



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

ALL SAINTS

Weekend of October 31-November 1, 2015



ALL SAINTS' DAY

MESSAGE FROM FR. RICHARD

Last Sunday at the "Catholic Café" we spoke about "the four last things", i.e. death, judgement, heaven and hell. During November the liturgy sets our sights on the end that awaits all of us. It's an end that is really a beginning, hopefully the beginning of eternal life with the Lord in heaven. However because we are endowed with free will, a necessary condition for being able to love God and others, we can also choose sin and eternal separation from God in hell.

November 1 is the feast of All Saints. The liturgy reminds us that our real destiny, that God wills for his children, is heaven. Everyone who is in heaven is a saint. That's the destination the Lord sets for us on the day of our baptism and all along the way he offers us every help we need to get there. We may reject his offer and choose hell but that's our choice, not God's.

Many die in God's grace but with venial sin or the residue of sin still clinging to them. God's mercy is great and his desire that we spend eternity with him is as great and so he provides a final cleansing of the just but imperfect believer. It's what we call purgatory. Those who pass through purgatory are insured of life in heaven. Could the purifying "fire" of purgatory be the burning desire to encounter the face of the Lord and dwell within forever?

The greatest tragedy is hell, eternal separation from God, eternal despair forever apart from God, who is Love.

When we die, which is surely going to happen sooner or later, we will also certainly be judged by God. The best preparation for that "test" is to so believe in God's love and mercy that when we fall into sin we want to rush back to the Lord's loving embrace.

Fr. Richard, ss.cc.

All Souls' Day

REST IN PEACE

BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE

The names of our beloved deceased will be placed in the Parish Book of Remembrance to be enshrined in the sanctuary and prayed for at every Mass during the month of November. Please use the purple forms located on the usher's table to write the names of your deceased loved ones and drop them in the collection basket. The Masses for All Souls Day on November 2 (7:00 AM & 7:00 PM) will be for all of our deceased loved ones. There will be no individual intentions at those Masses. Parishioners are welcomed to bring a picture or collage (no larger than 8 X 10) of their deceased loved one(s) to be placed in the sanctuary at the 7:00 PM Mass.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

- Oct 31 (Sat)** **All Saints**
All Hallows Eve (Halloween)
- Nov 1 (Sun)** **All Saints**
 10:30am RE classes
 11:30am Blessing of Animals (Sch)
- Nov 2 (Mon)** **The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls' Day)**
 7:00am Mass
 6:30pm Middle School Youth Ministry (Rm 4)
 7:00pm Mass
 7:00pm YAM Faith Sharing (CH)
- Nov 3 (Tue)** **St Martin de Porres**
 7:00pm Adult Bible Study (Lib)
 7:00pm Development Committee Mtg (PH)
- Nov 4 (Wed)** **St Charles Borromeo**
 6:30pm Youth Ministry Class (Rm 3)
 6:30pm Central Oahu Vicariate Priest Mtg (Lib)
 6:30pm Kupuna Kokua Ministry Mtg (PH)
- Nov 5 (Thu)** **Weekday**
 8:00am Wahiawa Ministers' Mtg
 9:00am Craft Guild (PH)
 7:00pm OLS Prayer Group (Lib)
 7:00pm Parish Leadership Team Mtg (Conf Rm)
- Nov 6 (Fri)** **Weekday**
First Friday
 7:00am Mass / Eucharistic Adoration
 9:00am Benediction
- Nov 7 (Sat)** **Weekday / BVM**
All Hallows Eve (Halloween)
 6:00pm Daughters of St. Paul Book Fair
- Nov 8 (Sun)** **32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time**
Daughters of St. Paul Book Fair after the Masses
 10:30am RE classes
 1:00pm Altar Society Mtg (PH)

*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

- +Alice Vierra**
 Nov 12 11:00am Funeral Mass – OLS
- +Remigio Dela Cruz**
 Nov 18 6:00pm Wake Svc – MMP
- +Robert Rivera**
 Nov 19 9:30am Funeral Mass – OLS
- +Robert Rivera**
 Nov 19 7:00pm Memorial Mass – OLS

Knights of Columbus News

MAHALO to the OLS Knights of Columbus for the donation of a wheel chair to assist with transporting our parishioners to and from the ramp and/or communion. Parishioners should seek assistance from a Knight or parish usher.

The OLS Knights are seeking help with refurbishing the outside pews beginning Saturday, Nov. 7 from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM. Lunch will be provided.



TODAY'S READINGS

[Liturgical Color: White]

Revelation 7:2-4, 9-14

These are the ones who have survived the time of great distress; they have washed their robes in the blood of the Lamb.

1 John 3:1-3

Beloved, we are God's children now.

Matthew 5:1-12a

Rejoice and be glad for your reward will be great in heaven.

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS [Liturgical Color: Green]

1 Kings 17:10-16 · Hebrews 9:24-28 · Mark 12:38-44

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Weekend of October 24-25, 2015

OFFERINGS

Sunday Offering	4069.38
All Souls	1186.00
Special Donation	50.00

MISCELLANEOUS OFFERINGS

Baptisms	380.00
Mass Intentions	60.00

OTHERS

Candles	239.75
Religious Education Tuition	100.00

Mahalo for your generosity!

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

Daughters of St. Paul Book Fair

November 7-8, 2015

Following the Masses

The Daughters of St. Paul, Catholic Sisters who are missioned at the Pauline Book & Media Center at 1143 Bishop St., Honolulu, HI, will hold a book fair **November 7th and 8th after all the Masses**. The Sisters will have a selection of religious books, music CDs, DVDs and religious articles. The selection will include Bibles, lives of saints, prayer books, and reading materials for all ages. This will be a good opportunity to obtain spiritual materials for yourself and your family to deepen your knowledge of the Catholic faith.

If you have any special requests, please call the Pauline Book & Media Center at 521-2731.

Open House

Damien Memorial School

Catholic School for young men & women
 in Grs. 6-12

Wednesday, November 4, 2015

6:00 PM—8:00PM

Call 440-9527



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CORNER

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

RE registration on going. Pick up registration forms from Parish Office or on the usher's table at the front of the Church.

November 1, 11:30 AM- Blessing of Pets, school parking lot.

Blessing of Animals Sunday, November 1 11:30 AM School Courtyard



Please remember:

- *Animals are to be accompanied by an adult.
- *Animals need to be caged or leashed.
- *Be ready with pooper scoopers to clean up after your pets.
- *Bring water containers for your pet.

WAHIAWA SANTA PARADE



Our Lady of Sorrows will once again participate in the Wahiawa Santa Parade. Parishioners are encouraged to join our parish unit to walk and sing in the parade. The parade is on **Friday, December 4th at 6:30 PM**. Check in begins at 5:30 PM at Ka`ala Elementary School. If you are interested, please contact the parish office at 621-5109 ext.

9720. We are also seeking donations of **SMALL** 3-5 inch candy canes to pass out along the route. Donations may be dropped off at the parish office no later than November 29th. Mahalo!

SAVE THE DATE! OLS Christmas Market December 12, 2015 9:00 AM—2:00 PM OLS Parish Hall

A benefit for OLS Social Ministries

(Food Pantry, Kupuna Kokua Ministry, Respect Life, Bereavement Support Group, Faithful Citizenship)

We will be accepting dishware, glassware, small appliances, household items, tools, antiques, collectibles, accessories, jewelry, musical instruments, picture frames, holiday items, books, kids toys, games, puzzles, etc. We kindly ask that items are in good condition. Please **NO** clothing. Donations can be dropped off at the parish office from November 1-21. Mahalo.



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.

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