



ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

March 18, 2012

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 **MASS SCHEDULE**
St. Joseph Church

Weekdays:
Mon.-Fri.
6:00 am & 12:15 pm
Saturday: 7:00 am
Legal Holidays: 7:00 am

Vigil Mass: 5:00 pm

Sunday:
St. Joseph Church
7:00 am, 9:00 am,
11:45 am & 6:00pm

Youth Mass

March 25
11:45 am 

CONFESSION

Saturday:
10:00 am-11:00 am
St. Joseph Church
or by appointment
*Please note:
confession schedule
does not apply during
some liturgical seasons.

PRAYER TIMES

Adoration:
M-F 4-5:00 pm
Sat 3-3:30 pm
Sun 4-4:30 pm

**Evening Prayer
& Benediction**
M-F 5:00 pm
Sat 3:30 pm
Sun 4:30 pm



RITE OF ELECTION HELD IN WAIMEA

The Rite of Election was held in Waimea on Sunday, February 26th at Annunciation Parish. Bishop Larry Silva officiated at the island wide event. Pictured above are our RCIA candidates: Harvey Motomura and sponsor Alicia Motomura; Brandon Kekona and sponsor Ikaika Pakele and Gina Ganir-Gray and sponsor James Gray and our St. Joseph RCIA coordinators Michael Rohr and Carol Denis.

Mission Statement: Centered on the Word of God and the Eucharist we gather as a community of disciples of Jesus Christ as we seek fullness of life. Blessed with many cultures and gifted with the Hawaiian spirit of Aloha we pledge to share our heritage and our faith, and commit ourselves to the full development of our people. With Saint Joseph as our patron we offer our gift of self for the greater glory of God.

Dear brothers and sisters,

Peace in the Lord Jesus Christ!

You may have heard the story of a girl who was introduced to some arithmetic symbols. One day her mother took her to a nearby church. Upon entering the girl noticed something and asked her mother, "What is that big plus sign doing in front of the altar?" The mother said, "That is not a plus sign, that is the cross; it is where Jesus Christ was nailed for our salvation."^H

The girl in a way was right in saying that the cross is a plus *sign*. Through the Cross, a big plus had been added into our life, something that we could not have accomplished by our own power. It was through the Cross that we were saved. When Jesus was lifted up on the Cross, he brought the whole of humanity in himself to God. Now we can live a life in communion with the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

This Monday, March 19, we will celebrate the feast of Saint Joseph, our Patron. Let us ask his intercession so that we may live our calling as a community of disciples of Jesus Christ.

God bless you.

In Jesus, our Fullness of Life,

Fr. Samuel E. Loterte, SSS

Prayer to St. Joseph

St. Joseph, whose protection is so great, so strong, so prompt before the throne of God, I place in thee all my interests and desires. O St. Joseph, assist me by thy powerful intercession and obtain for me all spiritual blessings through thy foster Son, Jesus Christ Our Lord, so that, having engaged here below thy heavenly power, I may offer thee my thanksgiving and homage.

St. Joseph, I never weary contemplating thee and Jesus asleep in thine arms. I dare not approach while He reposes near thy heart. Press Him in my name and kiss His fine head for me, and ask Him to return the kiss when I draw my dying breath.

Sunday, March 18

2 Chr 36:14-16, 19-23
Ps 137:1-6
Eph 2:4-10
Jn 3:14-21

Monday, March 19

2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16
Ps 89:2-5, 27, 29
Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22
Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a

Tuesday, March 20

Ez 47:1-9, 12
Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9
Jn 5:1-16

Wednesday, March 21

Is 49:8-15
Ps 145:8-9, 13c-14, 17-18
Jn 5:17-30

Thursday, March 22

Ex 32:7-14
Ps 106:19=23
Jn 5:31-47

Friday, March 23

Wis 2:1a, 12-22
Ps 34:17-21, 23
Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

Saturday, March 24

Jer 11:18-20
Ps 7:2-3, 9b-12
Jn 7:40-53

Sunday, March 25

Jer 31:31-34
Ps 51:3-4, 12-15
Heb 5:7-9
Jn 12:20-33

Lenten Ministry Recollections:

Ministry recollections will be held during Lent. The theme will be "God's Love as Reconciliation in Jesus Christ." The schedule will be as follows:

Lectors & Catechists	Saturday, March 24	9 am to noon
Youth/YA leaders and altar servers	Saturday, March 31	9 am to noon

All members are encouraged to attend so that we may prayerfully prepare ourselves for Easter.

*Eternal rest grant unto them
O Lord
and let perpetual light shine
upon them.*

- +William Waters, Jr.
- +Thomas McCann
- +Elizabeth Araujo
- +Ralph Rodrigues
- +Adelaide Costa-Strunk
- +Beatrice Lau

WEEKLY CALENDAR

MONDAY, March 19 "Feast of St. Joseph"

- 11:30 am •Food Pantry/SJ Social Ministry Center
- 5:15 pm •Bible Study w/Dale Waltjen/Conf. Room
- 5:00 pm •Youth & Young Adult Choir Rehearsal/Church
- 6:00 pm •RCIA Classes/Library
- 7:00 pm •Mass (Feast of St. Joseph)/Church—Fellowship follows/Mtg. Room

TUESDAY, March 20

- 4:30 pm •Life Teen Core Team Meeting/Conf. Room
- 7:00 pm •RCIA Reconciliation Service/Church
- 7:00 pm •Mother of Perpetual Help Novena/Mtg. Room

WEDNESDAY, March 21

- 6:30 pm •Alabare Choir Rehearsal/Church

THURSDAY, March 22

- 6:30 pm •SJ Choir Rehearsal/Church
- 7:00 pm •Chrism Mass/Our Lady of Lourdes—Honokaa

FRIDAY, March 23

- 3:00 pm •Stations of the Cross/Church
- 7:00 pm •Stations of the Cross/Church

SATURDAY, March 24

- 8:15 am •Church Cleaners #7/Church
- 9:00 am •2012 Lenten Recollection/Mtg. Room
- 10:00 am •Reconciliation/Church
- 10:00 am •Bible Study w/MaryAnn Leite/Library
- 10:00 am •Sacramental Prep Class/Conf. Room
- 5:00 pm •High School Youth Ministry/Library

SUNDAY, March 25

- 9:00 am •2012 Catechumens Catechesis/Library
- 10:15 am •Religious Ed Classes/SJHS
- 11:45 am •Youth Mass/Church

Vocations Dinner with Bishop

From Fr. Peter Dumag

Calling all young men considering and discerning the call to the priesthood. There will be a get together for all Vocation Prospects, 18 years old and above. Come along to "talk story" with our Bishop. Following are the dates and locations for Vocations Dinner, 5 - 8 PM:

- March 23 - East Hawaii, Malia Puka O Kalani
- May 4 - West Hawaii, Annunciation

For more information, please contact the Vocations Office at (808) 585-3343, or send an email at manao@rcchawaii.org and pabaya@rcchawaii.org, Assistant Director of Vocations.

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Spam, Corned Beef, Corned Beef Hash, Vienna Sausage, Canned Pastas, Pork & Beans, Rice and Cereal.

Stewardship Report

March 5, 2012

Parish Hall Fund	3,865.00
School Fund	87.00
Bldg. Maint. Fund	175.00
Food Pantry	50.00
Mass Collections	8,792.12
Other Collections	5,209.50
Total Deposit	18,178.62
Parish Hall Collection to date	628,370.31

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