



# SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Weekend of January 17 - 18, 2026

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

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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

*Samoan Mass*

2nd Sunday at 2:00 PM

### RECONCILIATION

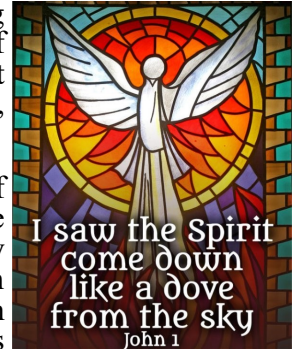
Saturday at 4:00 PM - 4:45 PM  
or by Appointment

*Mission Established*  
1928

*Parish Established*  
1939

Today's readings provide clear and inspiring reminders of the most fundamental aspect of our identity — that of servants of our most high and holy God, His modern-day disciples, and stewards.

John the Baptist recognized the holiness of Jesus and the response due to Him when he encountered Christ in person on the day they met at the Jordan River. His response, which we read in our Gospel passage from St. John was, "Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world... He is the one of whom I said, 'A man is coming after me who ranks ahead of me because he existed before me.'"



What a powerful description of our Lord and the place He should rightfully have in each of our lives. He is truly our Savior, the only one who can free us from our sinfulness. We are utterly and completely dependent on His power, love, and mercy. Therefore, He truly does "rank ahead" of us; he deserves to be first, above all other priorities and plans in our lives. Let us examine our daily lives and encourage our children to do the same.

Does the way I spend my time reflect that God comes first? Do prayer and weekly Mass, regular confession, and time with my family "rank ahead" of everything else on my calendar? Do I use my talents, skills, and energy to serve my family, parish and community in thanksgiving and recognition that God's kingdom ranks ahead of any other goals or ambitions? Do I spend my money and use my material possessions to glorify God?

Challenge questions, to be sure. But questions worthy of our high calling as Christian stewards offered a glorious mission in service of our Lord and His kingdom. What will our response be?

- *Stewardship Reflections by Catholic Stewardship Consultants*

### JANUARY STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE MINISTRY SPOTLIGHT



SUNDAY, JANUARY 18, 10:00 AM

in the Parish Hall (After the 9:00 AM Mass)

Continental Breakfast/Fellowship/Football

*Everyone Invited!!*

**TMIY SPRING Session begins Wednesday JANUARY 21!**

**6:45 PM - 8:00 PM in the Parish Library**

We welcome ALL MEN to join this faith formation!

Be the MAN God meant for you to be!

# WEEKLY CALENDAR

- Jan 17 (Sat) St. Anthony**  
 7:00 am Mass / Eucharistic Adoration  
 8:30 am Benediction  
 10:00 am Altar Server Session (CH)  
 1:00 pm Baptism Class (Lib)
- Jan 18 (Sun) Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
*"Week of Prayer for Christian Unity" Begins*  
 9:00 am Children's Mass  
 10:15 am Faith Formation Classes  
 10:15 am Sacramental Prep Parents' Mtg (CH)  
 10:15 am Stewardship "Ministry Spotlight" (PH)  
 10:30 am FCC Meeting (CH Lanai)
- Jan 19 (Mon) Weekday**  
*Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday / Office Closed*  
 4:00 pm Eucharistic Encounters (Lib)  
 6:30 pm SHE Ministry (Lib)
- Jan 20 (Tue) St. Fabian, St. Sebastian**  
 4:00 pm Legion of Mary (PH)  
 7:00 pm Choir Practice (CH)
- Jan 21 (Wed) St. Agnes**  
 6:30 pm Parish Pastoral Council (Conf)  
 6:30 pm TMIY Ministry (Lib)  
 6:30 pm Youth Ministry (PH)
- Jan 22 (Thu) Weekday**  
 4:00 pm Cantor Practice (CH)  
 6:30 pm March for Life Mass & Adoration  
 (Co-Cathedral of St. Theresa)
- Jan 23 (Fri) St. Vincent, St. Marianne Cope**  
 8:30 am Grateful Hearts Church Cleaning  
 1:30 pm EADM (PH)  
 2:00 pm March for Life Rally (State Capitol)  
 7:00 pm Samoan Choir Practice (CH)
- Jan 24 (Sat) St. Francis de Sales**  
 EADM BP Checks After 5:00 PM Mass (PH)  
 7:00 am Mass / Eucharistic Adoration  
 8:30 am Benediction
- Jan 25 (Sun) Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
*"Sunday of the Word of God"*  
 EADM BP Checks After All Masses (PH)  
 10:15 am Faith Formation Classes  
 11:30 am Children's Praise Choir Practice (PH)

