep will facilitate this activity during the weekend Masses.

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TRAINING OF LITURGICAL MINISTERS

*February 28, Friday, at 4:00pm

Our Church needs additional ministers of the Eucharist and the Word otherwise known as Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion and Lectors. Training is set on February 28, Friday, at 4:00pm in the Parish Hall.

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RECRUITMENT OF PARISH LEADERS

Our church is looking for additional parish leaders who will serve in the Pastoral Council. Please submit your name and contact number at the parish office and we will call you for briefing.





During the Jubilee Year 2025, we also mark the 155th Anniversary of the foundation of our parish. With God's grace, we look forward to celebrating 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.

In January, we jumpstarted our monthly celebration with the feast of the Infant Jesus, popularly known as *Santo Nino*. We opened the festivity with a solemn Eucharistic celebration presided by **Bishop Larry Silva** and concelebrated by 4 priests and 1 deacon. A procession was made around

the church followed by the traditional *sinulog* in which people danced with the Santo Nino icon to the rhythm of the drumbeats.

For February, the focus is on celebrating marriage and family life. In sync with the secular observance of February 14 as Valentine's Day for lovers, we honor married couples and extol the beauty and joy of living family life in harmony. The Knights of Columbus will coordinate this celebration since one of their Faith in Action programs is to promote family life including the selection of the *Family of the Month* honoree. The Pastoral Council and the ministries are assisting.

We invite everyone - from the parish leaders, ministers, organization members and every parishioner - to participate and get involved. *Ms. Jennifer Jandoc* is the overall coordinator of all the planned activities. 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 "*God-with-us*", the Emmanuel. 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's 155th Anniversary in this Jubilee Year of Hope and Grace!



FEBRUARY EVENT IN OUR 155TH ANNIVERSARY

In the month of February, the focus is on Marriage and Family Life. We honor married couples who, as mother and father, are the heart and pillar of the family.

*MARRIAGE & FAMILY LIFE DAY

Honoring Married Couples and Family Life

Sunday, February 23, 2025 (Couples: Pls respond to the invitations you received before Feb 13.) PROGRAM

4:00 p.m. Prayers * Marriage Enrichment Session * Renewal of Vows

5:00 p.m. Reception * Entertainment * Dance for All

6:00 p.m. Awards and Tokens of Appreciation

Thank you to the Knights of Columbus OLM Council 12935, the Pastoral Leaders and Ministries for coordinating the event. We all pray for God's blessing upon the married couples in our parish – who are husband and wife, father and mother and grandparents.



STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

CHARITY: SIMPLE WORD, POWERFUL OUTCOME

Another year is upon us! Still in the context of our beautiful Christmas season, many of us will answer the questions: *"What will be new in my growth as a follower of Jesus? What tangible changes of heart and habit will I strive for in 2025?"* Perhaps we might even ask those questions as a parish community. As Christian stewards, you and I could come up with some definite hopes and dreams for our personal

and overall parish conversions, especially in light of the encouragement of Pope Francis in his Apostolic Exhortation: *The Joy of the Gospel*. In that document we are called over and over again to shine as the light and love of Jesus in the world.

Pope Paul VI also dealt with the demeanor of the faithful in his decree: On the Mission Activity of the Church. In this document, which also deals with evangelization, he writes:

The presence of the Christian faithful in these human groups should be inspired by that charity with which God has loved us, and with which He still wills that we should love one another. (cf. 1 John 4-:11) Christian charity truly extends to all, without distinction of race, creed or social condition: it looks for neither gain nor gratitude. (#12)

The word charity seems like such a simple term, but it generates a powerful outcome. It addresses all areas of the life of a Christian steward including time for our relationship with God, each other the environment and human life. Charity asks us to consider our attitudes towards others, the use of our talents and of course our treasure. Saint Teresa of Calcutta was someone who placed the word within her heart and let it drive her life as a disciple of Jesus.

Perhaps you will make a list of New Year's resolutions for 2025. Perhaps you will set some simple goals as parish leadership this year. As you sit down to reflect, consider using the beautiful word charity as a guide and see how your resolutions might look different from prior years. Consider how it might help you imitate the life of Jesus more fully. Have a happy and charitable 2025!



