



# OUR LADY OF THE MOUNT CHURCH

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† CELEBRATING 155 YEARS AND RENEWING OUR FAITH IN GRATEFUL STEWARDSHIP! †



Rev. Fr. Edgar B. Brillantes  
Pastor



Rev. Fr. Adrian R. Gervacio  
Pastor Emeritus

## 155th PARISH ANNIVERSARY

**\*In the JUBILEE YEAR OF HOPE 2025\***

"We are Pilgrims of Hope"



# HAVE A BLESSED LENT



### STATIONS OF THE CROSS

March 21 & every Friday of Lent at 7:00 PM

*"We adore you, O Christ, and we praise you. Because by your Holy Cross you have redeemed the world."*



### LENTEN PARISH RECOLLECTION

March 25 – 6:00 PM – 7:30 PM

Facilitated by *Anthony Selvanathan*, Ministry consultant and Master of Ceremonies for the Diocese of Honolulu. His presentation is rooted in the Gospel and Church teachings, and designed to deepen faith, inspire conversion, and ignite a renewed commitment to prayer and discipleship. He will help us enter more fully into the sacred season of Lent and prepare our hearts for the celebrations of Holy Week and Easter.

**All parishioners are invited to attend for spiritual growth.**

**For the liturgical ministers, this will serve as your annual spiritualization to fulfill the requirement for renewal of commissioning.**



STATIONS of the CROSS



### ALOHA TO OUR VISITING MUSICIANS

In the absence of *Mary Ann Llamedo* who travelled to the Philippines to visit her ailing father, talented music ministers from other parishes are covering for her. For this Saturday 6:00pm Mass, *Arfel Villanueva* from St. Theresa Co-Cathedral is playing the piano. For the Sunday 6:30am Mass, *Joseph Rayray* of Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church is playing the guitar. The Sunday 9:00am Mass is accompanied by *Zoie Peacock* who had been coming to and playing at OLM some years back. We deeply appreciate their gracious and joyful services.





## Pastor's Corner

By Rev. Fr. Edgar B. Brillantes



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

**First Reading**  
Exodus 3:1-8, 13-15

**Responsorial Psalm**  
Psalm 103:1-8, 11

**Second Reading**  
1 Corinthians 10:1-6, 10-12

**Gospel**  
Luke 13:1-9

**FOCUS:** Stand firm in faith.

This season of Lent prepares us for Easter, when we will celebrate the Lord's resurrection. In today's Gospel Peter, John, and James get a glimpse of Jesus' glorified body. This is the type of body that Paul tells the Philippians we will one day have, as long as we stand firm in our faith – not only in Christ's resurrection, but also in his cross.

**First Reading:** *Genesis 15:5-12, 17-18*

In the first reading, God makes a covenant with Abram, promising descendants as numerous as the stars and land for them to inhabit.

**Second Reading:** *Philippians 3:17-4.1*

Paul tells the Philippians to imitate him, conducting themselves not as enemies of the cross, but standing firm in the Lord.

**Gospel:** *Luke 9:28-36*

In the Gospel, Jesus is transfigured on the mountain; Moses and Elijah appear with him in glory.

### ALOHA FUND FOR CHURCH A/C INSTALLATION

*Irmandade Portuguese Club -	\$5,000.00
*OLM FCC -	\$1,350.00
*Rey & Rizalinda Teocson -	\$1,000.00
*Ilocano Ministry -	\$1,000.00
*Anonymous -	\$ 500.00
*Corazon Orcino -	\$ 300.00
*Manny & Susan Artates -	\$ 200.00
*Rosemary Mohika -	\$ 200.00
*Lydia Felipe -	\$ 150.00
*Magdalena Leano -	\$ 100.00
*Aurea Macalisang -	\$ 50.00

*Big Mahalo for your generous donation.*

**GOD BLESS YOU FOR  
YOUR SUPPORT**



### TRAINING OF NEW MINISTERS

Our Church needs additional ministers of the Eucharist and the Word otherwise known as Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion and Lectors. For those who are interested, please submit your name and application to the parish office or call: 808-845-0828 or email: [olm@rcchawaii.org](mailto:olm@rcchawaii.org). You may also approach the coordinators, *Cleo Bala-Casino & Gloria Rodrigues*. For those interested to be trained and installed as Altar Servers, please contact *Alvin Baron*.



### CALLING FOR 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 and instructions.



## JUBILEE YEAR 2025



### THEME: "PILGRIMS OF HOPE"

On the opening of the Jubilee Year 2025 Pope Francis 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, the Pope declared: "*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.*"

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



# OLM 155TH PARISH ANNIVERSARY

During the Jubilee Year 2025, we also mark the 155<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the foundation of our parish. 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.

In the month of January, we jumpstarted our monthly celebration with the feast of the Infant Jesus, popularly known as *Santo Nino*.

For the month of February, the focus was on celebrating marriage and family life. In sync

with the secular observance of February 14 as Valentine's Day for lovers we honored married couples and extolled the beauty and joy of living family life in harmony.

