Issue: May 2, 2010

Hilo Roman Catholic Community



St. Joseph Church

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MASS SCHEDULE

St. Joseph Church

Weekdays: Mon. - Fri. 6:00 am & 12:15 pm Legal Holidays: 7:00 am Saturday: 7:00 am Vigil Mass: 5:00 pm **Sunday:** St. Joseph Church 7:00 am, 9:00 am, 11:30 am & 6:00 pm

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 Morning Prayer & Benediction Mon.-Sat. Immediately after Mass Evening Prayer & Benediction Sun. – Friday: 4:30 pm Saturday: 3:30 pm

Malia Puka O Kalani Church MASS SCHEDULE: WEEKEND: 5:15 pm Saturday Vigil 9:00 am Sunday 4:00 pm (Spanish Mass)

WEEKDAY: 5:15 pm Mon. Wed. Fri.



IMPORTANT DATES:

There will be Communion Services in place of Masses on Monday, May 3rd and on Tuesday, May 4th at 6:00 am. **Our regular Mass** schedule will resume at 12:15 pm Tuesday.

First Friday Adoration in May will be Friday, May 7th, **Begins following** the 12:15 Mass. "He who spoke with authority now spends His earthly life in silence. Let us adore Jesus in the Eucharistic silence of adoration." Mother Teresa of Calcutta.

> **Youth Mass** Sunday, May 9 11:30 am St. Joseph Church



St. Damien Mass Monday, May 10 7:00 pm St. Joseph Church

RE CALENDAR

► Rehearsal for our May 9th First Holy Communion Rehearsal will be held on Saturday, May 8th at 6:15 pm immediately following the 5:00 pm Mass. All students who will be receiving their first Holy Communion on May 9th are required to attend.

► No R.E. Classes on May 9th due to 1st Holy Communion and Mother's Day. There will also be no Children's Liturgy on Sunday May 9th

Pastor's Corner

Fifth Sunday of Easter, May 2, 2010

Dear brothers and sisters.

Peace in the Risen Lord!

Jesus, before he left this world, gave us a command by which the disciples will be known as his very own: their love for one another. The measure of this love is the love of Jesus for them, the love which made Jesus stoop down to wash their feet, the love which made him offer his very life on the cross.

The seal of our belonging to Christ remains the same: our love for Jesus and our love for one another. May we remain committed and faithful to his commandment, which is ever ancient, yet ever new.

May I take this opportunity to greet and thank the members of the Big Island Filipino Christian Community for their "Pista Sa Nayon" Celebration this May 8, 2010 (Saturday). This will take place At Saint Joseph High School Gym from 7:00 am to 3:00 pm. This is truly a beautiful way of giving honor to the Blessed Virgin Mary, "Mother and Model Disciple of a Priestly People."

God bless you, Fr. Samuel E. Loterte, SSS



Rev. Samuel Loterte,



- Marilyn Worth
- Veronica Silk, Makiavel & Jemarie Jibas



Pista Sa Nayon (Town Fiesta)

The Big Island Filipino Christian Community announces their project event which is the "Pista Sa Nayon" or Town Fiesta. It will take place on Saturday, May 8, 2010,

from 7:00 am to 3:00 pm at St. Joseph High School Gvm in Hilo.

Pista Sa Nayon is a yearly event hosted by different Filipino Catholic Parishes throughout the Big Island. St. Joseph Church of Hilo will be the main host for this year's event.

This fiesta is a celebration and devotion to honor our Blessed Virgin Mary. This year's theme is: "Mary Mother and Model of a Priestly people" and also commemorates 2010 as the year of the Priest.

This event will start at 7:00 am with registration and coffee hour followed by a rosary procession and coronation of the Blessed Mother. There will be a Eucharist Celebration and opportunities for faith enrichment for

the whole family. After that, some refreshments will be served with vaof Filipino rieties dishes and desserts donated by members of the parish. To finalize the celebration, there will be entertainment with different Filipino folkdances. singing, and much more.

There is no admission and the entire community is invited to attend. Hope to see you there! For more information, call Christina Ranan, Coordinator at 640-4180 or Chrislyn-Villena, Co-coordinator at 935-1465.



MAY 7, 2010 FRIDAY, 7:00 PM HILO HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM

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Congratulation Fr. Samuel Loterte

19th Anniversary of Ordination April 20, 2010

Sunday Reflection Father Greg Friedman, O.F.M.

