Anniversary

April 22,, 2018

Pastor: Rev. Wilbert Laroga, SSS 935-1465 Parochial Vicars: Rev. Apolinario Ty, SSS 430-0481 Rev. Zaldy Norba, SSS 756-0838

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ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

Served by the Blessed Sacrament Congregation

Church Dedicated in 1919

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www.stjoehilo.com 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

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

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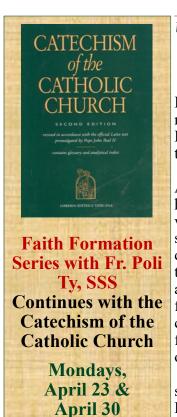
I am the good shepherd, and I know mine and mine know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father; and I will lay down my life for the sheep.

John 10:14-15

Download Our Parish App TODAY!

Our St. Joseph Church app is available to download for iPhone and Android smart phones. Stay connected with our parish throughout the week with instant notifications, an easy-to-access event calendar, and access to the bulletin. Also enjoy a bunch of additional features like prayers, daily readings, helpful reminders to silence your phone before Mass or Confession, and much more. Help foster a stronger parish life at St. Joseph Church and better engage the New Evangelization. **Download our app today at myparishapp.com or search your phone's app store for myparish.**

PRAY FOR US!



Topic:

"Sacraments"

7:00 pm in the

Church

PROMISE TO

PROTECT

Weekly Reflection: 4th Sunday of Easter – April 22, 2018

'I am the Good Shepherd. I know My sheep and My sheep know Me."

Who would not know the beautiful Psalm 23 – "The Lord is my Shepherd, there is nothing I shall want." But more than knowing the psalm the more important question is: Do we know the Shepherd of the Psalm? Have we encountered the Good Shepherd of the Psalm?

This Sunday we celebrate the Good Shepherd Sunday. And the Gospel speaks to us of Jesus being the Good Shepherd, and we, who believe in Him, being His sheep. Sounds very cozy and nice. But while it is great to have a wonderful shepherd, are we ready to see ourselves as sheep? This is quite humbling because a sheep is not exactly the smartest of the animals. They are very vulnerable, they easily get lost and need protection and guidance. They also need to stay in flocks. But is this not really an accurate image of our human condition. Hence, we can only but be filled with admiration for the passion and dedication of the Shepherd in taking care of us His sheep.

Today, we are being invited to pray also for those that share and will share in the mission of Jesus in shepherding His flock. May they have the compassion and dedication of the Good Shepherd in their hearts.

Help to create and maintain Safe Environments: Safe Environment Sunday!

The Balancing Act of Raising Teenagers

If you're a parent or caregiver of teenagers, you know that it's a whole new ballgame when it comes to child-rearing. Developmentally ready for more independence, but facing major challenges from relationships, friendships and hormones, guiding a teen through these years can be tricky.

Many parents would tell you these years seem like a balancing act. Here's just a few tips from experienced caregivers:

- Give them space but remain available: Teens want to assert their independence, but also have a need to talk things out. Finding times where you are sharing time together (like over a late-night snack or breakfast) without pressuring them to share, can result in more confidence and a closer relationship.
- 0 Give advice when necessary but listen first. We all know teens often balk when given a lot of direct advice. But if you truly listen and empathize first, you can act as a sounding board to help them sort through various problems.
- Encourage independence, while prioritizing connection. It can be hard to remember, but ultimately we all want figuring out how to strike out on their own. At the same time, show them you value the time you spend togetherwhether it's time together at Mass, shopping for a fall wardrobe or pursuing a favorite family hobby.

Don't take all outbursts personally, but still work to repair the relationship. Teens can say some of the most hurtful things-we may have done the same when we were young! Oftentimes it has less to do with you, and

more to do with whatever they're going through. At the same time, take the chance to tell them that you love them. Whether they are angry with you or not, you are the stable pillars in their life and they need your love and attention.

was a teenager once!

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"Ignorance of Scripture is ignorance of Christ." St Jerome

Sunday, April 22

Acts 4:8-12

Ps 118:1, 8-9, 21-23, 26, 29 1 Jn 3:1-2

Jn 10:11-18

Monday, April 23

Acts 11:1-18

Pss 42:2-3; 43:3-4 Jn 10:1-10

Tuesday, April 24

Acts 11:19-26

Ps 87:1-7

Jn 10:22-30

Wednesday, April 25

1 Pt 5:5b-14

Ps 89:2-3, 6-7, 16-17

Mk 16:15-20

Thursday, April 26

Acts 13:13-25

Ps 89:2-3, 21-22, 25, 27

Jn 13:16-20

Friday, April 27

Acts 13:26-33

Ps 2:6-11

Jn 14:1-6

Saturday, April 28

Acts 13:44-52

Ps 98:1-4

Jn 14:7-14

Sunday, April 29

Acts 9:26-31

Ps 22:26-27, 28, 30, 31, 32

1 Jn 3:18-24

Jn 15:1-8

teens to learn to become responsible adults who can think for themselves. That means they'll have to have to start

