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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  
or anytime by Appointment  
(Call office for appointment)

*Mission Established*  
1928

*Parish Established*  
1939

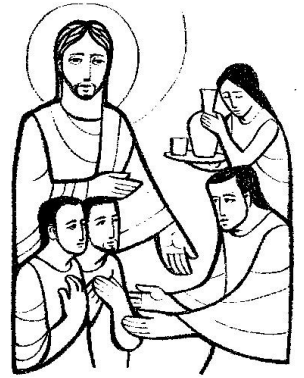
# THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Weekend of July 1 - 2, 2023

## A STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION FOR THE THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Today's readings take us back to some basics of stewardship living and demonstrate the genius of this way of life.

Our First Reading, from 2 Kings, shows us the necessity and power of hospitality. It recounts the story of a woman who showed loving hospitality to a visitor, inviting him to dinner with her family and arranging a room for him in their home so that he would have a comfortable place to stay during his travels through her town. She reached out to the man in a simple and practical manner to make him feel welcome and was rewarded in an extraordinary way.



In our Second Reading, from the Letter to the Romans, St. Paul reminds us of the power of our Baptism and how this sacrament makes us disciples. What does that mean for us here and now? St. Paul tells us very clearly: "You must think of yourselves as dead to sin and living for God in Christ Jesus." We must live for Christ! Nothing less will do.

Our Lord proclaims this same instruction in a rather shocking way in our Gospel passage from Matthew: "Whoever finds his life [by living for oneself] will lose it, and whoever loses his life for my sake will find it." But how do we lose our life? Precisely through loving actions towards others, loving them as if they were Christ. "Whoever gives only a cup of cold water to one of these little ones to drink because the little one is a disciple... he will surely not lose his reward."

The simple brilliance of stewardship living — only our infinitely creative and compassionate God could conceive it!

- *Stewardship Reflections by Catholic Stewardship Consultants*

*Aloha, Fr. Octavius and  
Welcome to Our Lady of Sorrows!*

All are invited to a "Meet & Greet  
Coffee Hour" with Fr. Octavius!

**Sunday, July 9, after the 9:00 AM Mass  
in the Parish Hall.**

# WEEKLY CALENDAR

- Jul 1 (Sat) St. Junipero Serro**  
12:00 pm Our Lady of Fatima Rosary (CH Lanai)
- Jul 2 (Sun) Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
2:00 pm Samoan Mass
- Jul 3 (Mon) St. Thomas, Apostle**  
7:00 pm EPIC Ministry (PH)
- Jul 4 (Tue) Weekday**  
Independence Day Holiday / Office Closed  
4:00 pm Legion of Mary (PH)  
7:00 pm Choir Practice (CH)
- Jul 5 (Wed) St. Anthony Zaccaria**  
6:30 pm Youth Ministry (PH)
- Jul 6 (Thu) St. Maria Goretti**  
7:00 pm RCIA Classes (Lib)
- Jul 7 (Fri) Weekday**  
First Friday  
7:00 am Mass / Eucharistic Adoration  
8:30 am Benediction
- Jul 8 (Sat) Weekday / BVM**  
8:30 am Divine Mercy Cenacle (PH)
- Jul 9 (Sun) Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
10:15 am Meet & Greet Coffee Hour w/Fr. (PH)  
12:00 pm Altar Society Meeting (PH)

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



## TODAY'S READINGS

[Liturgical Color: Green]

**2 Kings 4:8-11, 14-16a**

**Psalm 89: 2-3, 16-19**

**Romans 6:3-4, 8-11**

**Matthew 10:37-42**

If we have died with Christ, we believe we shall also live with him (2). He invites us to take up our cross and follow him, and to respond to those who are in need (3), as did the woman who extended hospitality to Elisha the prophet (1). Blessed is she who walked in the countenance of the Lord (Ps).

**NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS** [Liturgical Color: Green]  
Zec 9:9-10 • Rom 8:9, 11-13 • Mt 11:25-30

## STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Week of Jun 12 - 18, 2023

### OFFERINGS

Sunday Offering	\$2,523.00
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FiF Pledge Payments	\$375.00
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Second Collection: Catholic Communications	\$10.00
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### MISCELLANEOUS OFFERINGS

Food Pantry	\$359.95
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Other Miscellaneous Offerings	\$685.85
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### Mahalo for your generosity!

