



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

**FIFTEENTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME
Weekend of July 12-13, 2014**



MESSAGE FROM FR. DAVID

Fr. Michael White and Mr. Tom Corcoran, co-authors of Rebuilt, as well as Tools for Rebuilding were both at this year's LA Religious Education Conference in March. I wasn't there, but I asked our Provincial secretary to pick up some recordings of some of the presenters. She picked this one up, and a few others.

Fr. White spoke for the first part of the presentation, and Mr. Corcoran finished up. The main idea in their presentation was to show that the Church is a movement. Fr. White spoke about the passage from Matthew's Gospel where Jesus took his disciples on a long journey to a place called Caesarea Philippi. There he asked them who people believe the Son of Man to be. And then he asked them who they say he is. As you remember, Simon spoke up and called him the Messiah. Jesus blessed Simon, and called him "Peter", and said that on the rock of Peter, he would build his church. "Church", Fr. White repeated. Not "temple" or "synagogue", but church". This was something new. There are two words for "church", and the word here is the Greek "ekklesia", which means "called out".

The other word is German, "kirche" (say "keerke"). It refers to the church building, the physical structures of the church. This is not the word Jesus focused on in the passage. It is true that we need a church building...no argument there. We don't want to be celebrating Mass in the Wahiawa rains, with soggy hosts and watered down wine, and a celebrant who is all wet. Moreover, we need a building to show our symbols, to portray Christian art.

I was recently back home, on a business/pleasure trip, in Schenectady, NY. I was shocked to learn that St. Anthony Church, where I had my initiation sacraments, my family church when I was young, had endured a fire, in March. Here is where I first encountered stained-glass windows, and the stations of the cross. On Monday, June 23rd, I saw the open doors, and went in to view the damage. The pews and stations were all removed, and restoration had started. The blaze started in the basement, and made its way into the sanctuary. Fortunately the fire was caught in time, with only minor damage. A few of the colorful windows were ruined, but it could have been much worse. So I can appreciate the role of the church building.

But Jesus opted for his church being "ekklesia", composed of a people on the move, coming together for worship, moving out in ministry, or mission. We have heard that the church is the people, that Jesus didn't come to save buildings. Building maintenance is a parish concern, but the hearts of God's people, inside and outside the four walls is a bigger concern by far.

In the Middle ages, God's people would gather for Sunday worship in churches and cathedrals that were in the process of being built across Europe. That is a great image, that the people make up the church. We must take the time to come to understand where in our parish vicinity does the presence of Jesus need to be? Where, within our parish community, can we make a difference?

Fr. David, ss.cc.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Jul 12 (Sat)	15th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Jul 13 (Sun)	15th Sunday in Ordinary Time 10:30am Apologetic Series (PH) 12:30pm Altar Society Bingo (Lib) 1:00pm PC Discernment (PH)
Jul 14 (Mon)	St Kateri Tekakwitha 6:00pm +Daniel Chaviera Wake Svc (MMP) 6:30pm EDGE (Lib) 7:00pm YAM Faith Sharing
Jul 15 (Tue)	St Bonaventure 9:00am +Daniel Chaviera Burial (MMP) 7:00pm Development Committee Mtg (Conf Rm)
Jul 16 (Wed)	Our Lady of Mount Carmel
Jul 17 (Thu)	Weekday 7:00pm OLS Prayer Group (Lib)
Jul 18 (Fri)	St Camillus de Lellis
Jul 19 (Sat)	BVM 10:00am +Paulino Villeza Funeral Mass 1:00pm Baptism Seminar (PH)
Jul 20 (Sun)	16th Sunday in Ordinary Time Seminarian Education Fund 10:30am Apologetic Series (PH) 10:30am WGH-LTC Pry Svc

*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



+ Daniel Chaviera

July 14 6:00pm Wake Svc—MMP
July 15 9:00am Burial—MMP

+ Msgr. Alan Nagai

July 15 6:00pm Wake Svc—Cathedral of Our Lady of Peace
July 16 10:00am Funeral Mass—Our Lady of Good Counsel Church

+Paulino Villeza

July 19 10:00am Funeral Mass—OLS

JUNE STEWARDSHIP REPORT

	<u>JUNE 2013</u>	<u>JUNE 2014</u>
Tithe w/ID	\$17,191.03	\$18,548.75
Loose w/o ID	3,897.24	3,243.00
Total	\$21,088.27	\$21,791.75
Average	4,217.65	4,358.35
<i>Goal: An average of \$4,600.00 per week.</i>		
Father's Day	1,276.00	625.00
Holy Father/Peter's Pence	687.00	927.32
Ilocano Mass	239.00	178.00



TODAY'S READINGS

[Liturgical Color: Green]

Isaiah 55:10-11

The word that goes forth from my mouth shall not return to me void.

Romans 8:18-23

All creation awaits the glorious freedom of God.

Matthew 13:1-23

The seed sown on rich soil is the one who hears the word and understands it.

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS [Liturgical Color: Green]

Wisdom 12:13, 16-19 · Romans 8:26-27 · Matthew 13:24-43

STEWARDSHIP FOR THE WEEKEND OF July 5-6, 2014

SUNDAY COLLECTIONS	\$5,201.67
VOTIVE CANDLES	643.47
OCCASIONAL OFFERINGS	500.00
BUILDING FUND	1,265.00
SCHOOL SUPPLIES	85.00
FOOD PANTRY	30.00
E.P.I.C. MINISTRY	1,640.00
APOLOGETICS	82.00
ILOCANO MASS	178.00
TENANT'S RENT/WATER	2,650.86

MAHALO FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!!!

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

Our Lady of Sorrows Church

75th Anniversary Luau

Sunday, September 7, 2014

11:00 AM—3:00 PM

School Grounds

Tickets on sale after the Masses

July 12-13, 19-20, 26-27, Aug. 2-3

Adults—\$15.00

Children (10 and under)—\$9.00

Lunch by ticket only. Last day of ticket sales will be August 15, 2014. Tickets will not be available after that date.

There will be no take out.



Making Each Moment Count

Thursday, July 17, 2014 7:00 PM
St. John Apostle & Evangelist Church
Presenter: Sr. Anne Bryan Smollin, CSJ, Ph.D.

(The Laughing Nun)

See Parish bulletin board for more info

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CORNER


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

First Communion and Confirmation group pictures are available for pick up at the Parish Office. Donations are appreciated for the building fund.

SEMINARIAN EDUCATION FUND Second Collection—July 19-20, 2014

Our priests are our islands “Hope for the Future” and the Diocese of Honolulu invites the faithful to participate in providing for the training, formation, and education of seminarians – our future priests.

PLEASE SUPPORT OUR SEMINARIANS!



APOLOGETICS

BE PREPARED TO GIVE AN ANSWER

Every Sunday at 10:30 AM in the parish hall

THIS SUNDAY'S TOPIC: “Questions Asked About Mary”

NEXT SUNDAY'S TOPIC: “Confession & Scandals in the Church”

Visit www.olswahiawa.org for more details



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. Last year our parish led the community in its generosity for this worthy cause.

TRAFFIC ALERT

When the City and County of Honolulu granted OLS an existing use permit to allow building on the church property, there were several conditions we had to meet. One of the conditions was to provide a drop off zone for the Handi Van. We have designated the area in front of the parish office building carport as the drop off area for the Handi Van. This will allow the Handi Vans to drop off people without obstructing the flow of traffic in the parking lot. We ask that you not park in this area. Mahalo for your cooperation.

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.

PARISH STAFF

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