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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

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Weekend of April 29 - 30, 2023



A STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION FOR THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Today's readings on this fourth Sunday of Easter offer us a glimpse into the heart of our loving Savior. He is the Good Shepherd and we can confidently place our trust in Him as we live the stewardship way of life.

This endearing image of Jesus as our shepherd, and His personal love for each one of us, is described in our Gospel passage from John, through the words of Jesus Himself. Here we read Jesus' description of Himself as the "Good Shepherd." He says of Himself, "The sheep hear his voice, as the shepherd calls his own sheep by name and leads them out. When he has driven out all his own, he walks ahead of them and the sheep follow him, because they recognize his voice."

This aspect of our Lord's tender and personal love for each one of us is a compelling reason to embrace the stewardship way of life — in the offering of our time, talent, and treasure to Him, we can express our gratitude to Him for the incomprehensible love He has for us.

Embracing this way of life certainly requires trust on our part. But Christ has proven Himself worthy of our trust. He "bore our sins in His body." He calls Himself our shepherd and He offers Himself as the guardian of our souls. He has withheld nothing of Himself and His goodness from us. He would never ask anything of us that would bring us harm. He tells us "I came so that [you] might have life and have it more abundantly."

This Easter season, let us resolve to entrust ourselves and our lives gratefully to Him.

- *Stewardship Reflections by Catholic Stewardship Consultants*



MAY CROWNING of the BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

May 7 • 9:00 AM Mass

Next Sunday we will be having the annual Crowning of the Blessed Virgin Mary. All are invited to come with flowers to be presented to our Holy Mother.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

- Apr 29 (Sat) St. Catherine of Siena**
9:00 am Food Pantry/Senior Box Distribution
- Apr 30 (Sun) Fourth Sunday of Easter**
10:15 am Religious Education Classes
11:45 am Catechist Meeting (PH)
12:30 pm Mysteries of the Rosary (PH/CH)
- May 1 (Mon) St. Joseph the Worker**
7:00 pm EPIC Ministry (PH)
- May 2 (Tue) St. Athanasius**
4:00 pm Legion of Mary (PH)
7:00 pm Choir Practice (CH)
- May 3 (Wed) Sts. Philip and James**
6:30 pm Youth Ministry (PH)
- May 4 (Thu) Easter Weekday**
- May 5 (Fri) Easter Weekday**
First Friday
7:00 am Mass / Eucharistic Adoration
8:30 am Benediction
- May 6 (Sat) Easter Weekday**
9:30 am COVID Vaccination Clinic (PH)
12:00 pm Our Lady of Fatima Rosary (CH Lanai)
- May 7 (Sun) Fifth Sunday of Easter**
10:15 am Religious Education Classes
12:30 pm Mysteries of the Rosary (PH/CH)

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

OBITUARIES: MAY THEY REST IN PEACE

- +Matthew Sanbei**
May 1 6:30 pm Wake; MMP-Mauka
May 2 11:00 am Funeral Mass; OLS
12:30 pm Burial; MMP
- +Caridad Ramiscal**
May 23 6:30 pm Wake; MMP-Makai
May 24 11:00 am Funeral Mass; OLS
1:30 pm Burial; MMP
- +Rolie Pajardo**
May 24 6:30 pm Wake; MMP-Makai
May 25 11:00 am Funeral Mass; OLS
12:30 pm Burial; MMP
- +Felisa Espresion**
May 25 6:30 pm Wake; MMP-Mauka
May 26 11:00 am Funeral Mass; OLS
12:30 pm Burial; MMP
- +Jacqueline Parrilla**
May 26 6:30 pm Funeral Svc; MMP-Mauka



TODAY'S READINGS

[Liturgical Color: White]

Acts 2:14a, 36-41

Psalms 23:1-6

1 Peter 2:20b-25

John 10:1-10

God has made Jesus both Lord and Messiah (1).
Through his wounds we have been healed
and have returned to our shepherd (2, Ps).
Let us listen to his voice and follow him (3).

