

Church Dedicated on February 23, 1919

**Priests:** 

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

**Deacons:** 

Dcn. Charley Mapa Dcn. David Watson



43 Kapiolani Street Hilo, HI 96720 (808) 935-1465 www.stjoehilo.com 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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# ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

Served by the Blessed Sacrament Congregation







**Trinity Sunday – 2025** 

#### "In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit"

While it is true that we would not find the phrase "Holy Trinity" in the bible, the truth of it being a living reality is rooted in the Scripture! This is attested not only in the words of Our Lord Jesus, who commanded his disciples to baptize people "in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit" but even more so in the lived reality of the loving relationship of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

However, the doctrine of the Trinity – that God is one in essence and three in persons, which is central to our Christian faith, remains a mystery. A mystery that tries to approximate the true nature of God knowing that it will be beyond our total human comprehension. The Trinity after all is God's own inner life – a perfect communion of love.

But being a mystery does not prevent our lives as Christians from being shaped by the Trinity. We are baptized in the name of the persons of the Trinity. In prayer, we speak to the Father through the Son and in the Holy Spirit. In our relationships, we are challenged to mirror the self-giving love of the Trinity. In our mission as a Church, we live as a people sent by the Trinity.

The Trinity reveals to us that God is not a distant solitary being. God is a relationship, communion, and perfect love. And because we are made in God's image, the Trinity shows us who we are meant to be.

The next time we make the sign of the cross, let us be reminded that not only were we saved by the cross of Christ but that we belong wholly to the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit – the Most Holy Trinity.

#### Office hours are from 9-1 M-F

### **June 2025**

15	16	17	18	19	21	22
7:00 Mass-FF	6:00 Mass-FP	6:00 Mass-FF	6:00 Mass-FF	7:00 Mass-FP	6:00 Mass-FP	7:00 Mass-FP
			9:30 Mass			
9:00 Mass-FF	12:15 Mass-FF	12:15 Mass-FP	+P.Chaves-FP			10:00 Confession
					12:15 Mass-FF	
11:45 Mass-FP			12:15 Mass-FP			
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6:00 Mass-FP		Prayer group		CLOSED		
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#### **Daily Readings**

#### Sunday, June 15

Proverbs 8:22-31 Psalm 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 Romans 5:1-5 John 16:12-15

#### Monday, June 16

2 Corinthians 6:1-10 Ps 98:1, 2b, 3ab, 3cd-4 Matthew 5:38-42

#### Tuesday, June 17

2 Corinthians 8:1-9 Psalm 146:2, 5-6ab, 6c-7, 8-9a Matthew 5:43-48

#### Wednesday, June 18

2 Corinthians 9:6-11 Psalm 112:1bc-2, 3-4, 9 Matthew 6:1-6, 16-18

#### Thursday, June 19

2 Corinthians 11:1-11 Psalm 111:1b-2, 3-4, 7-8 Matthew 6:7-15

#### Friday, June 20

2 Cor 11:18, 21-30 Psalm 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 Matthew 6:19-23

#### Saturday, June 21

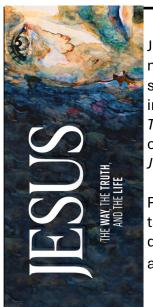
2 Corinthians 12:1-10 Ps 34:8-9, 10-11, 12-13 Matthew 6:24-34

#### Sunday, June 22

Genesis 14:18-20 Psalm 110:1, 2, 3, 4 1 Corinthians 11:23-26 Luke 9:11b-17



Ohana in Christ 2024-2025 update: Congratulations St. Joseph Church Hilo for reaching 100%



#### Jesus: The Way, the Truth, and the Life

Jesus is our savior, our redeemer, our Lord, and our God. Our belief in Jesus is what makes us who we are as Catholics, as Christians, but do we really know him as we should? Is Jesus a part of your life, or is he at the center of your life as he should be? We invite you to make him the center of your life by joining us for Jesus:

The Way, the Truth, and the Life, a 10-week video study program that explores the entirety of Jesus' life and what he means for us as Catholics today. St. Joseph Parish will begin the Jesus study on May 1st at 6pm.

Participants will meet on the **first and third Thursdays** to view an engaging video presentation by Marcellino D'Ambrosio, Jeff Cavins, and Edward Sri, followed by a lively group discussion and fellowship. For more information or to register, contact St. Joseph rectory at (808) 935-1465. **Our next formation night is Thursday, June 19.** 

We hope you can join us!

Stewardship Report of Treasury for:						
June 3-9, 2	2025	YTD Actual				
Collections	9,010.42	577,226.42				
Other Regular In- come	262.25	60,123.08				
<b>Unusual Income:</b>						
Choirs	0.00	425.00				
Convent Lease	0.00	85,000.00				
R&M Collection	160.00	25,020.00				
Security Project	5.00	2,555.00				
Feed the Hungry	130.00	10,050.00				
Other Unusual Income	0.00	9,395.31				
Total Income	9,567.67	769,794.81				
Designated Funds		575,630.57				
Restricted Parish		462,987.13				



Thank you Msgr. Gary Secor for celebrating our Confirmation & First Holy Communion Mass.

There will be a second collection on June 21/22 for our Diocese of Honolulu Seminarian Education Fund.

#### **JULY 11, 2025**

Hall Funds

The East Hawaii Vicariate is organizing a special dinner for Bishop Larry Silva in honor of his 50th Anniversary Presbyteral Ordination.

The dinner will be held on July 11 starting at 6 pm and will be held in the SJS gym.

Tickets are being sold as this is a fundraising event as well. Ticket price is \$100 each and seating is limited.

Please contact the rectory office to reserve a ticket or drop by during the normal Office hours of 9-1



#### **JULY 12, 2025**

WITH PRAISE AND THANKSGIVING TO
ALMIGHTY GOD
THE DIOCESE OF HONOLULU
ANNOUNCES
THE ORDINATION OF

JOHN JACOB AKAU

TO THE ORDER OF TRANSITIONAL DEACON THROUGH THE IMPOSITION OF HANDS AND THE INVOCATION OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

> BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE MOST REVEREND LARRY SILVA Bishop of Honolulu

> > ON SATURDAY, THE TWELVETH OF JULY TWO THOUSAND TWENTY-FIVE

AT NINE O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING

ΑT

ST. JOSEPH CHURCH 43 KAPIOLANI STREET HILO, HI 96720

RECEPTION TO FOLLOW

## 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.

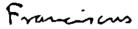
May the grace of the Jubilee reawaken in us, *Pilgrims of Hope*, a yearning for the treasures of heaven.

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.





# PLEASE JOIN US ON SUNDAY, JULY 13 AT 10:30 FOR OUR SUNDAY EUCHARISTIC ADORATION AND PRAYERS



3. Marriage Matters-because from the love of spouses comes the gift of life.

"By their very nature, the institution of matrimony itself and conjugal love are ordained for the procreation and education of children, and find in them their ultimate crown."

Second Vatican Council

Gaudium et Spes (Joy and Hope, the Pastoral Constitution on the Church in the Modern World), 48



