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ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

Nov. 16, 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

Sunday:

St. Joseph Church

7:00 am, 9:00 am,

11:45 am & 6:00pm

Youth Mass

Nov. 16

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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



A small shoebox can make a big difference. What goes into the box is fun, but what comes out of it is eternal. Be a part of changing children's lives all over the world in the name of Jesus. Your simple gift can have the power to bring joy and happiness to children in the world. You may fill your own shoe box or any plastic container with a matching cover.

**Drop FILLED boxes to the parish
rectory office by November 17, 2014.**

Last Chance to get a box
together! One **small**
shoebox makes a **huge**
impact!

Suggested Items:

Crayons/markers

Coloring books

Story books

Puzzles

Small stuffed animals/dolls

Small toys

Wash cloth

Toothbrush

Soap

Tee shirts

Cap/beanie

Hair clips/bands/ties

Comb/brush

Bracelets

Colorful stickers

Sewing kits

Calculators

PLEASE DO NOT INCLUDE: Used or damaged items; war-related toys; chocolate or food; liquids or lotions; vitamins; breakable items and aerosol cans.

SJS ALUMNI SWEETBREAD FUNDRAISER

The Alumni and Friends of St. Joseph School will be having a sweetbread fundraiser on Wednesday, November 26th from 3:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. The pickup location will be at the front entrance of St. Joseph Jr./Sr. High School at 1000 Ululani Street in Hilo.

The cost of the bread will be \$6.00 for the traditional buns and \$7.00 for cinnamon buns and will be baked by Vierra's Bakery. If you would like to place an order, please telephone Mona Victorino at 966-4219. If no answer, please leave a message.

The deadline to place an order will be on Sunday, November 23rd.

Thank you very much for your support of St. Joseph School!

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.

Please remember St. Joseph Parish in your will

Pastor's Corner

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dear brothers and sisters

Peace!

One word that connects the three readings this Sunday is the word 'FAITHFUL'.

For the wife of proverbs, fidelity was husband and children, servants and merchants, the poor and God. To each of them she had pledged herself and she was a woman of her word.

For St. Paul, fidelity is to be children of the light and of the day.

For Matthew, fidelity calls for risk. The servant who was called faithful was the one who took a chance and traded with the money his master had entrusted to him.

As we end the liturgical year of the Church we are reminded to be faithful to our vocation, that is, to love God and to love our brothers and sisters.

God bless you.

In Jesus, our fullness of Life,

Fr. Samuel E. Loterte, SSS

Next week's Collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD) needs your help. CCHD was founded to end the cycle of poverty in the United States by funding organizations that help people help themselves. With the tradition of improving education, housing situations, and economic development, CCHD continues to make a positive impact in communities nationwide. Your contribution will defend human dignity and help those living on the margins of our society. **Please give to the CCHD Collection.**



INTERNATIONAL PILGRIM VIRGIN STATUE OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA:

The Pilgrim Virgin Statue will visit Malia Puka O Kalani on Sunday, November 16, 2014. Sent out to bring the Message of Fatima to the world, the Pilgrim Virgin Statue has traveled the world many times, visiting more than 100 countries, including Russia and Red China, bringing the great message of hope to millions of people. Many miracles and signal graces are reported wherever the statue travels, including shedding tears many times. All parishes on the Big Island are invited to visit the Pilgrim Virgin Statue on November 16. The ceremony to honor and venerate the statue will begin immediately after the 9 am Mass. The statue will remain at Malia Puka O Kalani until 1:00 pm.

Scripture Readings



Sunday, Nov. 16

Prv 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31

Ps 128:1-5

1 Thes 5:1-6

Mt 25:14-30

Monday, Nov. 17

Rv 1:1-4; 2:1-5

Ps 1:1-4, 6

Lk 18:35-43

Tuesday, Nov. 18

Rv 3:1-6, 14-22

Ps 15:2-5

Lk 19:1-10

Wednesday, Nov. 19

Rv 4:1-11

Ps 150:1b-6

Lk 19:11-28

Thursday, Nov. 20

Rv 5:1-10

Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b

Lk 19:41-44

Friday, Nov. 21

Rv 10:8-11

Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131

Lk 19:45-48

Saturday, Nov. 22

Rv 11:4-12

Ps 144:1-2, 9-10

Lk 20:27-40

Sunday, Nov. 23

Ez 34:11-12, 15-17

Ps 23:1-3, 5-6

1 Cor 15:20-26, 28

Mt 25:31-46

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE REPORT Nov. 10, 2014		Year to Date Totals	Year to Date Budget
Offertory Collections	\$7,675.25	\$ 171,034.82	\$ 179,813.54
Other Collections	\$5,057.80	\$ 87,863.12	\$ 96,850.97
Parish Hall Fund	\$111.25		
Total Deposit	\$12,844.30	\$ 258,897.94	\$ 276,664.51
Parish Hall Collection to date:		\$	803,178.56

