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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

# PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

Weekend of April 1 - 2, 2023



# A STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION FOR PALM SUNDAY

We begin this Holy Week with the reading of the Lord's Passion from the Gospel of Matthew. It is fitting that during this week we intensely focus our minds and hearts on the steps of our Savior as He laid down His very life for us. But let us also examine the seemingly small acts of stewardship by some who encountered Jesus during this most eventful week.

One occurred when Jesus gave instructions about the room where He would celebrate the Passover. Jesus said, "Go into the city to a certain man and tell him..." 'In your house I shall celebrate the Passover with my disciples." While we do not know this man's name, we do know he agreed to this request — he shared the material gift of his home and the gift of hospitality. Because of his good stewardship, his own home became the site of the institution of the Eucharist!

There was also Simon the Cyrenian, who offered the gift of his physical strength, helping the Lord to carry His Cross. Consider, too, the actions of Joseph of Arimathea — he generously shared a material gift of the tomb that was his, and he gave the gift of service to our Lord by giving Him a proper burial. Then there were the "two Marys" who gave Jesus the gift of their time. Keeping watch in tender vigil after His death, they "remained sitting there, facing the tomb."

Each of these were simple acts of good stewardship, yet God used them in mighty ways. God invites each of us, too, to cooperate with Him in small ways through the sharing of our time, talent, and material gifts. Small gifts can become mighty deeds when placed in God's service.

- Stewardship Reflections by Catholic Stewardship Consultants

As we look with anticipation to celebrating the Resurrection of Our Lord Jesus Christ, we ask our parishioners to please observe SILENCE before and the Holy Thursday Mass and Good Friday service. Thank you.

## WEEKLY CALENDAR

Apr 1 (Sat) **Lenten Weekday** 

9:30 am COVID Vaccination Clinic (PH)

12:30 pm Our Lady of Fatima Rosary (CH Lanai) Mass w/procession from Church Lanai 5:00 pm

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord Apr 2 (Sun)

> 7:00 am Mass w/ procession from Church Lanai Mass w/ procession from Pieta Grotto 9:00 am

**NO** Religious Education Classes 2:00 pm Samoan Mass

Monday of Holy Week Apr 3 (Mon)

7:00 pm EPIC Ministry (PH)

Apr 4 (Tue) **Tuesday of Holy Week** 

4:00 pm Legion of Mary (PH)

Chrism Mass (St. Theresa Co-Cathedral) 7:00 pm

Wednesday of Holy Week Apr 5 (Wed)

> Youth Ministry 6:30 pm 6:45 pm TMIY (Lib)

7:00 pm Easter Choir practice (CH)

### THE SACRED PASCHAL TRIDUUM (April 6 - 9)

Holy Thursday of the Lord's Supper Apr 6 (Thu)

**Rice Bowl Collection** 

7:00 am Morning Prayer

7:00 pm Mass followed by Adoration of the

Blessed Sacrament until 11:00 pm

Friday of the Passion of the Lord (Good Friday) Apr 7 (Fri)

**Pontifical Good Friday Collection** 

Holiday / Office Closed

Abstinence

7:00 am Stations of the Cross

10:00 am Stations of the Cross (Samoan) Good Friday Service followed by 3:00 pm

Veneration of the Cross until 6:00 pm

Living Stations of the Cross 6:30 pm

**Holy Saturday** Apr 8 (Sat)

> 7:00 am Morning Prayer Church decorating 8:30 am

8:00 pm Easter Vigil Mass (gather at Rectory)

Apr 9 (Sun) Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

> 7:00 am Mass 9:00 am Mass

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

You are invited to bring your own container for holy water on Easter Sunday. Please LIMIT CONTAINER to NO MORE THAN 4 OZ. and ONLY ONE (1) container PER family.



"MYSTERIES OF THE ROSARY" will be taking a short break for Holy Week. Sessions will resume on April 16.



### TODAY'S READINGS

[Liturgical Color: Red]

Matthew 21:1-11 [Procession]

Isaiah 50:4-7

Psalm 22:8-9, 17-20, 23-24

Philippians 2:6-11

Matthew 26:14-27:66

Jesus, humbling himself out of love for us (2), did not shield his face from buffets and spitting (1),

but offered his life on the cross (3).

