

100th Anniversary

July 15, 2018

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# ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

Served by the Blessed Sacrament Congregation

Church Dedicated in 1919



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## MASS SCHEDULE

### **Weekdays:**

**Mon.-Fri.**

6:00 am & 12:15 pm

**Saturday:** 7:00 am

**Legal Holidays:** 7:00 am

### **Saturday Vigil Mass**

5:00 pm

### **Sunday**

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

**ST. JOSEPH**



**PRAY FOR US!**



“He instructed them to take nothing for the journey but a walking stick—no food, no sack, no money in their belts. They were, however, to wear sandals but not a second tunic.”

-Mark 6:8-9



## **Sacramental Marriage Validation Celebration Centennial Celebration Event at St. Joseph Church Hilo**

“Rejoicing and blessing God, Tobit went out to the gate of Nineveh to meet his daughter-in-law. ... When Tobit came up to Sarah, the wife of his son Tobiah, he blessed her and said: ‘Welcome, my daughter! Blessed be your God for bringing you to us, daughter! Blessed are your father and your mother. Blessed be my son Tobiah, and blessed be you, daughter! Welcome to your home with blessing and joy. Come in, daughter!’”

*Tobit 11:16-17.*

St. Joseph will have a centennial event of a Mass Marriage Validation with Bishop Silva on March 23, 2019 at 2:00 pm at St. Joseph Church. Couples who wish to have a sacramental marriage in the church or wish to have their marriage annulled should contact Rose Nunogawa at 935-1465.

Weekly Reflection: 15<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time – Year B – July 15, 2018

*Sent to proclaim the Kingdom of God*

After more than two thousand years since Jesus preached this gospel, we might question the soundness of these instructions of the Lord: to take nothing for the journey but a walking stick— no food, no sack, no money in their belts. “How then can they effectively preached the Gospels?”, we ask. The Lord is just speaking figuratively but is He? Or are we just watering down the message of the Lord because we are afraid to embrace it? And thus, the seed of the kingdom of God is having a difficulty taking roots in the lives of the faithful.

For indeed, behind the radical counsel of the Lord is a sense of urgency and single mindedness in fulfilling the mission entrusted to his disciples. The proclamation of the coming of Kingdom of God becomes our only priority and everything else takes second place. And yes, this would entail a life of true sacrifice which St. Ignatius of Loyola described us a life of true generosity exemplified by his prayer: *“to serve you as you deserve, to give and not to count the cost, to fight and not to heed the wounds, to toil and not to seek for rest,”*

As disciples of the Lord today, we are called to embrace the mission of proclaiming the Kingdom of God. We care called to be the person of Christ to our world today. And this means everything that we are and everything we possess must be put at the service of God’s kingdom. Are we ready to be sent to proclaim the Kingdom of God? If we do then trust, God will provide.

*“Ignorance of Scripture is  
ignorance of Christ.”*

*St Jerome*

**Sunday, July 15**

Am 7:12-15

Ps 85:9-14

Eph 1:3-14

Mk 6:7-13

**Monday, July 16**

Is 1:10-17

Ps 50:8-9, 16-17, 21, 23

Mt 10:34—11:1

**Tuesday, July 17**

Is 7:1-9

Ps 48:2-8

Mt 11:20-24

**Wednesday, July 18**

Is 10:5-7, 13b-16

Ps 94:5-10, 14-15

Mt 11:25-27

**Thursday, July 19**

Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19

Ps 102:13-21

Mt 11:28-30

**Friday, July 20**

Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8

(Ps) Is 38:10-12, 16

Mt 12:1-8

**Saturday, July 21**

Mi 2:1-5

Ps 10:1-4, 7-8, 14

Mt 12:14-21

**Sunday, July 22**

Jer 23:1-6

Ps 23:1-6

Eph 2:13-18

Mk 6:30-34

**You are invited to our  
monthly Healing Masses in the Church!**

**Mass at 7pm, followed by the  
Healing Service : July 18**

*“Is anyone among you sick? Let  
them call the elders of the church  
to pray over them and anoint  
them with oil in the name of the  
Lord.” (James 5:14)*



