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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
Cancelled until further notice.

RECONCILIATION

Saturday at 4:00 PM
or anytime by Appointment
(Call office for appointment)

Mission Established
1928

Parish Established
1939

EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

Weekend of January 2 - 3, 2021

Proclamation of the Date of Easter

Know, dear brethren (brothers and sisters),
that, as we have rejoiced
at the Nativity of our Lord Jesus Christ,
so by leave of God's mercy
We announce to you also the joy
of his Resurrection, who is our Savior.

On the **seventeenth** day of **February**
will fall Ash Wednesday, and the beginning
of the fast of the most sacred Lenten season.

On the **fourth** day of **April**
you will celebrate with joy Easter Day,
the Paschal feast of our Lord Jesus Christ.

On the **sixteenth** day of **May**
(the thirteenth of May)
will be the Ascension of our Lord Jesus Christ.

On the **twenty-third** day of **May**,
the feast of Pentecost.

On the **sixth** day of **June**,
the feast of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ.

On the **twenty-eighth** day of **November**,
the First Sunday of the Advent
of our Lord Jesus Christ,
to whom is honor and glory for ever and ever.
Amen.



WEEKLY CALENDAR

- Jan 2 (Sat) Sts. Basil the Great and Greory Nazianzen
 Jan 3 (Sun) Epiphany of the Lord
 10:30am RE Classes
 Jan 4 (Mon) St. Elizabeth Ann Seton
 Jan 5 (Tue) St. John Neumann
 Jan 6 (Wed) St. Andre Bessette
 Jan 7 (Thu) St. Raymond of Penyafort
 Jan 8 (Fri) Christmas Weekday
 Jan 9 (Sat) Christmas Weekday
 Jan 10 (Sun) Baptism of the Lord
 10:30am RE Classes

OLS = Our Lady of Sorrows / CH = Church / PH = Parish Hall
 Lib = Library / Conf = Conference Room / Class = Upstairs Classroom
 MMP = Mililani Mortuary Park / WGH = Wahiawa General Hospital



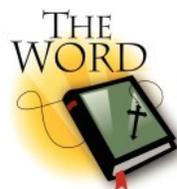
OBITUARIES: MAY THEY REST IN PEACE

+Fernando Camantang
 Jan 11 Private Services

+Charles Cabucana
 Jan 23 Private Services

+Ricardo Laurel
 Jan 29 Private Services

+Wayne Birgado
 Feb 17 Private Services



TODAY'S READINGS

[Liturgical Color: White]

Isaiah 60:1-6

Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-13

Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6

Matthew 2:1-12

All nations are invited to sing the Lord's praises (1, Ps) for they have been called to hear the good news (2) and worship the long awaited Messiah and King (3) with the gift of their lives.

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS [Liturgical Color: White]

Is 55:1-11 · 1 Jn 5:1-9 · Mt 1:7-11

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Week of Dec 21-27, 2020
 (Christmas liturgies included)

OFFERINGS

Sunday Offering	\$6,841.00
FiF Pledge Payments	\$6,900.00
Misa de Gallo	\$2,011.00
Christmas	\$7,156.50
Flower Fund	\$942.50

MISCELLANEOUS OFFERINGS

Food Pantry	\$90.00
Other	\$505.20

Mahalo for your generosity!

Please call the Parish Office at 621-5109 ext. 9720 if you are in need of a new box.



BECAUSE VIBRANT
CHURCHES MATTER

Everyday Stewardship

THE GIFT OF FAMILY

Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

What a year it has been! How will we speak of these times a decade from now? As time goes by, our impressions of this past year will certainly change. How we feel today about dealing with a killer virus and all the chaos surrounding that is still fresh for all. I would assume that most of us right now are also holding those we love a little closer and hugging them a little harder. Hopefully, even if the fears and concerns of 2020 dissipate in the future, the way we feel toward our family should never leave us.

Stewardship is certainly about everything. God has given us so much, great and small, profound and common. One of the greatest gifts that all have received is family. Families take all shapes and sizes and some look very different than others. For some, family is a caretaker or temporary guardian. For others it is a friend when everyone else seems to have vanished. The bottom line is that, to quote a song from many years ago, "people need people."

When God gave the world His only Son, the Incarnation did not come on a cloud or with a flash of light. He was born into a family. Jesus understood the gift of family all his life. Do you think that if having a family wasn't important God would have still included this in the plan of salvation?

As this year draws to a close, remember your stewardship many days begins and ends with the people closest to you. Don't misuse or take for granted this precious gift. God gives us gifts on purpose, even to His only begotten Son.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CORNER

Shirley Caban, Religious Education Coordinator
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Dates to Remember

January 3 Epiphany of the Lord (CLASSES RESUME)
January 7 Baptism of the Lord



Middle and High Schoolers! JOIN YOUTH MINISTRY!
Visit www.olswahiawa.org for more info!



A STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION FOR THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

Today, we celebrate the Epiphany of our Lord. The Gospel account of the three magi traveling to meet Baby Jesus is one that we know well. Yet, when we pause to reflect on this moment when these men met Christ for the first time, we recognize that there is much to be said for us still today.

When the magi entered the house, it says, "they saw the child with Mary his mother. They prostrated themselves and did him homage." Clearly these men knew that they were in the presence of their King. They also came bearing gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh, which symbolize Christ's kingship, divinity and humanity.

Christ is still manifesting Himself to us today. We enter God's house weekly, and we are in His presence. When we meet Him, do we offer Him our gifts — our time, talent and treasure? As Christian stewards, we are called to respond with love, reverence and gratitude.

Let us prepare our hearts to receive Christ's many manifestations in our lives. We just need a grateful disposition to receive them.

— *Stewardship Reflections by*
The Catholic Steward and Catholic Stewardship Consultants

RESERVATIONS ARE NEEDED FOR ALL WEEKEND MASSES.

PLEASE LIMIT YOUR RESERVATION TO ONE (1) MASS PER WEEKEND.

Due to limited seating, ALL weekend masses will require a reservation. Visit our website at www.olswahiawa.org OR call the Parish Office at (808) 621-5109 X 9720 to make your reservation now!

UPDATED GUIDELINES DUE TO COVID-(12/6/2020)

Extension of Dispensation from Sunday Mass Obligation

(From the Office of the Bishop)

Due to the ongoing Covid-19 coronavirus pandemic, Bishop Silva extends the dispensation of all the people of the Diocese of Honolulu and all visitors to the Diocese of Honolulu from the obligation to attend Sunday Mass **through February 16, 2021**. All who are able to attend Sunday Mass without putting themselves or others at serious risk of infection are encouraged to do so, but are not obliged.



PARISH STAFF

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Max Velasco
*Chairperson, Parish Building
and Maintenance 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.