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

### *This Weekend's 2nd Collection (7/1-2)* **HOLY FATHER (PETER'S PENCE)**

This weekend is the Holy Father's Peter's Pence collection. This a worldwide collection that supports the charitable works of Pope Francis. Funds from this collection help victims of war, oppression, and natural disasters. Please take this opportunity to join with Pope Francis and be a witness of charity to our suffering brothers and sisters.

"The faithful's offerings to the Holy Father through the Peter's Pence Collection are destined to Church needs, to humanitarian initiatives and social promotion projects, as well as to the support of the Holy See."

~ USCCB

**Checks should be made payable to OUR LADY OF SORROWS. Thank you for your generosity.**



## OBITUARIES: MAY THEY REST IN PEACE

### +Potenciano Bautista

Jul 5 6:30 pm Wake; MMP-Mauka  
Jul 6 11:00 am Funeral Mass; OLS  
12:30 pm Burial; MMP

### +Teresa Carranza

Jul 10 6:30 pm Wake; MMP-Makai  
Jul 11 10:00 am Prayer Svc; MMP-Makai  
11:00 am Burial; MMP

### +Susana Ross

Jul 17 6:30 pm Wake; MMP-Mauka  
Jul 18 11:00 am Funeral Mass; OLS  
12:30 pm Burial; MMP

### +Jaime Caban

Jul 21 10:30 am Funeral Mass; OLS

### +Domingo Tagudin, Jr.

Jul 25 11:00 am Funeral Mass; OLS

**The office will be closed on Tuesday, July 4, in observance of Independence Day.**

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CORNER

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

Religious Education classes have ended for the school year but the Children's Mass will continue on the 3rd Sunday of each month during July and August. Have a great summer!

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ANNUAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND



ALL 2023 HIGH SCHOOL GRADUTES! Scholarship applications are currently being accepted. See a Knight of Columbus or the parish website for an application or pick one up at the Parish Office (M - F, 9AM - 3PM).

**APPLICATIONS DUE:  
JULY 14 (FRIDAY) • 4:00 PM • PARISH OFFICE**



NATIONAL  
**Eucharistic  
Revival**

*Eucharistic Revival &  
Evangelization*

**"I Thirst" Hawaii**

**July 14 (FRI) • 6-9 PM  
St. Elizabeth Church, Aiea**

**July 15 (SAT) • 7AM-3PM  
St. Ann Church, Kaneohe**

"Jesus Thirsts for America", a 3-year National Evangelization tour that began in November 2022 is coming to Oahu on July 14-15, 2023. Its purpose is to share the Gospel of Jesus Christ in such a compelling way that participants will be encouraged and strengthened to become more excited in expressing their faith. The "I Thirst" events include dynamic teachings, personal testimonies, inspiring music, healing, prayer, mass, and reconciliation. Bishop Larry Silva will celebrate Mass and Dominic Olaso (Diocesan Evangelization Task Force) will emcee and lead the Praise & Worship.

To register, go to: <https://www.spiritfilledevents.com/i-thirst-hawaii>

## RELIC OF ST. JUNIPERO SERRA TO BLESS DIOCESAN JULY VOCATION HOLY HOUR—JULY 5 AT CO-CATHEDRAL OF ST. THERESA

The diocese's monthly Holy Hour for Vocations on July 5 will be a very special one with the presence of a relic of America's newest saint - Junipero Serra. The event will recognize the saint's July 1 feast day and the work of Serra International, an organization named after the Franciscan saint that has worked for decades to promote vocations to the priesthood and religious life. Attendees will receive a holy card to touch the relic to create a personal third-class relic.

### **SCHEDULE OF HOLY HOUR ACTIVITIES:**

- 5 PM: Veneration of the first-class relic of St. Junipero Serra with Fourth Degree Sir Knights
- 6 PM: Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help.
- 6:15 PM: Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
- 7:15 PM: Talk on St. Junipero Serra
- 7:30 PM: Bishop Silva will share stories of this remarkable Saint
- 7:45 PM: Final veneration of the Relic of Saint Serra

For more information, contact Chuck Furr: [chuckfurr@cs.com](mailto:chuckfurr@cs.com) OR 808-358-1809.

## PARISH STAFF

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**Max Velasco**  
*Chairperson, Parish Building  
and Maintenance Committee*

## 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.**



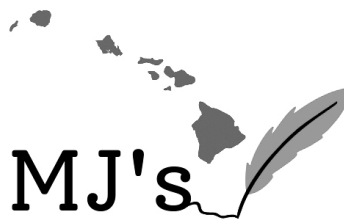
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