



THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Weekend of November 12 - 13, 2022

A STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION FOR THE THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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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

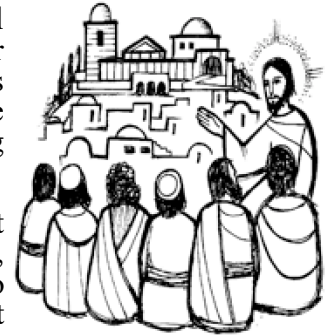
RECONCILIATION

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

Mission Established
1928

Parish Established
1939

As we approach the end of the liturgical year, our readings offer a sober reminder that this life is not our aim and that God's justice will triumph in the end. Now is the time to get our priorities in order, putting God above all else as his faithful stewards.



Our Lord brings home the urgency of right priorities in our Gospel passage from Luke, reminding the people around him who were looking at the temple nearby, "All that you see here—the days will come when there will not be left a stone upon another stone that will not be thrown down." Our Lord reminds us that all in this world is passing. We must keep our focus on eternity.

Yet before the eternal bliss of heaven, we should expect to be tried and tested. "Before all this happens, however, they will seize and persecute you, they will hand you over to the synagogues and to prisons and they will have you led before kings and governors because of my name."

Sounds scary.

But if you are living a stewardship way of life, there is nothing to fear. You have a plan in place. All you need to do is stick with it. Put our Lord first in your time, with your talents, and through your use of treasure. This way of life is not easy. But Jesus promises it will lead to eternal salvation and the joy of union with Him. "You will be hated by all because of my name, but not a hair on your head will be destroyed. By your perseverance, you will secure your lives."

Onward Christian stewards, the struggle is worth the joy that awaits!

- *Stewardship Reflections by Catholic Stewardship Consultants*



*Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ,
King of the Universe*

November 20, 2022

Exposition of the Blessed
Sacrament following the
9:00 AM Mass.

Benediction at 11:30 AM

We ask our parishioners to please
observe SILENCE after the 9:00 AM
Mass.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

- Nov 12 (Sat) St. Josaphat**
 7:00 am Communion Service
 8:30 am Divine Mercy Cenacle (PH)
- Nov 13 (Sun) 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time**
NO Religious Education Classes
 12:00 pm Altar Society Meeting (PH)
- Nov 14 (Mon) Weekday**
- Nov 15 (Tue) St. Albert the Great**
 5:00 pm Legion of Mary (PH)
- Nov 16 (Wed) St. Margaret of Scotland**
 6:30 pm Youth Ministry (PH)
 6:45 pm TMIY (Conf)
 7:00 pm Parish Pastoral Council (Lib)
- Nov 17 (Thu) St. Elizabeth of Hungary**
 7:00 pm Stewardship Committee (PH)
- Nov 18 (Fri) Dedication of the Basilicas of Saints Peter and Paul**
St. Rose Philippine Duchesne
 9:30 am Staff Meeting (Lib)
 5:00 pm Baptism Class
- Nov 19 (Sat) BVM**
 12:00 pm Pro Life Rosary (CH Lanai)
 5:00 pm Baptism
- Nov 20 (Sun) Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe (Christ the King)**
 9:00 am Mass / Eucharistic Adoration
 10:15 am Religious Education Classes
 11:30 am Benediction

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



TODAY'S READINGS

[Liturgical Color: Green]

Malachi 3:19-20a

Psalms 98:5-9

2 Thessalonians 3:7-12

Luke 21:5-19

Jesus teaches that his disciples will be persecuted as a necessary prelude in the parousia. Through their perseverance (3), they will emerge victorious (1) when the Lord comes again (Ps). As we await the Day, let us conscientiously fulfill our Christian obligations (2).

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS [Liturgical Color: White]

2 Sm 5:1-3 • Col 1:12-20 • Lk 23:35-43

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Week of October 24 - 30, 2022

OFFERINGS

Sunday Offering	\$3,103.00
Ilocano Mass	\$402.00
All Souls' Day	\$1,770.00
FiF Pledge Payments	\$620.00
Second Collection: Archdiocese for Military Services	\$20.00

MISCELLANEOUS OFFERINGS

Youth Ministry	\$125.00
Food Pantry	\$80.00
Other Miscellaneous Offerings	\$669.43

OCTOBER WeSHARE

Sunday Offering	\$5,266.00
FiF Pledge Payments	\$2,930.00

Mahalo for your generosity!

Call the Parish Office at 621-5109 ext. 9720 if you are in need of a new offering envelope box.

MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOLERS:

JOIN YOUTH MINISTRY!!!

Wednesday Evenings at 6:30 PM

See www.olswahiawa.org or
 email olsedge@gmail.com for info!

Please continue to pray for the Youth Ministry, their chaperones, and Fr. Niko while they are at the National Catholic Youth Conference.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT OF OUR YOUTH MINISTRY!!!



OBITUARIES: MAY THEY REST IN PEACE

+Sheila Smith

Nov 18 1:30 pm Graveside Service and Burial (MMP)

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION

Please note that in the Diocese of Honolulu, in addition to all Sundays of the year, there are only **two Holy Days of Obligation** on which the faithful are obliged to attend Mass:

- December 8: Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary.**
- December 25: Christmas** (which falls on a Sunday this year).

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CORNER

Alan Kim, Religious Education Coordinator; (808) 621-5109 ext. 9723

DATES TO REMEMBER

November 13 **NO** Religious Education Classes
November 20 9:00 AM Children's Mass
November 24 9:00 AM Thanksgiving Day Mass
November 27 First Sunday of Advent



CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT-CCHD

Please respond to Pope Francis' call for the World Day of the Poor the weekend of November 22, the Solemn Feast of Christ the King.

Please be generous in the collection for the **Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD)**. In the US, more than 46 million people live in poverty. With this collection you support programs that address the causes of poverty and help vulnerable people across our country struggling to overcome persistent poverty.

Here in Hawaii CCHD has supported a wide range of projects, working with the most vulnerable, including HOPE Services Hawaii, Inc, instrumental in responding to the needs of the homeless and victims from natural disasters and COVID-19 on the Big Island. CCHD grants have also helped the Pu'a Foundation assist women returning from prison successfully re-enter their communities around the state, and Honolulu Habitat for Humanity help low income families build and own affordable housing.

Please remember that 25% of the CCHD collection stays in our diocese to hear and respond to the cry of the poor and some of the most vulnerable in our own islands.

Please prayerfully consider contributing to the CCHD collection.



*Thanksgiving Day Mass
November 24, 2022 at 9:00 AM*

PLEASE KOKUA! HELP IS NEEDED FOR OUR THANKSGIVING DAY MASS ENVIRONMENT!

We are in need of tropical flowers, greenery, fresh fruits, and vegetables to adorn the Church for our Thanksgiving Day Mass.

ALL DONATIONS MAY BE DROPPED OFF AT THE CHURCH ON WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 23, NO LATER THAN 8:30 AM.

A MESSAGE FROM THE FOOD PANTRY...

Thank you to all volunteers who helped with the Food Pantry distribution on Saturday, October 29th. The Food Pantry distributed 556 bags of non-perishable food to 278 families. We also thank all parishioners for the donation of 345 lbs. of food and the Knights of Columbus for traffic control. Thank you to the volunteers with the Senior Food Box, Keiki Bags, and Giving Garden. We thank Maili Moa LLC dba "Shaka Moa Eggs" and Waialua Egg Farm for their donation of eggs providing for over 250 families; and Aloun Farms for their donation of Honey Dew Melons.

Mahalo for the continued support of the OLS Food Pantry!



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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 to 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.