For March, we focus on spirituality by holding a Lenten Parish Mission aside from the Friday Stations of the Cross and Penance Service. We invite everyone - the parish leaders, ministers, organization members and every parishioner - to participate and get involved.

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*" and we can also trust that our Patroness, the *Blessed Lady of the Mount*, 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 155<sup>th</sup> Anniversary in this Jubilee Year of Hope and Grace!





## '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 February 28, 2025. The appeal is now at **71%** of goal.

Congratulations to the following parishes for reaching 100%:

**\*Annunciation Church \* Immaculate Conception Church, Lihue \* St. Joseph Church, Waipahu \* St. Theresa Church, Kekaha**

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 February 28, 2025 ✦

<u>Parish by Vicariate</u>	<u>Collected</u>	<u>Goal</u>	<u>% vs. Goal</u>
Blessed Sacrament Church – Honolulu	\$ 6,065	\$ 7,934	76%
Cathedral Basilica of Our Lady of Peace	\$23,242	\$36,671	63%
Co-Cathedral of St. Theresa – Honolulu	\$ 7,571	\$29,113	26%
Holy Family Church – Honolulu	\$12,961	\$14,568	89%
<b>Korean Catholic Community – Honolulu</b>	<b>\$16,370</b>	<b>\$16,083</b>	<b>102%</b>
<b>Our Lady of the Mount Church–Honolulu</b>	<b>\$ 5,290</b>	<b>\$7,430</b>	<b>71%</b>
St. Anthony Church – Kalihi	\$ 5,008	\$12,428	40%
St. John the Baptist Church – Honolulu	\$ 4,320	\$11,386	38%
St. Philomena Church – Honolulu	\$ 9,385	\$17,660	53%
St. Stephen Church – Honolulu	\$ 3,270	\$ 8,356	39%
Vietnamese Catholic Community – Honolulu	\$ 1,874	\$ 7,038	27%
<b>West Honolulu Total</b>	<b>\$95,356</b>	<b>\$168,667</b>	<b>57%</b>

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**

**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.  
 (Lifted from ICSC e-bulletin January 2025)

**STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION****STEWARDSHIP SAINT FOR MARCH: SAINT JOSEPH**

Next to the Blessed Virgin Mary, Saint Joseph is the most honored saint in the Catholic Church for being the foster father of Jesus and the husband of Mary. His traditional feast day is March 19.

Joseph's life is depicted in the gospels, particularly in Matthew and Luke. He was born in Bethlehem and is described as being a descendant of King David.

Mary was betrothed to Joseph, but was pregnant with the Christ child before Joseph took her into his home. According to Jewish law at the time, Mary could have been stoned to death if she was believed to have been unfaithful to her betrothed. An angel of the Lord told Joseph to take Mary into his home, that the child was conceived through the Holy Spirit, and that his name would be Jesus.

After Jesus' birth at Bethlehem, in yet another dream, Joseph was told to take Mary and Jesus to Egypt and remain there until Herod's slaughter of newborns had come to an end with Herod's own death. Joseph, Mary, and Jesus returned to the region of Galilee and settled in Nazareth where Joseph taught his craft of carpentry to Jesus. Joseph is last mentioned in the Gospels when, on their pilgrimage to Jerusalem, he and Mary frantically searched for the lost Jesus in Jerusalem, and found him in the Temple (Luke 2:42-52).

Saint Joseph was declared patron saint and protector of the universal Church by Pope Pius IX at the close of the First Vatican Council in 1870. He is also considered a spiritual model for families and Christian teaching frequently stresses his patience, persistence, and hard work as admirable qualities Christians should reflect upon and embrace. He is the patron saint of fathers, foster fathers, husbands, the unborn, working people in general and social justice.

Saint Joseph is the patron saint of several countries including Canada, China, Korea, Mexico and Peru. Many cities, towns, and other locations are named after Saint Joseph as well; and it has been noted that the Spanish form of Saint Joseph, San Jose, is the most common place name in the world.

*(Lifted from ICSC e-bulletin, March 2025)*



## ❖ ANNOUNCEMENTS ❖



Co COUNCIL 12935

ASSEMBLY 1577

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

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

**Herman Monico** > Grand Knight \* **Rambeau Gahan** > Deputy Grand Knight  
**Galo Camacho** > District Deputy

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HOST: \*SILVER ROSE PRAYER SERVICE\*

March 16, 2025 – 10:15am

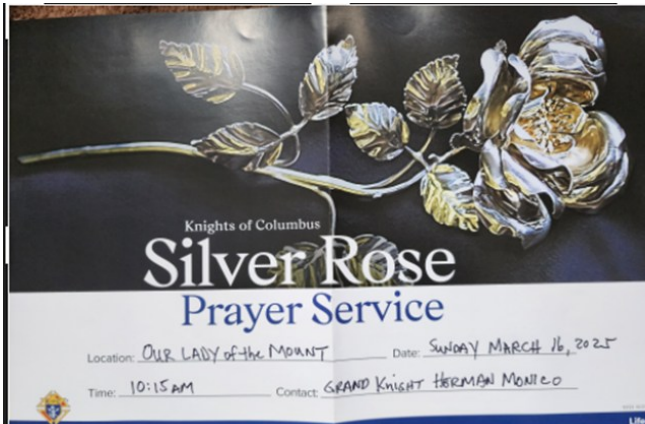
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*“Knights in Action IS Christ in Action”*