(Lifted from ICSC e-bulletin January 2025)

FEBRUARY STEWARDSHIP PRAYER

Gracious God, You sent us Your Spirit to help us live the Gospel according to the gifts we have been given. Show us how to be good stewards of your grace and passionate followers of Christ, Your Son. Grant us the wisdom to recognize that through His gift of the Eucharist there is one bread, and we are one body. Give us the strength to proclaim His Good News in word and deed. And teach us to live, no longer for ourselves, but in Jesus Christ who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, God forever and ever. Amen.

◆STEWARDSHIP IN ACTION

SPRUCING UP THE BELFRY

The Church belfry needed some brushing and repainting. On February 1, our volunteers in the Parish Building & Maintenance Committee rolled up their sleeves and did the job. *Roger Isidro* gathered the men, bought in the materials needed and supervised the work. *Kalolo Tuihalafatai* negotiated for a rental manlift and operated it himself. *Andy Llamedo* brought in his pressure washer machine and hose. *Adriano Daligcon* and *Carlito Centino* helped out in the actual removal of the molds, smudges and stains and in the applying of fresh paint. In one day, the work was finished! The tower is now standing bright and proud again like a crown that adorns God's church. It's done in time for the 155th Parish Anniversary celebration. We thank *Travis Kochi* of Sunbelt Rentals for the manlift and *Aisea Unga* of Alu Trucking who delivered to and returned from our church the lift. We appreciate and thank our good stewards who generously share their time, talents and resources for the upkeep of our beloved church.



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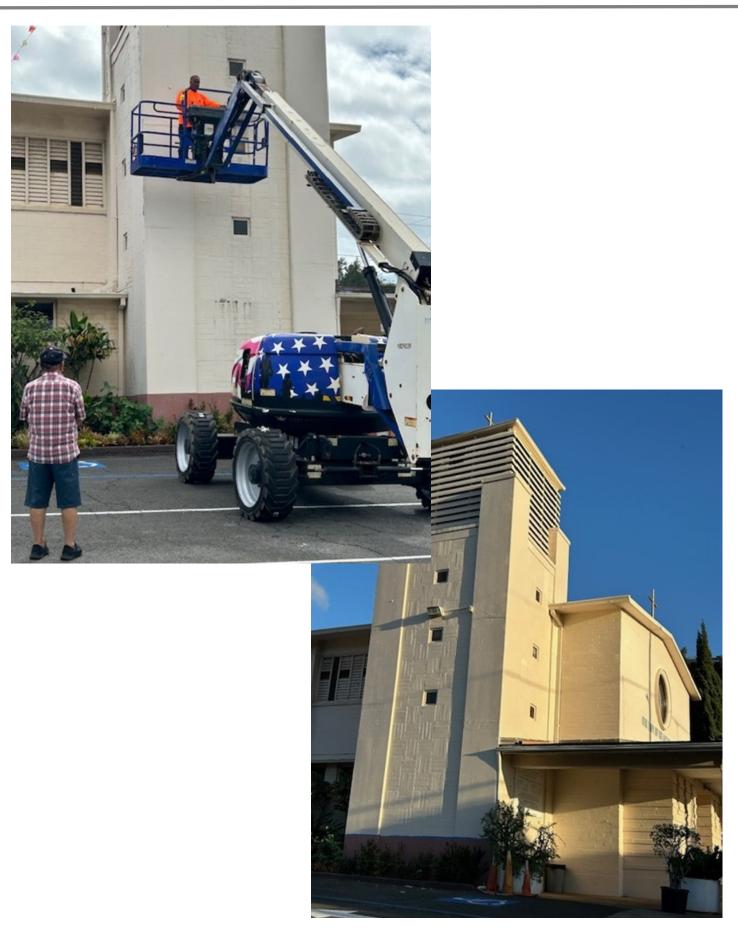
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OHANA IN CHRIST 2024/2025 Support Your Parish and Those Most in Need





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 I	Report as of	December 31	1, 2024 ָ
Parish by Vicariate	Collected	Goal	<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: 'OHANA IN CHRIST PO BOX 380019 HONOLULU, HI 96838-0019

NATIVITY PILGRIMAGE TO THE PHILIPPINES *July 20-31, 2025

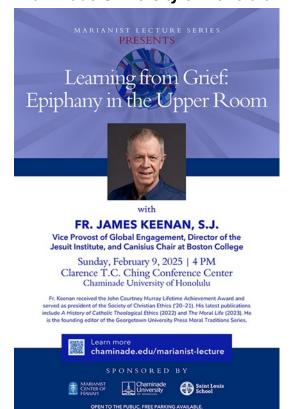
Join Bishop Larry Silva for this special 12-day nativity pilgrimage to the Philippines. The tour will go through Manila, Ilo-ilo, Cebu, Simala, Batangas, and Tagaytay. The trip includes round-trip airfare, airport taxes & fuel surcharges, land transportation, first-class hotels, daily mass, meals as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





MARIANIST LECTURE: "LEARNING FROM GRIEF"

Sunday, February 9, 2025 at 4:00 p.m. Chaminade University of Honolulu



Join the Marianist Lecture, "Learning from Grief: Epiphany in the Upper Room" with Fr. James Keenan, SJ. He has been a Jesuit of the New York Province since 1970 and an ordained priest since 1982.

