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Mass Schedule

St. Joseph Church
Weekdays:
Mon. - Fri.
6:00 am & 12:15 pm
Legal Holidays:
7:00 am

Saturday: 7:00 am
Vigil Mass: 5:00 pm
Spanish Mass:
7:00 pm

Sunday:
St. Joseph Church
7:00 am, 9:00 am,
11:30 am & 6:00 pm

Malia Puka O Kalani Church
Sunday: 9:00 am

Confession:

Saturday
10:00 am - 11:00 am
St. Joseph Church
or by appointment

*Please note:
confession schedule does
not apply during some
liturgical seasons.



*Pray for us, O Holy Mother of God,
that we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.*



Full Conscious Active Participation

Part 8 Dismissal: Go in Peace, the Mass is ended

Finally we go from that room to our separate worlds—but now carrying the tune we have heard, murmuring the words we have made ours, nourished by the sacred banquet, ready in so many ways to make all God's creation and all the work of human hands into the kingdom we have glimpsed in the liturgy. Cardinal Joseph Bernardin.

Not so long ago when a New Hampshire parish broke ground for its new church building there was an interesting tableau: the bishop carried the ceremonial shovel yet the parishioners had also brought their own. An elderly lady wielded a garden trowel, a little boy had his beach pail and shovel, a commuter brought out the emergency snow shovel from his car. They all turned the earth, preparing a place where God will be worshipped in the beauty of holiness. For these people, the Eucharist they have celebrated over time has molded them into a community committed to make Christ's presence known in the world. The building they prepare is a symbol of their mission in the world.

One of the names we give our worship comes from its ending *Mass*. In Latin, the last words of the priest to the assembly were *Ite, missa est*; literally *Go, you are dismissed*. *Missa* comes into English as *Mass*. The fact that this came to be known as the title of the whole worship event tells us that our dismissal has a great deal to do with the quality of our participation.

Our liturgy is about movement: procession into the place of assembly, movement to the word, procession to the table, and then dismissal back to the rhythms and patterns of daily life. As the cycle continues Sunday by Sunday over a lifetime, we become more attuned to the Eucharist we celebrate, and the rhythms and patterns of our lives are gradually transformed, becoming more revelatory of the presence of Christ in the world.

The mystery of God's life is communicated and exchanged. *Go in peace, the Mass is ended* and immediately we respond: *Thanks be to God*. The Roman Catholic liturgy always ends with a certain urgency. Once holy Communion has been received and a period of attentive silence is ended by a prayer, the words of dismissal follow at once.

Yet, it is the custom in most places that we are slow to disperse once we have become so aware of ourselves precisely as the Body of Christ. So there is a hymn to be sung, neighbors to be greeted, and the aroma of coffee to lead us to a place where we can begin to put names on the faces of the assembly, and to discover how their stories are woven together in wonderful ways.

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Important Dates




FIRST COMMUNION PROGRAM:

Sunday, June 8

- First Communion Mass

11:30 am
St. Joseph Church



WELCOME TO OUR NEW PARISHIONERS!

Melissa Jacinto and daughter Miley Rose

Martin & Aki Orlando and their 2 children Noah and Alice

Christopher Graper

Jerome Galiza, Christine Chavez & C J Galiza

Antonio, Rosemarie, Tyron & Troy Chavez

Hilo Roman Catholic Community Mission Statement

We, the Hilo Roman Catholic Community of St. Joseph and Malia Puka O Kalani, guided by the Holy Spirit, Our Blessed Mother and Saint Joseph, gather as a family of believers in the celebration of the Eucharist. Blessed with many cultures, talents and inspired by the Hawaiian tradition of Aloha, we pledge to share our heritage, our gifts and the principles of our faith, and to commit ourselves to the educational, social and spiritual needs of all our brothers and sisters.