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

♦ ♦ ♦ VIVAT JESUS! ♦ ♦ ♦

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**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SILVER ROSE PRAYER SERVICE – March 16**

Our Lady of the Mount is hosting the *Silver Rose* this Sunday, March 16, 2025. After the 9:00am Mass, *Silver Rose* will be delivered to OLM and the *Knights of Columbus Council 12935* will receive it. The Prayer Service follows in which the Knights and parishioners are invited to participate to show our love for ***Our Lady of Guadalupe*** and receive her divine maternal favors. Membership Drive with Informational Table at the 9:00-am Mass will also be carried out.







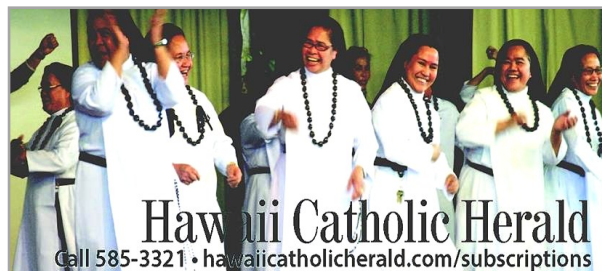
### MASS ATTENDANCE

	<u>3/8 - 9/25</u>	<u>3/1 - 2/25</u>
Sat 6:00 pm	62A+4C	64A+5C
Sun 6:30 am	64A+0C	66A+0C
Sun 9:00 am	102A+25C	97A+17C
3/5/25 Ash Wednesday		
7:00 am	50A+1C	
6:30 pm	139A+15C	



### SACRIFICIAL OFFERTORY

	<u>3/8 - 9/25</u>	<u>3/1 - 2/25</u>
Offertory	\$ 3,797.50	\$ 4,305.34
Initial Offering		\$ 5.00
Repairs & Maintenance		
Donation	\$ 226.00	\$ 917.00
Santo Nino Group		\$ 200.00
Donation		
Printing		\$ 300.00
Air Conditioning	\$ 850.00	\$ 300.00
Ash Wednesday	\$ 2,059.47	
Baptism/Certificate		\$ 50.00
Funeral		\$ 600.00
Use of Hall		\$ 400.00
Event Insurance		\$ 95.00
Candles	\$ 11.10	\$ 173.10
Total	<u>\$ 6,944.07</u>	<u>\$ 7,345.44</u>



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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.**



### 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 > 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday – 6:00 PM



## PICTORIALS

### PARISH BUILDING & MAINTENANCE PROJECT – A/C INSTALLATION IN CHURCH



*Ray Fontanilla* of *A&I Refrigeration & Air Conditioning Services* started working on the installation of the air conditioning units in our Church on Thursday, March 6. They installed the outside condensers on the third day and completed the job. Being an OLM parishioner, Ray offered to do the job and share his profession and expertise for the improvement of our church.

On March 12, *Remar Aquino* of *Remar Electric* worked on the electrical lines that will power the A/C system. Remar and his assistants, *Dominic & Jay-R Escalona* finished the job on the third day.

*Roger Isidro* stood by to assist and supervise and provide food and other needs together with his wife, *Aida*.

The trial run of the system will be done on Monday, March 17, and we hope and pray that everything will go well.

The rising temperature and humidity prompted the project. We certainly want to feel comfortable when we are in church worshipping and celebrating the sacred liturgy. The A/C units will supplement the existing wall fans when it gets exceptionally hot and humid. So, they are switched on only as needed, and when they're on they help reduce the noise outside because we have to shut off the jalousie windows and doors.

As the project went on, the monetary donation and support of parishioners flowed in. (Please see the list of donors on page 2) With your contribution and with God's grace, we hope that this project may be realized in time for the celebration of our parish 155<sup>th</sup> anniversary. We sincerely thank the generous souls who responded to our appeal and have given from their heart. May the Lord bless you abundantly.



(Above photos) The workers *Remar Aquino*, *Dominic & Jay-R Escalona* installed and connected the power lines to each A/C Unit. Remar put up a new switchboard panel dedicated to the AC units.



**PICTORIALS**

(Left & right photos): *Remar Aquino* put up a new switchboard panel for the A/C Units. The former switchboard serves as junction box.



(Right photo): *Andy Llamedo* fixed and installed a new amplifier to the church sound system.



## ❖ ANNOUNCEMENTS ❖

**ILOCANO MASS**

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**March 16, 2025**

Everyone is invited to join the Ilocanos in celebrating the Holy Mass with the prayers, readings and hymns in Ilocano.



