

November 11, 2018

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St. Joseph Church

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www.stjoehilo.com 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



Weekly Reflection: 32nd Sunday in ordinary Time – Year B

"...two small coins worth a few cents."

To commit to give half of what we have to any good cause would certainly be considered being very generous. But to give all that we have might seem to be beyond this world. And this is what we have seen in the gospel today.

A very insignificant detail it may seem to mention that the widow only had two small coins for herself. She could have given one coin and she would have given half of everything she had. And that is certainly very generous in our standards. Many a king have promised half of their kingdoms to show their generosity. But no, she gave the two coins. She had the option of giving only one and that will be good enough, but she gave everything she had. She was not only giving, she was surrendering herself entirely to God. Even her options in life, she was entrusting to God!

And God is our true model on what it means to be generous. We can be generous for so many personal reasons, but the truest form of generosity is one that springs out of gratitude that God was and ever so generous to us. He gave us everything for us to live our lives to the fullest, giving us even his only Son to redeem us. And for what – simply because He loves us. "Lord, teach us to be generous....."



FOR YOUR INFORMATION:

The altar and organ are being treated for termites on *Wednesday the 14th therefore the church will be locked after the 12:15 Mass* and will remain locked until the next day when the equipment is removed and it is safe to enter the church again.

Catholic Campaign for Human Development-CCHD Collection

Please respond to Pope Francis' call for the World Day of the Poor the weekend of November 18.

Please be generous in the collection for the **Catholic Campaign for Human Development-CCHD**. In the US, one in six people lives in poverty. With this collection you support programs that address the causes of poverty and help vulnerable people across our country struggling to overcome persistent poverty.

Here in Hawaii CCHD has supported a wide range of projects, working with the most vulnerable, including HOPE Services Hawaii, Inc., which has been instrumental in responding to the needs of the homeless and victims from the lava flow on the Big Island. Please remember that 25% of the collection's proceeds stay in our diocese to hear and respond to the cry of the poor and some of the most vulnerable in our own islands. An envelope is provided for your convenience. For more information, take a look at the insert attached.

Please prayerfully consider contributing to the CCHD collection on NOVEMBER 17 & 18

SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND! Repair, Maintenance and Improvement Fund



We are collecting potted poinsettia plants starting to be delivered to St Joseph Church on Thursday, Dec 13.

For more information, contact Mary Correa.

Sunday, Nov. 11

"Ignorance of Scrip-

ture is ignorance of Christ." St Jerome

1Kgs 17:10-16 Ps 146:7-10 Heb 9:24-28

Mk 12:38-44

Monday, Nov. 12

Ti 1:1-9 Ps 24:1-6 Lk 17:1-6

Tuesday, Nov. 13

Ti 2:1-8, 11-14 Ps 37:3-4, 18, 23, 27, 29

Lk 17:7-10

Wednesday, Nov. 14

Ti 3:1-7 Ps 23:1-6 Lk 17:11-19

Thursday, Nov. 15

Phlm 7-20 Ps 146:7-10 Lk 17:20-25

Friday, Nov. 16

2 Jn 4-9

Ps 119:1-2, 10-11, 17-18

Lk 17:26-37

Saturday, Nov. 17

3 Jn 5-8 Ps 112:1-6 Lk 18:1-8

Sunday, Nov. 18

Dn 12:1-3 Ps 16:5, 8-11 Heb 10:11-14, 18 Mk 13:24-32

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Weekly Calendar

Monday, Nov. 12

"Veterans Day" Holiday—Rectory office closed
7:00 am Mass/Church—NO 12:15 pm Mass
6:30 pm Knights of Columbus/Meeting Room

Tuesday, Nov. 13

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

7:00 pm Mother of Perpetual Help Novena

(Rosary 6:30 pm)/Church

Wednesday, Nov. 14

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

2:00 pm Organ & Altar Tenting/Church to

be closed overnight

6:00 pm Stewardship Meeting/Meeting Room
Wake Service (+ Jeepphine Select)

6:00 pm Wake Service (+Josephine Salas)/

Dodo Chapel

6:30 pm Alabare Choir Rehearsal/Library

Thursday, Nov. 15

6:00 am Mass/Meeting Room

9:00 am Prayer Service (+Josephine Salas)/

Dodo Chapel

12:00 pm Graveside Service (+Josephine Salas)/

Veterans Cemetery #2

12:15 pm Mass/Church

6:30 pm St. Joseph Choir Rehearsal/Church

Friday, Nov. 16

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

5:30 pm Youth Core Team Meeting/

Conference Room

6:00 pm San Lorenzo Family Choir Rehearsal/

Church

Saturday, Nov. 17

7:00 am Mass/Church

7:00 am Pre-Thanksgiving Prep Luncheon for Hungry & Homebound/Meeting Room

LUNCH WILL BE SERVED @ 11 AM

8:15 am Church Cleaner's #6 (C. Lantano)/

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, Nov. 18

7:00 am Mass/Church 9:00 am Mass/Church

10:15 am Religious Ed. Classes/SJHS

11:45 am Mass/Church 6:00 pm Mass/Church

Stewardship Report of Treasury for:			
Weeks (10/30-11/5)		YTD Actual	YTD Budget
Collections	7,170.00	163,345.56	169,041.67
R&M Collection	1,830.00	28,213.55	
All Other Income	4,604.08	156,822.30	123,763.86
Deposited to Bank	13,604.08	348,381.41	292,805.53
		Parish Savings	
Parish Hall	120.00	Loan to school	106,203.06
		Designated Funds	361,196.87
		Restricted Funds	446,397.13
			913,797.06

RELIGIOUS ED NEWS!

Parents of children in the Parish RE GRADE 2 CLASS as well as any STUDENT in GRADES 3 & ABOVE WHO ARE SEEKING FIRST RECONCILIATION, please attend a parent meeting on Nov 18 at 10:15a with Chrislyn. We will discuss in detail the process for your child to make their FIRST CONFESSION.

First Penance will be on Saturday, Dec. 15 at 9:30a in the church. Parents must remain with their child.

Allow for at least an hour with us.

For more information, contact Chrislyn Villena.

Dear Children and Parents,

You are invited to come and see what Children's Liturgy is all about. Children ages 5 to 12 are invited to join us in hearing the

Children's Liturgy of the Word

Word of God and to participate in our service projects throughout the year. Our children not only hear God's Word but are shown ways to turn those words into acts of kindness, To love as Jesus loved us. This is different from the Sunday RE classes as this focuses on the Word of God in the Liturgy & the Mass.

We meet each Sunday during the 7 am, 9 am, 11:45 am & 6 pm Masses, in the downstairs meeting room.

A parent must come with a child younger than 5 years old. We hope you will join us!

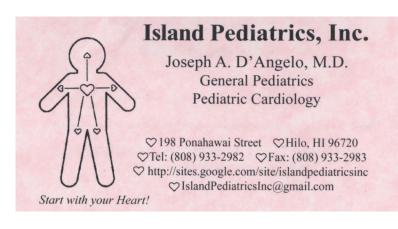
Mary Ann Leite, Children's Liturgy Coordinator

Healing Mass
Wednesday,
Nov. 21, 2018
St. Joseph Church,
Hilo
7pm: Mass

Followed by healing service

COME & be individually anointed and prayed over by the Priest..... Let the Lord touch you in all the ways He wants to heal you!







SHARE YOUR GIFTS!

Individuals & families are invited to join the prayer pillar coordinators, Linda Villena & May Richards in the annual making of the Advent wreath. This event will be held on Friday, November 30th at 2pm. Contact either coordinators for more information. Mahalo!