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS [Liturgical Color: White]
Acts 6:1-7 • 1 Peter 2:4-9 • Jn 14:1-12

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Week of April 9 - 16, 2023

OFFERINGS

Sunday Offering	\$4,237.73
Easter	\$6,688.00
FiF Pledge Payments	\$480.00
Second Collection: Catholic Relief Svc	\$20.00
Holy Thursday: Rice Bowl	\$35.00
Good Friday: Holy Land	\$10.00
'Ohana in Christ	\$20.00

MISCELLANEOUS OFFERINGS

Youth Ministry (Living Stations)	\$6.00
Flower Fund	\$847.00
Food Pantry	\$150.00
Property Insurance	\$961.00
Repairs & Maintenance	\$35.00
Other Miscellaneous Offerings	\$926.50

Mahalo for your generosity!

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

"MYSTERIES OF THE ROSARY"

Sunday, April 23 • 12:30 pm in the Parish Hall
This week: **"Crucifixion and Death on the Cross"**

DAMIEN & MARIANNE CATHOLIC CONFERENCE

"The Voices of Vermont, USA" • May 13, 2023
10:00 - 11:30 AM (Hawaii Time)


Join this special webinar *The Voices of Vermont, USA* hosted by the Damien & Marianne Catholic Conference. Panelists will share how their lives have been impacted and influenced by Servant of God Joseph Dutton layman, known as "Brother Joseph Dutton, Beloved Son of Stowe." Pre-register at www.dmcchawaii.org. Webinar is FREE.

OUR LADY OF FATIMA PUBLIC ROSARY
MAY 6, 2023 (SAT) 12:00 PM at CHURCH LANAI

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CORNER

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

MAY 21: 9:00 AM - Children's Mass
10:30 AM - End of Year Parent's Meeting



ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH IN THE STATE OF HAWAII

GIVE FROM YOUR HEARTS
GOOD SHEPHERD SUNDAY
APRIL 29 & 30

2023
DIOCESAN PRIESTS
RETIREMENT FUND
SECOND COLLECTION

THEY WERE THERE FOR US. BE THERE FOR THEM NOW.

The Second Collection for this weekend is for the **DIOCESAN PRIEST RETIREMENT FUND**. This collection is different from the Religious Retirement Fund that is done in December. In concert with Good Shepherd Sunday, we are asked to prayerfully consider giving generously to this collection that will directly support our priests who are in their retirement years. They have given their lives shepherding our communities, and we pray that they are adequately cared for in this next chapter of their lives. *Please give generously or donate online today at www.catholicahawaii.org/dprf*

This year, **WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS** is observed on Sunday, April 30, also known as "Good Shepherd Sunday." This day is to publicly fulfill the Lord's instruction to, "Pray the Lord of the harvest to send laborers into his harvest" (Mt 9:38; Lk 10:2). Please pray that young men and women hear and respond generously to the Lord's call to the priesthood, diaconate, religious life, societies of apostolic life or secular institutes. *2023 marks the 60th Anniversary of the World Day of Prayer for Vocations.*

DIOCESAN BACCALAUREATE MASS WITH BISHOP LARRY SILVA FRIDAY, MAY 5 7:00 PM ST. JUDE (KAPOLEI)

All 2023 graduates from middle school, high school, colleges, and universities are invited to participate in this celebration with Bishop Larry Silva!

Questions? Contact
OYYAM@RCCHAWAII.ORG
CATHOLICHAWAII.ORG/
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*Congratulations
2023 graduates!*

MAY 6 and 7 **Forward in Faith** LANAI SALE

Support our Parish Hall fund! There will be a Lanai Sale after the Masses on May 6 & 7. There will be plants, vegetables, baked goods, and religious items for sale. There will also be a Plate Lunch for sale AFTER the Sunday 9am Mass. If you would like to donate plants, vegetables or baked items, please bring before Mass. Plants and Baked items must be packaged and labeled with sale price. See a member of the FiF/ Development Committee for more info.

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Committee

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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.