

# ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

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February 14, 2021

Served by the Blessed Sacrament Congregation

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Adoration of the Blessed  
Sacrament begins at 4:00 p



Weekend  
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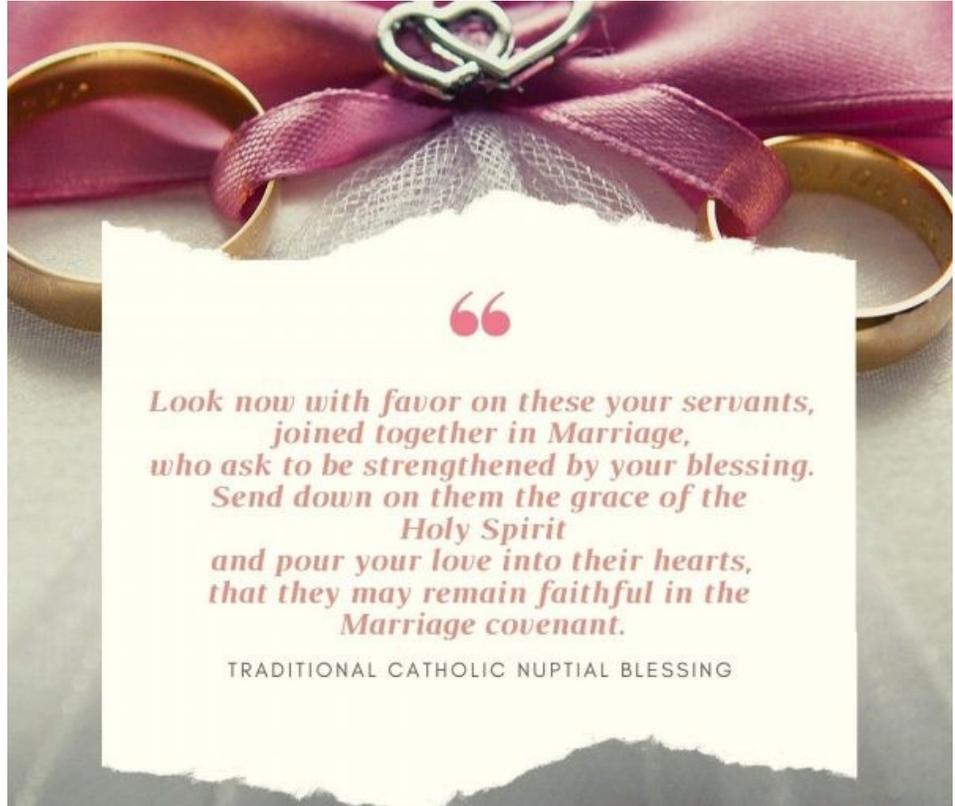
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February-6 @ 5pm

February-14 @ 6pm

February-20 @ 5pm

February-28 @ 6pm



To All Priests and Parishes:  
From: Bishop Larry Silva

This weekend we will take up the annual collection for the Augustine Educational Foundation, a great gift to our diocese, which provides scholarships to families so that they can be educated in our wonderful Catholic schools. This year, a generous donor has offered to **match** our gifts. We know how much these funds are appreciated by those who receive them, so I urge you to be generous and to urge your people to contribute generously to this collection.

Thank you for your constant witness to Jesus!

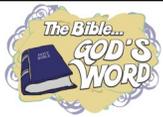
Donate directly: <https://www.augustinefoundation.org/donate/>



**SECOND COLLECTION**

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





**6<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary time – 2021 B**

**“If you want to, you can heal me.”**

The Gospel this Sunday tells the story of Jesus healing the leper. The leper was bold enough to approach Jesus when they were prohibited by law to come into contact with other people because they will make them unclean. In the same way, Jesus set aside the law when he touched the leper thus making himself unclean. There can be no limit nor obstacles to his compassion. However, the good news is, instead of Jesus becoming unclean, the leper became clean, “And immediately the leprosy left him, and he was made clean.” This miracle happened because two people took risks.

For the leper, his boldness was coupled with humility – humbly kneeling down before Our Lord he pleaded : “If you want to, you can heal me.” In his heart He knew that only God can cure him just like when we know that no one else can help us, we turn to God in prayer. . And the more we sincerely pray, the more our hearts become humble. And at this moment, we are brought in presence of our most compassionate God. And then everything changes for us. So that even what we are praying for is changed to what this loving God desires for us. The best assurance we have is that if God is with us, then we are in the best hands.

