



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 PM

or anytime by appointment

Mission Established

1928

Parish Established

1939

**THIRD SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME**
Weekend of January 21-22, 2017



**A STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION FOR THE
THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

The prophet Isaiah again records a remarkable prophecy in our First Reading from the Book of Isaiah. Within the context of that Scriptural reading Isaiah says, “The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light.” Just prior to that Isaiah speaks of two areas of Israel that are also the names of two of the twelve tribes of Israel — Zebulun and Naphtali. These tribes were located at the northern end of Israel adjacent to the Sea of Galilee.

When the Assyrians invaded and occupied Israel, it was the northern tribes like Zebulun and Naphtali that suffered the most. It was they on whom the greatest gloom and darkness descended. However, the prophecy speaks of the coming of the Messiah, the birth of Jesus, the Light of the World. Thus, “The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light.”

Christ is still the light of the world, and He still provides this light and hope to those of us who may feel like we are in darkness and distress. We must embrace Him nonetheless and follow His way by becoming His disciple. If we do that, our lives will indeed be filled with light and great rejoicing. It is up to us to respond. In John 8:12, the Lord tells us, “I am the light of the world; anyone who follows me will not be walking in dark, but will have the light of life.”

SECOND COLLECTIONS—January 21-22, 2017

Church in Latin America—Next weekend, we will take up the Collection for the Church in Latin America. Catholics in Latin America and the Caribbean face many challenges, including violence and a lack of both clergy and lay leadership to witness to the gospel message. Your support shares the faith with those in need. Please give generously to this collection.

Black and Indian Mission—Your contribution helps to support Catholic American Indian communities on reservations, in rural areas and inner cities. Your sacrificial gift also supports African American evangelization programs particularly in the south. Your donation funds evangelization programs to strengthen the faith, continue the legacy and share the mission with children and adults here in the United States. Please consider giving generously to this collection.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Jan 21 (Sat)	3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time Latin America/Black & Indian Missions Collection
Jan 22 (Sun)	3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time Latin America/Black & Indian Missions Collection 10:30am Religious Education Classes 10:30am Prayer for the Unborn (CH)
Jan 23 (Mon)	St Vincent / St Marianne Cope Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children 6:30pm Middle School Ministry (Lib) 7:00pm EPIC Young Adult Faith Sharing (CH)
Jan 24 (Tue)	St Francis de Sales 6:00pm +Eugenia Mangca Wake Svc (MMP)
Jan 25 (Wed)	The Conversion of St Paul The Apostle 11:30am +Eugenia Mangca Burial (MMP) 6:30pm Youth Ministry Class (Chapel)
Jan 26 (Thu)	Sts Timothy & Titus 9:00am Craft Guild (PH) 10:00am Charismatic Prayer Group (Lib) 7:00pm Knights of Columbus Mtg (PH)
Jan 27 (Fri)	St Angela Merici 10:00am Staff Mtg (Lib)
Jan 28 (Sat)	St Thomas Aquinas 8:00am Stewardship Day (Mary, Star of the Sea) 9:00am Food Pantry 5:00pm Infant Baptism
Jan 29 (Sun)	4th Sunday in Ordinary Time Catholic Schools Week begin 10:30am Religious Education Classes 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



+Eugenia Mangca

Jan. 24 6:00pm Wake Svc – MMP

Jan. 25 11:30am Burial – MMP

+Romulo Villanueva

Feb. 5 6:30pm Wake Svc – MMP

Feb. 6 10:15am Funeral Svc – MMP

+Milton Ross

Feb. 9 6:30pm Wake Svc – MMP

Feb. 10 11:00am Funeral Mass – OLS

+Clarence Drose

Feb. 14 11:45am Funeral Svc – MMP

+Paula Lazo

Feb. 16 6:30pm Wake Svc – MMP

Feb. 17 11:00am Funeral Mass – OLS

+Valentina Nordell-services pending

Feb. 21 11:00am Funeral Mass – OLS

Worldwide Marriage Encounter



Sign up for the next Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend on February 17-19. For more information, contact Jose & Mary Elizabeth Alvior at 391-2045 for Oahu, or visit our website at www.hawaiiwwme.org.



