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OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday
8:00 AM - 4:00 PM

MASS SCHEDULE

Daily

Monday - Saturday
7:00 AM

Weekend

Saturday (anticipatory)
5:00 PM

Sunday

7:00 AM & 9:00 AM

Ilocano Mass

See Weekly Schedule

RECONCILIATION

Saturday at 4:00 PM - 4:45 PM
or anytime by Appointment
(Call office for appointment)

Mission Established
1928

Parish Established
1939

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

Weekend of March 16 - 17, 2024



A STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION FOR THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

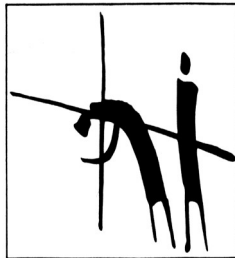
As we are nearing the end of our Lenten journey, our readings today remind us of the goodness that our God has to offer us.

In today's Gospel, Jesus announces that the "hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified." All that He came to do on this earth was soon to be fulfilled. When we reflect on what Jesus says in this passage, He tells us a great deal about how we should be living as disciples of Christ. He clearly states, "unless a grain of wheat falls to the ground and dies, it remains just a grain of wheat; but if it dies, it produces much fruit."

We are called to detach from our own desires and entrust our lives to all that God has in store for us. Without self-denial, we might miss occasions God has given us to produce good fruit. We have been practicing this throughout our Lenten season through fasting. One way to continue this effort after Lent is by taking advantage of the countless opportunities God presents to us to sacrifice our desires for something much greater — whether waking earlier to spend time in prayer, fasting from a favorite comfort on a weekly basis or taking the time to check in on a friend or family member instead of turning on the TV, just to name a few. It is important that we continue to make room for God and the good things He wants to produce in us all year long.

As our Lenten journey soon concludes, may we consider the ways in which we might continue the practice of self-denial by offering small, daily sacrifices to the Lord.

- *Stewardship Reflections by Catholic Stewardship Consultants*



LIVING STATIONS OF THE CROSS

March 22 (Friday) at 6:00 PM

Don't miss this powerful presentation!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS LENTEN FISH FRY-DAY Following the *Living Stations of the Cross* (approx. 7:00 PM), join the OLS Knights of Columbus for its Lenten Fish Fry Friday. Suggested Donation: \$10.00.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

- Mar 16 (Sat) Lenten Weekday**
 12:00 pm Pro-Life Rosary (CH Lanai)
 1:00 pm Baptism Class (PH)
 3:00 pm Marriage & Family Life Ministry (Lib)
- Mar 17 (Sun) Fifth Sunday of Lent**
 9:00 am Children's Mass
 10:30 am Religious Education Classes
 10:30 am Living Stations Dress Rehearsal (CH)
- Mar 18 (Mon) St. Cyril of Jerusalem**
 4:00 pm Bible Study (PH)
- Mar 19 (Tue) St. Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary**
 4:00 pm Legion of Mary (PH)
 7:00 pm Choir Practice (CH)
- Mar 20 (Wed) Lenten Weekday**
 3:30 pm Youth Ministry (PH)
 6:00 pm Youth RCIA Class (Chapel)
 7:00 pm TMIY (Lib)
- Mar 21 (Thu) Lenten Weekday**
 5:30 pm Keiki Bag Prep (PH)
 6:30 pm Cantor Practice (CH)
 6:30 pm RCIA Class (Lib)
 7:00 pm Stewardship Committee (PH)
- Mar 22 (Fri) Lenten Weekday**
Abstinence
 6:00 pm *Living Stations of the Cross (CH)*
 7:00 pm KoC Fish Fry (PH)
- Mar 23 (Sat) St. Turibius of Mogrovejo**
 9:00 am Food Pantry/Senior Box Distribution
 12:00 pm Pro-Life Rosary (CH Lanai)
 3:00 pm Marriage & Family Life Ministry (Lib)
 5:00 pm Mass w/procession from Church Lanai
- Mar 24 (Sun) Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord**
 7:00am Mass w/procession from Church Lanai
 9:30am Mass w/procession from Pieta
 10:30 am Religious Education Classes
 11:00 am Filipino Catholic Club (PH)

NOTE: The second mass on Palm Sunday will begin at 9:30 AM.