-Fr. Poli, sss

**Sunday, Feb. 14**

Lv 13;1-2, 44-46  
Ps 32:1-2, 5, 11  
1 Cor 10:31—11:1  
Mk 1:40-45

**Monday, Feb. 15**

Gn 4:1-15, 25  
Ps 50:1, 8, 16bc-17, 20-21  
Mk 8:11-13

**Tuesday, Feb. 16**

Gn 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10  
Ps 29:1a, 2, 3ac-4, 3b, 9c-10  
Mk 8:14-21

**Wednesday, Feb. 17**

Jl 2:12-18  
Ps 51:3-6b, 12-14, 17  
2 Cpr 5:20—6:2  
Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

**Thursday, Feb. 18**

Dt 30:15-20  
Ps 1:1-4, 6  
Lk 9:22-25

**Friday, Feb. 19**

Is 58:1-9a  
Ps 51:3-6b, 18-19  
Mt 9:14-15

**Saturday, Feb. 20**

Is 58:9b-14  
Ps 86:1-6  
Lk 5:27-32

**Sunday, Feb. 21**

Gn 9:8-15  
Ps 25:4-9  
1 Pt 3:18-22  
Mk 1:12-15

"The Safety Committee will be resuming meetings on Wednesday, February 24, 2021 in the Downstairs Rectory Meeting Room. Zoom access will be available for those who wish to attend virtually. Those wishing to attend in person, please contact Clem Gusman at 895-4498 due to space limitations. The committee is also seeking new members. If interested, please call Clem."

**Food Box Distribution Resumes:**

**FEBRUARY, TUESDAYS**

For those who have NEVER received a food box (produce, dairy or protein) and would like to be on our list, please CALL or TEXT **Bernie Rasay**, project coordinator at **808-640-8709**. Leave your Full Name & Phone Number.  
**Serious Inquiries Only.**

**Stewardship Report of Treasury for:**

	February 2 - 8, 2021	YTD Actual	YTD Budget
<b>Collections</b>	5,210.00	287,861.34	229,382.16
<b>R&amp;M Collection</b>	411.00	16,029.47	36,428.57
<b>Security Project</b>	1,690.00	4,405.00	
<b>All Other Income</b>	2,831.00	133,973.80	114,136.80
<b>Deposited to Bank</b>	<b>10,142.00</b>	<b>442,269.61</b>	<b>379,947.53</b>
<b>Parish Hall</b>	50.00	Loan to school	184,428.33
		Designated Funds	103,012.31
		Restricted Parish Hall Funds	460,216.27
			<b>747,656.91</b>

**SJC Safety & Security Project Effective February 1st.**

St. Joseph Church has secured a monthly contract with Professional Protective Assn to provide nightly/early morning checks on Church, Rectory and Church Property.

This is an *ongoing project* for the overall wellness of our parish. We would like to thank all those who have donated to the cause and to those who may be interested to help in the future.

**By sponsoring one month of this security contract @\$150 per month, you help to maintain the safety of our parish especially our priests who reside here. Please call the church office 935-1465, for information on how you can donate.**

**3 SIMPLE WAYS TO BUILD A LASTING MARRIAGE**

- 10 **PRAY TOGETHER EVERY DAY**  
Even if you have to be apart, make sure you pray together for your family, your children and those around you.
- 20 **LIVE SIMPLY**  
Spending time together as a family is more important than material things. Live modestly and build a close relationship.
- 30 **SEEK HELP: FROM GOD, MARY, AND OTHERS**  
Seek help from God, Mary and the saints, individually and as a couple. Turn to others for help, open up to people who you trust as family and friends.

LET THE SPIRIT GUIDE YOU

DISCERN THE VOCATION OF

# DEACON



**Dates below are for inquiring weekends:**

March 12 -14, 2021 (Limited to 9 couples)      April 9 - 11, 2021 (Limited to 9 couples)

Registration deadline - March 5, 2021      Registration deadline - April 2, 2021

***For more information or to register, reach out to our very own,  
Deacon Dave Watson.***

## Lent Starts Next Week!

### 4 Easy Ideas for a Lenten Devotion

Don't just give something up this Lent—add a spiritual practice to go deeper in your relationship with the Lord.

**Here are some ideas.**

- 1. Go to Mass.** Make the commitment to add a Friday Mass (or Monday, or Tuesday . . . ). Even if your parish can't host the Stations of the Cross or a fish fry, you can still come together for a community devotion.
- 2. Make a holy hour.** If you don't regularly go to Eucharistic adoration, start spending an hour (or thirty minutes) each week in front of the Blessed Sacrament.
- 3. Reflect on the Sunday readings.** One way to keep our minds focused on Lent and preparation for the Resurrection is to [reflect on the Sunday Mass readings](#).
- 4. Get kids involved.** Help them understand why we make Lenten sacrifices and why Easter is so important. [Teach kids the Lenten story](#) and get them thinking about why Jesus died for us.