Above all, pray for your kids! Entrust them to the Blessed Mother-after all, even Jesus

Brought to you by the Religious Ed Family Ministries

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Weekly Calendar

Monday, April 23

6:00 am Mass/Church 12:15 pm Mass/Church

5:30 pm Youth Core Team Meeting/Conf. Room

6:00 pm RCIA Class/Library

7:00 pm Faith Formation w/Fr. Poli/Church

7:00 pm Liturgy Committee/Mtg. Room

Tuesday, April 24

6:00 am Mass/Church 12:15 pm Mass/Church

7:00 pm Mother of Perpetual Help Novena

(Rosary 6:30 pm)/Church

Wednesday, April 25

6:00 am Mass/Church

8:30 am Viewing (+Patricio Rabanzo)/Church 10:30 am Funeral Mass (+Patricio Rabanzo)/Church

12:15 pm Mass/Church

6:00 pm Stewardship Work Session/Mtg. Room

6:30 pm Alabare Choir Rehearsal/Church

Thursday, April 26

6:00 am Mass/Church

10:00 am Prayer Service (+Amado Barcena)/Dodo Chapel

12:00 pm Graveside Service (+Amado Barcena)/Vet.

Cem. #2

12:15 pm Mass/Church

6:30 pm St. Joseph Choir Rehearsal/Church

7:00 pm Wake Service (+Crescencio Panem)/Dodo

Chapel

Friday, April 27

6:00 am Mass/Church

11:00 am Graveside Service (+Crescencio Panem)/

Homelani Mem. Pk.

12:15 pm Mass/Church

6:00 pm San Lorenzo Choir Rehearsal/Church

Saturday, April 28

7:00 am Mass/Church

8:00 am NAMI Family-to-family Classes/Meeting room

8:15 am Church Cleaner's #4 (V. Coloma)/Church
9:00 am R E Family Retreat/SJES Cafeteria

& Grounds

9:30 am Bible Sharing/Library 10:00 am Reconciliation/Church

5:00 pm High School Youth Ministry/Library

5:00 pm Mass/Church

7:00 pm Prayer Service (+Gene

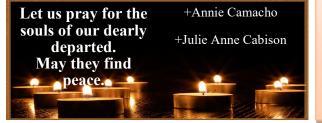
Haleamau)/Dodo Chapel Sunday, April 29

7:00 am Mass/Church 9:00 am Mass/Church

10:15 am Religious Education Classes/

SJHS

11:45 am Mass/Church 6:00 pm Mass/Church



Stewardship Report of Treasury for:			
Week (4/9-4/16)		YTD Actual	YTD Budget
Collections	6,376.15	406,808.19	429,647.21
All Other Income	3,823.55	277,443.90	280,687.57
Deposited to Bank	10,199.70	684,252.09	710,334.78
Parish Hall	120.00	Parish Savings	
		Loan to school	141,088.43
		Designated Funds	341,293.48
		Restricted Funds	430,296.67
			912,678.58

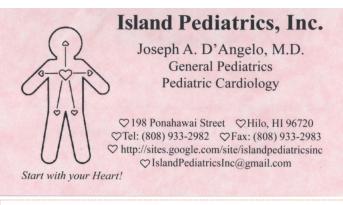


Updates from the Building & Maintenance Committee

Three Building & Maintenance Committee members and Ken Waltjen, cleared the old conduits in the outside globe lights fronting the church so these lights can eventually be turned on after the outside of the church is painted. Inside the church, the committee is looking to improve ventilation by replacing several fans and maximizing air flow through stained glass windows without overextending these windows. There will be Saturday workgroups to replace bumpers on the kneelers, fix broken pews & align pews by painting spots on church floor.

Submitted by Mary Correa

The Monthly Second Collection for Building Repair & Maintenance will be used for this project amongst other repairs to the church & rectory buildings. Mahalo for your donations!



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2017-2018 Bishop's Circle Appeal

From the Diocese of Honolulu & the Catholic Church in Hawaii

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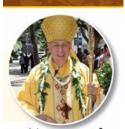
The Bishop's Circle Appeal is a special invitation to join Bishop Larry Silva as a fellow steward of service by honoring the Lord through the stewardship of treasure. Some of the many needs your gift will help:

- Our Clergy: with vocations, retirement & rising cost of health care
- Our Youth: in parish faith formation programs & Catholic Schools
- Our Needy: through parish and Catholic social service agencies

For more information and to make a donation, please visit

www.catholichawaii.org or use the

envelope available in the back of the church.



MAHALO!

Families with child(ren) making sacraments this year,

must make every effort to attend.

Please join us! Space still available

PARISH WIDE INVITATION!

FAMILY RETREAT

Saturday, April 28, 2018 9:00a to 3:00p

St. Joseph School Cafeteria & grounds

Cost: A
snack to share
with others

Hello! We are new to this parish and would like to meet the families here at St. Joseph Church. My family will be attending this retreat and we look forward to sharing our favorite family prayer styles, values and more about ourselves. So, please join us on this retreat and help us get to know you more. Let us meet Jesus in his sacraments & in His Holy Church!



For more information

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