Fr. Keenan is currently the Canisius Chair, Director of the Jesuit Institute, and Vice Provost of Global Engagement at Boston College.

He founded Catholic Theological Ethics in the World Church, an international network of ethicists.

Learn more at:

chaminade.edu/marianist-lecture

ANNOUNCEMENTS



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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HAWAII STATE RELIGIOUS APPRECIATION BANQUET

February 17, 2025 – 6:30pm-10:00pm

Okinawan Cultural Center

94-1068 Ka Uka Blvd, Waipahu HI 96797

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

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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SILVER ROSE PRAYER SERVICE



On <u>March 16, 2025</u>, the **Silver Rose of Our Lady of Guadalupe** will come to our Church. We join the Knights of Columbus in honoring the Blessed Lady with the prayers of the Rosary, Liturgy of the Word and Consecration to Mary. <u>History of the Silver Rose</u>

Our Lady of Guadalupe did so much for her people in Mexico that, in 1960, the *Columbian Squires*, a youth organization of the Knights of Columbus, wanted to give something back to her.

The group of young men in Knights of Columbus Council 2312 in Monterrey, Mexico, came up with the idea of running a rose to the Basilica of Our Lady of Guadalupe in Monterrey, Mexico. The rose was chosen to commemorate Juan Diego and the miracle of the roses, an important part of the story of Our Lady of Guadalupe.

The first rose was a natural rose and was blessed by Bishop John C. Cody of London. It was then flown to New York, then to Dallas, Texas, and back to the Basilica in Monterrey, Mexico, on December 12, 1960.

After a year, the first rose had decomposed, so a group decided to make a bronze rose that would not age. The Squires of Circle 660 in Monterrey opted to make a similar rose made of silver because it is a precious metal of Mexico.

After 1961, the program was conducted by the Knights of Texas and Mexico and the Our Lady of Guadalupe Province of the Fourth Degree. In the mid-1990s, it was adopted as a Knights of Columbus Supreme Council program. In 2001, Supreme Knight Carl Anderson expanded the Silver Rose program further. *"[This is] a perfect program for the Knights of Columbus,"* said Mr. Anderson. *"Through it we honor not only Our Lady of Guadalupe and express the unity of the Order, but we also reaffirm the Order's dedication to the sanctity of human life. It is to the Blessed Mother that we turn in prayer as we work to end the Culture of Death that grips our society. As we think in terms of 'One Life, One Rose,' it is most appropriate that we turn to Our Lady of Guadalupe who made known her will through Juan Diego and the miracle of the roses."*

Today, eight roses run along different North American routes that include Canada, every U.S. state, Puerto Rico, the District of Columbia, and Mexico. This tradition spreads devotion to Our Lady of Guadalupe and embodies international brotherhood as jointly nurtured across the continent.

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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.



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★WEDDING ANNIVERSARY: Ray & Pamela Fontanilla (36) * 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: Matea Ranit & family * Tony Rarangol * Rizza Fortin * Noemi Joseph & Mila Llantero * Lance & Jaden delos Reyes * Susan Mita * Vicente & Luz Velasco * Silver & Marivic Palting * Fermin & Luida Susa * Condelita & Ruperto Pescador * Rogelio & Nelminda Andrada * Feao Sole & family * Cathy Sanchez

WEDDING: Emerson Quino & Retchen Enrile

GRADUATION: Khassidy Pe Benito Asperilla * Naomie Malacas

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lio Cabico & family >Jeannie & Nelson Tan >Minerva Luzadas >Feliza Laride * Aileen Barranco >Jean Iida >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 >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 deliverance & healing of those afflicted with the covid-19 * For peaceful resolution of the war in Ukraine and Israel

