



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 - 4:30 PM
or anytime by appointment

Mission Established
1928

Parish Established
1939

THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD

Weekend of Feb. 1-2, 2014



February 2—The Presentation of the Lord: Candlemas

Today is 40 days after Christmas. In many places the nativity scene is left up until today. On this day it is decorated with the first flowers of spring before it is taken down and put away.

Today we celebrate a joyful event told in the second chapter of the Gospel of Luke. When Jesus was 40 days old, Mary and Joseph brought him to the Temple in Jerusalem to present him to the Lord. In the Temple Jesus was recognized by Anna and Simeon, two elderly people of great holiness. They were filled with joy. Simeon took Jesus in his arms. Old age embraced youth.

Simeon spoke a beautiful prayer: Now that he saw the Messiah, he could die in peace. Simeon also spoke of the sadness to come, which would pierce the heart of Mary.

Simeon called Jesus “a light to the nations.” The light of Jesus’ presence in the world has been celebrated on this day for many centuries.

On today’s feast, enough candles are blessed to last the whole year. That’s why today is also called “Candlemas.” It is a feast of light. At church everyone joins in singing Simeon’s song. In some parishes, the people light the candles and carry them all around the church and even out into the streets. We can carry the light of Christ to every corner of the world.



By Mary Ellen Hynes -Companion to the calendar

Life in the Spirit Seminar

Discovering the Holy Spirit, God’s Secret Agent

Please see Deacon Ben after the Masses next weekend if you are interested in participating in the Life in the Spirit Seminar-*Discovering the Holy Spirit, God’s Secret Agent*. The seven week sessions will begin on Thursday, **February 13, 2014 at 7:00 PM** in the parish library.

TAX DEDUCTION LETTERS

The 2013 Year End Contribution letters have been mailed to anyone who identifiably contributed \$100.00 or more to our parish. For inquiries and questions please call Betty at 621-5109 ext. 9722.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

- Feb 1 (Sat) **The Presentation of the Lord**
- Feb 2 (Sun) **The Presentation of the Lord**
Candlemas
Building Fund
Groundhog Day
 10:30am Religious Education Classes
 10:30am 1st Reconciliation Parent Class (Lib)
- Feb 3 (Mon) **St Blaise / St Ansgar**
 6:30pm EDGE (Lib)
 7:00pm YAM Faith Sharing (CH)
- Feb 4 (Tue) **Weekday**
- Feb 5 (Wed) **St Agatha**
 6:00pm Central Oahu Vicariate Mtg (St Elizabeth)
 6:30pm Kupuna Kokua Ministry Mtg (PH)
- Feb 6 (Thu) **St Paul Miki & Companions**
 8:00am Wahiawa Ministers' Mtg
 7:00pm OLS Prayer Group (Lib)
- Feb 7 (Fri) **Weekday**
First Friday
 7:00am Mass / Eucharistic Adoration
 9:00am Benediction
- Feb 8 (Sat) **St Jerome Emiliani / St Josephine Bakhita / BVM**
 9:30am Divine Mercy Cenacle (PH)
- Feb 9 (Sun) **5th Sunday in Ordinary Time**
 10:30am Religious Education Classes
 10:30am 1st Reconciliation Parent Class (Lib)
 1:30pm Altar Society Mtg (PH)
 7:00pm +Armenio Teodoro Wake Svc (MMP)

*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



+ Armenio Teodoro

Feb. 9 7:00pm Wake Svc-MMP

Feb. 10 10:30am Funeral Svc-MMP

+ Thea Pakele

Feb. 20 11:00am Funeral Mass-MMP

Eucharistic Adoration for Vocations

Sunday, February 16, 2014

3:00 PM – 4:00 PM

Regina Pacis Community

Honolulu, HI

For more info call Sr. Ivy Yim, ss.cc 845-4353 ext. 239
 or email Fr. David Lupo, ss.cc. at lupo.david@yahoo.com

❖ DECEMBER BAPTISM ❖

We welcome joyfully into our
 faith community the newly baptized:

JULIANA CEREDON

LANCE DE GUZMAN

We congratulate the parents and godparents
 on this blessed occasion.



