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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

Oct. 9 & 23

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

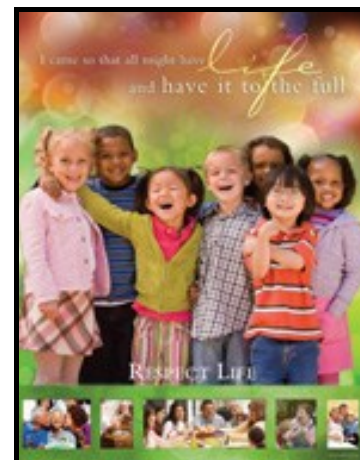


“Friends of Christopher Costa” Christopher Costa, a 2011 graduate of St. Joseph High School, was involved in a tragic motor cycle accident a few weeks after his May 29th graduation. He has been confined to Queen’s Hospital ever since. Although conscious and alert, Chris is for the most part paralyzed and immobile. He is in need of physical therapy. Mr. William Costa, Chris’ dad, would like to send him to the mainland for needed physical therapy. This is especially challenging since the cost of air transport alone will be over \$50,000. The Bank of Hawaii has established a special account under the title **“Friends of Christopher Costa.”** Contributions can be made to this account at any branch of the Bank of Hawaii in the State of Hawaii. Please consider helping this young man get on with his life by contributing to this worthy cause. Above all, please keep Chris and his dad in your prayers. Mahalo nui loa and God bless you!

Submitted by Dcn. LeRoy Andrews

RESPECT LIFE SUNDAY:

We proclaim that human life is a precious gift from God; that each person who receives this gift has responsibilities toward God, self and others; and that society, through its laws and social institutions, must protect and nurture human life at every stage of its existence.



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!

Jesus gives us another parable. It brings home an important message: God has entrusted so much to us, not only for our own use but to 'bring fruit'. This means that we are responsible and answerable to God, our landlord, for what we have done to his property. We are nothing but a tenant in God's vineyard. And our goal is to produce fruit. This is what we have learned from the Book of Genesis, "Go forth and multiply".

This **also** means that God trusts us so much that he entrusts so much to us, weak and limited creatures. And not only that; God is not like the landlord in the parable, living far away, just waiting for the harvest to be brought to him. He is our faithful companion strengthening us with his Word and with his Sacrament as nourishment.

Let us pray:

*Loving God,
give us the wisdom and the courage
never to abuse the privileges you have given to us.*

*Help us to make use of all the opportunities that you have given
us and use to them in the work and mission of your beloved Son,
Jesus Christ.
Amen.*

"Thank you for praying for the couples on the Sept. 23-25th Engaged Encounter weekend that was held at the St. Joseph High School library. The engaged couples felt privileged to be recognized and blessed by Fr. Clifford and the parishoners at the 9:00 am mass. The couples also shared that on the weekend they grew closer together and found God in their relationship. Some also plan on returning to the Church and attend mass more regularly."



**This Sunday, October 2 after
the 11:45 am Mass.**

SECULAR FRANCISCAN'S TO SELL PET TREATS

Members of the Secular Franciscan's will be selling bags of pet treats after the 5 pm Mass on Saturday, October 1 and all Masses on Sunday, October 2. They offer treats for dogs, cats, and other pets. Please stop by their table before or after Mass. And don't forget to bring your pets to be blessed!



Scripture Readings

Sunday, Oct. 02

Is 5:1-7
Ps 80:9, 12-16, 19-20
Phil 4:6-9
Mt 21:33-43

Monday, Oct. 03

Jon 1:1-2:2, 11
(Ps) Jon 2:2-5, 8
Lk 10:25-37

Tuesday, Oct. 04

Jon 3:1-10
Ps 130:1-4, 7-8
Lk 10:38-42

Wednesday, Oct. 05

Jon 4:1-11
Ps 86:3-6, 9-10
Lk 11:1-4

Thursday, Oct. 06

Mal 3:13-20b
Ps 1:1-4, 6
Lk 11:5-13a

Friday, Oct. 07

Jl 1:13-15; 2:1-2
Ps 9:2-3, 6, 8-9, 16
Lk 11:15-26

Saturday, Oct. 08

Jl 4:12-21
Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12
Lk 11:27-28

Sunday, Oct. 09

Is 25:6-10a
Ps 23:1-6
Phil 4:12-14, 19-20
Mt 22:1-14

WEEKLY CALENDAR

MONDAY, October 03

- 11:30 am •Food Pantry/Mtg. Room
- 5:15 pm •Bible Study w/Dale Waltjen/Conf. Room
- 5:30 pm •Youth Choir Rehearsal/Church
- 6:00 pm •RCIA Classes/Library

TUESDAY, October 04

- 5:00 pm •Life Teen Core Team Meeting/Conf. Room
- 6:00 pm •Small Christian Community/Library
- 7:00 pm •Novena (Rosary 6:30 pm)/Church

WEDNESDAY, October 05

- 6:30 pm •Alabare Choir Rehearsal/Library

THURSDAY, October 06

- 6:30 pm •SJ Choir Rehearsal/Church

FRIDAY, October 07

- 6:00 pm •Young Adult Ministry/Library

SATURDAY, October 08

- 8:15 am •Church Cleaners #6/Church
- 10:00 am •Bible Study w/MaryAnn Leite/Library
- 10:00 am •Reconciliation/Church
- 5:00 pm •High School Youth Ministry/Library

SUNDAY, October 09

- 10:15 am •Religious Ed Classes/SJHS
- 11:45 am •Youth Mass/Church

URGENT

Food Pantry Requests:

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

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

+Aileen Hussey
+Juan Agbigay
+Rose Salinas-Watanabe



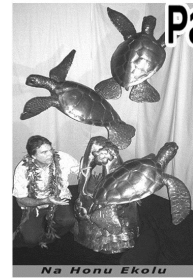
Society of St. Damien:

The next general meeting of the Society of St. Damien will be held on October 14th at 10:00 am at the Social Ministry Center. There will be no general meetings held in November or December. We'll be working on projects!

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Bldg. Maint. Fund	569.00
Food Pantry	133.00
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Parish Hall Collection to date	591,692.01

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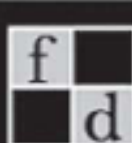
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