◆DECEASED: +Umaga Pamata Liua * +Richard "Sonny" Peralta * +Lorenzo Carmen * +Meliton Mangrobang Jr * +Martin C Rodrigues * +Cecilia Leong * +Fran & Fred Duhaylunsod * +James Soong * +Elpidio P Valdez * +Crisostomo Atendido * +Fulgencio Trocio * +Maria Goloran * +Seigfred & +Rizza delos Reyes * +Leony Orcino * +Fr Lawrence Mampaey, SSCC * +Constance "Connie" De Santos * +Nicanor Bucaneg * +Simplicio Canoneo * +Arsenio Balmores * +Alfredo Jandoc * +John Nino Trocio (2nd Anniv) * +Lolita Retutal * +Collin H.P. Leong * +Hernando & Clinton Ramones * +Cecilia & Manuel Médeiros * +Kit Samson * +Pedro Artates * +Antonio Baron Sr * +Emilio Aranda * Francisca Aranda * Leticia Rivera * Pedro Aranda * Aquilina Aranda * +John Loo * +Nancy Coelho * +Leonora & Victorio Bautista * +Virginia T Luzadas * +Walter Mita * +Rolly Aleste * +Juana & Luis Bala * +Florenda & Victorino Bala Sr * Irene & Julian Lacuesta * + Jose Hombrebueno * + Rosita & Leopoldo Hombrebueno * + Leonarda & Nicolas Palting * +Rino Aquino Soria * +Alfredo Daguimol * +Mariano, Manuela & Dina Balmilero * +Agapito & Apolonia Fontanilla * +Honorio Gamiao * +George Trocio * +Bessie Soong * +Jose Calpito * Aniceta Capino * Maria Balmores * Fortunato Capino * +Esperanza Balmores * +Paula Balmores * +Ma. Teresa Cabaluna * +Fr. Emerito Venida * +Avelina O Fralaide (2nd anniv) * +Lucila Giron * +Victoriana Bacani * +Urbana Artates * +Elpidio Antolin * +Fr Etuale Etuale * +Cresencia Acosta * +Gregoria Barroga * +Mari Alice Barranco * +Tito Ulep * +Marcela Ulep * +Irineo Ulep * +Pepito Ulep * +Linda Goting * +Alberta Cabaron Patoc * +Rudy Balmilero * +Luis & Esperanza Baldos * +Rica Atok * +Religious, benefactors, donors & parishioners of OLM * +Victims of the covid-19 pandemic, wars, crimes & natural disasters * +Holy Souls in purgatory



- Feb 1 > 6:00pm Birthday Andrea Baptista
- Feb 2 > 9:00am RM + Fulgencio Trocio; + Crisostomo Atendido
- Feb 3 > 7:00am Birthday *Mark Schwengler*

NTIONS Feb 3-7 > 7:00cm Health - Venus Castillo Miranda * Special intentions -For the meaningful celebration and success of OLM 155th Parish Anniversary * RM + Pamata Liua

Feb 4 > 7:00cm Birthday/Thanksgiving - Andrea Baptista * Special intention - for the total ban on abortion and conversion of the Hawaii State legislators to respect the life of the unborn * RM +Richard "Sonny" Peralta

Feb 5-7 > 7:00am Successful procedure & healing - Caroline Gruenhagen; Deacon Raffy Mendoza; Florentino Orcino Feb 6 > 7:00am Birthday - Anthony & Tita Calizar; Fr. Tito Bonoan; Fr. Edmund Barut * RM + Pamata Liua, Jr Feb 7 > 7:00am Birthday - Matea Panit * RM + Pamata Liua

Feb 7 > 7:00am Birthday - Matea Ranit * RM + Pamata Liua

Feb 8 > 6:00pm Healing & speedy recovery - Catherine Baron Fryer; Gloria Rodrigues; Amando Flores; Ester Ramos; Audrey Peralta; Logan Isidro; Fr Adrian Gervacio; Bella Miranda; Julieta Walsh; Moses & Cristina Andres * Thanksgiving - Vangie Bacani & family; Jun & Caridad Cortez; Doi Facuri; Carlito & Lia Centino * Special intention -For Gilbert Bacani; for meaningful celebration and success of OLM 155th Parish Anniversary; for spirit of generosity to the 'Ohana in Christ Annual Appeal; for the Safe trip of Matea Ranit & family; Tony Rarangol & Rizza Fortin; safety of travelers, vacationers & deployed military personnel * RM +Excelsia Ramiro Aczon; +Pio Bacani; +Pamata Liua; +Felicidad Orsino; +Richard "Sonny" Peralta; +Constance "Connie" DeSantos; +Alfredo Jandoc; +Departed pastors, benefactors & parishioners of OLM

