

Church Dedicated in 1919

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ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

Served by the Blessed Sacrament Congregation





We extend our heartfelt thanks to the members of the **Maryland State Boychoir** who provided music for the 5 pm Mass this weekend.

We hope that you have a wonderful time in Hawaii. May God watch over you and bless you always.

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



Priests:

Deacon:

Mass Schedule

6 am & 12:15 pm Monday—Friday 7 am Saturday Morning

5 pm Saturday Vigil Mass 7 am, 9 am, 11:45 am and 6 pm Sunday

Forgot your Check Book? Make your offering to St. Joseph Church, Hilo online.

Simply click on the QR Code and process your offering.

Thank You and God Bless.



15th Sunday in Ordinary Time – B – 2024

"...send them out two by two."

Many of us work well alone. Alone an individual can focus on what and how things can be done. But in the Gospel this Sunday, Jesus sent his disciples two by two for their first missionary endeavor. Was it for better results? Would it make the work more efficient?

More than out of necessity, Jesus sent them in pairs more out of Divine Wisdom. While doing things in pairs will provide needed support and encouragement for each other, having a partner provides for true accountability. The pair will help each other to be faithful to the mission which is Christ's mission and not a disciple's own personal agenda. A partner in the ministry provides also the witness to lend credibility to their testimony. But most of all, working in pairs allows them to witness the importance of being part of a community that Christ's seeks to establish. In our journey towards the Kingdom of God, we do not and cannot do it alone by ourselves. The Kingdom of God is born in the midst of a community that shares a common faith in God and the desire for the common good. There is no place for selfishness and indifference. Only then can we truly join in prayer — "OUR Father..."

This brings us to the second reality of the mission of Christ. The instruction to taking nothing along the journey is to practice radical trust in God. Because it is His mission, God will provide for what we will need. Our dependence on God will free us from unnecessary distractions and be focused in the grace of God. And with our dependence on the hospitality of others, we sow the seed for the budding forth of true community that is grounded in shared faith relationships and trust in the goodness that is inherent in the heart of every person.

Daily Readings

Sunday, July 14

Am 7:12-15 Ps 85:9-10, 11-12, 13-14 Eph 1:3-14 or 1:3-10 Mk 6:7-13

Tuesday, July 16

Is 7:1-9 Ps 48:2-3a, 3b-4, 5-6, 7-8 Mt 11:20-24

Thursday, July 18

Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19
Ps 102:13-14ab and 15, 16
-18, 19-21
Mt 11:28-30

Saturday, July 20

Mi 2:1-5 Ps 10:1-2, 3-4, 7-8, 14 Mt 12:14-21

Monday, July 15

Is 1:10-17 Ps50:8-9, 16BC-17, 21 and 23 Mt 10:34-11:1

Wednesday, July 17

Is 10:5-7, 13b-16 Ps 94:5-6, 7-8, 9-10, 14-15 Mt 11:25-27

Friday, July 19

Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8 Isaiah 38:10, 11, 12abcd, 16 Mt 12:1-8

Sunday, July 21

Jer 23:1-6 Ps 23:1-3, 3-4, 5, 6 Eph 2:13-18 Mk 6:30-34

EVENTS



For the latest EPIC updates: text EPICMINISTRY to 84576

JULY 25

DINNER & HOLY HOUR

St Joseph Church (\$\infty\$6:00PM-8:30PM

JULY 26

JULY 11

RECIPE FOR JOY

(\)6:00PM-8:00PM

EPIC SOCIAL

Hilo Town Friday Night Market

5:30PM TIL PAU



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Young Adult Gatherings Ages 18-39 Every 2nd & 4th Thursdays. This month we have a <u>weekend social!</u>

Stewardship Report of Treasury for:

| July 2-8 | YTD Actual | | |
|---------------------------------|------------|------------|--|
| Collections | 7,814.00 | 15,710.00 | |
| Other Regular Income | 179.78 | 1,522.39 | |
| Unusual Income: | | | |
| Choirs | 0.00 | 0.00 | |
| Convent Lease | 0.00 | 0.00 | |
| R&M Collection | 305.00 | 445.00 | |
| Security Project | 45.00 | 175.00 | |
| Feed the Hungry | 5,110.00 | 5,175.00 | |
| Other Unusual Income | | 0.00 | |
| Total Income | 13,453.78 | 23,027.39 | |
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| Designated Funds | | 417,412.87 | |
| Restricted Parish Hall Funds | | 458,777.21 | |
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July Feed the Hungry set for July 18

We are seeking donations of the following items:

| Ground Beef | | Volunteer | Schedule: | |
|-------------------|--------------|------------|--------------------------|--|
| Red Hot Dogs | | 7-11 am | Cooking | |
| Yellow Whole Corn | #10 size can | 9-11 am | Setup Tables | |
| Kidney Beans | #10 size can | 10am-1 pm | Prep & Serve Clean up | |
| Tomato Paste | #10 size can | 12-2:30 pm | | |
| Mild Salsa | Gallon size | | | |
| Hickory BBQ Sauce | Gallon size | | | |

Other supplies needed:

5-part Luau plates; 3 section To-Go containers; Napkins, Paper Drinking Sups, Utensils (Compostable)

Contact Bernie at (808) 640-8709 for more information. Mahalo for your generosity and support!

