May 26, 2019 Pastor: Rev. Wilbert Laroga, SSS 935-1465

Parochial Vicars: Rev. Apolinario Ty, SSS 430-0481 Deacon: Dcn. Jim Dougherty, SOLT

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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

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"God the Father gathered all the waters together and called them the seas...

gathered all his graces together and called them Mary."

St. Louis de Montfort "Treatise on True Devotion to the Blessed Virgin"

> The Woman and the Dragon. A great sign appeared in the sky, a woman clothed with the sun, with the moon under her feet, and on her head a crown of twelve stars. She was with child and wailed aloud in pain as she labored to give birth. Then another sign appeared in the sky; it was a huge red dragon, with seven heads and ten horns, and on its heads were seven diadems. Revelation 12:1-3

> > Mother Mary crowning on Sunday, May 26 at 6pm Mass after the Holy Communion.

We encourage parishioners to bring flowers for the offering.

Weekly Reflection: 6th Sunday of Easter

"We will come to him and make our dwelling with him." This Sunday Jesus prepares his disciples for his imminent return to his Father. And he did so by reminding them of the one thing that will keep them connected with Christ and that is through a disciple's obedience to Jesus' words. "Whoever loves me will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we will come to him and make our dwelling with him." Jesus promises to dwell in the heart of the disciple. And if that is not enough, He also assures them that the Father will send the Holy Spirit to be their guide. What a gift, Jesus is giving His disciples – and that includes us.

But this should not come as a surprise, because since the time of creation, God's desire is for us to live in communion with Him. That is why He sent His Son to live among us. Unfortunately, we do not have this in mind. Instead of looking inside us and discover the presence of God, the source of true and lasting peace and happiness, we look for something else outside. And for that reason, we never came to experience the fullness of peace that He offers. If only we will allow Christ to take over our world and our lives, then we will have true Peace!



ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH IN THE STATE OF HAWAII DIOCESE OF HONOLULU WITNESS TO JESUS

May 16, 2019

Reverend Wilbert Laroga, SSS St. Joseph Parish 43 Kapiolani Street Hilo, HI 96720-2915

Dear Father Laroga,

Peace be with you!

After consultation with the priests of the vicariate and with your consent, which I received from you during the Convocation of Priests, I am happy to appoint you Vicar Forane of the East Hawaii Vicariate, effective July 1, 2019 to June 30, 2022, to fill out the term of Father Paul Li, who will be moving out of the vicariate.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

+ Clarence Activa

Most Reverend Clarence (Larry) Silva Bishop of Honolulu

Alusé R. Oliveria



Mother of Perpetual Help Novena Prayer Group is **cancelled** on Tuesday, May 28.

We will resume on June 4.

SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND! Repair, Maintenance &Improvements "Ignorance of Scripture is ignorance of Christ." -St Jerome

Sunday, May 26

Acts 15:1-2, 22-29 Ps 67:2-3, 5-6, 8 Rv 21:10-14, 22-23 Jn 14:23-29

<u>Monday, May 27</u>

Acts 16:11-15 Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b Jn 15:26—16:4a

Tuesday, May 28

Acts 16:22-34 Ps 138:1-3, 7c-8 Jn 16:5-11

Wednesday, May 29

Acts 17:15, 22—18:1 Ps 148:1-2, 11-14 Jn 16:12-15

Thursday, May 30

Acts 18:1-8 Ps 98:1-4 Jn 16:16-20

Friday, May 31

Zep 3:14-18a (Ps) Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6 Lk 1:39-56

<u>Saturday, June 1</u>

Day: Acts 18:23-28 Ps 47:2-3, 8-10 Jn 16:23b-28 Evening: Acts 1:1-11 Ps 47:2-3, 6-9 Eph 1:17-23 Lk 24:46-53

Sunday, June 2

Acts 1:1-11 Ps 47:2-3, 6-9 Eph 1:17-23 Lk 24:46-53



Let us pray for the souls of our dearly departed.

May they find peace.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

| Weekly Calendar | | | | |
|---|-------------------------------------|--|--|--|
| Monday, May 27 | "Memorial Day" | | | |
| Holiday—Rectory office closed | | | | |
| 7:00 am | Mass/Church—NO 12:15 pm Mass | | | |
| Tuesday, May 28 | | | | |
| 6:00 am | Mass/Church | | | |
| 12:15 pm | Mass/Church | | | |
| 6:00 pm | Faith Formation w/Fr. Marlon Reyes | | | |
| /Church—followed by Fellowship/Meeting Room | | | | |
| Wednesday, May 29 | | | | |
| 6:00 am | Mass/Church | | | |
| 12:15 pm | Mass/Church | | | |
| 6:30 pm | Alabare Choir Rehearsal/Church | | | |
| Thursday, May 30 | | | | |
| 6:00 am | Mass/Church | | | |
| 12:15 pm | Mass/Church | | | |
| 6:30 pm | St. Joseph Choir Rehearsal/Church | | | |
| Friday, May 31 | | | | |
| 6:00 am | Mass/Church | | | |
| 12:15 pm | Mass/Church | | | |
| 6:30 pm | Confirmation & 1 st Holy | | | |
| Communion Mass w/Bishop Silva/Church | | | | |
| Saturday, June 1 | | | | |
| 7:00 am | Mass/Church | | | |
| 8:00 am | am Celebration Prep/Rec. Mtg. 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 | | | |
| Sunday, June 2 | "The Ascension of the Lord" | | | |
| 7:00 am | Mass/Church | | | |
| 9:00 am | Mass/Church | | | |
| 11:45 am | Mass/Church | | | |
| 1:00 pm | Farewell Celebration | | | |
| (Fr. Zaldy & Fr. Marlon)/Meeting Room | | | | |
| 6:00 pm | Mass/Church | | | |
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Congratulations to all the GRADUATES, CLASS OF 2019!