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**INCIDENT REPORT**

Date: March 14, 2025

Location: Our Lady of the Mount Church

Something bad happened to our church on March 13/14. When *Segundo Facuri* and some parishioners came to church for the morning Mass they found broken jalousies scattered on the floor of the church. They also saw a metal cover of the water meter which was probably hurled into the window on the Nihi side of the church. There were also large stones at the bottom of the windows outside. *Gloria Rodrigues* called the police who took pictures and wrote a report when they came. *Carlito Centino*, the grounds custodian, replaced the broken jalousies.



Photos taken by *Cora Orcino*.





**Mar 8 > 6:30am Birthday - Ralph Balmilero & Lorie Fernandez**  
**Mar 9 > 6:30am Birthday - Rhogie Mentac \* Wedding anniversary - Fermin & Luida Susa (36)**  
**> 9:00am Birthday - Diena Peterson Masalosalo**  
**Mar 9-10 > 7:00am Wedding anniversary - Fermin & Luida Susa (36) \* RM +Cristina Gador**  
**Mar 10-14 > 7:00am Special intentions - For the meaningful celebration of OLM**

#### 155th Parish Anniversary

**Mar 10-14 > 7:00am Successful surgery & healing - Andy Magbohos; Deacon Raffy Mendoza; Mariano Facuri; Ligaya Badua**  
**\* Thanksgiving - Kathy Ferreira's new tenants**  
**Mar 10-18 > 7:00am RM +Encarnacion Fontanilla**  
**Mar 12 > 7:00am Birthday - Coby Jay Jacinto \* Special intention - Sr. Clemence Mira, SPC \* RM +Cora Custado**  
**Mar 13 > 7:00am RM +Eddie Zanellato** **Mar 22/29 Apr 5 > Healing & speedy recovery - Gene Cortez**

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**Mar 15 > 6:00pm Birthday - Clemente Fontanilla; Emelyn Chesser; Ador Padilla; Colton Reef Segundo \* Healing & speedy recovery - Gene Cortez; Mariano Facuri; Kevin Ibero; Robert Mondoy; Catherine Baron Fryer; Gloria Rodrigues; Amando Flores; Ester Ramos; Audrey Peralta; Logan Isidro; Fr Adrian Gervacio; Bella Miranda; Julieta Walsh; Moses & Cristina Andres \* Thanksgiving - Manny & Susan Artates; Doi Facuri; Carlito & Lia Centino \* Special intention - of Andres & Merelyn Ibero & family; Gilbert Bacani; for spirit of generosity to the 'Ohana in Christ Annual Appeal; For the donors of the church air conditioning system; For safe travel - Dolores Malla; Teresita Erese; Curtis Erese; Vangie Bacani & the safety of travelers, vacationers & deployed military personnel \* RM +Amie Yanuaria; +Teresita Fontanilla; +Alfred Jandoc; +Jose Jandoc Sr; +Avelino & Marina Pescador; +Constance "Connie" De Santos; +Felicidad Orsino; +Departed pastors, benefactors & parishioners of OLM**

**Mar 16 > 6:30am (Missa pro populo) Healing & speedy recovery - Robert Mondoy; Marilyn Chee; Trini Agamao; Amando Flores Sr; 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; All the infirmed in our homes & families \* Thanksgiving - Kathy Ferreira's new tenants; Joseph & Mila Llantero; Bill & Joann Amoroso; Fran Kovaloff \* Special intentions - Flores & Llamedo families; for meaningful celebration of OLM Parish Anniversary; For the spirit of generosity to the 'Ohana in Christ Diocesan Appeal; For the safety of travelers, vacationers & deployed military personnel \* RM +Darlene Silva Theodore +Teresita Fontanilla; +Alfred Jandoc; +Prodencio Rhomy Mentac Jr; +Felicidad Orsino; +Departed pastors, benefactors & parishioners of OLM**

**> 9:00am Birthday - Coby Jay Jacinto \* Anniversary - M/M Liberato & Rosario Valdez \* Healing & speedy recovery - Eleanah Louise A Rosario; Christine Alexis Pablo Calumag; Ligaya Badua; Magdalena Diaz; Josing Bacalso; Robert Mondoy; Andy Magbohos; Carrie Melchor; Andy Dao; Erdito Quarto; Ester Ramos; Logan Isidro \* Thanksgiving - M/M Jaime Macalma and family; M/M Liberato & Rosario Valdez; Teresa Ssiruno & Sons Allan & Marc; Avalyne Andaya; Diena Peterson Masalosalo; Silver & Marivic Palting; Corazon Orcino; Armelita Canoneo; Ronnie & Gracia Grasparil & family; Renato & Corazon dela Rosa; Alex & Marichu Pe Benito; Thomas & Olivia Mita; Marc & Clem Ceria-Ulep \* For the safety of all travelers, vacationers & deployed military personnel \* Special intentions - Marita Alfanzo & Son; Keisha Pascual for US travel; For meaningful celebration of OLM 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 +Jabez Goloran; +Marites Dasig; +William Andres Gorgonio; +Teresita "Tessie" Fontanilla; +Angel A Pascual; +Silvestre Marquez; +Jeffry Myers; +Fr Elias Escanilla; +Simplicio Canoneo; +Linda Goting; +Departed pastors, benefactors & parishioners of OLM**