Join a SJC cleaning team

Who / when? Anyone willing to join a cleaning team to clean SJC one hour (Saturday 8:15-9:15a), ONCE every 4 weeks. Families welcome.

What: Sanitize pews, esp "high" touch areas. Sweep & swiffer cement floors. Vacuum carpeted areas. Wipe "high touch" areas: Railings, win-

dow ledges, door pulls/ handles, etc. Sweep exits, porches, apron, stairs. Using dust pan / broom, p/u rubbish in parking areas, etc. Disinfect church.

How? Call SJC office 9a-1p daily Business hours. Leave name & contact info. Mary Correa will contact you.

Our Lady of Mount Carmel: A Light in the Modern World



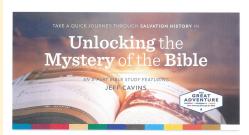
Our Lady of Mount Carmel, venerated on July 16th, is more than a revered figure; she embodies the Carmelite charism – a path of contemplative prayer seeking deep union with God. This ancient tradition offers a beacon in our fast-paced world.

Inspired by the prophet Elijah, Carmelite hermits sought solace on Mount Carmel. Mary, ever open to God's will, became their patroness. The Carmelite charism, mirroring Mary's contemplative pondering (Luke 2:19), emphasizes prayer, solitude, and nurturing a relationship with the Divine.

The Carmelite charism offers a refreshing counterpoint in our age of constant stimulation. It reminds us of the value of silence, reflection, and inner growth. How can we create space for contemplation in our daily lives? How can we cultivate a deeper sense of self amidst external noise?

The Carmelites are also known for their dedication to justice and service. Their inner transformation compels them to work for a better world, translating their charism into social action and alleviating suffering. How can we connect our spiritual growth to acts of service for others?

Our Lady of Mount Carmel, through the Carmelite charism, offers a timeless message: carve out space for contemplation, deepen your connection with the Divine, and let that connection inspire service. This ancient wisdom might hold the key to a more fulfilling and impactful life in a world yearning for meaning.





Dates—Times—Location

All sessions start at 6:00 pm and will place in the downstairs meeting room

Our next meeting will be on:

July 18, 2024

There is no cost to attend All are welcome!

For more information:

Jean Trefethen 503-442-7528 Or Crystal Castillo 808-935-1465



Diocesan Spiritual and Mental Health Ministry

You are invited to the next prayer gathering of the Diocesan Spiritual and Mental Health Ministry on Monday, July 29 at 7:00 pm at St. Joseph Church in Hilo. We will be meeting in the lower area meeting room.

The Ministry opens us to the Holy Spirit and to spiritual healing through the grace of shared communion with one another and Our Lord. There is no other ministry like this that addresses mental anguish based completely on Catholic spirituality.

Please call Deacon Jim Dougherty for more information at (808) 315-1319.

Mark your calendars!

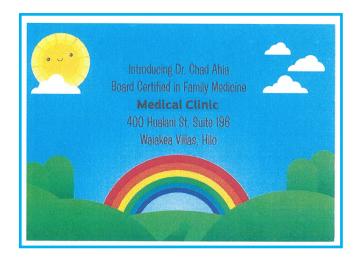
On Saturday, July 20th the Church is sponsoring a Grounds Cleaning Day. Beginning at 8 am.

Please bring your own tools if you have them!

See you there!



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| 7:00 Mass-FP | 6:00 Mass-FP | 6:00 Mass-FP | 6:00 Mass-FP | 6:00 Mass FP | 6:00 Mass-FP 9:30 Mass | 7:00 Mass-FP |
| 9:00 Mass-FP | | | | | +B. Madrona-FP | |
| | 12:15 Mass-FP | 12:15 Mass-FP | 12:15 Mass-FP | 12:15 Mass-FP | | 10:00 Confession |
| 11:45 Mass-FS | | | | | 12:15 Mass-FS | 1:00 Baptism |
| 6:00 Mass-FP | | | | | | 5:00 Mass-FP |
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National Eucharistic Revival Prayer

Lord Jesus Christ, you give us your flesh and blood for the life of the world, and you desire that all people come to the Supper of the Sacrifice of the Lamb. Renew in your Church the truth, beauty, and goodness contained in the Most Blessed Eucharist.

Jesus living in the Eucharist, come and live in me.

Jesus healing in the Eucharist, come and heal me.

Jesus sacrificing yourself in the Eucharist, come and suffer in me.

Jesus rising in the Eucharist, come and rise to new life in me.

Jesus loving in the Eucharist, come and love in me.

Lord Jesus Christ, through the paschal mystery of your death and resurrection made present in every Holy Mass, pour out your healing love on your Church and on our world. Grant that as we lift you up during this time of Eucharistic Revival, your Holy Spirit may draw all people to join us at this Banquet of Life. You live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, God forever and ever.

Our Lady of Peace, Mother of the Eucharist, Pray for us. St. Joseph, silent adorer of the Eucharist, Pray for us.

As part of our response for the Year of Eucharistic Revival, St. Joseph Church will offer Eucharistic adoration on the 2nd Sunday of each month from 10:30 to 11:30 am.



Please plan to join us on July 14