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www.sjhshilo.org

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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

Sept. 4th
@
11:45 am



Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time:

“I have come to set the earth on fire...” (Luke 12:49)

Dear Parishioners and friends of St. Joseph Church,

Once a forest fire starts, you can imagine how such fire can devour and eat up and transform everything along its path. This is the picture of the message of Jesus which is most uncompromising and most universal.

The Good News of Christ is uncompromising. Either you are with Him or against Him. In Christ one cannot be a passive spectator or a fence sitter. But unfortunately when we look around, many of the supposed believers of Christ are uncommitted. They stay neutral and keep a safe distance are contented with the bare minimum of fulfilling their Sunday obligation and confessing once a year. Yes, they do avoid harming people but do not go out of their way to help those in need. But this is not the way of Jesus. He gives His all, even his life and reached out to all without discrimination. And certainly challenges us to do like wise – to give our all and our best in following Christ.

Let us be part of the fire with which Christ will transform the face of the earth!

In Christ,
Fr. Poli L. Ty, sss



Thank you!

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to thank all of
you for the
“Repair & Maintenance” dona-
tions. We appreciate your
generosity.

Prayer for the **Feast of the Assumption** August 15th

O Immaculate Virgin,
Mother of God and
Mother of humanity,
we believe with all the fervor
of our faith in your triumphal
Assumption, both body and
soul, into heaven, where you
are acclaimed as Queen by all
the choirs of angels and all the
legions of the saints. And we
unite with them to praise and
bless the Lord who has exalted
you above all other pure
creatures, and to offer you the
tribute of our devotion and
our love. *Pope Pius XII*

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 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 and our faith and commit ourselves to the full development of all 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

Pillar of Hospitality:

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Monday, Aug. 15 "Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary"

- 5:30 pm ● Youth & Young Adult Choir Rehearsal/Library
- 7:00 pm ● Mass (Assumption of the BVM)/Church

Tuesday, Aug. 16

- 5:00 pm ● Life Teen Core Team/Conf. Room
- 6:30 pm ● Small Christian Community (Carol Denis)/Library
- 7:00 pm ● Mother of Perpetual Help Novena (Rosary 6:30)/Church

Wednesday, Aug. 17

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

Thursday, Aug. 18

- 11:30 am ● St. Joseph Hot Meal Service/Mtg. Room
- 6:30 pm ● St. Joseph Choir Rehearsal/Church

Friday, Aug. 19

Saturday, Aug. 20

- 8:15 am ● Church Cleaner's #4 (V. Coloma)/Church
- 9:30 am ● Bible Sharing (Mary Ann Leite)/Library
- 5:00 pm ● High School Youth Ministry/Library
- 7:45 pm ● San Lorenzo Choir Rehearsal/Church

Sunday, Aug. 21

Please check our website calendar for the most up-to-date information at stjoehilo.com

Stewardship Report of Treasury for:

	July 18, 2016	YTD Actual	YTD Budget
Collections	7,134.80	24,434.60	24,774.13
Other	2,219.15	12,156.04	8,177.27
Deposit	9,353.95	36,590.64	32,951.40
Parish Hall	177.25	Parish Savings	
		Designated	500,599.66
		Restricted	395,580.90
			896,180.56

A Stewardship Moment!

Stewards show the way of truth and light by living our faith through daily acts of kindness, ethical behavior, working for justice, and providing for those in need.

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.

Visit our parish website at www.stjoehilo.com.

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

Pillar of Prayer:

Scripture Readings



Sunday, Aug. 14

Jer 38:4-6, 8-10
Ps 40:2-4, 18
Heb 12:1-4
Lk 12:49-53

Monday, Aug. 15

Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab
Ps 45:10-12, 16
1 Cor 15:20-27
Lk 1:39-56

Tuesday, Aug. 16

Ez 28:1-10
(Ps) Dt 32:26-28, 30, 35cd-36b
Mt 19:23-30

Wednesday, Aug. 17

Ez 34:1-11
Ps 23:1-6
Mt 20:1-16

Thursday, Aug. 18

Ez 36:23-28
Ps 51:12-15, 18-19
Mt 22:1-14

Friday, Aug. 19

Ez 37:1-14
Ps 107:2-9
Mt 22:34-40

Saturday, Aug. 20

Ez 43:1-7b
Ps 85:9ab, 10-14
Mt 23:1-12

Sunday, Aug. 21

Is 66:18-21
Ps 117:1-2
Heb 12:5-7, 11-13
Lk 13:22-30

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



Pillar of Faith Formation:



The New Religious Education Year (2016-2017) is here!
Registration opens on Sunday.

August 14

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 \$25 per child or a family rate of \$60

for three or more

children. New (first-time) families please bring birth certificates and sacramental certificates for each

child at the time of

registration.

For more information please call the rectory office at 935-1465 or email cvillena@stjohilo.com

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults REMAINS OPEN

*Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA):
reception into our Christian community*
Are you interested in becoming a member of the Catholic Faith community through the sacraments of baptism, confirmation & First Eucharist? Do you know anyone who may be interested in a deeper relationship with God through his Son, Jesus and His Church?

**Come join us for class
on Monday, August 15 at 6:00 p.m.
(or every Monday thereafter)
at the rectory library**

For more information please call the rectory office at 935-1465 or email cvillena@stjohilo.com



SATURDAY, AUG 20

St. Joseph School, 1000 Ululani Street, Hilo
Saturday Breakout Sessions
8:45-10:15am; 10:45-12:15pm; 1:15-2:45pm

Session topics include:

- St. Marianne: In the Footsteps of Christ
 - Voting is All About the Dash!
 - Encountering God's Merciful Love: An Intro to the Bible
 - Navigating Teen Culture
 - Encountering God's Merciful Love: An Intro to the Bible
- Special Guest:** Dr. Daniel Smith-Christopher, Loyola Marymount University
"Reading the Bible Across Cultures"

Register at www.catholicahawaii.org/bigislandfaithconference

Walk In Registration available that day.

Pillar of Service:



Hot Meal Ministry:

**Please join us on Thursday,
August 18th for a Hot Meal.
Service starts at 11:30 am**

FUNDRAISER CAR WASH

Saturday, August 20th
8 am to 2 pm



St. Joseph Church parking lot

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*Fundraiser to benefit SJS Boys
Jr Varsity & Varsity
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