**Mar 17 > 7:00am Successful surgery & healing - Andy Magbohos; Deacon Rafael Mendoza \* RM +Patricia Drummundo; +Cristina Gador**

**Mar 17-21 > 7:00am Special intentions - For the meaningful celebration of OLM 155th Parish Anniversary**

**Mar 18 > 7:00am Wedding anniversary - Rey & Minda Teocson \* Ordination Anniversary - Fr. Adrian Gervacio (58) \* Birthday - Sr. Dora Nuetzi, MM**

**Mar 25 > 7:00am Birthday - Kian Chesser; Guillermo Bacani**

**Mar 23 > 6:30am RM +Loretta Tabin**

**Mar 25 > 7:00am Birthday - John W.K. Leong \* RM +Francis C.L. Leong**

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**DEADLINE:** Please submit your **Mass intentions** by Thursday if you want them printed on time for the weekend Parish Bulletin and for orderly inclusion at the Prayers of the Faithful.

**MAHALO:** Thank you for your **offering of \$10.00 per one (1) day Mass intention** for the support of the charitable works of the church and for the personal needs of the priests. *God bless you.*



## † REMEMBER IN PRAYER



❖ **GOOD HEALTH / SUCCESSFUL SURGERY:** Pope Francis \* Eleanah Louisse A Rosario \* Christine, Alexis, Pablo Calumag \* Marilyn Chee \* Trini Agamao \* Robert Mondoy \* Amando Flores Sr \* Ligaya Badua \* Kevin Ibera \* Andy Magbojos \* Mariano Facuri \* Deacon Rafael Mendoza \* Magdalena Diaz \* Josing Bacalso \* Gina Sanchez Respicio \* Caroline Gruenhagen \* Alfreda Bucaneg \* Ernesto & Angelita Saga \* Kathleen Barnachea \* Venus Miranda \* Lina Santos \* Caroline Gruenhagen \* Andy Dao \* Metty Basa \* Schwengler family \* Jaden Samiano \* Marie Schwengler \* Theresa & Michele Schwengler \* Tom DeCorte \* Rochelle Taylor \* Michael Schwengler Sr \* Rebecca Calapre \* Aristone Tabora \* Michael Schwengler Jr \* Audrey Peralta \* Carolina Soriano \* Gloria Rodrigues \* Ester Ramos \* Hannah Leong \* Jovencio & Isabel Cadiz \* Alice Schwengler \* Florentino Orcino \* Suzie Reynon \* Jason Schwengler \* Celia dela Cruz Morris \* Bella Miranda \* Fr. Adrian Gervacio \* Rachel Soong \* Julieta Walsh \* Cipriana Luczon \* George Calizar \* 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 Ruaburo \* Caridad Dagdagan \* Andy & Marina Torio \* Marilou Bruno \* Alfonso & Mary Villanueva \* Jesse Ulep \* Ruperto Pescador

❖ **BIRTHDAY:** Clemente Fontanilla \* Sr. Dora Nuetzi, MM \* John W.K. Leong \* Coby Jay Jacinto \* Helen Manzano \* Julie Manuel \* Brenton & Brandilyn Aczon \* Diena Peterson Masalosalo \* Emelyn Chesser \* Adoracion Padilla \* Colton Reef Segundo \* Jocelyn Ramiscal \* Walter Caraang \* Medy Macalma \* AJ delos Reyes \* Jade Agot \* Oliver Sipalay \* Lydia Felipe \* Avalyne Andaya \* Adoracion Laguer \* Revie Acedera \* Angie Sera \* Gambit Chong \* Tugson Angkel \* Sharleen Daligcon Agustin \* Val Anthony Arruejo \* Amber Marley Asarias \* Jayson Malla \* Marivic Palting \* Mila Llantero \* Celerina Fernandez \* Tita Calizar \* Anthony Calizar \* Vangie Bacani \* Audrey Peralta \* Condelita Pescador \* Isaac Centino \* Steven Schwengler \* Matea Ranit \* Fr Tito Bonoan \* Fr. Edmund Barut \* Andrea Baptista \* Mark Schwengler \* Rosalina Peterson

❖ **WEDDING ANNIVERSARY:** Liberato & Rosario Valdez \* Rey & Minda Teocson \* Fermin & Luida Susa (36) \* Renato & Mely Dumaul (51) \* Fortunato & Adoracion Laguer (50) \* Ray & Pamela Fontanilla (36) \* Maria Luisa Montaus (41) \* Adriano & Norma Daligcon (47) \* Renato & Corazon 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. Adrian Gervacio (58) \* 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)

