

100th Anniversary

# ST. JOSEPH CHURCH



May 13, 2018

Pastor: Rev. Wilbert Laroga, SSS  
935-1465

Parochial Vicars:  
Rev. Apolinario Ty, SSS 430-0481  
Rev. Zaldy Norba, SSS 756-0838

Deacon:  
Dcn. Jim Dougherty, SOLT

Served by the Blessed Sacrament Congregation

Church Dedicated in 1919

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**From Teens to Young Adults:  
Congratulations, Graduates!  
Thank you for serving in your ministry.**

## MASS SCHEDULE

**Weekdays:**

**Mon.-Fri.**

6:00 am & 12:15 pm

**Saturday:** 7:00 am

**Legal Holidays:** 7:00 am

**Saturday Vigil Mass**

5:00 pm

**Sunday**

7:00 am, 9:00 am,

11:45 am & 6:00pm

## 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.

## PRAYER TIMES

**Adoration**

M-F 4-5:00 pm

Sat 3-3:30 pm

Sun 4-4:30 pm

**Evening Prayer  
& Benediction**

M-F 5:00 pm

Sat 3:30 pm

Sun 4:30 pm



ST. JOSEPH

**PRAY FOR US!**



P. Ermitano (WHS)



**Congrats to these  
graduates who served  
with the RE program,  
Children's Liturgy &  
Youth Ministry**

R. Ignacio (WHS)  
I. Galdones (HHS)  
J. Erece (WHS)  
A. Galdones (HHS)



I. Santos, age 7



I. Santos, (KS-Hawaii Campus) age 18



# Happy Mother's Day!

Weekly Reflection: Ascension Sunday – Year B - 2018

***“He ascended into heaven...”***

Did you know that “Goodbye” is derived from “God Be with You”?

So that while we think of the Ascension of Our Lord Jesus as bidding his disciples goodbye because he is now taken “from their sight”, it must be understood that it is not to separate Himself from them but that it was a necessary prelude to a profound union, a union that would last. Because now, Jesus is looking forward into being with them permanently as he promised: “I am with you always, until the end of the age.”! And thus, we can only but welcome this moment as one that should fill us with great joy.

That is why Pope Benedict XVI pointed out *“The meaning of Christ’s Ascension expresses our belief that in Christ the humanity that we all share has entered into the inner life of God in a new and hitherto unheard-of way. It means that man has found an everlasting place in God.”* Jesus did not leave us behind but had taken us into the innermost life of God. *The Mystery of the Ascension of the Lord Jesus tells us that “Where the Master is, there will His servant be.”*

How faithful have we been to this great dignity the Lord is offering? If we are, then we must be carrying out the task He had entrusted to us: ***“Go into the whole world and proclaim the gospel to every creature.”***

*“Ignorance of Scripture is ignorance of Christ.”*  
St Jerome

**Sunday, May 13**

Acts 1:1-11  
Ps 47:2-3, 6-9  
Eph 1:17-23  
Mk 16:15-20

**Monday, May 14**

Acts 1:15-17, 20-26  
Ps 113:1-8  
Jn 15:9-17

**Tuesday, May 15**

Acts 20:17-27  
Ps 68:10-11, 20-21  
Jn 17:1-11a

**Wednesday, May 16**

Acts 20:28-38  
Ps 68:29-30, 33-36b  
Jn 17:11b-19

**Thursday, May 17**

Acts 22:30,; 23:6-11  
Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-11  
Jn 17:20-26

**Friday, May 18**

Acts 25:13b-21  
Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20b  
Jn 21:15-19

**Saturday, May 19**

Acts 28:16-20, 31-31  
Ps 11:4-5, 7  
Jn 21:20-25

**Vigil**

Gn 11:1-9  
Ps 104:1-2a, 24, 35c, 27-28, 29bc-30  
Rom 8:22-27  
Jn 7:37-39

**Sunday, May 20**

Acts 2:1-11  
Ps 104:1ab, 24ac, 29bc-30, 31, 34  
1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13  
Jn 20:19-23

