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July 31, 2016

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Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time:

Dear Parishioners and Friends of St. Joseph Church,

With the growing number of homeless in our city, I wonder if we still can keep the title as the “Paradise Island”. But again is paradise measured by the affluence and the lifestyle of the rich and famous? Or is paradise living in the serenity of God’s loving presence – having Him as our only treasure!

Today’s parable precisely reminds us of the false sense of security brought about by worldly possessions. While the farmer in the parable would be commended for his foresight by worldly wisdom, In God’s eyes, he is considered a fool for he putting his investments on fleeting realities. The emptiness of his life is clear in the end – when God’s call comes he has nothing that he can call his own. It is not what we have, but what we are that matters!

Every good thing that we have is a gift from God. How we use them will spell the kind of investment that we do with them? Because the disciple’s true wealth is in heaven. I do hope and pray that we invest “on those that matters to God”.

In Christ,
Fr. Poli Ty, sss



Next weekend (Aug. 6th & 7th) we will be taking up a collection for the “**Repair & Maintenance**” of our parish.

Your donations help with the upkeep of the grounds and structures on the property. We appreciate your generosity, thank you.



Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Weekend of July 30/31, 2016

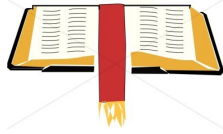
In today’s Gospel, Jesus offers a warning to those who pursue leisure and pleasure as their goal in life without concern for the poor and less fortunate. He tells the parable of the wealthy landowner who, upon yielding an exceptionally profitable harvest one year, determines that he will live the rest of his days in relaxation; to eat, drink and be merry. God calls the miser a “fool” and lets him know that his greed and self-indulgence will not bring him the security he seeks. Good stewards acknowledge that the money and possessions entrusted to them are to be used to further the mission of Jesus Christ. This week let us reflect on our own daily consumption habits. Do we spend money on articles that make us better ambassadors of Christ? Does our personal lifestyle bring “good news to the poor” (Luke 4:18)?

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

Scripture Readings



Sunday, July 31

Ecc 1:2; 2:21-23
Ps 90:3-6, 12-14, 17
Col 3:1-5, 9-11
Lk 12:13-21

Monday, Aug. 01

Jer 28:1-17
Ps 119:29, 43, 79-80, 95, 102
Mt 14:13-21

Tuesday, Aug. 02

Jer 30:1-2, 12-15, 18-22
Ps 102:16-23, 29
Mt 14:22-36

Wednesday, Aug. 03

Jer 31:1-7
(Ps) Jer 31:10-12b, 13
Mt 15:21-28

Thursday, Aug. 04

Jer 31:31-34
Ps 51:12-15, 18-19
Mt 16:13-23

Friday, Aug. 05

Na 2:1, 3; 3:1-3, 6-7
(Ps) Dt 32:35c-36b, 39abcd
Mt 16:24-28

Saturday, Aug. 06

Dn 7:9-10, 13-14
Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9
2 Pt 1:16-19
Lk 9:28b-36

Sunday, Aug. 07

Wis 18:6-9
Ps 33:1, 12, 18-22
Heb 11:1-2, 8-19
Lk 12:32-48

Married by Validation...making a civil marriage into a sacramental one

The Catholic Church does not recognize a marriage ceremony of a Catholic before a civil authority or Protestant minister (or without proper dispensation) to be a true marriage. To be valid, the marriage of a Catholic must take place in the presence of a Catholic bishop, priest or deacon. A marriage Validation sometimes referred to as getting your marriage Blessed'br convalidated fixes the problem of a Catholic in an invalid marriage. Catholics married outside the Catholic Church may not receive Holy Communion. The Validation is a true and complete wedding ceremony — the Sacrament of Matrimony.

To have your marriage Validated, see the priest with whom you feel comfortable. The process does require appropriate marriage preparation. We can assist, if someone has a previous marriage to petition, with petitioning for a declaration of nullity.

A group validation is being planned with the Bishop Larry Silva for next February, 11, 2017. If you are interested please contact the parish Office soon.

If you are married to a non-Catholic who refuses to participate in a new marriage ceremony in the Catholic Church, please inquire about the possibility of a validation by "radical sanation."

Thanks to L. Benoit, Patrick. Downes and Rev. Father Mark Gantley for the information presented in the Hawaii Catholic Herald and discussions on validations

MARK YOUR CALENDAR



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.catholicohawaii.org/bigislandfaithconference

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

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Monday, Aug. 01

5:30 pm ●Youth & Young Adult Choir Rehearsal/Church

Tuesday, Aug. 02 *“St. Peter Julian Eymard”*

5:00 pm ●Life Teen Core Team/Conf. Room

7:00 pm ●Mother of Perpetual Help Novena (Rosary 6:30)/Church

Wednesday, Aug. 03

6:00 pm ●Stewardship Committee/Mtg. Room

6:30 pm ●Alabare Choir Rehearsal/Church

Thursday, Aug. 04

6:30 pm ●St. Joseph Choir Rehearsal/Church

7:00 pm ●Wake Service (+Lino Cabral, Jr)/Dodo Chapel

Friday, Aug. 05

8:00 am ●Viewing (+Dennis De Motta)/Church

9:00 am ●Graveside Service (+Lino Cabral, Jr)/Vet. Cem. #2

10:00 am ●Memorial Mass (+Dennis De Motta)/Church

Saturday, Aug. 06 *“Transfiguration of the Lord”*

8:15 am ●Church Cleaner’s #7 (M. Aizawa)/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. 07

9:00 am ●R E Registration/SJHS Main Entrance

11:45 am ●Youth & Young Adult Mass/Church

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

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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



August 7th

@

11:45 am

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

+Nicanor Nuevo

The New Religious Education Year (2016-2017) is here!

Registration opens on
Sunday, August 7 & 14

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Stewardship Report of Treasury for:			
	July 05, 2016	YTD Actual	YTD Budget
Collections	8,987.25	8,987.25	6,881.70
Other	4,299.27	4,299.27	2,271.48
Deposit	13,286.52	13,286.52	9,153.18
Parish Hall	782.25	Parish Savings	
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