❖ **SAFE TRIP & VACATION:** Dolores Malla \* Teresita Erese \* Curtis Erese \* Mary Ann & Mandy Llamedo \* Ropati Liua \* Angie Goodbody \* Bryan & Avalyne Andaya \* Adriano & Norma Daligcon \* Joseph & Mila Llantero & family \* Tony Rarangol & Rizza Fortin \* Vicente & Luz Velasco \* Cathy Sanchez

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## † REMEMBER IN PRAYER *(Contd.)*



❖ **THANKSGIVING:** M/M Jaime Macalma & family > Kathy Ferreira's New Tenants > Avalyne Andaya > Teresa Siruno & sons Allan & Marc > Diena Peterson Masalosalo > Travis Kochi > Aisea Unga > Volunteers in the sprucing up & repainting the Church belfry > Fransic Lewi > Rose Marie D Domingo > Jun & Caridad Cortez > Armelita Canoneo > Shirley Domingo > Rose Jean Laguardia > Raquel & Gian Rivera > Ronnie & Gracia Grasparil & family > Renato & Corazón dela Rosa > Adriano & Norma Daligcon & family > Liberato & Rosario Valdez & family > Thomas & Olivia Mita > Ryan Mita > M/M Roger Isidro > M/M Adriano Daligcon > Rosita Dolormente > Myrna Balmilero > M/M Virgilio Cabico & family > Aileen Barranco > Jean lida > Segundo Facuri > 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 > Joseph & Mila Llantero > Corazon Orcino > Alex & Marichu Pe Benito > Carlito & Aurelia Centino > William & Mitronia Amoroso > Silver & Marivic Palting

❖ **SPECIAL INTENTION:** Marita Alfanso & Son \* Keisha Pascual \* Flores & Llamedo families \* Sr. Clemence Mira, SPC \* Schwengler family \* Andres & Merelyn Ibero & family \* Keisha Pascual to pass the exam \* For successful studies of Avalyne Andaya \* Gilbert Bacani \* Catherine Baron Fryer \* Michael & Sharon Blasi \* Ly-Ai Polintan \* Rob & Richard Saimon & family \* Schwengler family \* Robert & Imelda Fernandez \* Irmandade de Nossa Senhora do Monte \* Fe Go & OLM FCC \* 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 meaningful celebration of OLM 155<sup>th</sup> Anniversary \* For peaceful resolution of the war in Ukraine and Israel

❖ **DECEASED:** +Darlene Silva Theodore \* +Jabez Goloran \* +Marites Dasig \* +Francis C.L. Leong \* +Encarnacion Fontanilla \* +Loretta Tabin \* +Patricia Drummundo \* +Teresita "Tessie" Fontanilla \* +Eddie Zanellato \* +Cora Custado \* +Alfred Jandoc \* +Cristina C Gador \* +Amie Yanuaria \* +Fr. Jojo Junio \* +Nancy Coelho \* +Angel A Pascual \* +Silvestre Marquez \* +Jose Jandoc Sr (15th) \* +Prodencio Rhomy Mentac Jr \* +Constance "Connie" De Santos \* +Lucio Paulino \* +Ignacia & +Godfredo Diacamos \* +Avelino & +Marina Pescador \* +Daniel Monroy \* +Elvis Anacleto \* +Arthur Cabaluna \* +Sandra Medeiros \* +Hilda Kelsom \* +Dolores Batangan \* +Luisa Madarang \* +George Trocio \* +John Nino Trocio \* +Jeffrey E Myers \* +Teresita Parana-da Braceres \* +Fr Elias Escanilla \* +James Soong \* +Umaga Pamata Liua \* +Richard "Sonny" Peralta \* +Lorenzo Carmen \* +Meliton Mangrobang Jr \* +Elpidio P Valdez \* +Crisostomo Atendido \* +Fulgencio Trocio \* +Maria Goloran \* +Seigfred & +Rizza delos Reyes \* +Leony Orcino \* +Nicanor Bucaneg \* +Simplicio Canoneo \* +Lolita Retutal \* +Pedro Artates \* +Antonio Baron Sr \* +Rolly Aleste \* +Jose Hombrebueno \* +Rosita & Leopoldo Hombrebueno \* +Leonarda & Nicolas Palting \* +Rino Aquino Soria \* +Alfredo Dagumol \* +Mariano, Manuela & Dina Balmilero \* +Agapito & Apolonia Fontanilla \* +Honorio Gamiao \* +Bessie Soong \* +Ma. Teresa Cabaluna \* +Fr. Emerito Venida \* +Elpidio Antolin \* +Cresencia Acosta \* +Mari Alice Barranco \* +Tito Ulep \* +Marcela Ulep \* +Irineo Ulep \* +Pepito Ulep \* +Linda Goting \* +Alberta Cabaron Patoc \* +Rudy Balmilero \* +Religious, benefactors, donors & parishioners of OLM \* +Victims of the covid-19 pandemic, wars, crimes & natural disasters \* +Holy Souls in purgatory