## RE Family Retreat: April 28, 2018



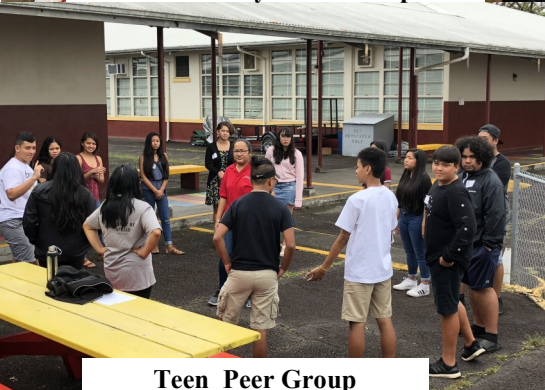
Adults Peer Group



Elementary Peer Group



Intermediate Peer Group



Teen Peer Group



Let us pray for the souls of our dearly departed. May they find peace

+Jacinta Balangatan  
+Velma Yoshida

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Weekly Calendar

### Monday, May 14

6:00 am Mass/Church  
 12:15 pm Mass/Church  
 1:00 pm Wedding (Iyo/Townsend)/Church  
 5:30 pm Youth Core Team Meeting/Conference Room

6:00 pm RCIA Class/Library  
**7:00 pm Infant Baptism Prep Class/ Meeting Room**

### Tuesday, May 15

6:00 am Mass/Church  
 12:15 pm Mass/Church  
 7:00 pm Mother of Perpetual Help Novena (Rosary 6:30 pm)/Church

### Wednesday, May 16

6:00 am Mass/Church  
 12:15 pm Mass/Church  
 6:30 pm Alabare Choir Rehearsal/Church

### Thursday, May 17

6:00 am Mass/Church  
**11:30 am Hot Meal Service/Under canopy, Meeting room & Kitchen**

12:15 pm Mass/Church  
 6:30 pm St. Joseph Choir Rehearsal/Church

### Friday, May 18

6:00 am Mass/Church  
 12:15 pm Mass/Church  
 6:00 pm San Lorenzo Choir Rehearsal/Church

### Saturday, May 19

7:00 am Mass/Church  
 8:00 am NAMI Family-to-family Classes/Meeting room  
 8:15 am Church Cleaner's #1 (F. Veriato)/Church  
 9:30 am Bible Sharing/Library  
 10:00 am Reconciliation/Church  
 1:00 pm Wedding (Mulholland/Gamet)/Church  
**5:00 pm NO High School Youth Ministry/Library**  
**5:00 pm Mass (Confirmation)/Church**

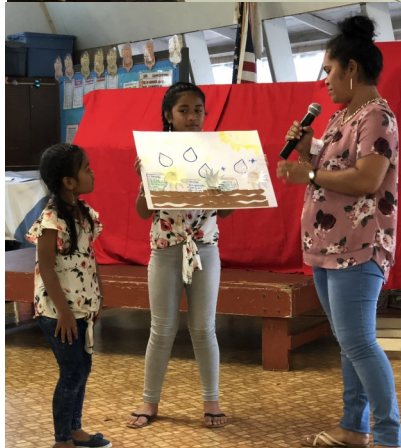
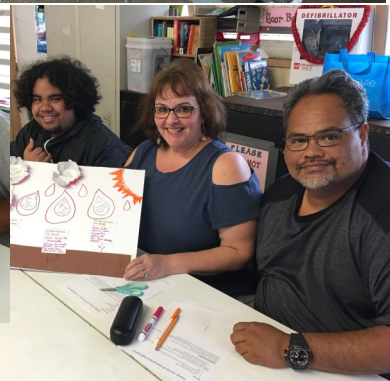
### Sunday, May 20

7:00 am Mass/Church  
**9:00 am Mass (Confirmation)/Church**  
**10:15 am NO Religious Education Classes**  
**11:45 am Mass (Confirmation)/Church**  
 6:00 pm Mass/Church