Feb 9 > 6:30am (Missa pro populo) Birthday - *Mila Llantero* * Healing & speedy recovery - *Amando Flores; Nelie Puzon; Gloria Rodrigues; Fr Adrian Gervacio; Bella Miranda; Suzie Reynon; Cipriana Luczon; Tom DeCorte; Rochelle Taylor; Caridad Dagdagan; Roselani Ramones; Logan Isidro; Alfonso & Mary Villanueva; Deacon Raffy Mendoza; All the infirmed in our homes & families* * Thanksgiving - *Joseph & Mila Llantero; Bill & Joann Amoroso; Fran Kovaloff; For the volunteer parishioners who cleaned and repainted the church belfry;* * Special intentions - for the meaningful celebration and success of *OLM 155th Parish Anniversary;* For the spirit of generosity to the 'Ohana in Christ Diocesan Appeal; For the safe trip of Matea Ranit & family and for the safety of travelers, vacationers & deployed military personnel * RM +Meliton Mangrobang Jr; +Lorenzo Carmen; +Fely Orsino; +Hernando & Clinton Ramones; +Pearleen Cabasag; +Departed pastors, benefactors & parishioners of OLM

> 9:00am Birthday - Marivic Palting * Healing & speedy recovery - Venus Miranda; Lina Santos; Alfreda Bucaneg; Ernesto & Angelita Saga; Carrie Melchor; Andy Dao; Erdito Quarto; Ester Ramos; Logan Isidro * Thanksgiving - Corazon Orcino; Cleo Bala-Casino; Rose Marie Domingo; Angela Goodbody; Armelita Canoneo; Renato & Corazon dela Rosa; Alex & Marichu Pe Benito; Teresa Siruno; Thomas & Olivia Mita; Marc & Clem Ceria-Ulep; M/M Jaime Macalma & family; Fransic Lewi * For the safe trip of Matea Ranit & family and safety of all travelers, vacationers & deployed military personnel * Special intentions - For the child to be baptized together with his parents & godparents; for the meaningful celebration and success of OLM 155th Parish Anniversary; for the Board members of the Irmandade de Nossa Senhora do Monte; For spirit of generosity to the 'Ohana in Christ Annual Appeal * RM +Crisostomo Atendido; +Fulgencio Trocio; +Seigfred & Rizza Go delos Reyes; +Simplicio Canoneo; +Elpidio Valdez; +Nicanor Bucaneg; +Lolita Retutal; +Mari Alice Barranco; +Pamata Liua; +Linda Goting; +Departed pastors, benefactors & parishioners of OLM

Feb 10 > 7:00am Birthday - *Mark Schwengler*

Feb 10-14 > 7:00cm Special intentions - For the meaningful celebration and success of *OLM 155th Parish Anniversary* **Feb 12 > 7:00cm** Birthday - *Vangie Bacani; Audrey Peralta; Condelita Pescador*

Feb 13 > 7:00am Birthday - Steven Schwengler

Feb 14 > **7:00am** Safe trip - *Matea Ranit & family* * Special intention - *For all lovers, engaged & married couples* * RM + *Martin C Rodrigues;* + *Cecilia Leong;* + *Fran & Fred Duhaylunsod*

*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.



DEADLINE: Please submit your **Mass intentions** by <u>Thursday</u> 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 <u>offering of \$10.00 per one (1) day Mass</u> <u>intention</u> 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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MASS ATTENDANCE <u>1/25-26/25</u> <u>2/1-2/25</u>

	1/23-20/25	2/1-2/25
Sat 6:00 pm	57A+3C	59A+2C
Sun 6:30 am	58A+0C	57A+2C
Sun 9:00 am	90A+10C	89A+12C



	<u>1/25-26/25</u>	<u>2/1-2/25</u>		
Offertory	\$ 3,147.38	\$ 2,801.60		
Initial Offering	\$ 56.00			
Repairs & Maintenance	\$ 46.00	\$ 835.00		
Holy Christmas		\$ 50.00		
Black and Indian Mission	\$ 465.00			
Church in Latin America	\$ 536.00			
Donation:				
- 'Ohana in Christ		\$ 45.00		
 Printing supplies 		\$ 300.00		
- Range		\$ 1,800.00		
Event Insurance		\$ 95.00		
Religious Article	\$ 5.00			
Blessing:				
- Car		\$ 50.00		
- House		\$ 50.00		
Candles	<u>\$ 101.00</u>	<u>\$ 280.00</u>		
Total	<u>\$ 4,356.38</u>	<u>\$ 6,306.60</u>		