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

## OBITUARIES: MAY THEY REST IN PEACE

- +James Oandasan**  
 Jan 21 1:30 pm Funeral Svc.; MMP-Mauka  
 2:30 pm Burial; MMP
- +Ceferino Ladiero, Sr.**  
 Jan 29 10:00 am Funeral Svc.; MMP-Mauka  
 11:00 am Burial; MMP



## TODAY'S READINGS

[Liturgical Color: Green]

**Isaiah 49:3, 5-6**

**Psalms 40:2, 4, 7-10**

**1 Corinthians 1:1-3**

**John 1:29-34**

Jesus, the Lamb of God (3), is the light of the nations (1) who came to do the Father's will (Ps). In Christ we have been called to be a holy people (2).

**NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS** [Liturgical Color: Green]

Is 8:23-9:3 • 1 Cor 1:10-13, 17 • Mt 4:12-23

## STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Week of December 22 - 28, 2025

### OFFERINGS

Sunday Offering	\$6,116.00
Samoan Mass	\$183.00
Christmas	\$10,887.00
Misa de Gallo	\$2,475.00
Forward in Faith	\$760.00

### MISCELLANEOUS OFFERINGS

Flower Fund	\$615.00
Food Pantry	\$30.00
Property Insurance	\$500.00
Repairs & Maintenance	\$170.00
Other Miscellaneous Offering	\$461.50

### DECEMBER WeSHARE 2025

Sunday Offering	\$7,500.00
Forward in Faith	\$2,570.00
Repairs & Maintenance	\$790.00

**Mahalo for your generosity!**

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



**Maraming Salamat to the Fil-Am Choir for their donation of \$3,500.00 raised during their Christmas Caroling.**

**THE OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON MONDAY, JANUARY 19, FOR THE MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. DAY HOLIDAY.**

**Get your blood pressure checked next weekend, January 24/25, after each Mass with the EADM volunteers!**

**FAITH FORMATION CORNER** Alan Kim, RE Coordinator (ext. 9723)

**DATES TO** January 18 - Children's Family Mass, 9:00 AM  
**REMEMBER:** - *Classes Resume*  
- Sacramental Prep Parents' Meeting

*\*Meeting is for all Adults AND Parents of children and teens who are CURRENTLY enrolled in Sacramental Prep Classes. Meeting is in the Church after the 9AM Mass.*

*Youth Ministry*

Youth Ministry meets on Wednesdays, 6:30 PM. Visit the OLS website for more information!



**Join the Knights of Columbus!**  
**MARCH FOR LIFE 2026**  
**"Aloha Kekahi i Kekahi" - Love One Another**

**JANUARY 22 (Thursday) - MASS & ADORATION for March for Life**  
**Co-Cathedral of St. Theresa - 6:30 PM**

The OLS Knights of Columbus Council 6302 is offering transportation via bus for those wanting to attend the **MASS & ADORATION** on **JANUARY 22**. **TO RESERVE A SEAT**, see the sign-up sheet at the Church or contact the Parish Office.

**JANUARY 23 (Friday) - March for Life RALLY**  
**Hawaii State Capitol - 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM**  
(NO Transportation will be provided to the Rally.)



Ladies 18 years and up, are welcome! Join the OLS Women's Ministry, **"She Shall Be Called Woman" Mondays (through March 23) at 6:30 p.m. in the OLS Library.** Join the weekly winter/spring session entitled, **"Restored to Radiance,"** with a video presentation, reflection, friendly discussion, and refreshments.

**BLOOD BANK OF HAWAII BLOOD DRIVE**  
**FEBRUARY 22 (Sun) / 7:00AM - 12:00PM**  
**OLS Parish Hall**



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*Respect Life* Join thousands of Catholics nationwide in the annual Respect Life novena **9 Days for Life, January 16 – 24.** Get daily intentions, brief reflections, and more by email or text message. Sign up at [9daysforlife.com!](http://9daysforlife.com)

The Office is in need of a vacuum cleaner. If you have a gently used one to donate, it would be greatly appreciated. Please contact the Parish Office. Thank you!

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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.

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