**Testify as a Witness to  
Jesus: Healing Mass**

I went to the Healing Mass wanting to heal a pain in my abdomen that I had for several months. I was somewhat anxious as I had surgery for colon cancer 9 years ago. I asked the doctor about it a couple of times, and after some tests, the doctor didn't find the cause of the pain. At the Healing Mass I was asked to assist people down after

they were anointed and prayed over by Father. Fr. Wil asked for everyone to pray as he prayed over each person, which I did. As I was praying for someone with my arm stretched out to the person, I felt a warmth come over me and a voice telling me, "You are healed." I felt at peace and was surprised, as I was praying for someone else and not for me, and Fr. Wil was not praying over me at that time. The pain in my abdomen disappeared and has not returned. Praise God! Amen.....(God is awesome, all the time!) *-Anonymous*

I have been attending the monthly Healing Masses, as it is such a special grace to be personally anointed & prayed over by the Priest. In early February I had a routine surgery done and they monitored my heart during the surgery. The nurses were very concerned, because it showed that I had *atrial fibrillation*. I was referred to my primary care doctor, who did an EKG & found the same results. He referred me to the cardiologist. After meeting with the cardiologist, he referred me to take a stress-echo test before deciding on a course of treatment. By the time I took the actual test, I had attended 3 healing masses (Feb., March, and April). When I took the test, I had a different cardiologist attending. He was absolutely flabbergasted. He questioned the nurses whether he had the correct EKG, & joked that maybe they should fingerprint me to verify I really belonged to that EKG..... because the test showed *no atrial fibrillation*, but instead a perfectly healthy heart with no blockages or irregularities! He was puzzled! ...asked me what medications I was on, but I answered that I am taking no meds. I attribute this healing to the power of God, manifested through the prayers offered for me during the Healing Masses. I didn't even ask for this healing, because I didn't think it was healable! God touches us in ways He knows we need to be healed....all praise to You, Lord Jesus Christ & Your Holy Spirit! *-J.T.*

Let us pray for  
the souls of our  
dearly  
departed.  
May they find  
peace.

+Mildred  
Pacheco  
+Edwin Aguiar,  
Sr.  
+Lawrence  
Jardine, Sr.



# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Weekly Calendar

### Monday, July 16

6:00 am Mass/Church  
 12:15 pm Mass/Church  
 5:30 pm Youth Core Team Meeting/  
 Conference Room

### Tuesday, July 17

6:00 am Mass/Church  
 12:15 pm Mass/Church  
 7:00 pm Mother of Perpetual Help Novena  
 (Rosary 6:30 pm)/Church

### Wednesday, July 18

6:00 am Mass/Church  
 12:15 pm Mass/Church  
 7:00 pm Healing Mass/Church

### Thursday, July 19

6:00 am Mass/Church  
**11:30 am Hot Meal Service/Under canopy,  
 Meeting room & Kitchen**  
 12:15 pm Mass/Church  
 6:00 pm Wake Service  
 (+Remegio Desamito)/Dodo Chapel

### Friday, July 20

6:00 am Mass/Church  
 8:30 am Viewing (+Remegio Desamito)/  
 Church  
 10:00 am Funeral Mass  
 (+Remegio Desamito)/Church  
 12:15 pm Mass/Church  
 6:00 pm San Lorenzo Family Choir  
 Rehearsal/Church

### Saturday, July 21

7:00 am Mass/Church  
 8:15 am Church Cleaner's #4 (V. Coloma)/  
 Church  
 9:30 am Bible Sharing/Library  
 10:00 am Reconciliation/Church  
 5:00 pm Mass/Church  
 5:00 pm High School Youth Group/Library

### Sunday, July 22

7:00 am Mass/Church  
 9:00 am Mass/Church  
 11:45 am Mass/Church  
 6:00 pm Mass/Church  
 6:00 pm Wake Service  
 (+Edwin Aguiar, Sr)/Dodo Chapel



**Congratulations to the Newly Commissioned Extraordinary Minister's of Holy Communion & Sacristan. (Blessing taken place at the 9am mass on July 1)**

New EOMs: Linda Lidstone, John Souza, Sharen Chaves.  
 New EOM and Sacristan: Bernie Rasay.

