

# ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

Aug. 15, 2021

Served by the Blessed Sacrament Congregation

Church Dedicated in 1919



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*Adoration of the Blessed  
Sacrament begins  
Weekdays & Sundays at 4:00 p  
Saturdays at 3:00 p*



**August  
Weekend  
Masses  
will be  
streamed,  
LIVE on:**

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**August 15 – Solemnity of the Assumption Of Mary into Heaven - 2021  
“Blessed are you among women”.**

August 15 @ 6 pm  
August 21 @ 5 pm  
August 29 @ 6 pm

**Please continue to  
pray & show  
support for  
St. Joseph School**



**ST. JOSEPH  
PRAY FOR US!**

On this solemnity of the Assumption of Mary, we honor Our Blessed Mother, who was graced with the blessing of being assumed into heaven body and soul. Indeed, she is as Elizabeth proclaims: "Blessed are you among women". And while we might not be blessed with the privilege of being the Mother of Our Lord Jesus, we however, are blessed to share with Mary the opportunity to share a life in heaven for all eternity. Her Assumption is a reminder for all of us of the destiny that God wishes to share with us. Her assumption foretells our own bodily resurrection. Heaven is the place the Lord has prepared for us if we so desire.

And that desire of a life in union with God, we see in the words of Mary in the Magnificat. Hopefully we will make it our own prayer – thanking God for all the wonders He has done in our lives but also totally surrendering ourselves to His divine will.

Likewise, the Assumption of Mary into heaven affirms the significance of the human body in understanding the dignity of a human person. Not only will our spirits rejoice with God our Savior, but so, too, will our bodies when we live with him forever in heaven.

## NEW ONLINE GIVING PORTAL ACTIVE

### MANAGE YOUR GIVING ONLINE

St. Joseph Church is excited to announce that our new online portal is up and can be view by accessing the parish website.

For those of you who have used the WeShare portal, please go to our VANCO site and set up a new user account with them. And for those of you who have considered online giving yet never tried...**now's the time!**

Thank you for your support of our parish!

### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION



***Come pray the Liturgy of the Hours***  
Join us daily in the morning immediately following the Morning Mass and in the evenings:  
***Weekdays & Sundays at 4:00 p***  
***Saturdays at 3:00 p***

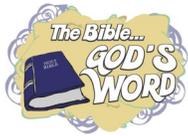
Stewardship Report of Treasury for:			
	Aug 3-9, 2021	YTD Actual	YTD Budget
<b>Collections</b>	5,834.00	37,052.80	47,446.27
<b>R&amp;M Collection</b>	282.00	1,606.00	2,688.21
<b>Security Project</b>	10.00	215.00	322.58
<b>All Other Income</b>	2,163.83	26,573.62	20,283.86
<b>Deposited to Bank</b>	<b>8,289.83</b>	<b>65,447.42</b>	<b>70,740.92</b>
<b>Parish Hall</b>	25.00	Loan to school	153,714.09
		Designated Funds	123,869.79
		Restricted Parish Hall Funds	461,171.27
			<b>738,755.15</b>



### St. Joseph Church Collection

The General Collection is used for the day-to-day operation of the parish and its programs. You may set up a one-time or recurring donation to our parish.

Donate now



#### Sunday, Aug 15

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

#### Monday, Aug 16

Jgs 2:11-19  
Ps 106:34-37, 39-40,  
43ab, 44  
Mt 19:16-22

#### Tuesday, Aug 17

Jgs 6:11-24a  
Ps 85:9, 11-14  
Mt 19:23-30

#### Wednesday, Aug 18

Jgs 9:6-15  
Ps 21:2-7  
Mt. 20:1-16

#### Thursday, Aug 19

Jgs 11:29-39a  
Ps 40:5, 7-10  
Mt 22:1-14

#### Friday, Aug 20

Ru 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16,  
22  
Ps 146:5-10  
Mt 22:34-40