**2025 LENT & HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE**

**March 5** **ASH WEDNESDAY** > Fasting & Abstinence  
 7:00am – Morning Mass with Sprinkling of Ashes  
 6:30pm – Evening Mass with Sprinkling of Ashes



**STATIONS OF THE CROSS** – Fridays 7:00pm

**LEAD GROUPS**

**March 7** Pastoral Council, Finance Council & Stewardship Committee

**March 14** Filipino Catholic Club & Santo Nino Visayan Group

**March 21** Catechists, Youth & Young Adults & Outreach

**March 28** Knights of Columbus

**April 4** Ilocano Choir & Ministry

**April 11** Liturgy Committee

**SOLICIT PARISHIONERS FOR EASTER BASKET GOODIES** - March 15 & 16; by April 5 & 6

**LENTEN PARISH RECOLLECTION** - March 25 – 6:00 PM – 7:30 PM

By *Anthony Selvanathan, Ministry consultant and Master of Ceremonies for the Diocese of Honolulu*

**PENANCE & RECONCILIATION SERVICE** – \_\_\_\_\_

**PRE-EASTER CHURCH CLEANING** - April 5 - 8:00 AM to 12:00 Noon; lunch to follow

**CHRISM MASS** – Tuesday, April 15 at 7:00 PM / Co-Cathedral of St. Theresa

\*Parish Representatives for Holy Oils: *Ray & Pamela Fontanilla*

**HOLY WEEK**

Cover all images and crosses with purple cloth

**April 12** **Vigil Mass PALM SUNDAY**

**6:00 PM Mass & Blessing of Palms at the Church entry**

**April 13** **PALM SUNDAY**

**6:30 AM Mass & Blessing of Palms at the Church entry**

**9:00 m Mass w/Blessing & Procession of Palms from Hall to Church**

**April 17** **HOLY THURSDAY**

**7:00 PM Mass of the Lord's Supper**

**+Washing of the Feet:** \_\_\_\_\_

**+Presentation of the Holy Oils:** *Ray & Pamela Fontanilla*

**\*RICE BOWL** Place basket on both sides of altar for Rice Bowl drop off

*(After distribution of Communion, the ciboria of consecrated hosts for Good Friday are processed to the Hall for Adoration)*

**8:00 PM-12:00 AM (Midnight) – SOLEMN EUCHARISTIC ADORATION / LEAD GROUPS**

**\*8:00 PM-9:00 PM** – All Priests, Office Staff, RE Catechists, Altar Servers, Music Ministry & Choir, Parishioners

**\*9:00 PM-10:00 PM** – Pastoral Council, Finance Council, Stewardship Committee, Parish Planning & Building Committee, Education Committee, Stewardship Counters, Parishioners

**\*10:00 PM-11:00 PM** – EMs of Holy Communion, Lectors, Hospitality Ministry, Liturgical Environment Committee, Outreach Ministry (Kokua), Parishioners

**\*11:00 PM-12:00 MN** – Knights of Columbus, Ilocano Ministry & Choir, Santo Nino Ministry & Visayan Community; Filipino Catholic Club, Respect Life Ministry, Parish Bulletin Staff, Parishioners

**April 18** **GOOD FRIDAY**

**12:00 PM Stations of the Cross (Ministry: Gloria Rodrigues, Coordinator)**

**7:00 PM Good Friday Services of the Passion of the Lord**

+Passion Narrative \* Veneration of the Cross \* Place an offering basket on both sides of the Cross to place the offertory envelopes for the Holy Father \* Holy Communion \* Divine Mercy Novena starts

**April 19** **HOLY SATURDAY**

**7:00 AM** Divine Mercy Novena begins

**6:00 PM** Easter Vigil Mass

+Blessing of Fire \* Lighting of Paschal Candle \* Exultet \* Solemn Scripture Readings \* Blessing of Baptismal Water \* Clothing of Baptismal Garment \* Presentation of a Lighted Candle \* The Blessing of Water \* Baptism & Confirmation of the Elect \* Renewal of Baptismal Promises \* First Communion \* Place filled bottles of water at the water font for blessing.

**April 20** **EASTER SUNDAY** – SOLEMN FEAST OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

**6:30 AM Mass \* 9:00 AM Mass** *(Easter goodies to be distributed to the children after the 9:00am Mass)*



## CLERGY, STAFF, MINISTRIES, COMMITTEES, &amp; ORGANIZATIONS

## CLERGY AND STAFF

Pastor - *Rev. Fr. Edgar B. Brillantes*

Pastor Emeritus - *Rev. Fr. Adrian R. Gervacio*

Office Coordinator - *To Be Assigned*

Website & myParish App Administrator - *Mary Ann Llamado*

Religious Education Program Coordinator - *Francisca Kovaloff*

Bookkeeper - *Deacon Rafael Mendoza*

Information Technology Personnel - *Fidel Flores*

**COMMITTEE \* MINISTRY \* ORGANIZATION \* CHAIRPERSONS**

Pastoral Council (*Meeting 4th Wednesday of the month, 6:00pm*) -  
(*Chair to be assigned*)

