



**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

**THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY  
IN ORDINARY TIME**  
Weekend of October 29-30, 2016



**A STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION FOR THE  
THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

In the Gospel Reading from St. Luke we hear the story of the tax collector Zacchaeus and his desire to see and perhaps meet Jesus. The image of Zacchaeus up in that sycamore tree is one that many of us may recall from our childhood, and hearing it — because it is a vivid impression, and one that even as we get older may — may trigger a memory.

The name Zacchaeus means “pure one,” but he certainly was not pure. We learn from his own confession how he has overcharged and cheated people in his tax collection duties. However, for all his faults and shortcomings Zacchaeus seeks purity, and he understands that Jesus is a way to achieve that. It is interesting to note that Zacchaeus climbs a tree to see Jesus better. That sounds like something a child might do, and that fulfills in a small way an instruction Jesus gives to each of us, “Amen, I say to you, unless you turn and become like children, you will not enter the kingdom of heaven.” Jesus follows that remark immediately reminding us that we must become humble like children.

That is a cue for us to recall importance of humility when it comes to being a good steward, but thanks to the lesson of Zacchaeus we learn even more about how to seek stewardship. Like the tax collector we need to make an effort to seek Jesus; like him we must be humble; we must welcome Jesus into our homes and into our hearts; and finally we need to receive him joyfully.



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. Please use the forms in this weekend’s bulletin to write the names of your deceased loved ones and 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 of our deceased loved ones. There will be no individual intentions at those Masses.

## WEEKLY CALENDAR

<b>Oct 29 (Sat)</b>	<b>31st Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>
<b>Oct 30 (Sun)</b>	<b>31st Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> 10:15am Infant Baptism 10:30am Religious Education Classes 10:30am Confirmation I Parents & Students Mtg (PH) 12:00pm Youth Ministry Parent/Teen Mtg (PH) 5:00pm Ilocano Mass (Whitmore)
<b>Oct 31 (Mon)</b>	<b>Weekday</b> <b>All Hallows Eve (Halloween)</b> 6:30pm Middle School Youth Ministry (Lib)
<b>Nov 1 (Tue)</b>	<b>All Saints</b> 6:30pm Altar Society Sub-Committee Mtg (PH)
<b>Nov 2 (Wed)</b>	<b>The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls Day)</b> 10:00am Central Oahu Priests' Vicariate Mtg (OLS) 6:30pm Youth Ministry Class (Chapel) 6:30pm Kupuna Kokua Ministry Mtg (PH) 7:00pm Mass
<b>Nov 3 (Thu)</b>	<b>St Martin de Porres</b> 9:00am Craft Guild (PH) 10:00am Charismatic Prayer Group (Lib)
<b>Nov 4 (Fri)</b>	<b>St Charles Borromeo</b> <b>First Friday</b> 7:00am Mass / Eucharistic Adoration 8:00am Wahiawa Ministers' Mtg 8:30am Benediction
<b>Nov 5 (Sat)</b>	<b>BVM</b> 9:00am Pastoral Council Mtg w/Leaders (PH)
<b>Nov 6 (Sun)</b>	<b>32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> <b>Archdiocese for Military Services Collection</b> <b>National Vocation Awareness Week</b> 10:30am Religious Education Classes 10:30am Confirmation II Parents & Students Mtg (PH) 10:30am Altar Society Mtg (CH)

\*OLS = Our Lady of Sorrows / CH = Church / PH = Parish Hall / Lib = Library / Sch = School  
MMP = Mililani Mortuary Park / WGH = Wahiawa General Hospital

## BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

The parish bulletin is the major communication OLS uses to provide information to our parishioners. We encourage all of our ministries and organizations to use the bulletin as a means to keep everyone informed about your parish activities. Please note the following information for submission of bulletin announcements:

- ◆ Deadline is 9 days prior to the bulletin date you would like your announcement to appear in.
- ◆ Please send your announcement and any graphic you would like used via email.
- ◆ Announcements may be edited as to space availability.
- ◆ Priority is given to OLS activities and will appear according to the date of the event.

Thank you for your kind cooperation with assuring our bulletin will be submitted to our printers on time.



## TODAY'S READINGS

[Liturgical Color: Green]

### Wisdom 11:22-12:2

Before the Lord the whole universe is as a grain from a balance.

### 2 Thessalonians 1:11-2:2

May God make you worthy of his calling.

