March 21, 2021

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March-6 @ 5pm March-14 @ 6pm March-20 @ 5pm

March-28 @ 6pm

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# This Weekend's Second Collection:

# St. Joseph School

"This voice did not come for my sake but for yours. Now is the time of judgment on this world; now the ruler of this world will be driven out. And when I am lifted up from the earth, I will draw everyone to myself." -John 12

#### Holy Week & Easter Sunday Seats are all filled. Reservations are now closed.

View the live stream or the re-play on our parish Youtube Channel. Holy Thursday 7pm; Good Friday 3pm and Easter Vigil 7pm.



#### Sunday, Mar. 21

Jer 31:31-34 Ps 51:3-4, 12-15 Heb 5:7-9 Jn 12:20-33

#### Monday, Mar. 22

Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 Ps 23:1-6 Jn 8:1-11

#### Tuesday, Mar. 23

Nm 21:4-9 Ps 102:2-3, 16-21 Jn 8:21-30

#### Wednesday, Mar. 24

Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95 (Ps) Dn 3:52-56 Jn 8:31-42

#### Thursday, Mar. 25

Is 7:10-14; 8:10 Ps 40:7-11 Heb 10:4-10 Lk 1:26-38

#### Friday, Mar. 26

Jer 20:10-13 Ps 18:2-7 Jn 10:31-42

#### Saturday, Mar. 27

Ez 37:21-28 (Ps) Jer31:10-13 Jn 11:45-56

#### Sunday, Mar. 28

Mk 11:1-10 (Procession) Is 50:4-7 Ps 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24 Phil 2:6-11 Mk 14:1—15:47

#### 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent – 2021- B

#### "Unless the grain of wheat falls to the earth and dies,..."

Many people are afraid of talking about death and dying. But not Jesus. And today we hear this spoken with outmost sincerity as he said: , "Unless the grain of wheat falls to the earth and dies, it remains alone; but if it dies, it produces much fruit". And nobody can be more clarified to do so than Jesus because He lived it himself and invites us to do likewise.

And we are afraid of death because we see it as robbing us of our lives. We live our lives thinking what we can get out of it. But to truly live life is not about what we can get but how we can give as to become a life-giving presence to others.

And Lent is an opportunity to practice to give life to others by our readiness to sacrifice our own self-fulfillment and be self-transcending. And we can begin through acts of mortifications which are little acts of dying to self. These are acts of self-denial in view of becoming a channel of life and love the world. -Fr. Poli, sss

#### Palm Sunday (March 27/28):

Bring your own washed/cleaned; handheld palms to be blessed at the weekend masses.

Those who attend the weekday masses may bring in your palms to be blessed on Monday, March 29 (6a or 12:15p).

## Holy Week-Pentecost Missals are now available.

Missals will be available in Church and from the Rectory Office beginning Monday, March 22nd



Donations of white and yellow flowers for Holy Week & Easter altar decorations are welcome, especially potted flowers that last several weeks.

Drop off dates are March 29-31 (Mon-Wed mornings 8-11a) at St Joseph Church Breezeway or Basement. For more info, leave a message at St Joseph Church (808) 935-1465. You can also ask Fr Poli, Mary, May & Char.

Thank you for preparing our church for Easter season.





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Thanks for journeying with us!



#### Stowardship Papart of Tracsury for:



After 20+ years of serving at St. Joseph Parish Robyn has retired. Robyn, may God bless you with good health and happiness!

You will be missed.

Stewardship Report of Treasury for:						
March 9-15, 2021		YTD Actual	YTD Budget			
Collections	4,787.75	329,708.64	264,545.86			
R&M Collection	300.00	18,406.57	42,500.00			
Security Project	10.00	5,207.00	0.00			
All Other Income	12,920.00	158,527.01	133,159.63			
Deposited to Bank	18,017.75	511,849.22	440,205.49			
Parish Hall	90.00	Loan to school	179,309.29			
		Designated Funds	108,131.35			
	Restricted Parish Hall Funds		460,481.27			
			747,921.91			

**Dates to Remember:** 

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Stations of the Cross: 3:00pm In-Person (Church) Feb. 19, 26 Mar. 5, 12, 19, & 26	Stations of the Cross: <i>April 2</i> @ 6:00 am (Good Friday)	APRIL 1 HOLY THURSDAY -7:00 PM APRIL 2 GOOD FRIDAY	SEATS ARE FILLED VIEW THE MASS YOU COOL SEATS ARE FILLED	
March 26	7:00 am Mass only		YOU THE EVENT	
Kuhio Day-Holiday Office Closed	3:00 pm Stations of the Cross	APRIL 3 HOLY SATURDAY	SEATS ARE FILLED	
April 11	Adoration 3-4pm w/Divine Mercy Chaplet	EASTER VIGIL <del>7:00 PM</del>	VIEW THE MASS YOU TUDE	
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### March-April 2021

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9·00 MASS	6:00 MASS FR. POLI 12:15 MASS FR. POLI	FR. POLI	12:15 MASS FR. JONG	6:00 MASS FR. POLI 12:15 MASS	6:00 STATIONS OF THE CROSS 3:00 GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE	3 <u>Holy Saturday</u> 7:00 MORNING PRAYER 7:00 EASTER VIGIL MASS



ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH IN THE STATE OF HAWAII DIOCESE OF HONOLULU WITNESSING TO JESUS

Effective Easter Sunday, April 4 (or as of the Easter Vigil, April 3), **Bishop Silva will be ENDING the dispensation from the obligation to attend Sunday Mass**. However, anyone who is sick, may have been exposed to anyone with COVID- 19, or who has a health condition that would endanger themselves or others by being present in church, continues to be dispensed. This means that individual pastors & deacons within a parish will work to better accommodate **the** 

<u>needs of their own parishes</u> while following all the authorities of the state government & island county leadership. St. Joseph Church has not made any changes regarding our seating structure for Masses or seating request process at this time. Social gatherings are not permitted, and meetings held at the parish remain limited to no more than ten individuals. All health protocols remain in effect and must be observed.

