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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

Aug. 24

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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




The New Religious Education Year (2014-2015) is here!

Registration opens on Sunday, August 17 & 24

At St. Joseph Jr./Sr. High School Main Entrance

From 9:00 AM- 1:00 PM

Register your child(ren) for our faith formation classes as well as sacramental preparation. The faith formation classes are designed to bring children closer to God and to the community through prayer, scripture and also, through social justice teachings. The sacramental prep classes focus on the symbols and rituals that are found within the sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist, Reconciliation and Confirmation.

The fee is \$20 per child or a family rate of \$45 for three or more children. New (first-time) families please bring birth certificates and sacramental certificates for each child.

For more information please call the rectory office at 935-1465, cvillena@stjoehilo.com or visit our parish website.

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 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time



MĀLAMA I KA MAKANA

Cherish The Gift | A Call to Stewardship in the Catholic Church in Hawaii

July 28, 2014

Aloha Fr. Sam,

Now in its fifth year of pledge redemption, the **With Grateful Hearts (WGH)** campaign is approaching nearly \$34 million in total collections. Mahalo for your continued support!

Congratulations to the 42 parishes and faith communities that have exceeded their goal, including the most recent parish to do so—Christ the King, Kahalui.

For the first quarter of 2014-15 fiscal year, your **WGH** disbursement of \$6,950.82 will be deposited directly into your diocesan savings account. All together, over \$14 million has been returned to the parishes. Please share this good news with your parishioners.

Looking ahead, many parishes will continue to receive **WGH** distributions well into 2015. Of course, the amount will be based on how the donors with open pledges fulfill their commitment.

Sincerely,

Mark J. Clark
Director of Stewardship & Development
808-203-6723

STEWARDSHIP UPDATE:

Parishes are now organizing a core group to study the U.S. Bishops' Pastoral Letter on Stewardship. Several Parishes have already formed a Stewardship Committee.

If your parish needs help getting started, please contact me for assistance.

Scripture Readings



Sunday, Aug. 24

Is 22:19-23

Ps 138:1-3, 6-8

Rom 11:33-36

Mt 16:13-20

Monday, Aug. 25

2 Thes 1:1-5, 11-12

Ps 96:1-5

Mt 23:13-22

Tuesday, Aug. 26

2 Thes 2:1-3a, 14-17

Ps 96:10-13

Mt 22:23-26

Wednesday, Aug. 27

2 Thes 3:6-10, 16-18

Ps 128:1-2, 4-5

Mt 23:27-32

Thursday, Aug. 28

1 Cor 1:1-9

Ps 145:2-7

Mt 24:42-51

Friday, Aug. 29

1 Cor 1:17-25

Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 10-11

Mk 6:17-29

Saturday, Aug. 30

1 Cor 1:26-31

Ps 33:12-13, 18-21

Mt 25:14-30

Sunday, Aug. 31

Jer 20:7-9

Ps 63:2-6, 8-9

Rom 12:1-2

Mt 16:21-27

STEWARDSHIP REPORT August 11, 2014		Year to Date Totals	Year to Date Budget
Offertory Collections	\$7,783.22	\$ 48,677.97	\$ 56,146.33
Other Collections	\$4,991.36	\$ 25,955.07	\$ 29,505.14
Parish Hall Fund	\$143.25		
Total Deposit	\$12,917.83	\$ 74,633.04	\$ 85,651.47
Parish Hall Collection to date:		\$	785,419.06

WEEKLY CALENDAR

MONDAY, Aug. 25

- 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

TUESDAY, Aug. 26

- 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, Aug. 27

- 6:30 pm •Alabare Choir Rehearsal/Church

THURSDAY, Aug. 28

- 6:30 pm •SJ Choir Rehearsal/Church

FRIDAY, Aug. 29

- 6:00 pm •Young Adult Ministry/Library

SATURDAY, Aug. 30

- 8:15 am •Church Cleaners (#4-V. Coloma)/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, Aug. 31

MONDAY, Sept. 01 *"Labor Day" Holiday—Rectory office closed*

- 7:00 am •Mass/Church—**NO 12:15 pm Mass**
- 5:15 pm •Bible Study w/Dale Waltjen/Conf. Room



Mark Your Calendars!

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION 2014-2015

Registration for New Year August 24th
9am-1pm @ St. Joseph High School Main Entrance.

SAT PREP CLASS OFFERED

Aloha SJS 'Ohana,

There will be a Fall SAT Class offered starting 8/30/14 and ending 10/18/14. The course is free for SJS students and SJS Parish students, but there is a registration limit of 25 seats. Please contact the HS Office (935-4936) if you would like a registration packet.

Submitted by Jessica Pacheco



Congratulations to

Marc & Scarlette Cabamungan

**who were united in marriage on
Saturday August 16th. in a 1 pm Mass here
at St. Joseph Parish**



As the months pass more parishioners who have been devoted to participating in ministries for years are finding it necessary to leave those ministries.

While Fred Olival and Richard Troelstrup are not moving away as some of our members have in recent months, they are unable to continue actively assisting at Mass for other reasons. Coincidentally, these two men have both been dedicated to their ministries at the 11:45 a.m. Mass for years.

Fred, who is now 88 years old, has been a member of St. Joseph Church all of his life and he worked for 40 years at Hale Kawili, a privately-owned apartment complex for the University of Hawaii at Hilo students and faculty. He became an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion a few years after the ministry was instituted at this parish and a Hospitality Minister several years earlier. Fred now feels that it is time for him to step back from these ministries that he has loved and served.

Richard, who is 74 years old, moved here from the mainland about 20 years ago. Shortly after joining St. Joseph Church he became an active participant in many committees as well as the liturgical ministries. Richard worked for Catholic Charities and taught classes at the University of Hawaii, Hilo. He has served as member of the Parish finance committee and the Parish Hall committee. Due to illness, he has now retired from his ministries as Lector and Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion, at which he devoted 19 years and 16 years, respectively.

St. Joseph Parish wants to thank Fred and Richard for their years of devotion to our parish family and we ask God to continue to bless them abundantly for years to come.

Submitted by Maureen Saturnio

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