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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

OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

Weekend of November 25 - 26, 2023

A STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION FOR OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

Today we come to the end of the liturgical year, celebrating the magnificent feast of the Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe. Our readings provide contrasting images of this King of ours — He has authority over all, and yet, He is humble and tender in His care for us, especially the most vulnerable.



How can we properly honor and love such a King? By offering Him our very lives through the stewardship way of life.

The Gospel passage from Matthew shows us how. The passage begins with Christ's own description of His Second Coming, "When the Son of Man comes in his glory and all the angels with him, he will sit upon his glorious throne, and all the nations will be assembled before him." Then the moment of judgment will come. Some will be invited into the Kingdom of Heaven — the others to eternal punishment.

This judgment will be based not on how influential we became in society, how high we climbed the corporate ladder, or any "worldly" achievements. Rather our judgment will be based on how we treated the least of those around us, whom Jesus calls His brothers. "Amen, I say to you, whatever you did for one of the least brothers of mine, you did for me." To make His point very clear, Jesus gives specifics — feeding the hungry, giving drink to the thirsty, showing hospitality to the stranger, and caring for the ill and imprisoned.

The more deeply we embrace the stewardship way of life, the more closely our priorities will align with His.

- Stewardship Reflections by Catholic Stewardship Consultants



Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament following the 9:00 AM Mass.

WE ASK ALL TO PLEASE OBSERVE SILENCE AFTER THE 9:00 AM MASS.

Rosary 10:30 AM / Divine Mercy Chaplet 11:00 AM Benediction 11:30 AM

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Nov 25 (Sat) St. Catherine of Alexandria

9:00 am Food Pantry/Senior Box Disribution

Nov 26 (Sun) Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

(Christ the King)

9:00 am Mass with Exposition of the Blessed

Sacrament

10:30 am Religious Education Classes

11:30 am Benedicton

Nov 27 (Mon) Weekday

Nov 28 (Tue) Weekday

4:00 pm Legion of Mary (PH) 7:00 pm Choir Practice (CH)

Nov 29 (Wed) Weekday

6:00 pm Youth RCIA (Lib) 6:30 pm Youth Ministry (PH)

6:45 pm TMIY (Lib)

Nov 30 (Thu) St. Andrew, Apostle

6:00 pm Cantor Practice (CH) 7:00 pm RCIA Classes (Lib)

Dec 1 (Fri) Weekday

6:00 pm Samoan Choir Practice (CH)

Dec 2 (Sat) Weekday

12:00 pm Our Lady of Fatima Rosary (CH Lanai)

Dec 3 (Sun) First Sunday of Advent

10:30 am Religious Education Classes

2:00 pm Samoan Mass

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

The OLS Stewardship Report for Fiscal Year 2022 - 2023 is now available. Copies are available at the Usher's Table. Parish Office, or Website.



TODAY'S READINGS

[Liturgical Color: White]

Ezekiel 34:11-12, 15-17

Psalm 23:1-3, 5-6

1 Corinthians 15:20-26, 28

Matthew 25:31-46

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The Lord is our shepherd (Ps). At the end, at this coming, he will hand over the kingdom to his Father (2). He will "judge between one sheep and another, between rams and goats" (2),

between those who have lived lives for others, and those who have lived for themselves (3).

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS [Liturgical Color: Violet] Is 63:16b-17, 19b; 64:2-7 • 1 Cor 1:3-9 • Mk 13:33-37

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE Week of November 6 - 12, 2023 **OFFERINGS Sunday Offering** \$3,206.00 \$95.00 All Souls' Day FiF Pledge Payments \$215.00 Second Collection: 'Ohana in Christ FY 2022-2023 \$115.00 'Ohana in Christ FY 2023-2024 \$350.00 MISCELLANEOUS OFFERINGS Repairs & Maintenance \$20.00 Food Pantry \$300.00

Mahalo for your generosity!

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

OUR LADY OF FATIMA PUBLIC ROSARY • DECEMBER 2 (SAT) 12:00 PM at CHURCH LANAI



WAHIAWA CHRISTMAS PARADE ON DECEMBER 1

Let us come and join together as the OLS community to participate in this year's Wahiawa Christmas Parade with a candlelight march on *FRIDAY*, *DECEMBER 1*. Let us remind Wahiawa to join in the true Spirit of Christmas! Stop by the information table on the lanai for details.

Donations of **SMALL** candy canes are NEEDED for distribution during the Wahiawa Christmas Parade. Donations can be brought to Office during regular business hours. Thank you so much!



CALLING ALL MIDDLE SCHOOL AND HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH!

Other Miscellaneous Offerings

Meeting Nights: Wednesday / 6:30 PM / Parish Hall

Learn more and register through our parish website.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CORNER

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

DATES TO REMEMBER:

November 26: Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

(Christ the King)

December 1: Wahiawa Christmas Parade December 3: First Sunday of Advent



The Advent Season is upon us. These are upcoming events you may need to plan for.

♥ December 8

Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary *Holy Day of Obligation*Masses at 7:00 AM and 7:00 PM

♥ December 16 to December 24

Misa de Gallo; 5:00 AM. There will be NO 7:00 AM Daily Mass



December 12 -7:00 PM

♥ December 12 Advent Communal Penance Service at 7:00 PM.

Central Vicariate Advent Communal Penance Services

Resurrection of the Lord (Waipio)

St. Michael (Waialua)

December 5 - 7:00 PM
December 6 - 6:30 PM

OUR LADY OF SORROWS

St. John Apostle & Evangelist (Mililani)

St. Elizabeth (Aiea)

Our Lady of Good Counsel (Pearl City)

December 13 -7:00 PM

December 14 - 7:00 PM

December 22 - 6:00 PM

All are encouraged to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation as part of their spiritual preparation for Christmas.

Please keep Fr. Moo and all the priests of the Diocese of Honolulu in your prayers while they are at the Annual Priests' Convocation during the week of November 27 to December 1.

While Fr. Moo is away, please welcome Fr. Christopher Bologo who is visiting OLS from California!

PARISH STAFF

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Committee

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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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