

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 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



ANNOUNCEMENT

AUG. 26-30, 2019 New church carpet installation:

All the carpet will be removed, so the church will not be available for Mass as well as any rehearsals or prayer gatherings during this period.

All daily Masses will be held in the downstairs rectory meeting room.

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

Sunday, Aug. 25

Is 66:18-21 Ps 117:1-2 Heb 12:5-7, 11-13 Lk 13:22-30

Monday, Aug. 26

Thes 1:1-5, 8b-10 Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b Mt 23:13-22

Tuesday, Aug. 27

1 Thes 2:1-8 Ps 139:1-3, 4-6 Mt 23:23-26

Wednesday, Aug. 28

1 Thes 2:9-13 Ps 139:7-12b Mt 23:27-32

Thursday, Aug. 29

1 Thes 3:7-13 Ps 90:3-5a, 12-14, 17 Mk 6:17-29

Friday, Aug. 30

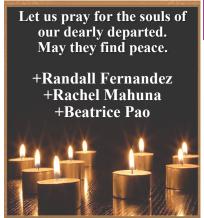
1 Thes 4:1-8 Ps 97:1, 2b, 5-6, 10-12 Mt 25:1-13

Saturday, Aug. 31

1 Thes 4:9-11 Ps 98:1, 7-9 Mt 25:14-30

Sunday, Sept. 1

Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29 Ps 68:4-7, 10-11 Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a Lk 14:1, 7-14



21st Sunday in ordinary Time – 2019

"Lord, will only a few people be saved?"

If we can have instant chocolate cake, instant juices and coffees, why not instant salvation?

In today's gospel reading (Lk. 13:22-30), Jesus was asked, "Lord, will only a few people be saved?" Jesus' answer was clear, "Go in through the narrow door." The narrowness is emphasized and because of it very few choose to walk through it. Jesus wants to make it clear that discipleship is not easy and that salvation is not cheap. Thus, it cannot be claimed just by mere affiliation, it must be lived with true faith and commitment.

But we must not lose heart, because there is no greater joy in the heart of the Lord than to have his children sit at the banquet He has prepared. We only have to clothe ourselves with His grace.

Thus, "Will only a few be saved?" is not the issue because God loves all of us and wills us to be saved. The issue is "Are we taking his invitation seriously?"

Religious Education Registration for 2019-2020 Registration continues UNTIL Sunday, August 25, 2019

(FIRST DAY OF CLASSES for KINDER TO GRADE 8)

Register your child(ren) for our faith formation classes as well as sacramental preparation, including Confirmation. These Sunday classes are also for the *CONTINUING EDUCATION OF THE NEWLY CONFIRMED*.

Allow us to assist your family in the "On-Growing" process of our churches teachings & witness to Jesus!

The <u>faith formation</u> classes are designed to bring children closer to God and to the community through prayer, scripture and also, through social justice teachings.

The <u>sacramental prep</u> classes focus on the symbols and rituals that are found within the sacraments of Baptism,

Eucharist, Reconciliation and Confirmation.

The fee is \$25 per child or a family rate of \$65 for three or more children.

Stop by the rectory office during business hours with

COMPLETED packets and PAYMENT.

REGISTRATION FORMS ARE AVAILABLE IN THE BACK RESOURCE RACKS OR ON THE PARISH WEBSITE (WWW.STJOEHILO.COM)
"RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PAGE"

For more information please call or stop by the rectory office for Chrislyn Villena, the Director of Religious Education. (935-1465 or cvillena@rcchawaii.org)

CATECHIST Volunteer SIGN-UP FOR 2019-2020 R.E. Year!

Have you thought about being a catechist, but have never given it a try? We have a handful of volunteer Catechist spots just waiting for you! We have teaching opportunities

for adult volunteers to teach grade 7 & 8 faith formation. We won't be able to offer classes for that grade level without the help of dedicated volunteers. You will receive assistance with lesson planning and materials are provided for you. Training and ongoing formation are available as well. Call the Rectory Office

to see what opportunities are available. We can show you curriculum and lesson plans, supplies and ways to evangelize to our parish families.

