



**OUR LADY OF SORROWS**

# THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS

Weekend of September 13-14, 2014

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THE NUMBERS OF HOPE

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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**

## MESSAGE FROM FR. RICHARD

When you come to Mass on the weekend of September 27-28 you will notice an important change in the sanctuary of our Church. The tabernacle containing the Blessed Sacrament, the Body of Jesus Christ, will be moved from the side altar to the center under the crucifix. Why the change?

In my article in the last few weeks' bulletins, I have been speaking of the importance of the Eucharist. Last week I quoted the Vatican Council, "For the most Holy Eucharist contains the Church's entire spiritual wealth: Christ our Passover and our living bread." Christ is the bread of life present in the Mass, feeding us with himself in Holy Communion. The Holy Eucharist is reserved in the tabernacle after Mass so that we can bring communion to the sick and dying and so that we can encounter the Lord, really and truly present there.

The General Instruction on the Roman Missal says, "In accordance with the structure of each church and legitimate local customs, the Most Blessed Sacrament should be reserved in a tabernacle in a part of the church that is truly noble, prominent, worthily decorated and suitable for prayer." (GIRM 314) The Code of Canon Law speaks about placing the tabernacle in a "distinguished place." (Canon 398) At the same time the tabernacle should not be on the altar nor distract from the central focus on the altar during the celebration of Mass. (GIRM 315)

While we can appreciate the reasons for moving the tabernacle to the side of the sanctuary in the 1970's, we can ask today whether that is really a "distinguished", "noble" or "prominent" position. Giving it a central position can better emphasize the honor due the Eucharistic presence of Jesus Christ in the tabernacle.

A Church is the House of God because it is where the Body of Christ, the Church, gathers for worship. A Catholic Church is doubly the House of God because God dwells there in the Blessed Sacrament. When we enter a Catholic Church, whether our own OLS or a grand basilica or a humble shack, the Lord is present in his Body and Blood. That is our faith.

Let us worship Him. Let us thank Him for His abundant gifts. Let us ask His mercy. Let us lift up one another and our world to Him.

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I want to say a word of thanks to Janice Vannatta and Josh Kapika, the Co-Chairs of our Seventy-fifth Anniversary Committee and all those who worked with her to make Sunday's celebration such a great event, Kainoa Fukumoto, Israel Moro, Anita Navares, Betty Gomes, Vicki Caraulia and the Altar Society, Max Velasco and the Knights of Columbus and Trudy Algozo and the Youth Ministry and Bobbie and Herman Walker and all who helped with ticket sales, set-up and clean-up and the entertainment. It's a blessing to mark such a milestone. It reminds us that the Lord has journeyed with OLS all these years and that He is calling us into the future as his Body.

*Fr. Richard, ss.cc.*

## WEEKLY CALENDAR

- Sept 13 (Sat)**    **The Exaltation of the Holy Cross**  
Catholic University
- Sept 14 (Sun)**    **The Exaltation of the Holy Cross**  
Catholic University  
10:30am Catechist Mtg/Lunch (PH)  
6:00pm Evening Prayer (CH)
- Sept 15 (Mon)**    **Our Lady of Sorrows**  
7:00pm Mass  
7:00pm YAM Faith Sharing
- Sept 16 (Tues)**    **Sts Cornelius & Cyprian**
- Sept 17 (Wed)**    **St Robert Bellarmine**  
7:00pm Pastoral Council Mtg (PH)
- Sept 18 (Thurs)**    **Weekday**  
7:00pm OLS Prayer Group (Lib)
- Sept 19 (Fri)**    **St Januarius**  
San Lorenzo Ruiz novena begins
- Sept 20 (Sat)**    **Sts Andrew Kim Tae-gon & Paul Chong Ha-sang & Companions**  
1:00pm Baptism Seminar (PH)
- Sept 21 (Sun)**    **25th Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
Catholic Charities Hawaii Collection  
Catechetical Sunday  
9:00am Catechist Commissioning  
10:15am FCC Mtg (PH)  
10:30am Religious Education Parent Orientation (Lib)  
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



### + Ronalyn Islao

Sept. 22 6:30pm Wake Svc—MMP

Sept. 23 9:30am Funeral Mass—OLS

### + Abellana Medrano

Sept. 28 6:30pm Wake Svc—MMP

Sept. 29 10:15am Funeral Svc—MMP

### + Maria Camanse

Oct. 4 7:00pm Memorial Svc—MMP

## Seven Sorrows Evening Prayer

Next Sunday, **September 14**, join us in the church at **6:00 PM** for an Evening Prayer service as we reflect upon the seven sorrows of Our Lady. All are invited to participate.

