



ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

Sept. 27 2015

Served by the Blessed Sacrament Congregation

Pastor:
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*Established at current
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Dr. Llewellyn Young



"Wake up the world" 2015 Year of Consecrated Life

Pastor's Corner:

Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dear brothers and sisters,
Peace!

We know that our world is filled with intolerance. Whether in the area of politics, religion, economics, in racial and ethnic relations, in the family and group relations we can be intolerant. We cannot see good news outside of our small group. And we grudgingly admit sometimes that people outside our race, religion school origin, economic and political affiliations could be a source of goodness.

Our gospel for this Sunday invites us to check where our tolerance is directed and where our intolerance is pointing to. The challenge for us as parishioners is to be more inclusive, allowing others to be a part of our group. We can grow together and move forward together as a parish community.

The first Goal of our Parish Pastoral Plan (under the pillar of Hospitality) says it well, "Nourishing and cultivating a welcoming parish in the spirit of Aloha."

God bless you,
In Jesus, our fullness of Life,
Fr. Samuel E. Loterte, SSS



A Stewardship Moment:

Beginning in the month of October we will be taking a second collection each month for the Repair and Maintenance of our properties. A few years ago we did a major project when we re-roofed the rectory. And just last year we replaced the windows in the downstairs meeting room. These projects along with the regular maintenance have left our Repair and Maintenance funds short.

Our church building is in need of repairs and painting but we are unable to move forward on this due to the shortage of funds. Further we are still needing to replace our phone system and update or replace the sound system in the church.

I appreciate your understanding and support of this new monthly second collection. May God bless you for your generosity.

Fr. Sam

Parish Mission Statement:

Centered on the Word of God and the Eucharist we gather as a Parish and School community. Together as disciples of Jesus Christ as we seek fullness of life. Blessed with diversity of cultures and gifted with the spirit of Aloha, we pledge to become stewards of our time, talent and treasure by sharing our heritage, 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

Scripture Readings



Sunday, Sept. 27

Nm 11:25-29

Ps 19:8, 10, 12-14

Jas 5:1-6

Mk 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

Monday, Sept. 28

Zec 8:1-8

Ps 102:2, 16-23

Lk 9:46-50

Tuesday, Sept. 29

Dn 7:9-10, 13-14

Ps 138:1-5

Jn 1:47-51

Wednesday, Sept. 30

Neh 2:1-8

Ps 137:1-6

Lk 9:57-62

Thursday, Oct. 01

Neh 8:1-4a, 5-6, 7b-12

Ps 19:8-11

Lk 10:1-12

Friday, Oct. 02

Bar 1:15-22

Ps 79:1b-5, 8-9

Mt 18:1-5, 10

Saturday, Oct. 03

Bar 4:5-12, 27-29

Ps 69:33-37

Lk 10:17-24

Sunday, Oct. 04

Gn 2:18-24

Ps 128:1-6

Heb 2:9-11

Mk 10:2-16

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION UPDATES:



Registration for the New RE year will be closing on **OCTOBER 1st**. We began in August and classes are well underway. If you need to register your child(ren), please call Chrislyn Villena @ 935-1465 as soon as possible.

RCIA is still welcoming adults interested in receiving formation and sacraments of initiation. Please stop by Mondays at the rectory from 6-7:30pm or call Chrislyn Villena

There will be NO RE Classes **OCTOBER 4th** (FALL BREAK)

Sunday RE Students will report to the Church for the **FAMILY MASS** on **OCTOBER 11th** at the 11:45 am mass, not to the school...there will be no class that day. Parents must attend with us and do not just drop off your child. Attendance will be taken as students will sit with their classes. Please remind students about the respect and reverence that should be held while in the church.

Thank you!

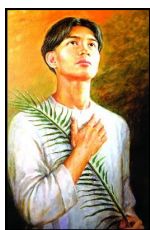
MARK YOUR CALENDARS! THE ANNUAL SJS COUNTRY FAIR WILL BE HELD ON OCTOBER 3, 2014!



