

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Weekend of September 9 - 10, 2023

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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

JOIN IN THE CELEBRATION!!! FEAST OF OUR LADY OF SORROWS!!!

SEPTEMBER 7 - 14: 9-DAY ROSARY NOVENA (in the Church)

9/9 (Sat)
4:00 PM (before 5:00 PM Mass)
9/10 (Sun)
8:00 AM (before 9:00 AM Mass)

◆ 9/11 (Mon) 6:00 PM
◆ 9/12 (Tue) 6:00 PM
◆ 9/13 (Wed) 6:00 PM
◆ 9/14 (Thu) 6:00 PM

SEPTEMBER 15 (FRIDAY):

Note: There will be NO Morning Mass on 9/15.

◆ 5:00 PM Feast Day Mass followed by Candlelight Procession to Pieta

◆ 6:00 PM Rosary Novena at Pieta

SEPTEMBER 16 (SATURDAY):

◆ 10:00 AM Work Day: Set up tents, tables, and decorations

SEPTEMBER 17 (SUNDAY):

◆ 10:30 AM Potluck Lunch Fellowship

Stop by the table on the lanai after Mass to sign up and for more information!

- Sign up for the Potluck Lunch Fellowship!
- Sign up for entertainment! Share your talent!
- Sign up to help with set up, clean up, and breakdown!
- Sign up to help with decor, on-site man power & much more!



WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sep 9 (Sat) St. Peter Claver

> 8:30 am Divine Mercy Cenacle (PH) OLS Rosary Novena (CH) 4:15 pm

Sep 10 (Sun) Twenty-Third Sunday in Time

8:15 am OLS Rosary Novena (CH)

Sep 11 (Mon) Weekday

6:00 pm OLS Rosary Novena (CH) Ministry Leaders Meeting (Lib) 6:45 pm

Sep 12 (Tue) **Most Holy Name of Mary**

> 4:00 pm Legion of Mary (PH) 6:00 pm OLS Rosary Novena (CH) 7:00 pm Choir Practice (CH)

Sep 13 (Wed) St. John Chrysostom

10:00 am Vicariate Meeting (ROL) OLS Rosary Novena (CH) 6:00 pm Youth Ministry (PH) 6:30 pm

6:45 pm TMIY (Lib)

Sep 14 (Thu) Exaltation of the Holy Cross

5:00 pm Cantor Practice (CH) 6:00 pm OLS Rosary Novena (CH) RCIA Class (Conf) 6:30 pm Knights of Columbus (Lib) 7:00 pm

OUR LADY OF SORROWS Sep 15 (Fri) **NOTE: NO MORNING DAILY MASS TODAY**

> OLS Feast Day Mass followed by 5:00 pm Candlelight Procession to Pieta OLS Rosary Novena (Pieta) 6:00 pm

Sep 16 (Sat) Sts. Cornelius and Cyprian

> 10:00 am Feast Day Lunch Set Up/Decorate 12:00 pm Pro Life Rosary (CH Lanai)

Sep 17 (Sun) Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Catechetical Sunday

10:30am OLS Feast Day Luncheon

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

PRO-LIFE ROSARY

SEPTEMBER 16 (Saturday) 12:00 PM Church Front Lanai



OBITUARIES: MAY THEY REST IN PEACE

+Simplicia Saem

Sep 12 11:00 am Funeral Svc; MMP-Mauka

12:30 pm Burial; MMP

+Juana Uclusin

Sep 13 6:30 pm Wake: MMP-Makai Sep 14 11:00 am Funeral Mass; OLS Burial; MMP 12:30 pm



TODAY'S READINGS

[Liturgical Color: Green]

Ezekiel 33:7-9

Psalm 95:1-2, 6-9

Romans 13:8-10

Matthew 18:15-20

May our hearts not be hardened (Ps), but may we turn from our sin (1). In our love for one another (2), we may be called to confront our sister and brother for the wrong they may be doing (3).

OUR LADY OF SORROWS (September 15)

[Liturgical Color: White]

1 Tm 1:-12, 12-14 • Jn 19:25-27

Paul speaks of the vocation he received by God's grace (1), a path to eternal life (Ps). Pierced with a sword of sorrow (2b), Mary stood by the cross of her Son (2a) who "learned obedience from what he suffered" (Heb).

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS [Liturgical Color: Green] Sir 27:30-28:7 • Rob 14:7-9 • Mt 18:21-35

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Week of August 21 - 27, 2023	
OFFERINGS	
Sunday Offering	\$2,805.00
FiF Pledge Payments	\$270.00
2nd Collection: 'Ohana in Christ (FY 23)	\$1,176.00
2nd Collection: Maui Wildfires Relief	\$150.00
MISCELLANEOUS OFFERINGS	
FiF Lanai Sale	\$2,650.00
Food Pantry	\$100.00
Youth Ministry T-Shirt sales	\$460.00
Other Miscellaneous Offerings	\$394.57
School Supplies Drive	\$230.00

Mahalo for your generosity!

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

+Edwin Gombio

Sep 22 10:30 am Funeral Svc; MMP-Mauka

+Beatrice Calizo

Sep 28 11:00 am Funeral Svc: MMP-Makai

+Nellie Navarro

Sep 29 11:00 am Funeral Svc: MMP-Makai

12:30 pm Burial; MMP

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CORNER

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

Registration for Religious Education Classes is open. Registration forms can be found on the Usher's Table at the back of the Church or at the Parish Office.

DATES TO REMEMBER: September 17 Catechetical Sunday / Children's Mass

September 24 First Day of RE Classes

Youth Ministry ALL YOUTH IN MIDDLE SCHOOL AND HIGH SCHOOL ARE INVITED TO JOIN US! Every Wednesday night at 6:30 PM in the Parish Hall. Learn more and register through our parish website.

The 2023 TMIY Fall Session begins **SEPTEMBER 13**!

We welcome ALL MEN to join this faith formation.

Participation can be virtual or in person. In-person begins with snacks and fellowship at **6:45pm**. Virtual attendees join at **7pm**. Small group discussion at **7:30pm**. Conclude at **8pm**. Interested? Questions? Contact Mark Yen at



yenm001@hawaii.rr.com, or Keith Tamashiro at keithytamashiro@gmail.com.

A STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION FOR THE TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Today's readings are all about relationships. Among the many lessons we have learned from the global pandemic is the deep importance of the relationships and communities in our lives. Our families, neighbors, friends and parish family need us, and we need them to be our best selves.

St. Paul gives us simple instruction in our second reading from Romans to guide us in our dealings with others, reminding us what Christ Himself taught: "You shall love your neighbor as yourself." Love is the overarching principal that guides us to be good stewards of our relationships.

In our Gospel passage from Matthew, Jesus further refines this instruction on good stewardship of our relationships, even when they involve conflict. He says, "If your brother sins against you, go and tell him his fault between you and him alone. If he listens to you, you have won over your brother."

Jesus teaches us to confront the offending person directly and discretely — with the goal of restoring the relationship if possible. This is how we steward our relationships even through rocky waters. Jesus also speaks to us of the power and beauty of community life. "If two of you agree on earth about anything for which they are to pray, it shall be granted by my heavenly Father. For where two or three are gathered together in my name, there am I in the midst of them."

Christian stewards, God has designed us in such a way that we must help each other on the journey towards heaven. Let us take care to steward our relationships well.

- Stewardship Reflections by Catholic Stewardship Consultants

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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.

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