## OLS Feast Day Mass

All are invited to come celebrate the feast of our patroness on **Monday, September 15**, at **7:00 PM** in the church. Join us as we celebrate Our Lady of Sorrows and her inspiration to this community especially over the past 75 years.



## TODAY'S READINGS

[Liturgical Color: Red]

### Numbers 21:4b-9

We have sinned in complaining against the Lord and you.

### Philippians 2:6-11

At the name of Jesus every knee should bend,  
of those in heaven and on earth and under the earth.

### John 3:13-17

For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son.

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

Isaiah 55:6-9 · Philippians 1:20c-24, 27a · Matthew 20:1-16a

## STEWARDSHIP FOR THE WEEKEND OF September 6-7 2014

SUNDAY COLLECTIONS .....	4,511.58
VOTIVE CANDLES .....	216.26
BAPTISMS, FUNERALS, BLESSINGS, ETC .....	550.00
BUILDING FUND .....	1,079.00
CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY OF AMERICA .....	6.00
RE TUITION .....	350.00
OLS FEAST DAY .....	95.00
TENANT'S RENT/WATER .....	2,650.86
MASS INTENTIONS .....	70.00

MAHALO FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!!!

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



## Catholic Cafe

*Exploring the Catechism*

*with Fr. Robert Barron*

**April 27, 2014**

**10:30 AM ~ Library**

The Catholic Café will return to OLS beginning on Sep 28 following the 9am Mass from 10:30-11:45 AM. Over the next several months we will be exploring the Catholicism Series by Fr. Robert Barron. The first is entitled "Amazed and Afraid: The Revelation of God Become Man". Fr. Barron illuminates and explains the conviction of the Catholic Faith that Jesus of Nazareth is the Promised Messiah, and the revelation of God become man. Light refreshments will be served.

## Foodland Give Aloha Program

**Support Our Lady of Sorrows  
at Foodland and Sack N Save!**

Make your donation to OLS at any Foodland by Sept. 30 & Foodland will match a percentage of your donation.

**Our Lady of Sorrows code is: 77250**

**Thank You For Your Support!**

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CORNER

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

### IMPORTANT DATES:

**September 21**—Parents Orientation (Pre-K - Grade 5), 10:30-11:30AM, P. Hall

**September 22**—Parents Orientation (EDGE Ministry - Grades 6, 7, & 8),  
6:30PM, Library

**September 28**—RE Classes start , 10:30AM - 11:45AM

**Registration forms are available**

at the Parish Office and at the usher's table (front of Church)

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### Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a communal process of spiritual and educational formation for persons who seek to become full members of the Roman Catholic Church through a conversion of mind and heart. The process is open to all, regardless of religious background or philosophical persuasion, who genuinely seek, by God's grace, to live their lives in the distinctive Catholic Christian faith. If you or a family member, neighbor or friend, would like to learn more about this process, please join us for the introductory session scheduled for Sunday, September 21<sup>st</sup> in the parish library from 10:30-11:45 AM. Please contact the Religious Education Coordinator at 621-5109 ext. 9723.



September 13-14

The Catholic University of America is the national university of the Catholic Church in the United States, located in Washington, D.C. It provides an academically rigorous education guided by Catholic intellectual tradition to nearly 7,000 students every year. *More than 4,000 students directly receive scholarship aid from this Collection, including many from our diocese.* This weekend is The National Collection for The Catholic University of America.

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CATHOLIC CHARITIES  
HAWAII

Help carry out the social mission of the Church. Your generosity will help improve the lives of those we serve right here in Hawai'i! Donations made will help to counsel families, educate immigrants, provide shelter and information to young women going through unplanned pregnancy and develop housing assistance and referral services. Lord, increase our spirit of charity.

September 20-21

## 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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*Chairperson, Finance Committee*