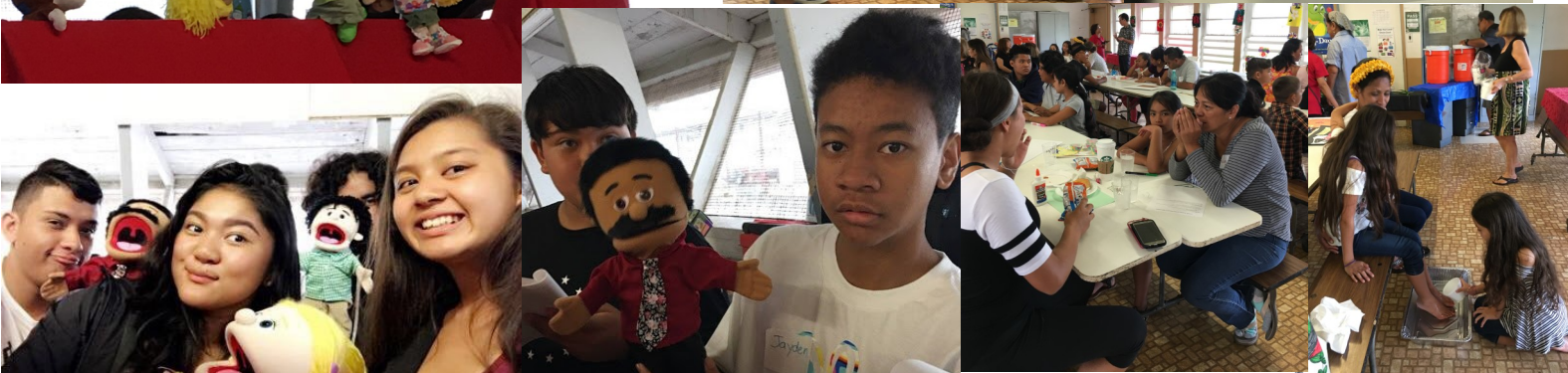
Stewardship Report of Treasury for:			
	Week (5/1-5/7)	YTD Actual	YTD Budget
Collections	7,441.25	437,979.94	468,627.69
R&M Collection	2,397.25	56,345.92	
All Other Income	6,651.89	247,676.24	302,469.66
Deposited to Bank	<b>16,490.39</b>	<b>742,002.10</b>	<b>771,097.35</b>
		<b>Parish Savings</b>	
Parish Hall	356.25	Loan to school	141,088.43
		Designated Funds	341,293.48
		Restricted Funds	431,170.42
			<b>913,552.33</b>



**Praise & Worship Team**



## Puppet Show!



# SPECIAL SECOND COLLECTION:



Our parish will collect *non-perishable food items (preferably pop-top cans) & cases of bottled water as well as "New" blankets, pillows, towels, hygiene items, body wipes, toilet paper.*

The last day to bring in items is on Friday, May 18, 2018 at 3:00pm to the rectory office.

We will also have a *special monetary second collection on May 19 & 20 to aide in the evacuation* efforts for those affected by the current lava eruptions.

-Submitted by Fr. Wilbert, the Pastor

## Religious Ed News

- ◆ **NO Saturday TEEN GROUP MAY 19**
- ◆ **LAST Saturday TEEN GROUP MAY 26**  
*SUMMER BREAK ALL OF JUNE*
- ◆ **NO Sunday RE CLASS ON MAY 20**
- ◆ **LAST Sunday RE CLASS IS ON MAY 27**
- ◆ **Youth (teens 14-18) Ministry Resumes on Saturday, July 7 (5-8pm)**
- ◆ **Registration for 2018-2019 year grades K through teens (August of 2018)**



## LET US PRAY!

Lord, please be with the rescue workers, volunteers, & officials. Keep them safe as they make heroic efforts in dangerous situations to rescue those in trouble.

Lord, please be with everyone waiting to be rescued, keep them safe, and bring help to them soon.

God, bless each and every person affected by this natural disaster and surround them with Your love, protection, and mercy.

Let them know there are millions of us out here praying for them and their loved ones.

We give You all the praise and glory forever, Lord, and know that even in the darkest hours, You are always with us.

In your Son's most Holy Name, Amen.

## PROBLEMS WITH PARISH EMAILS (STAFFNAME@STJOEHILO.COM)

The parish email & staff emails are not receiving emails and are not able to send out emails due to a change in their host system carrier. Please be patient with us as we try to remedy this issue. Call the rectory to speak to any of the staff members.



The Maintenance Department is seeking volunteers to help with the upkeep of the parish cemetery grounds. Please contact Robert Balga at 935-1465 for information & scheduled times.

# Restored Order of Sacraments

The masses below will be extra crowded, please allow for tight seating.

Total # of Candidates: 115

## PENTECOST

Receiving God's Power  
ACTS 2:3-4

### Confirmation Masses:

Saturday, May 19 @ 5pm  
(grades 3-adults)

Sunday, May 20 @ 9am  
(grade 2 along with their siblings ONLY)

Sunday, May 20 @ 11:45am  
(grades 3-adults)



### Sunday, May 27

after communion at the **6:00 pm mass**, there will be a floral offering & crowning of Mother Mary. Parishioners may bring their own flowers or leis for this service.

Queen of Heaven, Please pray for us!



Second Collection is for Catholic Communication Campaign

(This Weekend)



Thank you!