

SPIRIT-LED NEWS



PASTOR'S CORNER

Mass Part Two: Liturgy of the Eucharist

Every Catholic Mass consists of two main parts: the Liturgy of the Word and the Liturgy of the Eucharist. After the homily, the Creed and the Prayers of the Faithful, the Liturgy of the Eucharist begins.

Usually a hymn is sung during the Preparation of the Altar and the Gifts. This is also the point where the collection is taken and the faithful offer their own gifts to the Lord. This is followed by the Presentation of Bread and Wine. This is when members of the congregation bring the hosts and the wine, and sometimes the gifts from the collection, up to present to the priest.



Once the gifts are blessed on the altar, the Eucharistic Prayer begins with the Preface. It starts with the priest saying, "The Lord be with you." After the Preface, the congregation sings or says the "Holy, Holy, Holy." Then comes the consecration, followed by the Communion Rite, which includes The Lord's Prayer, the Sign of Peace, the "Lamb of God," and reception of Communion.

After the Communion the vessels are cleansed and, after a brief moment of reflection, the congregation stands and the priest says the Closing Prayer, offers a final blessing and the priest or deacon dismisses the assembly. After the final hymn, it's now time to go out into the world and share the graces which we have received at the Mass.

(From Gus Lloyd's book "A Minute in the Church: The One Minute Explanations about the Catholic Mass.")

ST. JOHN APOSTLE & EVANGELIST CATHOLIC CHURCH
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MISSION / VISION STATEMENT: WE ARE A CATHOLIC CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY—called to develop a deeper relationship with Christ. Such a relationship is fostered through active participation in: *Word, Sacrament, Renewal Programs, Ministry/Service* and other ***Spirit-led*** activities.

We dedicate our time, talent, and treasure to install, in our parish community the basic building blocks of Christian living, ***to preach the Good News of Jesus Christ to all through our words, deeds, and lives.***

PASTOR Fr. Anthony Rapozo

In Residence Fr. John Gabriel

DEACON Dcn. Romeo Ganibe

*FULL Parish Clergy & Staff Directory available
on our website.*

MASS SCHEDULE

Weekday: 8AM (Monday - Saturday)

Sunday: 5PM (Saturday Vigil), 7AM, 9AM,
11AM (Livestream)
[youtube.com/c/SaintJohnMililani](https://www.youtube.com/c/SaintJohnMililani)
& 6PM

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 4:00 - 4:30PM

PARISH RECTORY HOURS

Monday 12PM - 4PM

Tuesday - Friday 8:30AM - 4:00PM

Saturday - Sunday Closed

Please call the office for all other inquiries:
Anointing, Baptisms, Blessings, Food Pantry,
Funeral, Homebound Communion & Marriage.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

JULY 23/24

Sunday Collection	\$ 9,919.59
Online Donation (WeShare)	\$ 3,492.00
Building, Equipment & Maintenance (BEM)	\$ 240.00
OCC Capital Campaign (Non-Assessed)	\$ 455.00
Stewardship	\$ 125.00
Debt Reduction	\$ 445.50
Mass Intentions	\$ 80.00
Candles	\$ 465.55
Seminarian Education	\$ 90.00
'Ohana in Christ	\$ 5.00

WEEKEND TOTAL

\$ 15,257.64

CALLS, TEXTS & EMAILS SCAMS!

There has been a scam affecting many parishioners.
Please never respond to such email messages or texts
from clergy and staff of St. John's.

For more information, see the link below.

<https://www.malwarebytes.com/scam-call/robo-calls>



SUNDAY GOSPEL REFLECTION (LUKE 12: 20)

BY DEACON ROMEO GANIBE

Today's Gospel passage from Luke is a challenging one. It almost sends chills down my spine when I hear Jesus' admonition,

" You fool, this night your life will be demanded of you. . ."

I really don't feel good when Jesus says those sorts of things --- because I can always hear him speaking directly to me. I'm the fool. I'm the one to whom he's directing the warning. Maybe, you feel exactly the same way. It's because so much of discipleship, so much about the Christian life, is consider optional. That's right --- optional. Or at least I live that way. And God wants so much more from me. Expects and demands more. And not because he needs it, but because I do. And the people around me do. And the world does. Where do you stand?