TIME REQUIRED:

*Preparation time: 1 - 2 hours

*Class time: 1 1/2 hours (15 minutes before, 1 hour with the class and possibly 15 minutes after dismissal)

*Meeting time: 1 ½ hours for catechist meeting (quarterly or semi-annually)

*Personal formation, continuing education classes: at own discretion

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Stewardship Report of Treasury for:			
Aug 13-19		YTD Actual	YTD Budget
Collections	5,774.25	55,613.35	62,063.13
R&M Collection	1,707.25	9,955.75	9,825.30
All Other Income	3,244.38	35,569.04	36,188.30
Deposited to Bank	10,725.88	101,138.14	108,076.73
		Parish Savings	
Parish Hall	156.25	Loan to school	241,128.82
		Designated Funds	65,545.43
	Restricted Parish Hall Funds		453,421.13
			760,095.38

Weekly Calendar

Monday, Aug. 26

6:00 am Mass/Meeting Room 12:15 pm Mass/Meeting Room 6:00 pm RCIA Classes/Library

Tuesday, Aug. 27

6:00 am Mass/Meeting Room 12:15 pm Mass/Meeting Room

7:00 pm Mother of Perpetual Help Novena (Rosary 6:30 pm)/Meeting Room

Wednesday, Aug. 28

6:00 am Mass/Meeting Room 12:15 pm Mass/Meeting Room

6:00 pm Safety Committee/Conference Rm 6:30 pm Alabare Choir Rehearsal/Library

Thursday, Aug. 29

6:00 am Mass/Meeting Room
12:15 pm Mass/Meeting Room
6:00 pm Memorial Prayer Service

(+Randall Fernandez)/Dodo Chapel

6:30 pm St. Joseph Choir Rehearsal/

Library

Friday, Aug. 30

6:00 am Mass/Meeting Room
12:15 pm Mass/Meeting Room
6:00 pm San Lorenzo Family Choir Rehearsal/Library

Saturday, Aug. 31

7:00 am Mass/Church

8:15 am Church Cleaners #7 (M. Aizawa)/

Church

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

5:00 pm Mass/Church

5:00 pm High School Youth Ministry/

Library

Sunday, Sept. 1

7:00 am Mass/Church 9:00 am Mass/Church 11:45 am Mass/Church 6:00 pm Mass/Church

SECOND COLLETION: CATHOLIC CHARITIES HAWAII

Your donations to Catholic Charities Hawaii have made a difference to 275 families who lost property and belongings during the Kilauea eruptions, earthquakes and Hurricane Lane. CCH provided the following to disaster survivors: equipment for the disabled, rent or mortgage, security deposits, HELCO bills, water catchment cleaning and replacement, beds and frames, blankets, transportation, storage, tents and tools, cell/minutes and gift cards for groceries, gas, building materials, repair estimates, shoes, clothing, personal items, pet food, camping gear and emergency dental procedures and prescriptions. Car payments were made to help those sleeping in their cars at the disaster shelter. Survivors received help with filing FEMA Appeals and finding vendors to bid on property repairs. Your charitable donation to Catholic Charities Hawaii enables us to deliver a hand up- not a hand out -to those who need it most. When you give to the special Catholic Charities Sunday offering, you can be assured that every penny stays on Hawaii Island to help our local neighbors in need.

Please give generously.

SAFETY COMMITTEE CALL OUT!!!

Interested parishioners are invited to join our Parish Safety Committee.

Currently, the committee is in desperate need of someone to serve as a secretary.

The next meeting is scheduled for

Wednesday, August 28, 2019 at 6:00 p.m. in the Rectory Meeting Room. Please join us as we endeavor to assure a safe and secure environment for all who visit and worship at St. Joseph.

"GOT QUESTIONS? RCIA might just be for you!"

Inquiries Welcome!!!

You may have a friend or family member who has never been baptized, or baptized in another Christian faith. An acquaintance or coworker may have asked you

questions about the

Catholic Church. Someone may indicate to you they are searching for a sense of community, or a desire to hear more of the Good News of Jesus, the Gospel. Encourage them to join our gatherings.

Monday, August 26 at 6:00 pm in the rectory library will be our first session.

All are welcome to join.

St. Joseph Choir is seeking new members!



CANTORS NEEDED!

St. Joseph Choir is seeking new members especially those interested in leading the congregation through song to lift praises during the Masses.



SECOND COLLECTION NEXT WEEKEND!

We will be taking a second

collection NEXT weekend,

Aug. 31 & Sept. 1

for OUR Parish School.
We appreciate your
consideration towards helping
THE ONLY CATHOLIC
SCHOOL ON THE
BIG ISLAND.

YOUR SUPPORT WILL CHANGE LIVES! GIVE TO CATHOLIC

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Start with your Heart!

Opportunities to serve SJC

If you want to help in the hospitality ministry, please visit with any hospitality minister .

Needed: Flower Decorators &/or Donations of flowers & foliage.

Four teams serve one Saturday a month to create a welcoming environment for weekly Masses. Leave your name & contact info at SJC Office 935-1465

and Mary or Gwen will respond to your inquiries.

Blessings for your consideration!





(High School Teens)

We will have our first TEEN class on Aug. 31 at 5pm in the rectory library.

SEE YOU THERE!