



Oct 11, 2026

*Church Dedicated on
February 23, 1919*

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*Adoration of the Blessed
Sacrament begins
Monday-Thursdays at 11 am &
Fridays & 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

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**PLEASE JOIN US ON
SUNDAY, OCT. 11TH AT 10:30 FOR OUR SUNDAY EUCHARISTIC
ADORATION AND PRAYERS**

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2026

We are invited to the heavenly feast.

Both the prophet Isaiah and Jesus in today's Gospel describe God's coming kingdom using the image of a feast or banquet. Isaiah says that on the mountain of Zion – a symbol of the heavenly Jerusalem – the Lord will provide a feast of the finest foods and choice wines for all peoples. Tears will be wiped away and death will be destroyed. Those who have looked to the Lord to save them will rejoice and be glad.

In today's Gospel reading, Jesus uses a similar image by comparing the kingdom of heaven to a king hosting a wedding feast for his son. The invitations have been sent, the feast has been prepared, and everything is ready. All that is needed are the guests, but those who receive the invitation either ignore it or do violence to the king's messengers.

There are two aspects of the kingdom that we can discern from this passage. First, the kingdom of heaven is a present reality. We are invited here and now to attend the heavenly banquet. Second, the fullness of God's kingdom will arrive in the future, and only those who are prepared will be allowed entrance. Having received our spotless garment at baptism, we have been instructed to keep it clean until the time when we will meet Jesus, our king and bridegroom, at his second coming.

At each Eucharist, we receive a foretaste of this heavenly feast. Let us prepare ourselves to accept the invitation to this heavenly banquet, clothing ourselves in the appropriate attire of repentance and good deeds.

11 7:00 Mass-FF 9:00 Mass-FF 11:45 Mass-Fr. Marlon 6:00 Mass-FJunvic	12 6:00 Mass-FF 9:30 +E.Madamba-FF 12:15 Mass- FMarlon	13 6:00 Mass-FF 10 EH Vicariate Mtg. IHM 12:15 Mass-FF	14 6:00 Mass-FF 9:30 +D. Pruden- cio Jr. FF 12:15 Mass-FF	15 6:00 Mass-FF 12:15 Mass-FF	16 6:00 Mass-FP 12:15 Mass-FF 1:10 Chapel Mass-SJS	17 7:00 Mass-FP 10:00 Confessions 1 Baptism-FP 5:00 Mass-FF
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Daily Readings

Monday, Oct. 12

Galatians 4:22-24, 26-27,
31-5:1
Psalm 113:1b-2, 3-4, 5a, 6-
7
Luke 11:29-32

Tuesday, Oct. 13

Galatians 5:1-6
Psalm 119:41, 43, 44, 45,
47, 48
Luke 11:37-41

Wednesday, Oct. 14

Galatians 5:18-25
Psalm 1:1-2, 3, 4, 6
Luke 11:42-46

Thursday, Oct. 15

Ephesians 1:1-10
Psalm 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5
-6
Luke 11:47-54

Friday, Oct. 16

Ephesians 1:11-14
Psalm 33:1-2, 4-5, 12-13
Luke 12:1-7

Saturday, Oct. 17

Ephesians 1:15-23
Psalm 8:2-3ab, 4-5, 6-7
Luke 12:8-12

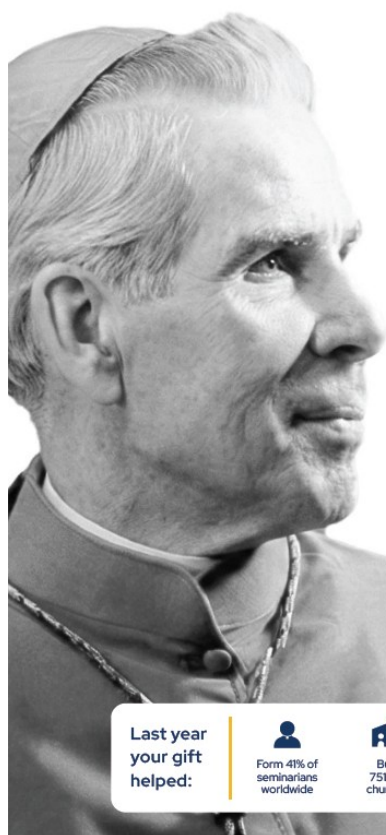
Sunday, Oct. 18

Isaiah 45:1, 4-6
Psalm 96:1, 3, 4-5, 7-8, 9-
10
1 Thessalonians 1:1-5b
Matthew 22:15-21