June 8 Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A

Readings: Hosea 6:3-6; Romans 4:18-25; Matthew 9:9-13

First Reading: Hosea 6:3-6

The prophet Hosea in this passage sees his own struggles with an unfaithful wife as an image of God's continual seeking after his unfaithful. Hosea therefore reminds the people that the Lord desires honest and genuine love rather than empty ceremonies for the expiation of sin. In other words, forgiveness is not "bought" by empty rites and prayers, but only by a true change of heart. Central to Hosea's message is that "God desires genuine love, not sacrifice," is a theme that reappears in the Gospel of today.

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 50:1, 8, 12-13, 14-15

Psalm 50 continues the theme of the first reading. Idolatry is not only worshiping false gods, but also worshiping the true God in a false way. God cannot be bought with sacrifices or appeased with religious practices. Rather, it is our offering of praise to God as sacrifice and our faithfulness to God that matters. Response: "To the upright I will show the saving power of God."

Second Reading: Romans 4:18-25

Paul in the Second Reading points out that the law of Moses does not have the power to make one right before God. He then uses Abraham as an example of how justification by faith operates. His argument is that, it is faith in the person of God that justifies, nothing else. This faith is shown in hope, even in the face of apparent impossibility (as in the case of Abraham). Abraham's faith and hope was the door through which God was able to work. Similarly, faith in the person of Jesus as God's Son opens the door to allow God to work in us by the same resurrection that God accomplished in Jesus.

Gospel: Matthew 9:9-13

The call of Matthew is placed right in the middle of the narrative of miracles. It shows that conversion of heart from being tied up with material things to a genuine concern for the kingdom is also miraculous. This too is a genuine healing, and is accomplished by the power of Jesus' word, "Follow me," just as the other healings. The healing power is not restricted to Matthew alone, but extends to his friends and also to sinners, at a banquet table. It is a real change of heart that Jesus is after in Matthew who completely leaves his career of tax collecting to follow Jesus. For that reason Jesus quotes Hosea to the Pharisee who accuse him of eating with tax collectors and sinners, "I desire mercy, not sacrifice."



Scripture Readings

Sunday, June 8

Hos 6:3-6
Ps 50:1, 8, 12-15
Rom 4:18-25
Mt 9:9-13

Monday, June 9

1 Kgs 17:1-6
Ps 121:1b-8
Mt 5:1-12

Tuesday, June 10

1 Kgs 17:7-16
Ps 4:2-5, 7b-8
Mt 5:13-16

Wednesday, June 11

Acts 11:21b-26;13:1-3
Ps 98:1-6
Mt 5:17-19

Thursday, June 12

1 Kgs 18:41-46
Ps 65:10-13
Mt 5:20-26

Friday, June 13

1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-16
Ps 27:7-9c, 13-14
Mt 5:27-32

Saturday, June 14

1 Kgs 19:19-21
Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-10
Mt 5:33-37

Sunday, June 15

Ex 19:2-6a
Ps 100:1-2, 3, 5
Rom 5:6-11
Mt 9:36-10:8



Welcome to Anthony Rapozo

Brother Rapozo will be staying at St. Joseph Rectory and helping with the ministry for two months this summer. We are happy to have you with us and trust you will enjoy your stay in Hilo. The Hilo Roman Catholic Community extends you a hearty wel-



The youth group celebrated the end of the school year with a barbeque on Saturday, May 31, 2008.

Full Conscious Active Participation

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Being together for the life of the world: that is a job description for the Church. St. Augustine described the Church as a *new human society* created by the life, death, and rising of Jesus.

Baptized into Christ, we can never be separated from the love of God: no matter the storms that rage around us and threaten to overwhelm us. We are the people in the water: we are inserted together into Christ's saving death and, therefore, into an eternal sacrifice of praise.

When we assemble on the Lord's Day for liturgy, we remember God's saving deeds in the past, we look for signs of this saving life today, and we are moved to give thanks. When we are dismissed, it is only for a time. The next Lord's Day, in obedience to the Lord's own command, we return to the Word that brings us hope, to the bread and wine that bring us life.

In the last eight weeks, we have considered some ways in which we may celebrate the liturgy with greater attention and devotion. *Full, conscious, and active participation* in the liturgy is the birthright of all baptized into Christ.

