



## OUR LADY OF SORROWS

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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*

Last Sunday at 5:00 PM

### RECONCILIATION

Saturday at 4:00 - 4:45 PM  
or anytime by appointment

*Mission Established*  
1928

*Parish Established*  
1939

# TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Weekend of August 22-23, 2015



## MESSAGE FROM FR. RICHARD

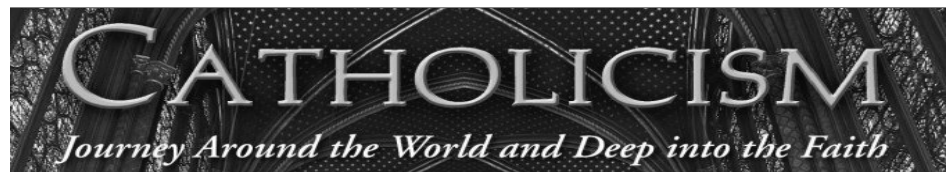
The first reading for Mass this weekend from the Book of Joshua recounts how, under Joshua, the Israelites renewed their Covenant with God. Joshua challenges the people, "if it does not please you to serve the Lord, decide today whom you will serve." We have to be honest about whom we are serving. We can't give ourselves to God by halves. He wants all of us. Joshua not only challenges the people, he gives the good example, "As for me and my household, we will serve the Lord."

It's good to renew our commitment to the Lord from time to time. We examine ourselves on how we have lived our dedication to him and we renew our desire to belong to him and to do his work. We have all received gifts from God and we are keepers or stewards of those gifts. We thank God by using our gifts for His glory and the service of our brothers and sisters.

It's important to regularly renew our commitment to share God's gifts of time, talent and treasure. Last year we did this in the month of October. This year we've moved it forward to August and from now on we will do it during this month each year. Next week at Mass we will all have an opportunity to renew our stewardship commitment of time and talent by filling out a stewardship form and offering that to God at the presentation of the gifts.

Our parish is very rich. God has both given us gifts and generous hearts to share them. One of the graces of being your pastor is witnessing such generosity every day. I am often humbled by your goodness and your dedication to the Lord's work. Like Joshua you are good examples to me and you challenge me to "serve the Lord." Thank you.

*Fr. Richard, ss.cc.*



## CATHOLIC CAFÉ: "CATHOLICISM"

*Episode 8: "A Vast Company of Witnesses: The Communion of Saints"*

August 24, 2015 at 10:30 AM (Library)

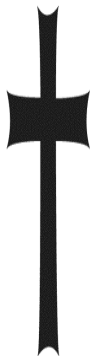
Join the Catholic Café as we continue the *Catholicism* series by Fr. Robert Barron. In Episode 8, Father Barron explores the story of the Church as told in the examples of those men and women who dedicated their lives to knowing and serving Jesus Christ.

## WEEKLY CALENDAR

- Aug 22 (Sat)** 21<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time
- Aug 23 (Sun)** 21<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time  
**Religious Education Ministry Presentation following the Masses**  
**Religious Education Registration following the Masses**  
 10:30am Catholic Café (Lib)
- Aug 24 (Mon)** **St Bartholomew**  
 2:30pm Jonathan Bondoc/Allison Ruiz Wedding  
 6:30pm Middle School Youth Ministry (Rm 4)  
 7:00pm YAM Faith Sharing (CH)
- Aug 25 (Tue)** **St Louis / St Joseph Calasanz**  
 6:00pm Homeless in Wahiawa (Hongwanji)
- Aug 26 (Wed)** **Weekday**  
 6:30pm +Robert Ignacio Memorial Svc (MMP)  
 6:30pm Youth Ministry Class (Rm 8)
- Aug 27 (Thu)** **St Monica**  
 9:00am Craft Guild (PH)  
 7:00pm Stewardship Committee Mtg (Conf Rm)  
 7:00pm OLS Prayer Group (Lib)  
 7:00pm Knights of Columbus (PH)
- Aug 28 (Fri)** **St Augustine**  
 10:15am +Richard Boner Funeral Svc (MMP)  
 6:00pm Evangelization Committee Mtg (Lib)
- Aug 29 (Sat)** **The Passion of St John the Baptist**  
 6:00pm Religious Education Registration
- Aug 30 (Sun)** 22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time  
**Religious Education Registration following the Masses**  
 9:00am Infant Baptism  
 5:00pm Ilocano Mass

\*OLS = Our Lady of Sorrows / CH = Church / PH = Parish Hall / Lib = Library / Sch = School  
 MMP = Mililani Mortuary Park / WGH = Wahiawa General Hospital

## OBITUARY: MAY THEY REST IN PEACE



- +Robert Ignacio**  
 Aug 26 6:30pm Memorial Svc – MMP
- +Richard Boner**  
 Aug 28 10:15am Funeral Svc – MMP
- +Valentine Lopez**  
 Aug 31 6:30pm Wake Svc – MMP
- +Cookie Nacapuy**  
 Sept 1 7:00pm Funeral Mass – Resurrection of the Lord Church, Waipio Gentry
- +Michael Ferido**  
 Sept 2 6:30pm Wake Svc – MMP  
 Sept 3 11:00am Funeral Mass – OLS
- +Gertrudis Estavillo**  
 Sept 8 7:00pm Funeral Mass – OLS

*We are all stewards – managers of the many gifts God has bestowed upon us. Our challenge as Christians is to make good use of those gifts.*



## TODAY'S READINGS

[Liturgical Color: Green]

**Joshua 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b**  
 As for me and my household,  
 we will serve the Lord.