WEEKLY CALENDAR

MONDAY, Nov. 17

- 11:30 am •SJ 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 •Adult Faith Formation (aka RCIA)/Library

TUESDAY, Nov. 18

- 5:00 pm •Life Teen Core Team Meeting/Conf. Room
- 5:00 pm •R E Board Meeting/Mtg. Room
- 6:30 pm •Small Christian Community/Library
- 7:00 pm •Mother of Perpetual Help Novena (Rosary 6:30 pm)/Church

WEDNESDAY, Nov. 19

- 6:30 pm •Alabare Choir Rehearsal/Church

THURSDAY, Nov. 20

- 6:30 pm •SJ Choir Rehearsal/Church

FRIDAY, Nov. 21

- 6:00 pm •Young Adult Ministry/Library

SATURDAY, Nov. 22

- 8:15 am •Church Cleaners (#7-M. Aizawa)/Church
- 10:00 am •Bible Sharing (Marianne Leite)/Library
- 5:00 pm •High School Youth Ministry/Library
- 7:45 pm •San Lorenzo Choir Rehearsal/Church

SUNDAY, Nov. 23 "Christ the King"

- 8:00 am •SJ Filipino Catholic Club Coffee Hour/Mtg. Room & Kitchen
- 10:15 am •R E Classes/SJHS



Thanksgiving Luncheon for the Homeless:

Members of the San Lorenzo Choir and our Social Ministry are spearheading an effort to serve lunch on Thanksgiving Day to the homeless members of the community. We would greatly appreciate it if you would like to donate any of the following items:

WISH LIST: Turkey, Potatoes, Rice, Stuffing Mix, Pumpkin Pies, Canned Corn, Canned Cranberry Sauce

Drop off's can be done during regular office hours by Monday, November 24th

We would also welcome anyone who would like to volunteer in the preparation, serving and clean up of this event. **This event will be on November 27th (THANKSGIVING DAY) from 11:00am to 2:00 pm at the St. Joseph Church rectory meeting room.**

Please contact Mario Miguel at 935-1153 for additional information. Come join us as we give thanks for the many blessings that God has given us throughout the year by sharing with those who may not be as fortunate.

Thank you SJS sports fans!

The team members, coaching staff and parents of this year's SJS Boys Varsity Basketball would like to share their appreciation in supporting their annual car wash. Through your generous donations, the team will be able to participate in basketball events during the season as well as fund uniforms and equipment necessary for them to be a success. Please continue to support our athletic program by attending our "home-games".

For a complete copy of the SJS athletic schedule call 935-4936 or visit our website. A link to our website can be found on our parish website stjohilo.com



Mark Your Calendars!

Saturday, Nov. 22 & Sunday Nov. 23

Commissioning of Extraordinary Ministers of the Holy Communion (all Masses)

Sunday, Nov. 23 (1:00 PM) Potluck Fellowship & Formation for the Extraordinary Ministers of the Holy Communion in the rectory meeting room w/Father Sam.

Thursday, Nov. 27 (11a-2p) Thanksgiving Luncheon for the Homeless

Saturday, Nov. 29—Farewell Potluck for Fr. Clifford—following 5 pm Mass

Sunday, Nov. 30 NO RE CLASS (Thanksgiving Break)

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



Marriage and Family Corner:

—Hosted by
St. Joseph Church
Religious Education Family
Ministries

Marriage Tip #8

(taken from *101 Tips for a Happier Marriage* by Morse & Kerekes; 2013)

Accept the fact that you are limited, imperfect, and fallible. You do not have to control everything in the world around you. Realize that you are not God.

"Married couples must understand that they are not all-powerful. Stuff happens. You will be tried and tested. Remember to pray. Don't fall apart. Deal with it the best you can. Then move on."
-Morse & Kerekes

See more at:

<http://togetherforlifeonline.com/spiritual-marriage-advice/#sthash.SoHbG3a3.dpuf>

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