Fifth Sunday of Easter | May 2, 2010 by Father Greg Friedman, O.F.M.

Acts 14:21-27; Ps 145:8-9, 10-11, 12-13; Rv 21:1-5a; Jn 13:31-33a, 34-35

During World War II, my great-uncle in Italy served as a "partisan," a resistance fighter against the Nazis, and he gave his life for that cause. Resistance fighters like him fought throughout occupied Europe. They had to communicate secretly, often in code, as they tried to give hope to their captive brothers and sisters.

On these Easter Sundays, we read from the Book of Revelation. This New Testament work is puzzling, with its strange descriptions and symbolism. Many readers misunderstand its purpose, and try to find involved, often convoluted references to specific events in our own time or the future. But much of Revelation refers to the time in which it was written. Like those resistance fighters in occupied Europe, the early Christians lived through persecution under Roman rule. I like to understand the Book of Revelation as a kind of "resistance literature," a message of hope shared by persecuted Christians. Jesus has triumphed over evil; God's enemies will be defeated, even death itself.

Today, we Christians face our own troubles. We need to hear encouragement, as the Book of Revelation tells us that all will be made new, that death is not the end. It's an ancient message of hope as new as today's dawn.

> Sunday Soundbite" for St. Anthony Messenger Press, FranciscanRadio.org.



Scripture Readings

Sunday, May 02

Acts 14:21-27 Ps 145:8-13 Rv 21:1-5a Jn 13:31-33a, 34-35

Monday, May 03

1 Cor 15:1-8 Ps 19:2-5 Jn 14:6-14

<u>Tuesday, May 04</u> Acts 14:19-28 Ps 145:10-13b, 21 Jn 14:27-31a

Wednesday, May 05

Acts 15:1-6 Ps 122:1-5 Jn 15:1-8

Thursday, May 06

Acts 15:7-21 Ps 96:1-3, 10 Jn 15:9-11

Friday, May 07

Acts 15:22-31 Ps 57:8-10, 12 Jn 15:12-17

Saturday, May 08

Acts 16:1-10 Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 5 Jn 15:18-21

Sunday, May 09

Acts 15:1-2, 22-29 Ps 67:2-3, 5-6, 8 Rv 21:10-14, 22-23 Jn 14:23-29

Social Ministry Awareness Month Gospel Foundation

'Whatever you do for the least of my people, you do unto me' Mt. 25:



Patron – St. Damien of Molokai

We are humbly invited by our Lord Jesus Christ to reflect on our life in faith through the Seven Corporal Works of Mercy:

- Feed the Hungry
- Give drink to the Thirsty
- Clothe the Naked
- Visit the Imprisoned
- Shelter the Homeless
- Visit the Sick



ATTENTION ARTISTS!

T-Shirt Logo Art Contest!

(for the front and the back) For St. Joseph Church Organized by St. Joseph Social Ministry.

Submissions accepted during the month of May.

Theme: "Fullness of Life" With a Bible quotation: Gen. 12:2 '....be a blessing'

Please contact Sister Ruth for Details and Information.

St. Joseph School

\$ E KOMO MAI! Honoring the 🏹 You are invited to join the St. Joseph Schools Alumni and Friends at \mathbf{M} Class of the annual luau 1960 WHERE: Hilo Meishoin Hall, 97 Olona Street on the WHEN: Saturday, May 29 50^{th} 5:30 pm: meet and greet old and new friends anniversary 6:00 pm: dinner of their -TICKETS: \$25.00 graduation. All proceeds will go toward the SJS tuition assistance fund. A Tickets are available from any Alumni and Friends member, SEE YOU at the high school office, or call Pat Pavao at 959-9754, or THERE! Tony Phillips at 959-8303. COME ONE, COME ALL FOR GREAT FOOD, 6 AN **FUN, AND FELLOWSHIP!**



The Alumni and Friends of St. Joseph Schools have a sweet bread fundraiser coming up on Friday, May 7. Orders for Mrs. Vierra's sweet bread rolls are being accepted by Agnes Crivello, at 935-7753; Anthony Phillips, at 959-8303; and Celia Shinoda, at 961-3939. The deadline for orders is Monday, May 3, so get your orders in early!

