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Feb. 9, 2014

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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

Youth Mass

Feb. 23

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11:45 am



Sunday:

St. Joseph Church

7:00 am, 9:00 am,

11:45 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

Adoration:

M-F 4-5:00 pm

Sat 3-3:30 pm

Sun 4-4:30 pm



ALTAR SERVER TRAINING

If you have heard the call to be an altar server, now is your chance! Next training is scheduled for Feb. 15, 1:00-2:30pm, at the church. Prospective servers must have received their First Holy Communion. For more information, please contact Lei Shinoda (cell: 557-0175; email: psalmists@hotmail.com).



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AUGUSTINE EDUCATION FUND COLLECTION FEB. 8 & 9

Augustine Educational Foundation provides tuition scholarships and teacher/curriculum development grants at Catholic Schools throughout the islands of Hawaii. Please remember that all funds collected on the Big Island are for the benefit of St. Joseph School, the only Catholic School on the island.

Important dates for parents:

Jan 2014

- Online scholarship application available under Resources or from school principal

Mar 2014

- Scholarship application must be turned into current/intended Hawaii Catholic school principal

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!

Our role as Christians is defined by two words in the Gospel for this Sunday: salt and light. Here, Jesus is saying that as salt is for food, so are Christians to the world. We are here in this world to make this a better place. In the gospel of Mark, the evangelist says, "Have salt in yourselves, and be at peace with one another." As light, we Christians are called to show the way. We are to point to the very person of Jesus Christ who is the Light of the world.

With salt and light the world becomes a safer and better place. It is our duty to make our world a better place, not only for us but more so for the next generations.

I appeal to our Christian couples, especially as we observe World Marriage Day, to make a difference. Be that salt and light that Jesus is talking about in the gospel.

God bless you.

In Jesus, our fullness of Life,

Fr. Samuel E. Loterte, SSS

Cardinal Ball to Honor Outstanding Leadership and Distinguished Service

This February 22nd the Saint Joseph School Cardinal Ball will once again recognize outstanding alumni and others who continue to contribute to its legacy of leadership and service.

This year's leadership honorees include SJS alumni Lehua Vincent, Kamehameha Schools Hawai'i High School Principal and Dennis Tulang, Senior Project Manager for AECOM, an engineering consulting firm and former Hawaii State Environmental Engineer. Service honorees include Stella Kawauhau, SJS alumnus and elementary teacher noted for her highly successful phonics based reading program; Mona Victorino, SJS alumnus known for her all-around volunteering for SJS for the past 30 years and present service on the SJS Alumni & Friends as Chair of many of its events and Dean Au, Hilo Field Representative Hawaii Regional Council of Carpenters, a Maryknoll graduate who has been contributing his time to SJS for the past ten years serving on the school's advisory board, as Facilities Chair, on the Country Fair committee and has been very active in revitalizing the school's athletics program.

Please join us to honor these people. Proceeds from this event will benefit student tuition assistance and new, exciting school programs and initiatives.



Sunday, Feb. 09

Is 58:7-10

Ps 112:4-9

1 Cor 2:1-5

Mt 5:13-16

Monday, Feb. 10

1 Kgs 8:1-7, 9-13

Ps 132:6-10

Mk 6:53-56

Tuesday, Feb. 11

1 Kgs 8:22-23, 27-30

Ps 84:3-5, 10-11

Mk 7:1-13

Wednesday, Feb. 12

1 Kgs 10:1-10

Ps 37:5-6, 30-31, 39-40

Mk 7:14-23

Thursday, Feb. 13

1 Kgs 11:4-13

Ps 106:3-4, 35-37, 40

Mk 7:24-30

Friday, Feb. 14

1 Kgs 11:29-32; 12:19

Ps 81:10-15

Mk 7:31-36

Saturday, Feb. 15

1 Kgs 12:26-32; 13:33-34

Ps 106:6-7, 19-22

Mk 8:1-10

Sunday, Feb. 16

Sir 15:15-20

Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 17-18, 33-34

1 Cor 2:6-10

Mt 5:17-37

WEEKLY CALENDAR

MONDAY, February 10

- 10:00 am •Aloha Choir Rehearsal/Church
- 11:30 am •Food Pantry/SJ Social Ministry Center
- 5:15 pm •Bible Study w/Dale Waltjen/Conf. Room
- 5:30 pm •Youth & Young Adult Choir Rehearsal/Church
- 6:00 pm •RCIA Class w/Carol Denis/Library
- 7:00 pm •Baptismal Prep Class/Mtg. Room & Church

TUESDAY, February 11

- 10:00 am •East Hawaii Vicariate Meeting/Library
- 5:00 pm •Life Teen Core Team Meeting/Conf. Room
- 7:00 pm •Mother of Perpetual Help Novena (Rosary 6:30 pm)/
Church
- 7:45 pm •San Lorenzo Choir Rehearsal/Church

WEDNESDAY, February 12

- 6:00 pm •RCIA Class w/Carol Denis/Library
- 6:30 pm •Alabare Choir Rehearsal/Church

THURSDAY, February 13

- 6:30 pm •SJ Choir Rehearsal/Church

FRIDAY, February 14 “Valentine’s Day”

- 6:00 pm •Young Adult Ministry/Library

SATURDAY, February 15

- 8:15 am •Church Cleaners (#7-M. Aizawa)/Church
- 10:00 am •Bible Sharing w/Mary Ann Leite/Library
- 10:00 am •Reconciliation/Church
- 12:00 pm •**NO** Sacramental Prep Classes (President’s Day)
- 5:00 pm •High School Youth Ministry/Library
- 7:45 pm •San Lorenzo Choir Rehearsal/Church

SUNDAY, February 16

- 10:15 am •**NO** Religious Ed. Classes (President’s Day)

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

January 27, 2014

Mass Collections	\$6,545.00
Other Collections	\$5,022.00
Food Pantry	\$30.00
Parish Hall Fund	\$20,400.00
School Fund	\$55.00
Bldg Maintenance	\$65.00
Total Deposit	\$32,117.00
Parish Hall Collection to date:	\$759,358.31

Volunteer needed:

Looking for someone who can stay with my husband while I run errands.

If you are able to assist me please call 959-7295 and ask for Lauri.

“Tiny BITS” of Faith

-C. Villena

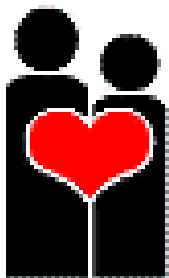
TB #5: Did you know? The liturgical season, called **Advent**, lasting approximately four weeks, during which the Church prepares for Jesus’ coming. **Advent means “coming”**. The season of Advent ends on Christmas, the celebration of Jesus’ birth, his coming in history. During Advent, we also reflect on Jesus’ coming to us every day in mystery through the **SACRAMENTS** as well as on his Second Coming in majesty at the end of time.

Mark Your Calendars!

Feb. 15th—Altar Server training in the Church from 1:00—2:30 pm.



Feb. 23rd—Parish 95th Anniversary; potluck fellowship follows 6 pm Mass in the rectory meeting room.



World Marriage Day will be celebrated during the February 8-9th weekend. The theme is “Love One Another” which is the commandment given by Jesus in John 15:12. It is a simple yet challenging way of how our Father wishes us to live. Loving one another is a daily decision, simple but challenging.

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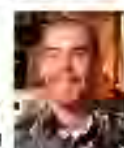
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