**ASH WEDNESDAY MASSES SEATS  
ARE NOW CLOSED.**

**ALL RESERVATIONS ARE FULL  
VIEW THE LIVE STREAM @ 9:30A OR THE  
REPLAY ON THE PARISH YOUTUBE CHANNEL.**

**The ministry of the Permanent Diaconate is new, yet, in another sense, ancient; it traces its roots to the time of the Apostles.** The Diaconate flourished as an official ministry in the Early Church but, in time it became a step toward priesthood and, thus, became a transitional office. The Second Vatican Council restored the Permanent Diaconate as a unique way to serve the people of God in a threefold ministry of word, sacrament and charity. The introduction of the Ministry of the Permanent Diaconate to the Diocese of Honolulu in 1978 was a bold and forward thinking event that demonstrated a true commitment to providing this service in a unique and powerful way.

**The Deacon is empowered by his bishop to administer** Infant Baptism, witness marriage, officiate at wakes, funerals and burial services, administer sacramentals, preside at prayer services, distribute Holy Communion, proclaim the gospel and deliver the homily.

**The Deacon's ministry of charity calls him to areas of need in which he demonstrates particular expertise or talent.** These areas may include hospital/hospice chaplaincy, prison ministry or other works designed to assist the poor and marginalized members of society.



**FILL-IN THE BLANKS**  
to make *this* Lent a  
reflective & sacrificial one

**This Lenten Season,  
I will sacrifice**

in order to grow in \_\_\_\_\_.

Be merciful, O Lord, for we have sinned.

# February 2021

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
14 <b>WORLD MARRIAGE DAY</b> 7:00 MASS FR. LITO 9:00 MASS FR. LITO 11:45 MASS FR. POLI 6:00 MASS FR. POLI <i>Stream</i>	15 <b>HOLIDAY</b> 7:00 MASS FR. LITO	16 6:00 MASS FR. POLI  12:15 MASS FR. LITO	17 <b>ASH WEDNESDAY</b> 6:00 MASS FR. POLI  9:30 SJS MASS FR. POLI  12:15 MASS FR. LITO 7:00 MASS FR. LITO	18 6:00 MASS FR. LITO 10:00 Prayer Svc. @Dodo Chapel +C. Cabanting FR. POLI  12:15 MASS FR. POLI	19 6:00 MASS FR. POLI 9:30 +D. & E. Nelson Memorial Mass FR. LITO 12:15 MASS FR. LITO 6:00 +Tenorio-Prayer Svc. @ ____ FR. POLI	20 7:00 MASS FR. POLI 10:00 CONFESSION FR. POLI  1:00 INFANT BAPTISM FR. LITO (Mazawa-Girl)  5:00 MASS FR. POLI <i>Stream</i> W/DCN DAVE (PREACH)

## Dates to Remember:

<b>February 15</b> President's Day  Office closed	7:00a Mass ONLY
<b>February 17</b> Ash Wed.  View the Live Stream (9:30A) or the Replay on the parish YOUTUBE	6:00 pm <i>Reservations are closed. No Seats Available</i>
<b>Stations of the Cross:</b>  Feb. 19, 26 Mar. 5, 12, 19, 26	3:00pm (in-person)  View recorded video on the parish Youtube channel
<b>February 21</b> Rite of Election	2:00p
<b>March 19</b> Feast of St. Joseph	6:00a 12:15p
<b>March 20</b> Drive-In Rosary 11:30A	Celebrate St. Joseph VIEW the Prayer Service LIVE ON THE PARISH YOUTUBE CHANEL
<b>March 26</b> Kuhio Day  Office closed	7:00a Mass ONLY

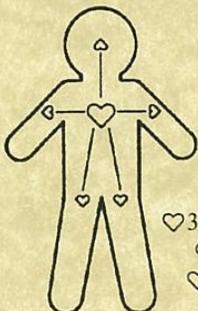
**Reservations OPEN on February 22 for Holy Week:**

<b>APRIL 1</b> <b>HOLY THURSDAY</b> 7:00 PM	<b>NEW RESERVATIONS REQUIRED</b>  VIEW THE MASS LIVE ON THE PARISH YOUTUBE CHANEL
<b>APRIL 2</b> <b>GOOD FRIDAY</b> 3:00 PM	<b>NEW RESERVATIONS REQUIRED</b>  VIEW THE PRAYER SERVICE LIVE ON THE PARISH YOUTUBE CHANEL
<b>APRIL 3</b> <b>HOLY SATURDAY</b> <b>EASTER VIGIL</b> 7:00 PM	<b>NEW RESERVATIONS REQUIRED</b>  VIEW THE MASS LIVE ON THE PARISH YOUTUBE CHANEL
<b>APRIL 4</b> 7:00A 9:15A 11:45A 3:00P 6:00P	<b>EASTER SUNDAY</b>  <b>NEW RESERVATIONS REQUIRED</b>

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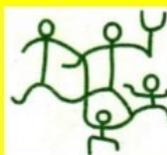
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