The price per package is \$6, and is due when you pick up your order. Pick-up is from 3-5 pm on Friday, May 7, at the rectory meeting room.

MAHALO FOR YOUR KOKUA!

As usual, the proceeds will go to the tuition assistance fund of St. Joseph Schools.

TELEPHONE BOOK RECYCLING CONTEST May 1-through May 28



Cardinal News

St. Joseph Elementary School is once again participating in the Telephone Book Recycling Contest from May 1, through May 28.

Hawaiian Tel has partnered with Orchid Island Rubbish & Recycle, who will be collecting directories for the duration of the program at the following locations:

Dates/Times:

- Hilo Transfer Station (Leilani Street) Monday - Friday - 12 noon to 4:00 pm
- Kealakehe Transfer Station (Near Kailua-Kona police station) <u>Saturday only</u> 10:00 am to 2:00 pm
- Books may also be dropped off at St. Joseph Elementary School.

If there are too many books, we can make arrangements for pickup. Please call me at the school (935-4935). Thank you so much for your continued support! *Colette Tyrin, Secretary*

Malia Puka O Kalani Church

Fr. Joe Hennen



Dear Parishioners.

First of all, let me thank Fr. Joe Carroll for covering for me while I have been on the mainland for medical monitoring and a retreat. The truth is, if Fr. Carroll wouldn't be available. I'm not sure I could stay at Malia. My oncologist in New York insists that I return twice a year. Fr. Carroll has made this possible and I am deeply appreciative. I am sure that our wonderful parish expresses the same gratitude.

I have finished all my medical tests. I still have leukemia! However, the good news is that it has not progressed in one year. It is stagnant and in remission. There is no indication that it is progressing and becoming life threatening. The doctor is amazed. He stated, "This is a progressive disease. We don't see this in you."

Obviously, I was hoping that the leukemia would be gone. However, Mother Marianne is taking her time.

I am extremely grateful to all of you and to the parishioners of our sister parish, St. Joseph, for your steady prayers. Thanks for your prayers and for putting up with my infirmities. I will be home on Friday, May 7th.

Fr. Joe

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS AND LECTORS:



BAPTISMS:

For any information regarding Baptisms, the next Baptism class, scheduling Baptisms, Malia re-**Our Family** quirements for Baptism, or any other questions, contact Samantha at 966-6350.

MAINTENANCE COMMITTEE MEETING:

The Maintenance Committee will meet on Saturday, May 8 at 9:30 am. Please get agenda items and/or items regarding maintenance and repair to Uncle Moke or any of the committee members by May 4.

Welcome to

LITURGY COMMITTEE MEETING:

The Liturgy Committee will meet on Saturday, May 15 at 9:30 am. Please get agenda items and/ or concerns regarding liturgy to Joe Farias or any committee member no later than Tuesday, May 11.



Fr. Joseph Hennen Ernest Matsumoto Aunty Patty Grube Uncle Tony Moniz Aunty Dora Costa Aunty Mamo Otineru Aunty Nita Kua Aunty Elizabeth Dulatre Aunty Mabel Silva Aunty Irene Kondo Shirley Rizzo Grace Carter Rupert Tripp Jr. John Tardino Daniel Richards Uncle Warren Curtis Aunty Babes Viverios Terry Tardino Patricia Riggi Donald Swain Ruth Ehrhorn and all those who are sick.

Names will remain on our Prayer List unless we are notified differently.

MALIA COLLECTIONS				
KOA BOWL	\$	1,206.00		
BAPTISM	\$	20.00		
TOTAL SUNDAY DEPOSIT	\$	1,226.00		



We will soon have a new training program and commissioning for individuals

who are willing to be a Eucharistic Minister and/or a Lector.

The criteria for a Eucharistic Minister:

- 1) Catholic in good standing
- 2) 18 Years of age

The criteria for a Lector:

- 1) Catholic in good standing
- 2) Reached the age of confirmation (14)

If you are interested in being a Eucharistic Minister call Shirley at 959-6635. If you are interested in being a Lector call Kathleen at 961-3994.

If there is no answer at these numbers, simply leave a message. Friday, May 7 is the deadline for calling. After May 7, there will be classes and commissioning services scheduled. Individuals who are already Lectors &/or Eucharistic Ministers are requested to also call. If you don't call, we will presume that you want to take a break from being scheduled. Mahalo.