A half century ago, Pope Pius XII instructed the church in *Mediator Dei*:

The paschal mystery is not a cold and lifeless representation of the events of the past or a simple and bare record of a former age. It is rather Christ himself who is ever living in his church. Here he continues that journey of immense mercy which he began in his mortal life...with the design of bringing people to know his mysteries and in a way live by them. These mysteries are ever present and active.

We are invited into this procession with Christ and the Church, this journey of immense mercy. This is what the Sunday assembly is all about.

In the words of the late Cardinal Joseph Bernardin, from a pastoral letter on the liturgy published after his death:

We are sent from the Eucharistic table as a holy people always in mission. (The word Mass—in Latin *Missa*—means sending or mission.) The spirit which fills us in the liturgy inspires us to re-create the world and in so doing to prepare ourselves for fulfillment in heaven...The dismissal of the assembly is like the breaking of the bread. We have become the "bread of life" and the "cup of blessing" for the world. What happens at home, at work, at meals: What do we make of our time, our words, our deeds, our resources of all kinds: That is what matters.

Author: James A. Field

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We concluded the month of May celebrating the Feast of the Visitation in honor of our Blessed Mother, on Saturday, May 31, at 7:00 am.

Feast of the Visitation Mass

Blessed are you who believed that what was spoken to you by the Lord would be fulfilled. Luke 1:45



Fellowship followed Feast of the Visitation Mass at St. Joseph Church in the downstairs meeting room.



St. Joseph School News:

St. Joseph Cub Scout Pack 9 ended the year with their annual Bridging Ceremony on May 23. Currently there are 19 scouts that moved up in rank from 1st year Tiger Cubs through to 2nd year Webelos. Not only did the boys receive awards, but the pack received the Quality Unit Award from the Boy Scouts of America. This was another action packed, fun filled year. Kudos to all scouts, parents and leaders!



FIRST COMMUNION



First Communion Group Picture



▲ Fr. Tom presented the certificates to those receiving First Communion following the Mass.

◀ Jessalyn Youth Cantor for the First Communion Mass.



Children receiving their First Communion were invited to the meeting room for juice and Cake after Mass.

To the upright I will show the saving power of God ps 50



A wonderful celebration.
Smiles from Auntie Mabel Silva.



Fr. Thomas blesses our Malia ohana at Mass.



Our altar servers Kalauao and Namele.



Fukui Ohana bring up the gifts.

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for Sunday June 15, 2008.**



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***Mahalo Nui Pumehana
Malia Ohana For Your Kokua***

Malia Puka O Kalani Church

The Lord sent me to bring glad tidings to the poor and to proclaim liberty to captives.



Financial Notes: June 1, 2008

Attendance: 46

Adults: 40 Children: 6

Koa Bowl: \$ 731.60

Are you registered?

Registration forms are available on the church porch.



**Mary, Gate of Heaven,
pray for us.**



- Aunty Irene Kondo*
- Kahele Ohana*
- Aunty Patty Grube*
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NOTICE TO ALL SWEET BREAD ADDICTS

Your next fix is on the way! Friday, June 27, is the day of the next Alumni and Friends of SJS sweet bread sale. As usual, the price per loaf is \$6.00 and the bread will be distributed from 4-6 pm at the covered carport next to the church meeting room.

We again have a maximum of 600 loaves so we urge you to order early! NO ORDERS WILL BE TAKEN AFTER WE REACH THE MAXIMUM. Call your orders in to:

Agnes Crivello:
935-7753

Vivian Balberde
959-6146

Tony Phillips
959-8303

Celia Shinoda
961-3939

At our recent annual luau, The Alumni and Friends presented a \$20,000 check to Sr. Marion for the tuition assistance fund at St. Joseph School. Thanks to you all for your help!