Here are 4 Practical Ways to Stay Connected to Jesus: 1. <u>Build a Daily Practice of Prayer (even if it means praying</u> <u>in the bathroom)</u>

Ideas to Stay Connected in Prayer:

- Pray when you first wake up or just before you fall asleep.
- Pray in your car as your drive to work or running errands pray for your neighbors, the people in your community, and even the dead as you pass a cemetery.
- Pray during chores, nothing makes folding laundry, washing dishes, or vacuuming more appealing than praying for the people who dirtied them in the first place.

2. <u>Develop a Daily Practice of Reading the Scriptures</u> Ideas to Stay Connected through the Scriptures:

- Read the daily Mass readings.
- Sign up for a daily email such as the Catholicmom.com daily Gospel Reflection.
- Try "Bible Roulette". Simply pray for the Holy Spirit's guidance, and then open the Bible to a random page and let

| Stewardship Report of Treasury for: | | | | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------|------------------|------------|--|
| May 14 to 20 | | YTD Actual | YTD Budget | |
| Collections | 18,204.25 | 451,011.76 | 485,596.77 | |
| R&M Collection | 1,779.25 | 80,199.44 | | |
| All Other Income | 10,888.69 | 323,406.75 | 316,196.26 | |
| Deposited to Bank | 30,872.19 | 854,617.95 | 801,793.03 | |
| | | Parish Savings | | |
| Parish Hall | 126.25 | Loan to school | 91,174.19 | |
| | | Designated Funds | 214,850.62 | |
| | | Restricted Funds | 451,049.88 | |
| | | | 757,074.69 | |

St. Joseph Church Stewardship Presents Faith Formation

For St. Joseph Parishioners, Ministry Members, East Hawaii Vicariate Pastors and Parishioners

The Eucharist: Love and Service

Presenter: Father Marlon M. Reyes, SSS

- National Vocation Director, Congregation of the Blessed Sacrament (SSS)
- [°] Member, International Formation Commission (SSS-Rome)
- Master of Arts in Theology, Major in Pastoral Ministry



Maryhill School of Theology New Manila, Quezon City

DATE: May 28, 2019, Tuesday TIME: 6 pm – 7 pm LOCATION: St. Joseph Church,

Fellowship to follow in the downstairs meeting room. Please bring a dish to share. Come and Join Us for this Faith Formation

Jesus surprise you. If the Holy Spirit could use a variation of this practice to convert a doctor of the church, aka St. Augustine, it is certainly something to consider for building your faith.

3. <u>Continue Your Faith Education with Spiritual Reading</u> Ideas to Stay Connected through Spiritual Reading:

- Read the Exploring the Catholic Classics:
- Join or start a book club.
- Pick a classic to read for Lent. After building a daily reading practice during Lent, you may find it easier to incorporate it into your everyday prayer life.

4. <u>Meet Regularly with Others on the Same Journey</u> Ideas to Stay Connected through Companionship:

- Start a small group faith sharing or bible study at your church.
- Really live the "gospel of hospitality" and invite others into your home for a book club.
- Create a virtual faith sharing group via your social media.

REMEMBER WE, HERE AT ST. JOSEPH CHURCH ARE ALWAYS PRAYING FOR YOU

FAREWELL FELLOWSHIP FOR FR. ZALDY & FR. MARLON June 2, 2019 | following the 11:45 AM Mass St. Joseph Church Potluck dishes assigned by the First Letter of your Last Name A-L | ENTREES M-T | SIDE DISHES OR SALADS U-Z | FAVORITE SUMMER FRUITS

*CAKE & ICE CREAM WILL BE PROVIDED

DESPERATELY SEEKING MANPOWER HELP TO SET UP TENTS ON SAT. JUNE 1 at 9:00 am

> Contact Mary Correa for more information by leaving a message at 935-1465

> > FREEDOM IS NOT FREE.

a safe & blessed Memorial Day.

Mark your calendars! Stop by at any or all of these Coffee Hours to visit with your fellow parishioners following the 9 am Masses.

- ° May. 26.... Visayan Group
- June. 30... RCIA (Ministry)
- July. 28.... Youth and Young Adult (Ministry)





MAHALO to all who came & celebrated with Fr. Poli for his priestly ordination.

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THAT A MAN LAY DOWN HIS LIFE

LET US ALL REMEMBER We wish you and your loved ones