Stewardship Committee - *Marcelino Ulep*

Education Committee - *Fe Go*

Finance Council - *Kathy Ferreira*

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

\* Altar Server Ministry - *Alvin Baron*

\* Eucharistic Ministers of Holy Comm. Ministry - *Cleo Bala-Casino*

\* Environmental Decoration Ministry - *Cora Orcino*

\* Hospitality Ministry - *Mark Correia*

\* Lector Ministry & Receptionist - *Gloria Rodrigues*

Cemetery Maintenance - *Kalolo Tuihalafatai*

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

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

Knights of Columbus - *Herman Monico, Grand Knight*

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

Order of Christian Initiation of Adults - *Dorothy Pregil*

Outreach Coordinator & Family Fun Night - *Rebecca DeCorte*

\* Kokua & Food Pantry Ministry - *Rebecca DeCorte*

Parish Bulletin Editor - *Francisca Kovaloff*

Parish Planning and Building Committee - *Chair to be assigned*

Prison & Hospital Ministries - *Wilfred Soong*

Respect Life Ministry & Safe Environment Liaison — *Francisca Kovaloff*

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

Stewardship Counter & Receptionist - *Linda Puzon*

Youth Ministry / Young Adult Ministry - *To be assigned*

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

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

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

**Religious Education Classes:** After the 9:00am Mass

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

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

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

**Confirmation & First Holy Communion:** Candidates must be baptized.

**Anointing the Sick:** Please call the Office for a priest. For emergency at the hospitals, please call 808-597-8779.

\*Diocesan Hospital Ministry Chaplains for Oahu (Kaiser Permanente, Queen's and Kapiolani Medical Center)

*Fr. Mario Raquepto - (808-226-3053)*

*Fr. Royd Mweemba - (808-491-3226)*

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

**Contact the Rectory Office for the following:**

Telephone / Fax: 808-845-0828 \* Email: [olm@rcchawaii.org](mailto:olm@rcchawaii.org).

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

\* Baptism Team - *Mary Ann Goloran, Cathy Villanueva, Evangeline Trocio & Francisca Kovaloff*

>**Marriage:** Couples are required to make arrangements *four months before* the wedding date.

\* Diocesan policy requires couples to attend an Engagement Encounter Weekend.

>**Wake and Funeral Services:** Before making arrangements with the mortuary.

**FEAST DAYS**

- Mar 17** Memorial of St. Patrick  
**Mar 18** Memorial of St. Cyril of Jerusalem, Bishop and Doctor of the Church  
**Mar 19** Solemnity of St. Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary

**OTHER**

- Mar 16** \*Silver Rose Prayer Service, 10:15 AM; led by the Knights of Columbus  
 \*Ilocano Mass, 6:00 PM  
**Mar 17-21** Public school on Spring Break; there are no classes  
**Mar 21** Stations of the Cross, 7:00 PM led by the Catechists, Youth & Young Adult, and Outreach Ministry  
**Mar 25** Lenten Parish Recollection, 6:00 PM; All parishioners are invited. For liturgical ministers, this will serve as your annual spiritualization to fulfill the requirement for renewal of commissioning.

**FUNERAL SERVICES****+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

**+WILLIAM ANDRES GORGONIO, 79**

\*Wake Service – March 17, 2025, at 6:30 PM, in the Valley of the Temples Chapel  
 \*Funeral Mass – March 18, 2025, at 11:00 AM at OLM church  
 \*Interment – March 18 at 3:00 PM, in the Valley of the Temples Memorial Park

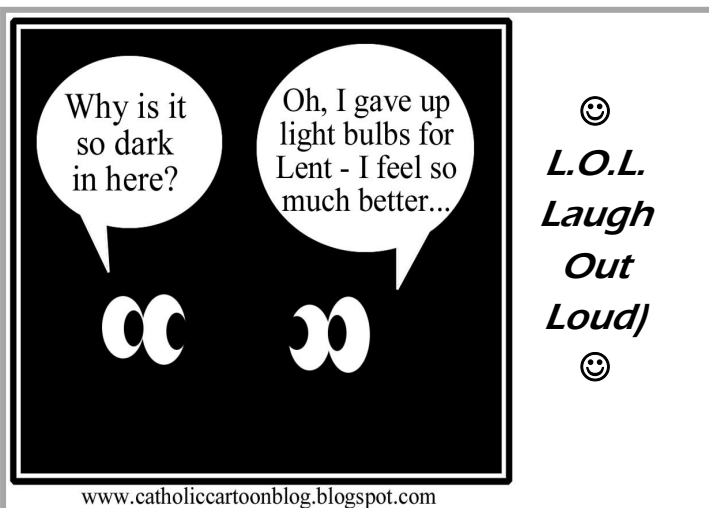
**+ELVIS ANACLETO, 66**

\*Funeral Service & Interment Rites – March 20, 2025 at 10:00 AM, in Mililani-Waipio Memorial Park

**+LINDA DACALANIO GUTING, 74**

\*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

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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.