## Stewardship Report of Treasury for:

	Week (7/3 to 7/9/2018)	YTD Actual	YTD Budget
Collections	6,649.77	14,747.02	11,743.56
R&M Collection	1,710.25	3,758.50	
All Other Income	17,599.84	17,792.95	8,623.51
Deposited to Bank	<b>25,959.86</b>	<b>36,298.47</b>	<b>20,367.07</b>
		<b>Parish Savings</b>	
Parish Hall	351.25	Loan to school	136,120.36
		Designated Funds	346,261.55
		Restricted Funds	433,607.93
			<b>915,989.84</b>

Come out and join us as we celebrate **Father Poli's birthday on Sunday, July 29 from 1:00pm to 3:00pm** in the downstairs meeting room.

**We are seeking donations of the following items:**

- Sandwich fillings (meat, cheese, tuna, etc...)
- Cupcake toppings (sprinkles, cherries, decorative sugar, etc...)



Next Sunday you will find an RSVP slip in the bulletin. We ask that anyone that is interested in coming please complete the RSVP slip and place in the collection basket during your mass.

Would you like to share a Happy Birthday message with Father Poli? Get your family and friends together and record all of you saying "Happy Birthday Father Poli" and e-mail your video to [christopher.ho80@gmail.com](mailto:christopher.ho80@gmail.com). All submissions are due no later than July 22 at 5:00pm.

If you have any questions please speak to any member of the PPAC at the mass you attend.

## Natural Family Planning Course:

### Attention Married and Engaged couples

Has anyone clearly explained for you **WHY** the Catholic Church does not approve of unnatural forms of birth control? For most of us the answer is **NO**. Learn about your faith and discover a natural method of family planning that goes beyond the physical. Information is available at [www.ccli.org](http://www.ccli.org) and with Ed and Betty Coda at 808-256-5085 or Fred and Patti Basilio at 961-2442.



Thank you to all the volunteers who served in the evangelizing & outreach during the month of June with the various events for Hope Services Temporary Shelters & Tropic Care 2018. Thank you to this **COMMUNITY of DISCIPLES**.

## Improvement Fund



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**SECOND COLLECTION  
THIS WEEKEND!**  
Thank you for  
your generosity!

Bishop Larry, Fr. Rheo, & a few of the Honolulu seminarians. -July 2018



**NEXT WEEKEND!** July 21 & 22  
**Second Collection: Diocesan Seminarian  
Education**

Our very own, John Akau, St. Joseph Hilo  
(Picture right side, front row)

**Pray for Vocations daily!**

Next Parent & Godparent Prep class will be  
on Monday, July 23 from 7-9pm in the  
rectory meeting room.

**PRE-REGISTRATION IS  
REQUIRED**

Infant  
**BAPTISM**

Call the rectory office or visit the parish website for  
more information.



**St. Joseph Parish Picnic –  
A Community of Disciples**

**When: August 4, 2018  
10 am – 3:00 pm**

Where: St. Joseph School Gym

Why: *A Community of Disciples Gathering –  
Getting To Know Each Other*

For: All Parishioners: Families, Children,  
Grandparents, Youth and Young Adults  
Fellowship, Food, and Fun

*Games, Lucky Number Drawings, Silent Auction  
and more...*

ADORATION ATONEMENT

THE MASS IS OFFERED FOR FOUR ENDS

THANKSGIVING PETITION

"LORD, GIVE US THAT BREAD ALWAYS" (JOHN 6:34)

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CONFERENCE**

**PACK  
LIGHT  
AND  
GO**



**Saturday, August 18, 2018**

**Hawaii Island Faith Formation Conference**

**St. Joseph Jr./Sr. High School, Hilo**

**More information & registration to follow.**

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