OLS = Our Lady of Sorrows / CH = Church / PH = Parish Hall
 Lib = Library / Conf = Conference Room / Class = Upstairs Classroom
 MMP = Mililani Mortuary

OBITUARIES: MAY THEY REST IN PEACE



+Dominga Rubio

Apr 3 6:30 pm Wake; MMP-Makai
 Apr 4 11:30 am Funeral Mass; OLS
 1:30 pm Burial; MMP

+Rosita Sacalamitao

Apr 12 10:00 am Funeral Svc.; MMP-Mauka
 12:30 pm Burial; MMP



TODAY'S READINGS

[Liturgical Color: Violet]

Jeremiah 31:31-34

Psalms 51:3-4, 12-15

Hebrews 5:7-9

John 12:20-33

The grain of wheat must die to produce fruit (3).
 Such dying must be cultivated by obedience (2)
 and by our covenant with God,
 rooted in love and forgiveness (1, Ps).

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS [Liturgical Color: Red]
 Is 50:4-7 • Phil 2:6-1 • Mk 14:1-15:47

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Week of February 26 - March 3, 2024

OFFERINGS

Sunday Offering	\$5,213.00
Samoan Mass	\$446.00
Stations of the Cross	\$58.00
'Ohana in Christ FY 2023-2024	\$20.00
CRS Rice Bowl	\$10.00
Second Collection: Catholic Relief Svcs.	\$20.00
Forward in Faith	\$1,435.00
MISCELLANEOUS OFFERINGS	
Food Pantry	\$100.00
Youth Ministry	\$492.00
Other Miscellaneous Offerings	\$395.66

Mahalo for your generosity!

Call the Parish Office at 621-5109 ext. 9720 if you are in need of a new offering envelope box.



EMBODYING THE LOVE OF CHRIST BY CARING FOR ONE ANOTHER

Reflect on your Lenten journey thus far: What have you learned from our global family members in Uganda, El

Salvador and Indonesia? How does the Eucharist unite us with our sisters and brothers around the world? Consider how Christ is present in Adolf and Florence, Sandra and Santos, and Evita. Visit crsricebowl.org to read this week's Story of Hope.

RICE BOWL DONATIONS WILL BE COLLECTED ON HOLY THURSDAY (MARCH 28). For convenience, CHECKS are preferred in lieu of cash. Thank you.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CORNER

Alan Kim, RE Coordinator (808) 621-5109 ext. 9723

DATE(S) TO REMEMBER:

MARCH 30 *EASTER SUNDAY—NO CLASSES*
APRIL 7 *DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY—CLASSES RESUME*

Come and Join Us!

"WHERE IS THE EUCHARIST IN THE BIBLE?"

Monday, March 18 / 4:00 pm in the Parish Hall

A Bible Study in a small group faith sharing experience. A study of the Mass in the Bible, looking for the Eucharist in the pages of the Old and New Testament. Video presentation by Dr. Brant Petrie, Professor of Sacred Scripture at Notre Dame Seminary.

CENTRAL VICARIATE LENTEN PENANCE SERVICES

- Our Lady of Good Counsel, March 20 (Wednesday) at 7:00 PM
- St. Elizabeth, March 21 (Thursday) at 6:30 PM

HELP IS NEEDED! PLEASE COME LEND A HAND!

Prepare Palm Crosses and Olive Branches:

- Clean Palms: March 20 (Wednesday) / 5:00 PM / Lanai behind Office
- Palm Cross Making: March 21 (Thursday) / 8:30 AM / Lanai behind Office
- Olive Branches: Cut & Prepare: March 22 (Friday) / 8:30 AM / Lanai behind Office

Church Decorating for the Easter Season: March 30 (Saturday) / 8:30 AM

Call the Parish Office for more information!



HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

PALM SUNDAY

- March 23 5:00 PM w/Procession from Lanai
- March 24 7:00 AM w/Procession from Lanai
9:30 AM w/Procession from Pieta

HOLY THURSDAY: March 28

- Mass of the Lord's Supper at 7:00 PM
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 12:00 Midnight

GOOD FRIDAY: March 29

- Stations of the Cross at 9:00 AM
- Veneration of the Cross at 3:00 PM
Adoration until 6:00 PM

EASTER VIGIL: March 30

- Mass at 8:00 PM

EASTER SUNDAY: March 31

- Masses at 7:00 AM & 9:30 AM

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MISSION STATEMENT

Our Lady of Sorrows Church is a Catholic, faith-filled community united and founded on the teachings and love of Jesus Christ to serve the needs to all parishioners and through its ministries, to foster and nurture their growth in faith.

Our Lady of Sorrows Church believes in stewardship as a way of Christian living. As stewards, it is our responsibility to give back to God the best that He has given us, by giving of our time, talent and treasure.

As a unified and welcoming parish of the Universal Church, we reach out to all of God's people through education, through social action, through worship and through proclaiming and living the Gospel of Jesus Christ.



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