Come and join your school 'ohana at the 28th Annual St. Joseph Country Fair that will be held on the upper campus of the school grounds that is located on the corner of Kapiolani and Hualalai Streets from **8:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.** There will be lots of food, fun, and entertainment for all who attend!

PRE-SALE SCRIPT MAY BE PURCHASED FROM ANY SCHOOL STUDENT, SCHOOL FACULTY AND STAFF MEMBER OR FROM THE SCHOOL OFFICES IN BOTH THE ELEMENTARY AND HIGH SCHOOLS.

In keeping with tradition, the Alumni and Friends of St. Joseph School will again sponsor a Pickles & Preserves booth at the school's Walter C. K. Victor gymnasium on that day. We are soliciting donations for the following items for our famous pickled onions and your kokua will be much appreciated!



The parish will celebrate the feast day of San Lorenzo Ruiz, patron saint of the Philippines, with a mass on **Monday, September 28 at 7:00 pm** with a potluck fellowship to follow.

All are welcome to join!

We are a welcoming parish. Be a family member, today!

Parish registration forms are located in the rear of the church or at the rectory office.

For more information to join one of the many parish ministries, call 935-1465 and ask for one of the coordinators or email us at stjosephchurch@stjoehilo.com

WEEKLY CALENDAR

MONDAY, Sept. 28

- 11:30 am •Food Pantry/SJ Social Ministry Center
- 5:30 pm •Young Adults Choir Rehearsal/Church
- 6:00 pm •Adult Faith Faith Formation (aka RCIA)/Library
- 7:00 pm •Mass (San Lorenzo Ruiz)/Church—fellowship follows/Mtg. Room

TUESDAY, Sept. 29

- 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

WEDNESDAY, Sept. 30

- 6:00 pm •Stewardship Committee/Mtg. Room
- 6:30 pm •Alabare Choir Rehearsal/Church

THURSDAY, Oct. 01

- 6:30 pm •St. Joseph Choir Rehearsal/Church

FRIDAY, Oct. 02

- 9:00 am •SJ School Mass (grades 1, 2 & 3)/SJES Chapel
- 1:00 pm •Engaged Encounter Weekend Prep/Mtg. Room
- 4:30 pm •Teen Council Meeting/Conf. Room

SATURDAY, Oct. 03

- 7:00 am •Engaged Encounter Weekend/Mtg. Room
- 8:00 am •Annual SJS Country Fair/School Grounds
- 8:15 am •Church Cleaners (#7-M. Aizawa)/Church
- 10:00 am •Bible Sharing (Mary Ann Leite)/Library
- 5:00 pm •High School Youth Ministry/Library
- 7:45 pm •San Lorenzo Choir Rehearsal/Church

SUNDAY, Oct. 04

- 7:00 am •Engaged Encounter Weekend/Mtg. Room
- 11:45 am •Youth & Young Adults Mass/Church

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Emergency numbers

(after hours):

769-7792 or 989-0967

MASS SCHEDULE

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

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

Youth & Young

Adult Mass

Oct 4 & 18

@

11:45 am



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

+Angelina Gambsky

JOIN US IN PRAYER

Life Chain

Sunday, October 4, 2015

1:00-2:00 pm

**Makaala Street @ Kanoelehua Ave.
(Walgreen, Orchid Isle, Hopaco)**

*"For the evil to succeed it is necessary only for good people to do nothing."
How much longer will we stand for killing and mutilating the unborn and the
selling their organs?
Join us as to battle this evil!*

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE REPORT SEPTEMBER 8, 2015		Year to Date Totals	Year to Date Budget
Offertory Collections:	\$6,922.25	\$90,751.20	\$97,960.50
Other Collections:	\$15,115.60	\$41,536.81	\$52,914.35
Total Deposit:	\$22,037.85	\$132,288.01	\$150,874.85
Parish Hall Collection	\$446.25	Restricted Savings:	\$382,748.90
		Designated Savings:	\$466,999.66
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