Celia Shinoda

This Week's Calendar

SUNDAY, June 8

- 11:30 am •First Holy Communion & Youth Mass/St. Joseph Church
- 7:00 pm •Young Adults Ministry/St. Joseph Rectory Library

MONDAY, June 9

- 10:00 am •Funeral Mass (+Louis Araujo, Sr)/St. Joseph Church
- 12:00 pm •Food Pantry/St. Joseph Rectory Meeting Room
- 1:00 pm •Spiritual Support Group/St. Joseph Church Breezeway
- 7:00 pm •Baptismal Prep Class/St. Joseph Rectory Meeting Room & Church

TUESDAY, June 10

- 7:00 pm •Basic Christian Community/YMI
- 7:00 pm •Novena (Rosary 6:30 pm)/St. Joseph Church

WEDNESDAY, June 11 "King Kamehameha Holiday" Rectory Office Closed

- 7:00 am •Mass/St. Joseph Church—NO 12:15 pm Mass
- 12:00 pm •Food Pantry at Malia Puka O Kalani Church will be closed for the holiday
- 6:30 pm •Alabare Choir Rehearsal/St. Joseph Church

THURSDAY, June 12

- 12:00 pm •Food Pantry/Malia Puka O Kalani Church
- 5:30 pm •Cursillo Meeting/St. Joseph Rectory Library
- 6:30 pm •SJ Choir Rehearsal/St. Joseph Rectory Church

FRIDAY, June 13

- 5:00 pm •Holy Hour/St. Joseph Church
- 6:00 pm •Benediction/St. Joseph Church

SATURDAY, June 14

- 7:45 am •Church Cleaners #1/St. Joseph Church
- 10:00 am •Adult Scripture Study/St. Joseph Rectory Library
- 5:00 pm •High School Youth Group/St. Joseph Rectory Library
- 7:00 pm •Spanish Mass & Fellowship/St. Joseph Church & Rectory Meeting Room



SUNDAY, June 15 "Father's Day"

WEEKLY COLLECTION

5:00 pm	\$ 1,576.00
Spanish Mass	\$ 60.00
7:00 am	\$ 2,982.00
9:00 am	\$ 1,224.50
11:30 am	\$ 1,828.00
6:00 pm	\$ 1,214.00
Sunday Total Collection	\$ 8,884.50
Candles	\$ 222.88
Donations/Others	\$ 2,262.00
Total Operating Rev.	\$ 2,484.88
RESTRICTED DONATIONS	
Bldg. Maint. Fund	\$ 610.00
Parish Hall Fund	\$ 786.50
School Fund	\$ 427.00
Others	\$ 3,500.00
Total Rest. Donations	\$ 5,323.50
Total Weekly Deposit	\$ 16,692.88
Parish Hall Fund to Date	\$ 72,857.00

*Eternal Rest
Grant unto them
O Lord and
Let perpetual light
shine upon them*

+ Louis A. Araujo, Sr.



PRIEST FROM POLAND RETURNS FOR DIVINE MERCY MASS AT HOLY ROSARY (KEAAU)

Moira Noonan also to give talk on dangers of the "New Age" movement.

The Eucharistic Apostles of The Divine Mercy (EADM) in Hawaii is organizing its annual Divine Mercy Crusade in the Diocese of Honolulu to be held from June 13 – 21, 2008. EADM have invited back Fr. Peter Prusakiewicz of Poland, of the priestly order of Saint Michael the Archangel, to lead the crusade. Moira Noonan of California also has been invited as a guest speaker. A special evening celebration will be held at Holy Rosary Church in Keaau on June 13, Friday from 6 pm to 9 pm. The evening will begin with Holy Rosary and

Divine Mercy Chaplet at 6 pm followed by Holy Mass with a reflection on "God's Mercy and the Battle for Souls". After the Mass, Moira Noonan will talk about the Dangers of the New Age Movement and the Occult. The evening will conclude with the veneration of St. Faustina's relic. For more information, please contact Dave DeCleene at 938-0616 or in Honolulu EADM at 808-389-5764 or visit www.divinemercyhawaii.org



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Sacraments

Anointing of the Sick: Contact the rectory office for arrangements
Baptisms: Infant (under 7) Preparation sessions for parents available 9 times a year. Call the rectory office to register at 935-1465.
Baptisms: (over 7-adult) / First Communion / Confirmation
 Contact Joyce C. Saenz 935-1202
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