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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

**PRAY FOR US!** 

# ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

Served by the Blessed Sacrament Congregation

Church Dedicated in 1919





A	pril	Uı	pcoming	<b>Events:</b>
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Friday, April 5 First Friday Adoration Immediately following the 12:15p Mass

Friday, April 5 PARISH RECOLLECTION

Begins at 7:00pm, Stations of the Cross with a special presentation on Lent & concludes with solemn benediction.

Tuesday, April 9 6:00pm Parish Penance Service (RECONCILIATION) Sunday, April 14 Palm Sunday @ all Masses

Monday, April 15 6:00pm/Church RCIA Rehearsal & Holy 6:00 am Lauds Triduum Liturgy Rehearsal

APRIL 18 HOLY THURSDAY

7:00 pm Mass

APRIL 19 GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE

6:00 am Stations of the Cross (outside) 7:00 am Lauds 3:00 pm Prayer Service

APRIL 20 EASTER VIGIL

7:00 am Lauds

7:00 pm Mass with Sacraments for RCIA

APRIL 21 EASTER SUNDAY Masses 7am, 9am, 11:45a & 6pm

Easter Sunday, Family Egg Hunt Following the 11:45a Mass Hosted by the San Lorenzo Family Choir

& Yth/YA Ministries

Saturday, April 27 Time: TBA Stewardship Day in the Vicariate

Sunday, April 28 2:00 pm Divine Mercy Chaplet & Prayer Service

## Weekly Reflection: 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent - 2019 Coming to his senses

The Fourth Sunday of Lent is called the Laetare Sunday or the Sunday of Rejoicing. So, don't be surprise when the vestments change from violet to pink rose to mark the mood. But why rejoice? For one simple reason – the whole Lenten journey is a journey towards our redemption from bondage and to live as true children of God.

And this is what we read in the parable this Sunday. It is the story of two sons who have such a prodigal father. Prodigal because his love for his sons was overflowing to the point of extravagance. But unfortunately, at the beginning both sons failed to recognize this unconditional love of their Father.

We carry parts of the two sons in us the younger one was drawn to the lure of a life of pleasure away from the loving gaze of the father while the older one failed to see the blessing of living in the presence of the father. But like the younger son, let us pray for the grace "to come to our senses" and return to the Father who awaits us, ready with His forgiveness. Coming to our senses is to remember who we are in the eyes of our loving Father in heaven.

Validations of Marriage w/Bishop Larry Silva: March 23, 2019



### Centennial Celebration of Marriage Vows Renewed: March 23, 2019



-St Jerome

"Ignorance of Scripture is ignorance of Christ."

#### Sunday, March 31

Jos 5:9a, 10-12 Ps 34:2-7 2 Cor 5:17-21 Lk 15:1-3, 11-32

#### Monday, April 01

Is 65:17-21 Ps 30:2, 4-6, 11-12a, 13b Jn 4:43-54

#### Tuesday, April 02

Ez 47:1-9, 12 Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9 Jn 5:1-16

#### Wednesday, April 03

Is 49:8-15
Ps 145:8-9, 13c-14, 17
-18
Jn 5:17-30

#### Thursday, April 04

Ex 32:7-14 Ps 106:19-23 Jn 5:31-47

#### Friday, April 05

Wis 2:1a, 12-22 Ps 34:17-21, 23 Jn 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

#### Saturday, April 06

Jer 11:18-20 Ps 7:2-3, 9b-12 Jn 7:40-53

#### Sunday, April 07

Is 43:16-21 Ps 126:1-6 Phil 3:8-14 Jn 8:1-11



## SECOND COLLECTION FOR CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES: March 30 & 31

Next week, our parish will take up The Catholic Relief Services Collection. Funds from this collection provide food to the hungry, support displaced refugees, and bring Christ's love and mercy to all people here and abroad. Next week, please give generously to the collection, and help Jesus in disguise. Learn more about the collection at www.usccb.org/catholic-relief.



# ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### **Weekly Calendar**

Monday, April 1

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

6:00 pm RCIA Class/Library

7:00 pm Liturgy Committee/CONF Room

Tuesday, April 2

6:00 am Mass/Church

10:00 am Mass/Hale Anuenue

12:15 pm Mass/Church

7:00 pm Mother of Perpetual Help Novena

(Rosary 6:30 pm)/Church

Wednesday, April 3

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

6:30 pm Alabare Choir Rehearsal/Church 7:00 pm Wake Service (+Agnes Pacheco)/

Dodo Chapel

Thursday, April 4

6:00 am Mass/Church

9:00 am Viewing (+Agnes Pacheco)/Church 10:30 am Funeral Mass (+Agnes Pacheco)/Church

12:15 pm Mass/Church

6:30 pm St. Joseph Choir Rehearsal/Church 7:00 pm Wake Service (+Aquino Villena)/

Dodo Chapel

Friday, April 5

6:00 am Mass/Church

8:00 am Viewing (+Raphael Tomas)/Church

10:00 am Funeral Mass (+Raphael Tomas)/Church

11:00 am Prayer & Graveside Service

(+Aquino Villena)/VET CEM #2

12:15 pm Mass/Church

1:00 pm First Friday Adoration &

PARISH RECOLLECTION

3:00 pm Stations of the Cross/Church

6:00 pm San Lorenzo Family Choir Rehearsal/

Meeting Room

7:00 pm Stations of the Cross/Church

Saturday, April 6

7:00 am Mass/Church

8:00 am NAMI/Meeting Room

8:15 am Church Cleaners #6 (C. Lantano)/Church

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

5:00 pm Mass/Church

5:00 pm High School Youth Group/Library

Sunday, April 7

7:00 am Mass/Church 9:00 am Mass/Church 10:15 am R E Classes/SJHS 11:45 am Mass/Church 6:00 pm Mass/Church

Stewardship Report of Treasury for:						
Mar. 20 to 25		YTD Actual	YTD Budget			
Collections	9,347.25	259,063.25	388,220.97			
R&M Collection	1,962.25	58,808.94				
All Other Income	16,009.28	377,645.59	261,580.92			
Deposited to Bank	27,318.78	695,517.78	649,801.89			
		Parish Savings				
Parish Hall	61.25	Loan to school	96,189.03			
		Designated Funds	371,210.90			
		Restricted Funds	449,624.88			
			917,024.81			



# THANK YOU FOR THE BEAUTIFICATION & REPAIRS

Gerard Callo (Bldg & Maintenance Committee) fixing clock w/Doug Leite on 3/14/19.

Image of the tower dome being painted on March 15th, 2019. Image taken by SJS students as they walked to their church for their Patron Feast Day Mass

Gerard Callo & Doug Leite fixed the Hamakua Face of the clock earlier this month. Gerard took this picture of Doug in the bell tower along w/a video of Doug explaining how to fix clock, ring bells, adjust timing, etc. for future reference. Earlier, Carter Romero repaired frayed rope attached to chains so bell ringers wouldn't be left w/ just a length of rope in their hands.





Every Friday in
Lent
Stations of the
Cross
3:00 pm & 7:00 pm



#### **GROUND NUT STEW**

Makes 4-6 servings



- 2 T fair trade olive oil
- 1 onion, chopped
- 1 garlic clove, minced
- 1 red pepper, chopped
- 4 tomatoes, diced
- 2 carrots, chopped
- 1 chili pepper, diced
- 2 t salt

- ½ t ground cumin
- ¼ t black pepper
- 3 cups water or vegetable broth, plus more as needed
- ½ c creamy peanut butter
- 2 cups white rice

Heat olive oil in large pot over medium heat. Sauté onion and garlic until brown. Add red pepper, tomatoes, carrots, chili pepper, spices and water/ broth. Bring to a boil, then cover and cook on low until veggies are soft. Stir in peanut butter until evenly mixed. Serve over rice.

#### Fourth Week of Lent

Rights and Responsibilities Catholic social teaching inspires and guides how we are to live and work in the world. In this principle, Rights and Responsibilities,



we remember that every person has basic rights that make life truly human. Corresponding to our rights, we all have duties and responsibilities to one another, our families and the larger society.

#### Encounter Kumba

We encounter Kumba from Sierra Leone, who, through her education, is providing hope for her family and community. How has education given you opportunities in life? How do you use your education for the common good?

Visit *crsricebowl.org* for more.

SEE WHAT'S HAPPENING @SJS! FOLLOW THEM ON BOTH FACEBOOK & INSTAGRAM



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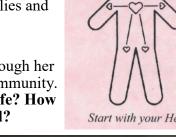
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Start with your Heart!



San Lorenzo Family Choir & the Youth/YA ministries presents:

## Family Fun Day, **Easter Sunday**



**Family Egg Hunt** April 21 following the 11:45a Mass

Seeking donations of plastic eggs & nonchocolate candies, stickers, tiny erasers, trinkets to stuff the eggs. Drop off items on | Fridays at the rectory before April 19.

