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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

Oct. 2

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11:45 am



Weekly Reflection from Fr. Poli

Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time: "You cannot serve God and mammon!"

Dear Parishioners and Friends of St. Joseph Parish
Who are we serving: God or Mammon?

Pope Francis in his Apostolic Exhortation *Evangelii Gaudium* warns us about the dangers of serving the idols of wealth and worldly securities: "The worship of the ancient golden calf has returned in a new and ruthless guise in the idolatry of money and the dictatorship of an impersonal economy lacking a truly human purpose. The worldwide crisis affecting finance and the economy lays bare their imbalances and, above all, their lack of real concern for human beings; man is reduced to one of his needs alone: consumption." (# 55).

The world may judge us by how much we have accumulated but God judges us by what we do with our blessings. No matter what the size of our bank account or how big the mansion we have built or our position in society – all of these are illusory compared to the true wealth that God wishes to entrust to us. We are called to be good stewards of the gifts and talents we have been given.

We receive all our blessings from God, may we in turn be a blessing to one another.

In Christ, Our Bread of Life,
Fr. Poli Ty, SSS

Catholic Charities Sunday—September 17-18

Catholic Charities Hawai'i has carried out the social mission of the Church in Hawaii since 1947 by helping people in need to help themselves, regardless of their faith or culture. We provide a wide range of support and guidance, touching the lives of more than 40,000 people each year with dignity, compassion, social justice, and a commitment to excellence. When you give to the special Catholic Charities Sunday offering, you can be assured that every penny stays on Hawaii Island to help our local neighbors in need.

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

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

Weekly Message from Fr. Wilbert

“How can I repay the Lord for all his goodness to me? I will lift up the cup of salvation and call on the name of the Lord. I will fulfill my vows to the Lord in the presence of all his people.”

Psalms 116:12-14

Dear parishioners,

Peace in Jesus Christ!

It is my great honor to be the pastor of the vibrant community in St. Joseph’s Church. We are so blessed with having three Priests, myself, Fr. Poli Ty and Fr. Zaldy Norba, to minister our spiritual and sacramental needs. I will take this opportunity also to welcome Fr. Zaldy who just arrived last August 27th from the Philippines to join our pastoral team ministry.

On Sept. 4th, we had a wonderful celebration during my installation at 11:45 mass. Bishop Larry Silva officiated the Eucharist and the rite of installation. I am truly grateful of your unwavering support to make the celebration meaningful not only to me but also to all the parishioners of St. Joseph’s church. Indeed you have demonstrated the real essence of a parish, one Ohana, sons and daughters of St. Joseph. I would like to highlight the PPAC and the different committees in our parish of doing the hard work. I will always be grateful to all of you.

As I embark on my pastoral ministry together with my team, Fr. Poli and Fr. Zaldy, let us hold on together that no one shall be left behind as we move forward to implement the parish pastoral plan initiated by my predecessor. We will try to seek out the lost and bring them back to the fold.

Thank you and God bless you all!

In Christ,

Fr. Wilbert Laroga, SSS
Pastor

Stewardship Report of Treasury for:			
	August 22, 2016	YTD Actual	YTD Budget
Collections	6,649.15	84,082.51	97,023.81
Other	2,690.55	34,653.56	24,080.68
Deposit	9,339.70	118,736.07	121,104.49
Parish Hall	226.00	Parish Savings	
		Designated	503,959.66
		Restricted	396,940.90
			900,900.56

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, Sept. 18

Am 8:4-7
Ps 113:1-2, 4-8
1 Tm 2:1-8
Lk 16:1-13

Monday, Sept. 19

Prv 3:27-34
Ps 15:2-4b, 5
Lk 8:16-18

Tuesday, Sept. 20

Prv 21:1-6, 10-13
Ps 119:1, 27, 30, 34-35, 44
Lk 8:19-21

Wednesday, Sept. 21

Eph 4:1-7, 11-13
Ps 19:2-5
Mt 9:9-13

Thursday, Sept. 22

Eccl 1:2-11
Ps 90:3-6, 12-14, 17bc
Lk 9:7-9

Friday, Sept. 23

Eccl 3:1-11
Ps 144:1b, 2abc, 3-4
Lk 9:18-22

Saturday, Sept. 24

Eccl 11:9—12:8
Ps 90:3-6, 12-14, 17
Lk 9:43b-45

Sunday, Sept. 25

Am 6:1a, 4-7
Ps 146:7-10
1 Tm 6:11-16
Lk 16:19-31

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

+Rosalina Duyao



Pillar of Hospitality:

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Monday, Sept. 19

- 5:30 pm ● Youth & Young Adult Choir Rehearsal/Church
- 6:00 pm ● Adult Faith Formation (RCIA)/Library

Tuesday, Sept. 20

- 5:00 pm ● Life Teen Core Team/Conf. Room
- 6:30 pm ● Small Christian Community (C. Denis)/Library
- 7:00 pm ● Mother of Perpetual Help Novena (Rosary 6:30)/Church
- 7:00 pm ● Wake Service (+Rosalina Duyao)/Dodo Chapel

Wednesday, Sept. 21

- 10:00 am ● Funeral Mass (+Rosalina Duyao)/Church
- 6:00 pm ● PPAC & Stewardship Committee/Mtg. Room
- 6:30 pm ● Alabare Choir Rehearsal/Church

Thursday, Sept. 22

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

Friday, Sept. 23

- 9:30 am ● SJS Mass (grades 4, 5 & 6)/SJS Chapel

Saturday, Sept. 24

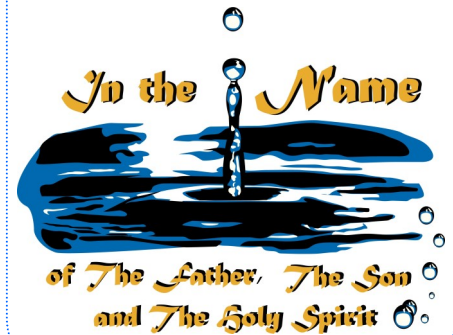
- 8:15 am ● Church Cleaner's #6 (C. Lantano)/Church
- 9:30 am ● Bible Sharing (Fr. Poli & M. Leite)/Library
- 10:00 am ● Reconciliation/Church
- 1:00 pm ● Validation of Marriage (Naich)/Church
- 5:00 pm ● High School Youth Ministry/Library
- 7:45 pm ● San Lorenzo Choir Rehearsal/Church

Sunday, Sept. 25

Pillar of Faith Formation:

Infant Baptism Next Class:

**October 17 from 7-9
pm in the rectory
meeting room.
Pre-registration is
required.**



Pillar of Service:

St. Joseph School's 29th annual Country Fair will be held on Saturday, **October 8, 2016 from 8am -2pm** at the High School gym and grounds. With free admission, this fun-filled family event is open to the community. Come and Enjoy fresh malasadas, carnival style games, great food, live music and great prize giveaways.



There are different opportunities for local businesses to advertise, if you own a business, you may sponsor a game booth, publicity ad, or donate prizes.

If you are a member of our community and would like to donate to our baked goods booth, Arts & Crafts booth, volunteer your time to help, or make a monetary donation, please contact the St. Joseph School Country Fair Chair, Fayth Paekukui at fpaekukui@sjshilo.org or 933-1459.

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Hot Meal Ministry:

Volunteers are always welcome.

Please join us on Thursday, Sept. 22nd for a Hot Meal.

Service starts at 11:30 am



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