So often we follow Jesus half-heartedly, embracing some of the "easier" things and disregarding the "tough" ones. And so, what happens? Well, we experience only a little joy, a little peace, a little meaning. Our lives are sort of "lukewarm" and we impact the world accordingly --- in tiny ways. But God knows what is possible and knows that all the wonderful things he desires for the world can only come about when you and I are fully committed to doing the work he has entrusted to us. For example, years ago car buyers had a much more difficult task when it came to purchasing a new car. A lot were optional, there were less offered as standard package.

Do we live our lives as disciples like car buyers of old? When it comes to following Jesus, do we consider everything to be an option? I know I do at times. And yet, we know in our hearts, that living as God intends, require our whole selves. Loving is not optional. Forgiving is not optional. Being generous is not optional. And as our Gospel story appears to assert, being spiritually detached from the material things of this world is not optional. It is a standard package. Bundled for our good and the good of the world.

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

DEBT REDUCTION SECOND COLLECTION: We will have a second collection, next weekend, **August 6/7**, after communion. Your donation will help pay for the mortgage of the One Community Center. Envelopes are available at the back of the church or on our parish website, online giving. Your generosity is much appreciated.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ST JOHN APOSTLE & EVANGELIST COUNCIL 14663 RECEIVES TOP AWARD

SJA&E Knights of Columbus Council 14663 has received the distinction of Star Council, the international organization's top award for local councils. The Star Council Award recognizes overall excellence in the areas of membership, promotion of fraternal insurance benefits, sponsorship of faith formation programs and service-oriented activities. Programs achieved include - Building the Domestic Church Program, RSVP, Divine Mercy, Pilgrim Icon Program (St Joseph, Silver Rose), Family Prayer Night, Family of the month, Misa de Gallo, Food for Families, Family Novena, Helping Hands, and Leave no Neighbor Behind. For information on joining the Knights of Columbus, contact local Membership Director Patrick Guzman (808)351-6179.

"Jesus urges us to be rich in what matters to God. The psalmist warns us against hardening our hearts. Are our hearts open to what really matters?"



MASS INTENTIONS***Monday August 1, 2022***

8AM Tsuneo Nishikawa (RIP)
Masako Nishikawa (RIP)
Harold Looney (RIP)

Tuesday August 2, 2022

8AM Marietta & Peter Kaeo RIP)
Panjigo (RIP)
John (RIP)

Wednesday August 3, 2022

8AM Purita M. Carreon (RIP)
Teofilo Malicay (Birthday Blessing)
Carmen Ocao (Birthday Blessing)

Thursday August 4, 2022

8AM Agatha (RIP)
Souls Close to Heaven (RIP)
Orlando Aglanao (RIP)

Friday August 5, 2022

8AM Feliciano Dona (RIP)
Kaloa Arincorayan (Birthday Blessing)
Guerrero Family (Blessing)

Saturday August 6, 2022

8AM All Souls in Purgatory (RIP)
Samuel S. Aguirre (Blessing)
Chan Family (Healing)
5PM Mariano E. Mendoza Sr. (RIP)

Sunday August 7, 2022

7AM Consolacion Lapinid (RIP)
9 AM For the People
11 AM James & Mildred Mizoguchi (RIP)
Eric Umetsu (RIP)
6 PM Suzanna Foster (Healing)

FUNERAL ANNOUNCEMENT

RODNEY KOON WAH RIVERA (RIP), Friday, September 23, 2022, Mililani Mortuary Park – Mauka Chapel; Family: 9:30 am, Visitation: 10:00 am, Prayer Service: 11:00 am, Burial: 1:00 pm.

HEALING / BLESSINGS

Mairenui Tauotaha-Amo, Helen Guerrero, Teresa Montoya, James Kahala, Demetrio & Rita Galicinao, Rodney Keli'i, Hildegard Borowitz, Ron Thames, Carol Naumu, Bienvenido Roter, Norma Nazareno, Amelia Santos, Family/Victims of Uvalde, Gary O., Manny Rodil, Brenda B. Miyashiro, Stephanie Rapozo, Thomas Ramos, Christy Esposito, Jim Coyle & Victor Apilado.