Directory

Pastor:

Rev. Samuel Loterte, SSS Associate Pastor Rev. Gregorio de Guzman, SSS. Deacons: Rev. Don Aanavi Rev. Jerry Nunogawa Rev. Julio Akapito St. Joseph School Principal: Ms. Victoria Torcolini: 935-4936 Office Staff & Ministries Business Manager: David Watson Social Outreach: Sr. Ruth Zonunthari Administrator of Church and Grounds: Br. Eduardo Mabilen SSS Receptionist: Robyn Whittington Housekeeping: "Cres" Castillo Maintenance Supervisor: Robert Balga Religious Education Coordinator: Sr. Marykutty Youth & Young Adult Ministry: Chrislyn Villena: 935-1465 Food Pantry, Maintenance & Security Mario Miguel: 990-9137

Sacraments

Anointing of the Sick: Contact the rectory office for arrangements. **Baptisms: Infant (under 7)** Preparation sessions for parents available 9 times a year. Call the rectory office to register at 935-1465. Baptisms: (over 7-adult) / First **Communion / Confirmation:** Sr. Marykutty 935-1202 **Hospital Communion:** Donna Saiki 935-7801 Home Communion: Joanne Kahaloa 961-2726 Marriages: Contact rectory office at least 6 months in advance. Funerals: Contact rectory office before meeting with funeral director.

Lost, Friday 4/23 Blk rosary case with rosary and key. If found please call or bring to the Rectory. David W. Watson Business Manager St. Joseph Parish Malia Puka O Kalani Parish 935-1465 Liturgy Coordinator: Cecil Farin Music Ministry Coordinator & St. Joseph Choir Gloria Mendoza-Watson Alabare Choir: Godfrey Nachor Aloha Choir: Sylvia Young Engaged Encounter: 961-2442 Fred & Patti Basilio Marriage Encounter: 935-8464 Deacon Jerry & Rose Nunogawa **Rite of Christian Initiation** of Adults: Carol Denis Adult Scripture Study: Deacon Don Aanavi Prison Ministry: John Aguiar: 935-8392 Parish Pastoral Advisory Council: Anna Texeira Finance Council: Evelyn Pacheco Prayer Network: Kathy Choi Call rectory: 935-1465 with your prayer request

Correction Notice

OOPS! I forgot to update the 4/19 collection numbers in last week's bulletin. The correct numbers are posted below. 4/25 collection report is on page 7. Sorry for any confusion, -karen

ST. JOSEPH CHURCH COLLECTION 4/19/2010				
5:00 pm	\$ 1,435.00			
7:00 am	\$ 2,087.00			
9:00 am	\$ 1,409.00			
11:30 am	\$ 1,078.00			
6:00 pm	\$ 2,097.50			
Sunday Total Collection	\$ 8,106.50			
Candles	\$ 185.50			
Donations/ Others	\$ 749.00			
Total Other Revenue	\$ 934.50			
RESTRICTED DONATIONS				
Parish Hall Fund	\$ 995.00			
School Fund	\$ 515.00			
Bldg. Maint. Fund	\$ 919.50			
Misc.	\$ 476.00			
Total Restricted Donations	\$ 2,905.50			
Total Weekly Deposit	\$ 11,946.50			
Parish Hall Fund to Date	\$ 386,941.58			

This Week's Calendar

SUNDAY, May 02

- 10:15 am •Religious Education Classes/SJHS
- 10:15 am •SJ Filipino Catholic Club General Meeting/YMI
- 1:00 pm •Tween (Jr. High) Ministry/St. Joseph Rectory Library
- 4:30 pm •Evening Prayer & Benediction/St. Joseph Church
- 7:00 pm •Young Adults Ministry/St. Joseph Rectory Library

MONDAY, May 03

- 10:00 am •Aloha Choir Rehearsal/St. Joseph Church
- 12:30 pm •Food Pantry/St. Joseph Church
- 1:00 pm •Bulletin Meeting/St. Joseph Rectory Library
- 4:30 pm •Evening Prayer & Benediction/St. Joseph Church
- 5:15 pm •Bible Study w/Sr. Mary/St. Joseph Rectory Conference Room
- 5:30 pm •Youth & Young Adults Choir Rehearsal/St. Joseph Church
- 6:00 pm •RCIA Classes/St. Joseph Rectory Library

