



ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

May 25, 2025

Served by the Blessed Sacrament Congregation



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*Church Dedicated on
February 23, 1919*

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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



6th Sunday of Easter-Year C

"My peace I give to you"

Peace is one of the gifts of God that mankind long for today. And yet it seems so difficult to attain. Why?

"My peace I give to you" is the Lord loving promise for us. And he offers it to us as He sends the Holy Spirit, the Advocate. And it is not only just any kind of peace. It is "MY PEACE!" It is a peace that emanates from the person of Jesus and thus something different from what our world is offering. Christ's peace is not only about the absence of conflicts, struggles, hardships or war. This is the peace that allowed our Lord to sleep in the midst of a storm. This is the peace that let Him forgive on the cross. This is the peace that comes from knowing that the Father's love is stronger than death. It is the true SHALOM – the well-being that God desires for all His children.

And how do we prepare to receive this gift of Our Lord's peace? St. Augustine shares this holy insight: Peace is first "The serenity of the mind," that is, allowing Jesus to take control of our thoughts, our fears and our worries. Second is "the simplicity of the heart" that is, being contented with what we have and what we have received as gifts from God. And finally, third is the "tranquility of the soul" that is, being fully reconciled with God and others.

Are we ready to receive this gift of peace?


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process your offering.

Thank You and God Bless.



*Please remember St. Joseph
Parish in your will!*

25 7:00 Mass-FP 9:00 Mass-FP 11:45 Mass-FP 6:00 Mass-FF	26 6:00 Mass-FP 	27 6:00 Mass-FF 9:30 Mass +L.Corpuz 12:15 Mass-FP 6:00 Mother of Perpetual Help Prayer group	28 6:00 Mass-FF 12:15 Mass-FP	29 6:00 Mass-FP 12:15 Mass-FF 6:00 EPIC Ministry	30 6:00 Mass-FF 12:15 Mass-FP	31 7:00 Mass-FP 10:00 Confession 11:00 Confirmation/ First Holy Communion 5:00 Mass-FF
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Daily Readings

Sunday, May 25

Acts 15:1-2, 22-29
Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8
Revelation 21:10-14, 22-23
John 14:23-29

Tuesday, May 27

Acts 16:22-34
Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8
John 16:5-11

Thursday, May 29

Acts 18:1-8
Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4
John 16:16-20

Saturday, May 31

Zephaniah 3:14-18a
Ps:Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6
Luke 1:39-56

Monday, May 26

Acts 16:11-15
Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b
John 15:26—16:4a

Wednesday, May 28

Acts 17:15, 22—18:1
Ps 148:1-2, 11-12, 13, 14
John 16:12-15

Friday, May 30

Acts 18:9-18
Ps 47:2-3, 4-5, 6-7
John 16:20-23

Sunday, June 1

Acts 1:1-11
Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9
Ephesians 1:17-23
Luke 24:46-53

Mahalo to everyone for your support of our Feed the Hungry Ministry. We served 147 meals. We were pleased that Project Vision was able to join us and bring their mobile shower unit with them. They will be joining us again on June 19th.

Stewardship Report of Treasury for:

May 13-19, 2025		YTD Actual
Collections	8,703.20	544,379.87
Other Regular Income	850.60	54,974.28
Unusual Income:		
Choirs	100.00	425.00
Convent Lease	0.00	76,500.00
R&M Collection	65.00	23,175.00
Security Project	5.00	2,395.00
Feed the Hungry	200.00	9,745.00
Other Unusual Income	0.00	8,548.72
Total Income	9,923.80	720,142.87
Designated Funds		575,630.57
Restricted Parish Hall Funds		462,987.13



Young Adult Gatherings ages 18-39
SMALL GROUP SEASON running
through MARCH to MAY

MAY Events

WOMEN'S GROUP
EVERY **TUES**
Meets weekly at
Puna Chocolate Company, Hilo
6:30p-7:45p

MEN'S GROUP
EVERY **THURS**
Meets weekly at
St. Joseph Church, Hilo
6:30p-7:45p

LEI MAKING
FRIDAY **MAY 09**
spark your creativity in community
St. Joseph Church 6pm-8pm

For the latest EPIC updates:
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Thank you to everyone who stopped by this past Sunday!

If you missed seeing our products and would still like to order, please see our updated website at: holytrinityhermitage.com

Mahalo once again for your support and prayers.
We truly appreciate you.

Sr. Avia & Sr. Ursula



Congratulations Fr. Larry Denis III on your ordination to priesthood. We thank God for your vocation and pray for you as you begin your priestly ministry at St. Anthony Church on Maui.

A Prayer for all Graduates

O Lord our God, you are our strength in adversity, our health in weakness, our comfort in sorrow.

We praise and thank you for the many gifts that you have given to our graduates, and for bringing them to this important milestone in their lives.

We ask you to bless them, keep their faith strong, and remain with them always.

Wherever they go next, please guide them by your wisdom, fill them with your strength, and help them to use their education generously and honestly.

We ask this through Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever.
Amen.



Through the internet, print media, television, and radio
Connect with Christ
Support the Catholic Communication Campaign

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A second collection for the Catholic Communication Campaign (CCC) will be taken on May 31/June 1. Your support makes quality Catholic communication efforts possible both nationwide and in your own diocese, where 50% of collected funds remain to support programs in your local community. The other half supports the communication activities of the US Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) and some projects across the United States and abroad.

Effective social media outreach is essential for any communica-

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, JUNE 8 AT 10:30 FOR OUR
SUNDAY EUCHARISTIC ADORATION AND PRAYERS



“Even the weakest and most vulnerable, the sick, the old, the unborn and the poor, are masterpieces of God’s creation, made in his own image, destined to live forever, and deserving of the utmost reverence and respect.”

USCCB Respect Life flyer quoting Pope Francis’ “Day for Life Greeting”
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Hop into a brighter home with our pastel
Applause® Honeycomb Shades this Easter!

Arise, shine, for your light has come, and the
glory of the Lord rises upon you.
Isaiah 60:1 (NIV)

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