DECEASED

William Martin Bass Jr., Allan Garvida, Mark C. Propios, Ernie C. & Fumiko K. Sombrero, Teresita F. Tuazon, John J. McCormick, Jr., Ronald Palomares, Karlyn Tatemichi, Masako Kobayashi Delk, Jeanne Tam, Brian Miyashiro, Edwin Souza Jr., James E. Smith & Delilah Luis Benjamin.



PRESENTS

GET BACK!

TO

CHURCH



BEAT-LELE

BENEFIT CONCERT

ONE COMMUNITY CENTER

THURS, AUG 25th & SAT, AUG. 27th / 7:30-9:00 PM
95-370 Kuahelani Ave., Mililani 96789
Tickets available at: www.stjohnmililani.org

Presale Tickets after all Masses July 30/31.

Tickets available to the public August 1 on the parish website and Eventbrite.

Ticket purchase enters into drawing for Kanile'a Islander Ukulele (includes ukulele bag, tuner, cleaning cloth, certificate) donated by Beat-lele and 2 free lessons by Nolet Quason at St. John.

General Admission: \$50

VIP: \$100 (Includes Swag Bag: Concert T-shirt, 2 CDs, and autographed band photo.)

Concert T-Shirt: \$20

Proceeds from the concert will go towards debt reduction of the One Community Center mortgage.



Fellowship! Food! Games! Prizes!

Marriage-Family-Life Ministry

Getting to Know You Potluck

Saturday, August 20, 6:30pm, in the OCC



Please RSVP by August 13

<https://www.stjohnmililani.org/>

If you are not able to register online, contact Mila Ramos (425) 890-8377.

Respect Life “A woman with an unexpected pregnancy may have any number of fears and challenges: facing judgment from her friends and family, losing her job or housing, or being abandoned by the father of her child. Following Mary’s example, we can ask ourselves how to better know these mothers, listen to them, seek understanding, and help them obtain the necessities of life for themselves and their children.” USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities “Called to Serve Moms in Need”



✝ Never Confirmed in the Catholic Church?

✝ Do you want to be baptized?

✝ Are you or do you know someone who is interested in becoming a part of the Catholic Faith?

✝ Let us help you with your journey in receiving the Sacraments of Initiation.

Candidates will explore the elements of the Catholic faith in weekly meetings with Catechists in preparation to receive all the Sacraments of Initiation.

2022-2023 OCIA classes begin this August.

For more information, contact Deacon Romeo Ganibe at rganibe@rcchawaii.org.

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PICK OF THE WEEK

July 31, 2022

WATCH

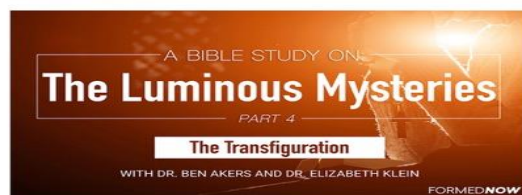
COMPANIONS IN SHIPWRECK

Good relationships are a vital part of human well-being. In fact, studies show that those with the healthiest relationships live the longest! But where can we see these friendships lived out? Look no further than the life of famed author J.R.R. Tolkien. The relationships he exhibited are a wonderful example for all of us to follow, especially with those we may disagree with. As Tolkien described marriage, it's all about being “companions in shipwreck.”



LEARN

A BIBLE STUDY ON THE LUMINOUS MYSTERIES: THE TRANSFIGURATION



This week we celebrate the feast of the Transfiguration, the mountaintop manifestation of Christ's glory that we read about in the Gospel. As we recall this wondrous event, however, many questions might come to mind. Why did Moses and Elijah appear? Why did Jesus only bring Peter, James, and John? Hear the answers to these questions and more in this episode of

LISTEN

LUMINOUS MYSTERIES

The Transfiguration is part of the Luminous Mysteries, which were introduced to the Church in 2002 by St. John Paul II. These mysteries recall events that demonstrate the light of Christ during his public ministry. On this feast day, let us ponder this miraculous episode of Jesus' life by praying along with this recording of the Rosary.



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