Stewardship Report of Treasury for:

Sep 22-28		FYTD Actual
Collections	9,548.00	125,887.91
Misc. donations	1,045.61	12,376.92
Unusual Income:		
Convent Lease		24,000.00
R&M Collection	625.00	9,995.00
Security Project	50.00	365.00
Feed the Hungry	34.60	1,171.95
Other Non-Scheduled Income	0.00	0.00
Total Income	11,303.21	173,796.78
Designated Funds		721,719.07
Restricted Parish Hall Funds		469,218.68

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in the pew, please notify the
hospitality ministers
upon arrival.**



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**World Mission Sunday
October 18th, 2026**

*"Let us be charitable about the missions,
remembering that the Lord who said: 'Go
teach all nations' is the same Lord who
bemoaned: 'I have mercy on the multitudes.'"*

— **Blessed Archbishop Fulton J. Sheen**

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Severe storms can bring devastating impacts to families and communities across Hawai'i, leaving our neighbors facing immediate needs and a long road toward recovery and rebuilding.

The **Hawai'i Catholic Community Foundation (HCCF)** has established the **Hawai'i Storm Relief and Recovery Fund** to support relief and recovery efforts following hurricanes, tropical storms, and other catastrophic events impacting our island communities. Gifts to the fund will help provide assistance where it is most needed as affected families and communities recover and rebuild.

To make a donation, please scan the QR code below.

Your generosity will help bring hope, comfort, and practical assistance to our island communities in times of need.

Mahalo for standing with the people of Hawai'i.

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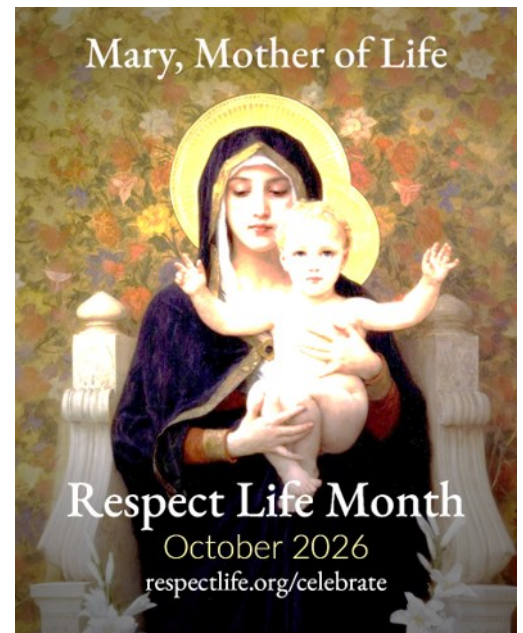


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Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal Progress Report as of September 30, 2026.

Through the continued generosity of our faithful throughout Hawai'i, we have now raised **\$1,620,410.97**, representing **108%** of our shared **\$1.5 million** goal.

The numbers for St. Joseph Church are shown below:

Collected	Goal	% vs. Goal
\$9,915	\$27,413	36%

Prayer to St. Joseph, Patron of Our Parish

Beloved St. Joseph, Patron of our Parish,
at the word of an angel, you lovingly took Mary into your home.

As God's humble servant, you welcomed Jesus as your own son and with Our Blessed Mother
provided Our Lord with the warmth of a family.

We praise God and are grateful that as their faithful protector,
you never hesitated to sacrifice for those entrusted to you.

Most watchful guardian of the Holy family, with confidence we likewise entrust our Parish and
families to your loving care.

Teach us, as a Church, to listen attentively to God's will
and to carry it out with quiet courage and trust.

Help our parish to be a home of faith, where Christ is loved and adored, families are strengthened,
and all who come find peace and belonging.

Help our homes to be places of prayer, where God is honored. Protect our children and the
vulnerable; and assist and take care of those who toil to provide for their families.

St. Joseph, we thank you through the years that you have watched over us. Continue, we beg, to
help us to find God in all that we do and pray that our parish may grow in holiness, unity, and
charity, and always reflect the heart of Christ.

Amen. St. Joseph, pray for us.