TUESDAY, May 04

- 4:30 pm •Evening Prayer & Benediction/St. Joseph Church
- 7:00 pm •Novena (Rosary 6:30 pm)/St. Joseph Church

WEDNESDAY, May 05

- 12:30 pm •Food Pantry/Malia Puka O Kalani Church
- 3:30 pm •Spiritual Growth Group/St. Joseph Church Breezeway
- 4:30 pm •Evening Prayer & Benediction/St. Joseph Church
- 7:00 pm •Alabare Choir Rehearsal/St. Joseph Church
- 7:00 pm •Basic Christian Community/YMI

THURSDAY, May 06

- 4:30 pm •Evening Prayer & Benediction/St. Joseph Church
- 5:30 pm •Cursillo Group/St. Joseph Rectory Library
- 5:30 pm •Convalidation Rehearsal (Dalmacio)/St. Joseph Church
- 6:30 pm •St. Joseph Choir Rehearsal/St. Joseph Church

FRIDAY, May 07

- 9:30 am •SJ School Communion Service/SJES Chapel
- 12:45 pm First Friday Adoration St. Joseph Church
- 3:00 pm •SJ Alumni & Friends Sweetbread Distribution/St. Joseph Rectory Meeting Room
- 4:30 pm •Evening Prayer & Benediction/St. Joseph Church
- 7:00 pm •Grateful Hearts Campaign Concert/Hilo High School Auditorium

SATURDAY, May 08

- 7:00 am •Pista Sa Nayon Celebration/SJS Gym
- 8:45 am Church Cleaners #2/St. Joseph Church
- 9:30 am •Social Ministry Vicariate Enrichment Day/St. Joseph Rectory Meeting Room
- 10:00 am •Bible Study w/Deacon Don /St. Joseph Rectory Library
- 10:00 am •Reconciliation/St. Joseph Church
- 1:00 pm •Convalidation (Dalmacio)/St. Joseph Church
- 1:00 pm •Sacristan Meeting/St. Joseph Rectory Library
- 3:30 pm •Evening Prayer & Benediction/St. Joseph Church
- 5:00 pm •High School Youth Ministry/St. Joseph Rectory Library

SUNDAY, May 09 "Mother's Day"

- 9:00 am •Mass w/First Holy Communion/St. Joseph Church
- 11:30 am •Youth Mass/St. Joseph Church
- 4:30 pm •Evening Prayer & Benediction/St. Joseph Church

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ST. JOSEPH CHURCH				
COLLECTION 4/25/2010				
Filipino Mass	\$	185.00	ľ	
5:00 pm	\$	1,189.00		
7:00 am	\$	2,192.50		
9:00 am	\$	2,056.00		
11:30 am	\$	1,951.00		
Micronesian Mass	\$	112.00		
6:00 pm	\$	1,216.50		
Sun. Collection Total	\$	8,902.00		
Candles	\$	270.00		
Donations/Others	\$	1,855.11		
Total Other Revenue	\$	2,125.11		
RESTRICTED DONATIONS				
Parish Hall Fund	\$	1,015.00		
School Fund	\$	372.00		
Bldg. Maint. Fund	\$	627.50		
Misc.	\$	1,222.86		
Total Restricted Donations	\$	3,237.36		
Total Weekly Deposit	\$	14,264.47		
Parish Hall Fund to Date	\$3	387,956.58		

SOCIAL MINISTRY: *May is Mental Health Month*

The Special Needs Committee of St. Joseph Parish would like you be aware that May is Mental Health Month.

You might wonder what makes this month so important that it should be noted in our bulletin. The reason is that this serious illness of the brain touches

not only the community at large, but our parish as well. Some neighbor, friend, or family member could be dealing with this illness.

While mental health problems can occur because of some biological or genetic disorder, the environment, too, can be a factor. We are all living in difficult, stressful times trying to deal with fighting two wars, losing jobs and/or homes, or just be plain being frightened with how difficult day-to-day living has become.

The only way we are going to get through this is to support each other. As Catholic Christians this is not a choice; it's a responsibility. Jesus, when asked which is the greatest commandment said, to say it simply, "Love God and love your neighbor."

Over the next few weeks - in this bulletin - you will learn how to show your love for someone with mental illness. When you attempt to do this, God knows you love Him. *Sr. Ruth Zonunthari*



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