#### Saturday, Aug 21

Ru 2:1-3, 8-11; 4:13-  
17  
Ps 128:1b-5  
Mt 23:1-12

#### Sunday, Aug 22

Jos 24:1-2a, 15-17,  
18b  
Ps 34:2-3, 16-21  
Eph 5:21-32  
Jn 6:60-69

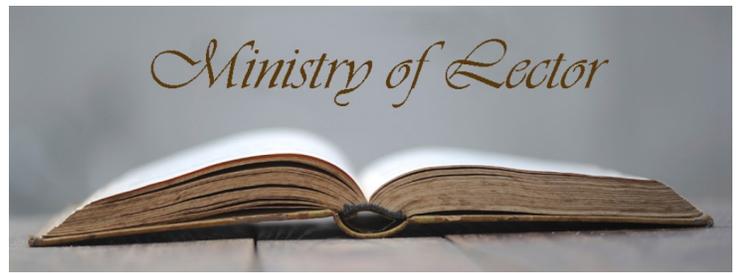
## The Ministry of Lector

### PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

The proclamation of the Word of God is truly a service to the Church. Lectors bring the living Word of God to the liturgical assembly. The ministry of the Word should, therefore, be treated seriously and with great dignity. (GIRM 55)

In proclaiming the word of God from Sacred Scripture, readers exercise their responsibility in mediating the presence of Christ. God speaks to the assembly through them, and the impact of God's message will depend significantly on their conviction, their preparation, and their delivery.

The Word of God is not merely read during the liturgy. It is proclaimed, yet not with theatrical show. Effective proclamation involves the delivery of the message with clarity, conviction and appropriate pace. It demands the ability to evoke faith in others by demonstrating one's own faith. Proclamation is a special ministry which presupposes faith. It also rouses faith in those who hear the Word proclaimed. (LM Intro 55)



Ideally, the assembly should listen to the proclamation of the Scriptures and not read along in a missalette. In the act of communal listening, the worshippers experience not only unity among themselves but also the presence of Christ speaking to them through the Word.

If you think you might be interested in joining the Ministry of the Lector, please come to our Lector training meeting on Saturday, August 21 from 1 to 3 p m in the Church. See you there....

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## With deep appreciation and gratitude to the Sisters of the Sacred Hearts!

Over this past week the Sisters of the Sacred Hearts at Regina Pacis Convent in Honolulu have been praying for all the members of St. Joseph Parish.

If you wish to thank them personally or if you have a special intention please let the Sisters know by writing to them at:

1120 Fifth Avenue, Honolulu, HI 96816

Or via email at:  
[reginasscc@cs.com](mailto:reginasscc@cs.com)



# August 2021

<p>15 7:00 MASS-Fr. Jong 9:00 MASS-Fr. Lito-Dcn. David 11:45 MASS-Fr. Lito 6:00 MASS-Fr. Lito</p>	<p>16 6:00 MASS_Fr. Jong 12:15 MASS-Fr. Lito  <u>Office hours 9 am to 1pm</u></p>	<p>17 6:00 MASS-Fr. Lito Jong 12:15 MASS-Fr. Jong  <u>Office hours 9 am to 1pm</u></p>	<p>18 6:00 MASS-Fr. Lito 12:15 MASS-Fr. Lito  <u>Office hours 9 am to 1pm</u></p>	<p>19 6:00 MASS-Fr. Lito 12:15 MASS-Fr. Lito  <u>Office hours 9 am to 1pm</u></p>	<p>20 7:00 MASS-Fr. Lito  </p>	<p>21 7:00 MASS Fr. Lito 10:00 CONFESSION Fr. Lito  5:00 MASS Fr. Lito Dcn. David-Preach Dcn. Ray</p>
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## Friday, August 20—Statehood Day!

From as early as 1849, there had been several attempts to make Hawaii a part of the United States.

Hawaii was annexed by the American in 1898, becoming the Territory of Hawaii.

In the 1940s, ballots during elections showed an increasing majority in favour of statehood and in 1959, the U.S. Congress approved a statehood bill, the Hawaii Admission Act. This was followed by a referendum in which Hawaiian residents voted 94% in support of statehood.

On August 21st 1959 (which was the third Friday in August in that year), President Dwight D. Eisenhower signed the proclamation making Hawaii the 50th state.

Statehood Day was first celebrated as a state holiday in 1969.

"The Safety Committee is seeking new members. The Committee serves to insure the health, safety, and security of our parish, parishioners, and visitors. Those with backgrounds in healthcare, public safety, emergency preparedness, or who would just like to contribute to the mission of the Committee may contact Safety Committee Chairman Clem Gusman at 895-4498 for more information."

**Help  
Wanted**

**Director of Religious Education, St Joseph Church, Hilo**-The Director of Religious Education administrates a parish catechetical program and provides leadership to assist the parish community in building a sold foundation of catechetical ministry and faith formation.

Please apply online at <https://www.catholichawaii.org/about-us/careers/>