TODAY'S READINGS

[Liturgical Color: Green]

Malachi 3:1-4

I am sending my messenger to prepare
 the way before me.

Hebrews 2:14-18

Because he was tested through what he
 suffered, he is able to help those who are being tested.

Luke 2:22-40

My eyes have seen your salvation, which you prepared in
 sight of all the peoples.

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS [Liturgical Color: Green]

Isaiah 58:7-10 · 1 Corinthians 2:1-5 · Matthew 5:13-16

STEWARDSHIP FOR THE WEEKEND OF JANUARY 25-26, 2013

SUNDAY COLLECTIONS.....	\$3,748.70
VOTIVE CANDLES.....	240.02
OCCASIONAL OFFERINGS.....	900.00
BUILDING FUND.....	45.00
BLACK/INDIAN MISSION COLLECTION.....	40.00
LATIN AMERICAN MISSION COLLECTION.....	60.00
FLOWER FUND.....	125.00
RELIGIOUS RETIREMENT FUND.....	25.00
E.P.I.C. MINISTRY.....	50.00
TENANT'S ELECTRIC.....	221.94
EXTRA CLERGY.....	100.00
OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS.....	10.00

MAHALO FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!!!

2014 Offering Envelope Boxes

In an effort to save money we will be
 distributing offertory envelope boxes as re-
 quested. If you have envelopes from this
 past year, disregard the dates and continue
 using them. Please call the bookkeeper at
 621-5109 ext. 9722 if you are in need of a
 new box.

IMPORTANT TRAINING

February 22, 2014

OLS Church

9:00 AM Extraordinary Ministers of Holy
 Communion

10:00 AM Altar Servers

We will address changes in procedures at
 the Masses. Please plan on attending this
 training.

Help!

Fr. Richard is looking for someone who can mend some
 clothing for him. If you are able to sew buttons, etc. and
 would like to help, please call the parish office at 621-
 5109 ext. 9720. Mahalo.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CORNER

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

Important Dates:

Feb. 2, 2014, 10:30 AM in the Library—Mandatory 1st Reconciliation Class Part I for Parents

Feb. 9, 2014, 10:30 AM in the Library—Mandatory 1st Reconciliation Class Part II for Parents

ATTENTION PARISHONERS: The Religious Education Program is recruiting for catechist assistant(s). If you have time to spare on Sunday mornings and would like to provide assistance or need additional info, please call 621-5109, ext: 9723.



FEED THE HUNGRY

Our food pantry collected 318 lbs. of food last month and distributed 46 bags to 130 individuals. We continue to need: canned meats, canned fruit, canned vegetables, cereal, and powdered milk or you may also make a monetary donation to our pantry. You may bring these or any other non-perishable food items to any of our Masses or to the parish office.

Mahalo for your generous support!

The Food Pantry is open on the last Saturday of the month from 9:00 AM-10:00 AM

MAHALO to everyone who participated in the March for Life. We especially thank the OLS Knights of Columbus for sponsoring the bus and coordinating the event.

A Reminder from the Diocese.....

Winter Cold and Flu Season

As always, you are reminded to use common sense in the reception of Holy Communion from the chalice during the annual cold and flu season. If you are feeling ill or think you may have been exposed to a virus, you should refrain from partaking of the Blood of Christ from the communal chalice. In the same way, you should refrain from offering your hand to others at the sign of peace. A smile and a heartfelt "Peace be with you" should suffice. Likewise if you are not comfortable sharing the sign of peace or receiving Holy Communion from the communal chalice for fear of infection, you should feel no pressure to do so. All of us must be aware of such sensitive matters in the intimate life of the Christian community and we should expect that some will refrain from the sign of peace and the communal chalice out of care for our well-being and not out of unkindness or a lack of piety.

Liturgy and Illness

Please be aware that the obligation to attend Sunday Mass does not apply to those who are ill, especially those who suffer from contagious disease. It is a sign of consideration for oneself and others that those with flu-like symptoms remain at home.

PARISH STAFF

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Barbara Walker
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Carmen Adams
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Joanie Riddle
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.