### Luke 19:1-10

The Son of Man has come to seek and to save what was lost.

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

2 Maccabees 7:1-2, 9-14 · 2 Thessalonians 2:16-3:5 · Luke 20:27-38

## STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Weekend of October 22-23, 2016

### OFFERINGS

Sunday Offering	\$3,716.47
All Souls	77.00
World Mission Sunday	931.85

### MISCELLANEOUS OFFERINGS

Food Pantry	5.00
Building Fund	78.00
Mass Intention	160.00

### OTHERS

Candles	272.96
FIF Pledge Payments	1,100.00
FIF T-Shirt Sales	68.00
Tenant's Electric	221.94

### Mahalo for your generosity!

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

## Pastoral Council News

Congratulations to the 2016-2017 Officers:

Chair—Bridgette Bennett

Vice-Chair—Reggie Sojot

Recorder—Phyllis Dilwith

Council Members—Matthew Bugher, Valerie Dascil-Tago, Denise Hale, David Monroy, Felix Navares, Annette Pascual, Paulina Saddler, and Anita Sasaki

### *A Spiritual Retreat*

### *for Those Mourning the Loss of a Loved One*

**Saturday, November 5, 2016**

**9:00 AM—2:00 PM**

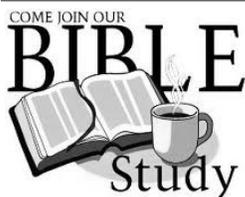
**St. Anthony Retreat Center, Kalihi**

As the month of November approaches, we remember our beloved dead. On November 1st, we celebrate *All Saints Day*, and on November 2nd, *All Souls Day*. This can be a painful time for those who have lost a loved one. Sr. Marie Lemert, ss.cc. and Malulani Kamanu will lead participants through prayer and reflection in their time of greatest need. Come and let the healing begin. Lunch is provided. Free will offering. Registration required. For more information or to register, please call 845-0065.

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CORNER

Shirley Caban, Religious Education Coordinator

**October 30, 10:30am**, Parents Meeting, Confirmation I students, PHall  
RE registration on going. Forms are available on the usher's table, front of the Church and at the Parish Office Building.



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**November 15, 22, 29, 2016**  
**(Tuesday evenings)**  
**7:00 PM ~ Parish Library**

To register or for more info call Shirley at 621-5109 ext. 9723. Cost of book \$6.

## YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS

**Important Youth Ministry Parent/Teen Meeting**  
**Sunday, October 30th at 12:00 Noon**  
**Parish Hall**



## Toiletries Collection for Homeless



During October the Knights of Columbus will be collecting toiletries for the homeless. Travel-size or larger items such as shampoo, toothpaste, tooth brushes, razors and shaving cream, soap, etc. are welcome. Just leave your donations at the back of the church. All donations will be given to the homeless in our area.

## The Jubilee of Mercy to Soon Conclude

As the Jubilee of Mercy comes to a close on 20 November 2016, this exceptional occasion reminds us once again of what Pope Francis said that it is an "effective witness of God's divine mercy." The most significant activity that accompanies the celebration of this extraordinary period of divine mercy is the opening of Holy Doors in the Vatican and in some major churches in different dioceses all over the world for those who wish to make pilgrimages to gain plenary indulgences for those participating in its celebrations as well as for the souls of our faithful departed. Passing through the Holy doors, also called the Doors of Mercy, we just pray for the Holy Father and perform some works of mercy to our neighbors.

In this era of divine mercy when focus is given on mercy and compassion as it was at our Lord's passion and death, the prophetic message of Jesus revealed to us through St. Faustina decades ago, proves again and again God's endless love for us and how much He desires for us to always come to Jesus for mercy as the Day of Justice nears. Our Lord told St. Faustina: "Before I come as the just Judge, I am coming first as the King of Mercy."

Have we accepted such loving invitation to turn to Jesus for mercy? And to heed His message to convey mercy to others by word, by prayer, and by deed? And, very importantly, to "tell the world of My mercy and My love...The flames of mercy are burning in Me. I desire to pour them out upon human souls..." Don't we all need such magnanimous offer to receive divine mercy from Jesus, the source of mercy?

And as we contemplate divine mercy, particularly during this Jubilee of Mercy, have we become "more convinced and effective witnesses" to the Divine Mercy? Thank you, Lord!

By an Apostle of Divine Mercy

## PARISH STAFF

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Chairperson, Pastoral Council

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Chairperson, Finance 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.**