

# ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

Served by the Blessed Sacrament Congregation



January 26, 2025

Church Dedicated in 1919

**Priests:**

Rev. Apolinario Ty, SSS  
Rev. Ferdinand Tomo, SSS

**Deacons:**

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

## 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

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“He has anointed me to bring glad tidings to the poor”

- LUKE 4:18



## 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time- 2025 - C

### “Today...”

In this Sunday’s Gospel, as our Lord Jesus begins his public ministry, He makes a bold proclamation: **“Today this Scripture is fulfilled in your hearing.”** He was referring to the words of the prophet Isaiah regarding the mission of the coming Messiah: to bring good news to the poor, liberty to captives, sight to the blind, and freedom to those in bondage. The Lord Jesus would be the fulfillment of these promises.

But the crucial word in Our Lord’s statement is the word **“TODAY”**. It underscores the urgency of God’s action. The Kingdom of God is not just future reality nor wishful thinking but is starting to unfold in their midst. Through Our Lord Jesus, the time of salvation has arrived and His mission is already at work in the world.

Consequently for us, this **“TODAY”** is a call to respond. It challenges us to recognize God’s presence and action in our lives here and now. “Today” is the moment of grace, the time to open our hearts to Christ. And is this not what it means to truly celebrate a Jubilee Year – a Year of Grace for us who are Pilgrims of Hope.

26 7:00 Mass-FF  9:00 Mass-FF  11:45 Mass-FF  6:00 Mass-FP	27 6:00 Mass-FP  12:15 Mass-FF	28 6:00 Mass-FF  12:15 Mass-FF	29 6:00 Mass-FF 9:00 Catholic Schools week Mass 12:15 Mass-FP	30 6:00 Mass FP  12:15 Mass-FF	31 6:00 Mass-FF  12:15 Mass-FP	1 7:00 Mass-FF  10:00 Confession  5:00 Mass-FP
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## Daily Readings

### Sunday, Jan 26

Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10  
Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15  
1 Cor 12:12-30  
Lk 1:1-4; 4:14-21

### Tuesday, Jan 28

Heb 10:1-10  
Ps 40:2, 4ab, 7-8a, 10, 11  
Mk 3:31-35

### Thursday, Jan 30

Heb 10:19-25  
Ps 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6  
Mk 4:21-25

### Saturday, Feb 1

Heb 11:1-2, 8-19  
Lk 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75  
Mk 4:35-41

### Monday, Jan 27

Heb 9:15, 24-28  
Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6  
Mk 3:22-30

### Wednesday, Jan. 29

Heb 10:11-18  
Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4  
Mk 4:1-20

### Friday, Jan 31

Heb 10:32-39  
Ps 37:3-4, 5-6, 23-24, 39-40  
Mk 4:26-34

### Sunday, Feb 2

Mal 3:1-4  
Ps 24:7, 8, 9, 10  
Heb 2:14-18  
Lk 2:22-40 or 2:22-32

**ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL**  
**Fundraiser**

SALE: JAN. 7-FEB. 7  
PICKUP: MARCH 4  
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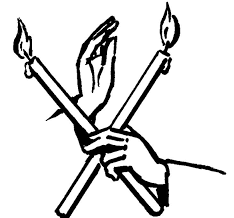
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## Stewardship Report of Treasury for:

	Jan 14-20, 2025	YTD Actual
Collections	10,560.02	345,227.04
Other Regular Income	1,203.45	32,701.16
Unusual Income:		
Choirs	0.00	275.00
Convent Lease	0.00	42,500.00
R&M Collection	80.00	8,170.00
Security Project	105.00	1,636.00
Feed the Hungry	205.00	8,125.00
Other Unusual Income	0.00	5,294.76
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>12,153.47</b>	<b>443,928.96</b>
Designated Funds		530,319.44
Restricted Parish Hall Funds		461,076.81

Parishioners are invited to bring their candles to be blessed at the weekend Masses, Feb. 1-2.

In honor of St. Blaise's feast day on Feb. 3, the traditional blessing of throats will be given at both Masses on Monday, Feb. 3.





Holy Trinity Hermitage is holding their next fundraiser on Sunday, February 16

Here is just a sampling of what will be offered. Please plan to stop and look over all of our offerings.



World Marriage Day is celebrated throughout the world on the second Sunday of February. St. Joseph Parish will offer a blessing for all married couples, including widows and widowers at all Masses on February 8 & 9, 2025

For any questions you can use the following contact information:  
WWMEBigIsland@gmail.com  
Erin G. 808-478-6071



The **SPIRITUAL & MENTAL HEALTH MINISTRY** will meet on Monday, **January 27, 2025** at St. Joseph Church in the lower meeting room at **6 pm (note new time!)**.

The Spiritual and Mental Health Ministry is a unique, spiritual approach to mental health in the Diocese of Honolulu developed under the sponsorship of Bishop Larry Silva. It is tailored to the cultural diversity in Hawaii. As far as is known, there is no other ministry like this addressing mental health through the Holy Spirit and based on Catholic teaching and spirituality.

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

**St. Joseph School upcoming events:  
January is Open House Month:**

**January 13-31 Public Tours  
January 26th Parishioner Day**

**Please see flyers posted by the entrances for more details!**



**Please note that the  
January Coffee  
Fellowship will be held on January  
26th after the 9 am Mass at  
ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL GYM.  
Please join us as we kick off  
Catholic Schools week.**



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# The Jubilee Prayer

Father in heaven,  
may the *faith* you have given us in your son, Jesus Christ, our brother,  
and the flame of *charity* enkindled in our hearts by the Holy Spirit,  
reawaken in us the blessed hope for the coming of your Kingdom.  
May your grace transform us into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel.  
May those seeds transform from within both humanity and the whole Cosmos  
in the sure expectation of a new heaven and a new earth,  
when, with the powers of Evil vanquished, your glory will shine eternally.

May the grace of the Jubilee reawaken in us, *Pilgrims of Hope*,  
a yearning for the treasures of heaven.

May that same grace spread the joy and peace of our Redeemer  
throughout the earth.

To you our God, eternally blessed, be glory and praise for ever.  
Amen.



Franciscus



PLEASE JOIN US ON  
SUNDAY,  
FEBRUARY 9 AT 10:30 FOR OUR  
EUCHARISTIC ADORATION



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