SACRIFICIAL OFFERTORY

BAPTISM

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February 9, 2025 *CHILD - WREN OLIVER DELA ROSA DEUZ *Date/Place of birth – May 9, 2024 / Honolulu, Hawaii *Father - Nester Kekona Bitanga Deuz *Mother – Jewelle Reen Baclagan dela Rosa *Godfather – Ronald Domingo

*Godmother – Ashley Coffer

*Baptism catechism and meeting with the parents and godparents on February 4, 2025, at 6:00 PM in the parish hall.

March 9, 2025

*CHILD - JOHN ARIEL CERILO PERALTA

*Date/Place of birth – March 22, 2024 / Honolulu, Hawaii

*Father - Ariel Simangan Peralta

*Mother – Eden Banares Cerilo

*Godfather – Deomedes S. Vergara

*Godmother – Marites Q. Vergara

*Baptism catechism and meeting with the parents and godparents on Tuesday, March 4, 2025, at 6:00 PM in the parish hall.

*Catechists: Fran Kovaloff * Mary Ann Goloran * Cathy Villanueva * Evangeline Trocio



FEAST DAYS

- Feb 8 Memorial of St. Jerome Emilani / St. Josephine Bakhita, Virgin / Blessed Virgin Mary
- Feb 9Memorial of St. Scholastica, Virgin
- Feb 11Memorial of Our Lady of Lourdes /
World Day of the Sick
- (Feb 15-16, within the Masses, anointing of the sick)
- Feb 14Memorial of Sts. Cyril, Monk and
Methodius, Bishop

OTHER

- Feb 9*Filipino Catholic Club meeting, after
The 9:00 AM Mass
 - *Super Bowl Sunday LIX, New Orleans
- Feb 14Valentine's Day
- Feb 15 Finance Council meeting, 8:00 AM
- Feb 16, 23, Mar 2 Bring your old palm branches; to be burned for Ash Wednesday, Mar 5
- Feb 19 Parish Anniversary meeting, 6:30 PM
- Feb 22-23 Stewardship Renewal
- Feb 23 Marriage & Family Life Day, 4:00 PM
- Feb 28 Training Liturgical Ministers, 4:00 PM

☺*L.O.L. Laugh Out Loud*/☺



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

FUNERAL SERVICES

+REST IN PEACE+



+ELPIDIO PAGADUAN VALDEZ, 98 *Funeral Service – January 30, 2025 at 10:30 AM, in Valley of the Temples Hilltop Chapel

*Interment – TBD, in the Valley of the Temples Memorial Park

+UMAGA PAMATA LIUA JR, 65

*Funeral Mass – February 8, 2025 at 12:00 PM, in Our Lady of the Mount Church

*Interment – February 10, 2025 at 1:00 PM, in the Hawaii State Veterans Cemetery

+PEARLEEN KAUI KAM YUK CABASAG, 70

*Funeral Mass – February 25, 2025 at 11:00 PM, in Our Lady of the Mount Church

*Interment – February 25, 2025 at 1:00 PM, in the Hawaiian Memorial Park

+ALFREDO JANDOC, 91

*Funeral Mass – March 1, 2025 at 11:30 AM, in Our Lady of the Mount Church

*Interment – March 1 at 3:00 PM, in the Valley of the Temples Memorial Park

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+FELICIDAD GARINGO ORSINO, 93

*Funeral Mass – March 11, 2025 at 6:00 PM, in Our Lady of the Mount Church

*Interment – March 15, at 1:00 PM, in the Valley of the Temples Memorial Park

+LOLITA LAURETA RETUTAL, 91 *Wake Service – March 12, 2025 at 6:30 PM, in the Mililani-Waipio Cemetery Makai Chapel

*Funeral Service – March 13, 2025 at 9:30 AM Mililani-Waipio Cemetery Chapel

*Interment – March 13 at 1:00 PM, in the Punchbowl Cemetery

+LINDA GUTING

*Wake Service – March 21, 2025 at 6:30 PM, in Mililani-Waipio Mauka Chapel

*Funeral Mass – March 22, 2025 at 11:00 AM, in Resurrection of the Lord Church

*Interment – March 22 at 12:30 PM, in the Mililani-Waipio Memorial Park

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.

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