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May 18, 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

May 25

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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



"St. Joseph Church Welcomes Senior Class and Supporters for Mass, Commencement Ceremony"

St. Joseph School is a prominent icon of tradition and values here in Hilo, and this year we're pioneering new traditions in the constant evolution of our school. By combining graduation and Baccalaureate Mass for our Senior Class of 2014 on the same date and in the same location we hope to set a new practice for future classes. Our school identity calls us to be, first and foremost, a Catholic School, and bridging the commencement ceremony with the Baccalaureate celebration fits this faith mission.

St. Joseph School provides the familiarity of a family atmosphere, faith based values and quality education. This year's senior class welcomes all friends, family, faculty and community guests to participate in their annual Baccalaureate Mass and in their Commencement Exercises on **May 23rd at 6:00 pm at St. Joseph Church**. The combined events nurture our spiritual journeys, and remind us of our education, values, and gratitude to God for our many blessings. This precedent will help every graduate to faithfully represent St. Joseph School as they pursue their dreams.

Tickets are available to the public however they are limited so please contact the St. Joseph High School Office, 808-935-4936, for more information.



SJS Class of 2014

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 Risen Lord.

Running through all the readings today is a strong sense of action, of movement *by* the Church and *within* the Church.

In the Gospel of John, Jesus is speaking to the Apostles at the Last Supper. They want to know how to live a righteous life. Jesus responds, *I am the way and the truth and the life*. He is not just the foundation, the cornerstone that Peter writes about in the second reading. Jesus is the path itself. He is the way.

This is a very important truth for our time. Being socially conscious is a common message today. From care for the environment to being conscious about where we shop, our culture is increasingly aware of how our actions affect those around us.

Catholic social teaching helps to express social responsibility and awareness, but Catholic social teaching is different from the humanitarian work of secular society. This is because our work for the poor and our sense of social responsibility must come first from our relationship with Jesus.

The goal is always to have Jesus as the cornerstone of our lives so that every good work is built from our relationship with Jesus. May all Christians learn how to live in the love of Christ, and allow that love to spill out in care for those in need.

God bless you.

In Jesus, our fullness of Life,

Fr. Samuel E. Loterte, SSS

Sunday, May 18

Acts 6:1-7
Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19
1 Pt 2:4-9
Jn 14:1-12

Monday, May 19

Acts 14:5-18
Ps 115:1-4, 15-16
Jn 14:21-26

Tuesday, May 20

Acts 14:19-28
Ps 145:10-13b, 21
Jn 14:27-31a

Wednesday, May 21

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

Thursday, May 22

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

Friday, May 23

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

Saturday, May 24

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

Sunday, May 25

Acts 8:5-8, 14-17
Ps 66:1-7, 16, 20
1 Pt 3:15-18
Jn 14:15-21

Aloha Alumni and Friends of Saint Joseph School!

Our annual Alumni Luau Fundraiser will be held on May 24th at the YMCA in Hilo on Lanikaula Street across the University of Hawaii at Hilo. We will begin with socializing at 5:00 p.m., a program honoring the classes of 1964 (our Golden Graduates) and 1954 at 5:30 p.m. and dinner at 6:00 followed by lots of raffle prizes, an auction and dancing. Chet and Leonard DeCambra, country western favorites, will liven the place up and add to the festivities and Charley Kama will again be doing the delicious Hawaiian food.

Monies raised through this event go to Saint Joseph School to assist with student tuition and enrich school curriculum and programs. Let's continue to give the school the support it needs.

Join us for a fun-filled evening and spend some time with your classmates, friends and family. You can even plan a mini-reunion of your own and we will announce your class at the event.

Tickets are \$35 and can be purchased from any of the



WEEKLY CALENDAR

MONDAY, May 19

- 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 Classes w/Carol Denis/Library

TUESDAY, May 20

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

WEDNESDAY, May 21

- 6:30 pm •Alabare Choir Rehearsal/Church

THURSDAY, May 22

- 10:00 am •Memorial Mass (+Edward Napiha'a)/Church
- 6:30 pm •SJ Choir Rehearsal/Church

FRIDAY, May 23

- 1:00 pm •SJS Graduation Decorating & Rehearsal/Church
- 5:00 pm •SJS 2014 Graduating Class Gathers/Mtg. Room
- 6:00 pm •SJS 2014 Baccalaureate/Graduation Mass/Church
- 6:00 pm •Young Adult Ministry/Library

SATURDAY, May 24

- 8:15 am •Church Cleaners (#6-L. Sales/M. Otomo)/Church
- 10:00 am •Bible Sharing (Marianne Leite)/Library
- 12:00 pm •Final Sacramental Prep Class/Library & Conf. Room
- 5:00 pm •High School Youth Ministry/Library
- 7:45 pm •San Lorenzo Choir Rehearsal/Church

SUNDAY, May 25

- 10:15 am •Final Religious Ed Classes/SJHS

following:

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STEWARDSHIP REPORT

May 5, 2014

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| Mass Collections | \$8,306.00 |
| Other Collections | \$2,305.64 |
| Food Pantry | \$42.00 |
| Parish Hall Fund | \$152.00 |
| School Fund | \$72.00 |
| Bldg Maintenance | \$17.00 |
| Total Deposit | \$10,894.64 |
| Parish Hall Collection to date: | \$772,188.31 |

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

+Hilda Dias



Mark Your Calendars!

May 23, 2014: St. Joseph School Baccalaureate Mass & Commencement 6:00 pm

(Tickets are available however limited and may be obtained at the high school office)

May 25, 2014: Last day of RE Sunday Classes (New Session Begins in August of 2014)

June 8, 2014: Confirmation Mass 6:00 pm with Father Gary Secor, Vicar General

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