



**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

# TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Weekend of October 21-22, 2017



## A STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION FOR THE TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

The last line of today's Gospel Reading from St. Matthew contains one of the more well known of Jesus' quotes. When asked a bit of a trick question by the Pharisees, "Is it lawful to pay the census tax to Caesar or not?" Jesus responds by asking them whose image is on their Roman coins, to which they respond simply "Caesar's."

Jesus' response to their reply is known to most of us, "Then repay to Caesar what belongs to Caesar and to God what belongs to God." The Lord's answer is far more perceptive than we might think, and it gives another message to us, one we must always remember. If we are followers of Christ, and if we work to be His disciple, the Lord might ask us, "Whose image is on your soul?" We have learned in the First Chapter of Genesis that God created us in His image.

The coin may be stamped with Caesar's image, but each of us is stamped with God's image. Thus, Jesus is implying that the coin may be Caesar's but each of us belongs to God. In that regard we should be striving to be all those things to which Jesus called us.

That is in effect what a stewardship way of life is — recognizing that God is in each of us, we are to place ourselves in service to God and to one another. That is what is really meant by "Then repay to Caesar what belongs to Caesar and to God what belongs to God."

**DON'T FORGET!**

### "God Wants To Renew Your Ohana More Than Dr. Phil"

October 25

6:30 p.m. Praise & Worship

7:00 p.m. Paul J. Kim



No family is perfect, but thankfully, God is able to make beautiful things come out of even the most difficult situations. Come learn about God's plan for each of our lives and families in this presentation with Paul J. Kim, who has a background in Marriage and Family Therapy, has reached audiences in 43 states and four countries, and is able to not only entertain with his music and comedy, but also inspire people to become the best versions of themselves. Whether you are single, dating, "forever alone", married, celibate, consecrated, or human... **This evening is for you! All ages are welcome.**

## WEEKLY CALENDAR

- Oct 21 (Sat) Weekday**  
**World Mission Sunday-Propagation of the Faith**  
 8:30am Divine Mercy (Cenacle) (PH)
- Oct 22 (Sun) 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**World Mission Sunday-Propagation of the Faith**  
 10:30am 2nd Parent's Orientation (CH)  
 10:30am Religious Education Classes
- Oct 23 (Mon) Weekday, St. John of Capistrano**  
 6:30pm Middle School/Youth Ministry (Lib)  
 7:00pm EPIC Young Adult Faith Sharing (CH)  
 7:00pm Altar Society Mtg. (PH)
- Oct 24 (Tue) Weekday, St. Anthony Mark Claret**  
 7:00am Communion Service  
 7:00pm Bible Study (Lib)  
 7:00pm Development Committee Mtg. (PH)
- Oct 25 (Wed) Weekday**  
 7:00am Communion Service  
 6:30pm Paul J. Kim Praise & Worship/Talk (CH)
- Oct 26 (Thu) Weekday**  
 9:00am Craft Guild (PH)  
 10:00am Charismatic Prayer Group (Lib)  
 7:00pm Knights of Columbus (PH)
- Oct 27 (Fri) Weekday**  
 10:30am Staff Mtg. (Lib)
- Oct 28 (Sat) Sts. Simon and Jude**  
 9:00am Food Pantry
- Oct 29 (Sun) 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**Priesthood Sunday**  
 5:00pm Ilocano Mass (Whitmore)

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

## OBITUARIES: MAY THEY REST IN PEACE



### +Betty Wong Brabenec

Oct 30 11:00am Memorial Service-MMP

### +Marvin Magday Agdinaoy

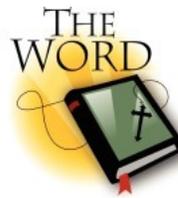
Nov 5 6:30pm Wake Service-MMP

Nov 6 10:00am Funeral Mass-OLS



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Feast of Our Lady of Sorrows; September 15, 2017



## TODAY'S READINGS

[Liturgical Color: Green]

Isaiah 45:1, 4-6

Psalms 96: 1, 3-5, 7-10

1 Thessalonians 1:1-5b

Matthew 22:15-21

The Lord is king (Ps) and there is no other (1). We are to render to God, therefore, fitting praise and service, as is God's due (3). God's word to us, in turn, is a matter of power and strength, to be lived with conviction of heart (2).

**NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS** [Liturgical Color: Green]

Exodus 22:20-26 · 1 Thessalonians 1:5c-10 · Matthew 22:34-40

## STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Weekend of October 14-15, 2017

### OFFERINGS

Sunday Offering	\$4,595.00
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### MISCELLANEOUS OFFERINGS

Food Pantry	\$20.00
Other	\$254.11

**Mahalo for your generosity!**

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



## October 24:

"Hospitality, Welcoming the Stranger".

Cost of book: \$8.00. Contact Shirley Caban (621-5109 x 9723) for more information.

## THIS WEEKEND'S SECOND COLLECTION

**TODAY IS WORLD MISSION SUNDAY** – a day that leads us to the heart of our Christian faith – leads us to mission! Your generosity on World Mission Sunday supports the work of priests, religious and lay leaders in the Missions who share our faith with those most in need. This year we can even “chat” with our chief missionary, Pope Francis, and learn more about his missions and missionaries. Learn more at [ChatWithThePope.org](http://ChatWithThePope.org). **Chat – Pray – Give** this World Mission Sunday.



## ALL SOULS' DAY BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE

The names of our beloved deceased will be placed in the Parish Book of Remembrance to be enshrined in the sanctuary and prayed for at every Mass during the month of November. The forms for you to write the names of your deceased loved ones were in last weekend's bulletin. Forms are also available on the Usher's Table at the Front Entrance of the church. Please drop the forms in the collection basket. The Mass for All Souls' Day on November 2 (7:00 AM & 7:00 PM) will be for all our deceased loved ones.

**There will be NO individual intentions at those Masses.**



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

- ◆ **Registration for Religious Education is still open! See Usher's Table or Parish Office for registration forms.**
- ◆ **OCTOBER 22, 10:30 am: PARENTS' ORIENTATION MEETING**  
**THIS MEETING IS MANDATORY.** Those parents who attended the meeting on September 24th are excused.

**Youth Ministry at OLS**

Here at Our Lady of Sorrows Parish, we have youth ministry for young people in middle school and high school. Our youth ministries provide a safe, fun place for youth to enjoy community, to get answers to their questions about faith, and, most importantly, to experience Jesus in a profound and personal way. The resources that we use are Edge (for middle school) and Life Teen (for high school). These resources present Catholic teaching in a way that young people can understand.



Our Middle School Youth Ministry meet on Monday nights from 6:30 – 8:00 p.m. in the Parish Library.



Our High School Youth Ministry meet on Sunday's from 10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. in the Youth Room (behind the Parish Office Building).

**Living Catholic in the 808: Canon Law and Domestic Violence**

*Fr. Mark Gantley, Judicial Vicar, Diocese of Honolulu*

To put it bluntly, canon law recognizes the right of a party to not maintain a common household with one's spouse in situations of danger.

While canon 1151 says: "Spouses have the duty and right to preserve conjugal living unless a legitimate cause excuses them," canon 1153 §1 provides an example of such a legitimate cause: "If either of the spouses causes grave mental or physical danger to the other spouse or to the offspring or otherwise renders common life too difficult, that spouse gives the other a legitimate cause for leaving. ..."

Note that the danger can be to either husband or wife or to children, and that the danger may be physical or some other danger or grave difficulty (e.g., drug use, alcoholism).

The Church in these situations encourages repentance, change of behavior, forgiveness, and reconciliation. That said, as long as danger exists, the innocent spouse has no obligation to resume marital life. Divorce may even be necessary to protect the rights of the innocent party.

The right to separate does not mean that the person has a right to marry someone else. The parties are presumed to still be married even if they civilly divorce. In this situation, the person may petition for a declaration of marital nullity through the Diocesan Tribunal to determine if the marriage was invalid from the beginning. This would allow a new marriage. Contact your parish to start the process.

**A MESSAGE FROM THE FOOD PANTRY...**

The food pantry distributes bags of food on the last Saturday of each month in the driveway of the parish office building. If you would like to help with the distribution of bags please come on the morning of October 28 at 8:00 a.m. Your help would be very much appreciated. Mahalo for your support of the Food Pantry.



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Chairperson, Finance Council

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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.