He relied on his Father's love (Ps).

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS [Liturgical Color: White] Acts 10:34a, 37-43 • Col 3:1-4 • Jn 20:1-9

# STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Week of March 13 - 19, 2023	
OFFERINGS	
Sunday Offering	\$2,942.10
Stations of the Cross	\$52.90
FiF Pledge Payments	\$185.00
Second Collection: Catholic Relief	\$575.25
Holy Thursday Rice Bowl	\$25.50
MISCELLANEOUS OFFERINGS	
Food Pantry	\$155.00
Repairs & Maintenance	\$20.00
Other Miscellaneous Offerings	\$379.00

# Mahalo for your generosity!

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

# **OBITUARIES:** MAY THEY REST IN PEACE

+Stuart Fermahin

Mar 29 6:30 pm Funeral Svc; MMP-Makai Apr 5 11:30 am Burial; MMP

+Celestina Antonio

Apr 12 11:30 am Funeral Svc; MMP-Mauka Burial; MMP 12:30 pm

+Faustino Nacapuy

Apr 15 11:00 am Funeral Mass; OLS 12:30 pm Burial: MMP

+Beatriz Pagaling

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

+Ricardo Dace

Apr 20 6:00 pm Wake; MMP-Mauka Apr 21 10:30 am Funeral Mass: OLS 12:30 pm Burial: MMP

#### **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CORNER**

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

NO CLASSES ON APRIL 2 (PALM SUNDAY) AND APRIL 9 (EASTER SUNDAY)

# HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE



HOLY THURSDAY: April 6

- Morning Prayer at 7:00 AM

- Mass at 7:00 PM

GOOD FRIDAY: April 7

- Stations of the Cross at 7:00 AM

10:00 AM (Samoan)

- Service of the Lord's Passion at 3:00 PM with Veneration of the Cross

- Living Stations of the Cross at 6:30 PM

HOLY SATURDAY: April 8 - Morning Prayer at 7:00 AM

EASTER VIGIL: April 8

- Morning Prayer at 7:00 AM

- Mass at 8:00 PM

EASTER SUNDAY: April 9

- 7:00 & 9:00 AM



8:30-9:00 PM: 9:00-9:30 PM:

OO PM: RE Classes/Youth Ministry/Altar Servers
Altar Society/Development/Finance

9:30-10:00 PM:

Lectors/Eucharistic Ministers

10:00-10:30 PM: 10:30-11:00 PM:

TMIY/Knights of Columbus/Building Parish Pastoral Council/Stewardship

**RICE BOWIS** 

**DONATIONS WILL** 

**BE COLLECTED** 

ON HOLY THURSDAY

11:00 PM:

Benediction / Reposition



PLEASE JOIN

**OUR PARISH** 

MINISTRIES FOR

ADORATION ON

HOLY THURSDAY

# MODERN DAY SIMON OF CYRENE

Palm Sunday marks the beginning of Holy Week. As we walk with Jesus this week, we remember the countless women, children and men who carry heavy crosses even

today: crosses of hunger, of vulnerability to climate change, or of a lack of resources. How—like Simon of Cyrene—can you

**PONTIFICAL GOOD FRIDAY COLLECTION** The collection on Good Friday will go towards the support of Holy Places in the Holy Land, along with funding pastoral, charitable, educational and social works which the Church supports, for the welfare of Christian brethren of those local communities. Thank you for your generosity.

#### PARISH STAFF

Fr. Falaniko Atonio Parish Priest ext. 9721

Celestino Emwalu Wallace Mitsui (retired) Deacons

> Rani Laurel Office Manager ext. 9720

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Kainoa Fukumoto
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Sonny Hernandez Maintenance/Custodian

# COUNCILS & COMMITTEES

Chrys Taboada Chairperson, Pastoral Council

**Jack Kampfer**Chairperson, Finance Council

Keith Tamashiro Chairperson, Stewardship Committee

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.