**Ephesians 5:21-32**  
 The two shall become one flesh.

**John 6:60-69**  
 Master, to whom shall we go?  
 You have the words of eternal life.

**NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS** [Liturgical Color: Green]  
 Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-8 · James 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27 · Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

## STEWARDSHIP FOR THE WEEKEND OF August 15-16, 2015

<b>SUNDAY COLLECTIONS</b> .....	<b>3,849.13</b>
<b>VOTIVE CANDLES</b> .....	<b>308.63</b>
<b>BAPTISMS, FUNERALS, BLESSINGS, ETC</b> .....	<b>840.00</b>
<b>MISSION CO-OP-INDIA</b> .....	<b>50.00</b>
<b>SCHOOL SUPPLIES</b> .....	<b>10.00</b>
<b>EXTRA CLERGY</b> .....	<b>300.00</b>
<b>TENANT'S ELECTRIC</b> .....	<b>221.94</b>
<b>MIDDLE SCHOOL MINISTRY</b> .....	<b>10.00</b>
<b>E.P.I.C. MINISTRY</b> .....	<b>1,483.00</b>
<b>MASS INTENTIONS</b> .....	<b>30.00</b>

MAHALO FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!!!

Offertory Envelopes: Please call the bookkeeper at 621-5109 ext. 9722 if you are in need of a new box.



## SCHOOL SUPPLIES DRIVE

*Help kids most in need!*

*As the second poorest area on Oahu, many Wahiawa children will be going back to school without required school supplies.*

*You can help* by donating some of the supplies that these needy children will require or by making a monetary donation. Please indicate "school supplies" on your check or envelope. OLS parishioners whose children attend one of the Wahiawa area public schools and are in need of assistance with school supplies should call the parish office.

Collection to date: 181 lbs. & \$870.00

Last Year: 288 lbs. & \$1,166.00

**LAST DAY TO DONATE: AUGUST 31, 2015**

## Wahiawa Community Blood Drive

**Saturday, August 29, 2015**

**8:00 AM—11:45 AM**

**Wahiawa Hongwanji Mission**

Flyers may be found on the usher's table.



**CONGRATULATIONS** to **Jonathan Bondoc and Allison Ruiz**  
*on the occasion of their wedding on August 24, 2015.*

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CORNER

Shirley Caban, Religious Education Coordinator  
(621-5109, ext. 9723)

### Important Dates:

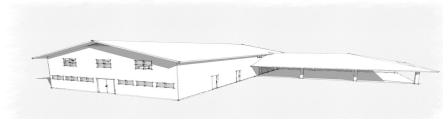
**August 23, 29, & 30** Religious Education registration (Pre-K, Grades 1-12,  
Adult Confirmation, RCIA)

**September 20** Parents Orientation, 10:30 AM, Church (Pre-K, Grs 1-5)

**September 27** All RE classes start, 10:30 AM

### RCIA Classes to begin

If you or someone you know is curious about becoming Catholic, you are invited to come explore your questions. An inquiry group is being formed to discuss and answer any questions you might have about what Catholics are all about. It's an informal group, and there is no obligation. If you are interested a team member will be available on the lanai after the Masses this weekend.



## New Parish Hall & OLS Capital Campaign

Thanks to all who have made a pledge and donation. Keep it coming! We are near to breaking the \$800,000 mark. Can you help even more? How about encouraging fellow Parishioners, family and friends who may want to support our campaign, but have not yet done so. We have pledge forms and letters.

*In September we will send out the mailing to our local businesses. If you know or have an acquaintance with a local business, you can help by letting us know with asking for their support.*

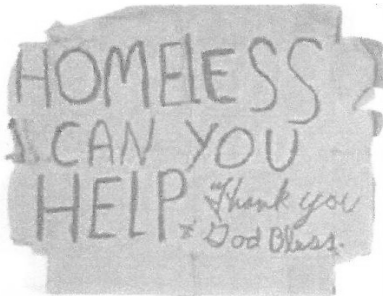
There is a drop box in the church to receive your pledges and payments. The box is located in the church near the baptism font.

### Representative Marcus Oshiro

*District 46 - Wahiawa, Whitmore Village & Laulani Valley*

Presents

## Homeless in Wahiawa What Are We Doing?



Please join Representative Oshiro  
for a panel discussion on:

**Tuesday, August 25, 2015  
6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.**

Wahiawa Hongwanji  
1067 California Avenue  
Wahiawa, HI 96786

Any questions or need information, please call 586-6700.

## PARISH STAFF

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*Groundskeeper*

**Joanie Ramones**  
*Chairperson, Pastoral Council*

**Jack Kampfer**  
*Chairperson, Finance 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 of 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.