TODAY'S READINGS

[Liturgical Color: Green]

Isaiah 8:23-9:3

The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light.

1 Corinthians 1:10-13, 17

I urge you to be united in the same mind and in the same purpose.

Matthew 4:12-23

Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand.

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS [Liturgical Color: Green]

Zephaniah 2:3; 3:12-13 · 1 Corinthians 1:26-31 · Matthew 5:1-12a

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Weekend of Dec. 24-25, 2016 / Jan. 14-15, 2017

	Dec. 24-25	Jan. 14-15
OFFERINGS		
Sunday Offering	\$557.00	3,656.00
Christmas	13,129.28	10.00
Religious Retirement	-	5.00
Misa de Gallo	1,283.00	-
Special Donation	60.00	-
MISCELLANEOUS OFFERINGS		
Building Fund	200.00	-
Funerals	350.00	300.00
Flower Fund	912.00	1.00
Food Pantry	110.00	-
Fil-Am Choir Caroling	270.00	-
Property Insurance	-	15.00
EPIC Ministry	1,850.00	-
Mass Intention	260.00	-
OTHERS		
Candles	330.33	74.36
FIF Pledge Payments	6,260.00	950.00
FIF T-Shirt Sales	100.00	-
Religious Education Tuition	70.00	-
Tenant Electric	-	221.94

Mahalo for your generosity!

Offertory Envelopes: Please call the bookkeeper at 621-5109 ext. 9720 if you are in need of a new box.

Our Lady of Good Counsel School Open House

Grades PS—8

January 22, 2017

OLGC Pastoral Center

12:15 PM

There will be a tour of the school and information about their curriculum and financial aid. The school will also introduce "The Franciscan Scholarship". This scholarship will enable a deserving fourth-grade student a full scholarship until their 8th grade graduation. For more info please call the school office at 455-4533. There are also flyers on the usher's table.



OLS Stewardship Workshop

Saturday, February 4, 2017

Time: 9:00 AM to 11:00 AM

Parish Hall

Guest Speakers:

Mark Clark and Brandon Elefante

All parishioners are invited to attend this workshop.

Topics to be covered during the workshop:

1. The Stewardship Model
2. Understand what Stewardship is?
3. How to welcome new members into a ministry?
4. How to communicate to Parishioners interested in joining your ministry.
5. Outreach/Communications
6. What do other Parishes do in regard to Stewardship

Desired Outcome at the end of the Workshop.

1. Attendees are "informed" about Stewardship
2. Attendees are "inspired" about Ministry
3. Attendees want to get "involved" in Ministry

Event Sponsored by: The OLS Stewardship Committee

Living Catholic in the 808

Our Lives Evangelize Those Who Think with their Feelings

By Rafael Mendoza Deacon Candidate Diocese Of Honolulu

Pope Francis, in November 2013, wrote, "An evangelizer must never look like someone who has just come back from a funeral... May the world of our time, which is searching, sometimes with anguish, sometimes with hope, be enabled to receive the good news not from evangelizers who are dejected, discouraged, impatient or anxious, but from ministers of the Gospel whose lives glow with fervor, who have first received the joy of Christ." (Evangelii Gaudium, paragraph 10, emphasis mine)

Pope Francis suggests that living Catholic today requires us to shift our approach - today's generation is completely different from previous ones. "The challenge lies before us to reach a generation that hears with its eyes and thinks with its feelings" (Paul Copan, True for You but Not for Me).

While we have the same message, it's time to change our methods. How we live our lives must take center stage today. People need to see the incarnation of the Gospel in our lives more than to hear the proclamation of the Gospel through our words. They need to experience the love of Jesus more than they need to be informed that Jesus is love. Their lives are more likely to be changed through the heart than through the mind.

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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