

SPIRIT-LED NEWS



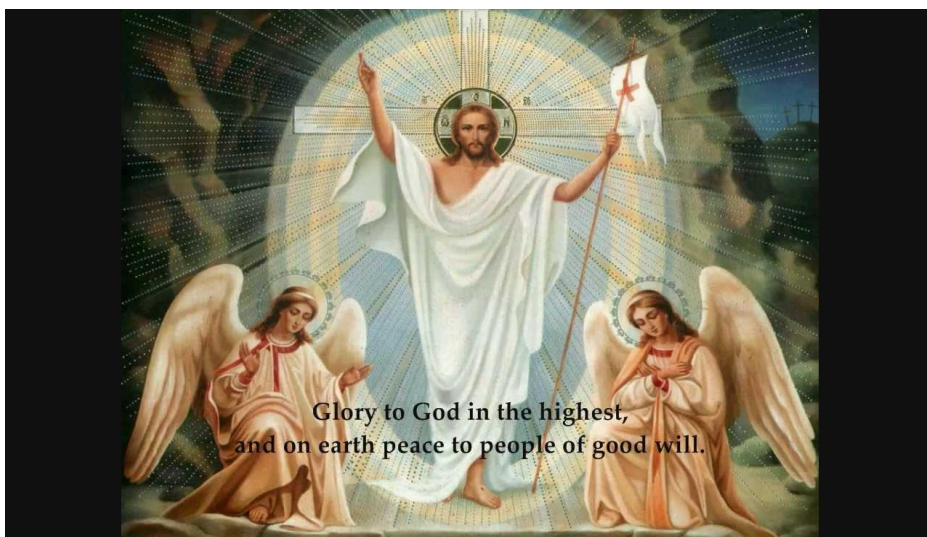
PASTOR'S CORNER

The Gloria

Immediately after the Penitential Rite in the Mass, we switch gears and join the angels in song! This is when we sing the Gloria.

The Gloria begins with a scene from the Christmas story in Luke chapter 2.

“And suddenly there was a multitude of the heavenly host with the angel, praising God and saying: ‘Glory to



God in the highest and on earth peace to those on whom his favor rest.” Not only are we singing along with the angels, we’re once again quoting Scripture in the Mass!

From there the Gloria closely mirrors the Kyrie, when we ask Jesus to “have mercy on us... receive our prayer... have mercy on us.” And we finish with yet another affirmation of the Blessed Trinity. “You alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.”

You’ll notice that the Gloria is left out of the Sunday Masses of Advent and Lent, as these are more penitential seasons. The Gloria is sometimes called the “great Doxology.” The word “doxology” is taken from the Greek, meaning “a word of praise.” It is called the “Great Doxology” for its use in the Mass, and because we got it right from the mouths of angels!

(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
& 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

AUG 13/14

Sunday Collection	\$ 9,052.33
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Online Donation (WeShare)	\$ 4,062.00
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Building, Equipment & Maintenance (BEM)	\$ 513.00
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OCC Capital Campaign (Non-Assessed)	\$ 240.00
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Baptism	\$ 80.00
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Social Ministry	\$ 5.00
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Stewardship	\$ 50.00
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Debt Reduction	\$ 1,590.00
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Mass Intentions	\$ 190.00
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Candles	\$ 390.00
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Seminar Education	\$ 10.00
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Holy Thursday	\$ 8.50
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Catholic Charities HI	\$ 135.00
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'Ohana in Christ	\$ 5.00
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WEEKEND TOTAL	\$ 16,330.83
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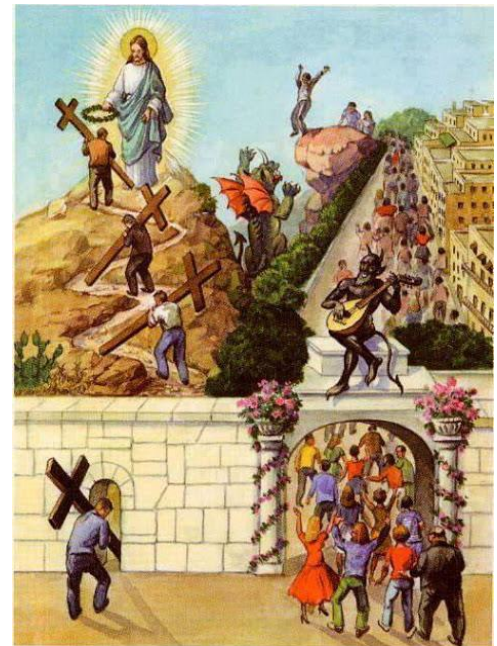
STEWARDSHIP BULLETIN REFLECTION (LUKE 13: 22 - 30) BY CATHOLIC STEWARDSHIP CONSULTANTS

Today's readings show us that it is not enough to be Christ's disciples in name only. To be a real disciple, we must live for Christ every day and in every aspect of life. This kind of life takes strength and discipline.

Intentionally and consistently offering the Lord the best of our Time, Talent, and Treasure through a stewardship way of life is a form of spiritual discipline. These spiritual disciplines teach us to become ever more aware of God's constant provision for us and they keep us on the narrow path towards the Kingdom of Heaven. The more we embrace this way of life, the more we can be "trained" by the Lord in the ways of true discipleship. Though difficult, these disciplines become a source of spiritual strength.

Our Lord Himself speaks of the difficult path to the Kingdom of Heaven in today's Gospel passage from Luke. He is asked, "Lord, will only a few be saved?" Jesus responds, "Strive to enter through the narrow gate, for many, I tell you, will attempt to enter but will not be strong enough." Showing up for Mass on Sunday while living as if Christ is an afterthought the rest of the week does not make us disciples. What's more, this approach to our faith is an unjust and unloving response to our good God who has given us all that we have and are.

Jesus does not want us to merely go through the motions of faith. He wants much more from us and for us. He wants to know us deeply and for us to get to know Him so that we become His holy disciples. This is not a burden; it is a privilege. But it does take discipline, the discipline of a stewardship way of life.



PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

This weekend 8/20-8/21, our special collection will be for Catholic Charities in Hawaii (CCH). As part of the largest private network of social service organization in the United States, Catholic Charities Hawai'i offers much needed programs and services statewide, serving 40,000 individuals each year. Envelopes are available at the back of the church or you may donate online by visiting our parish website and clicking "Online Giving." Please prayerfully consider being generous in your support!

Beat-lele Get Back! To Church Benefit Concert are still available on the parish website and Eventbrite. August 25 and 27, 7:30-9pm in the One Community Center. General Admission: \$50. Concert T-Shirt: \$20 Available in the Parish office. Proceeds from the concert will go towards debt reduction of the One Community Center mortgage.

SJAE Women's Guild will be selling hot dogs, chili & rice, nachos, spam musubi, chips, candy, and drinks before the Beat-lele Concert. All proceeds benefit the OCC.

"The gift of myself, my patient endurance and fidelity to the will of God is as important as the monetary gift I offer."



MASS INTENTIONS

Monday August 22, 2022

8AM John (RIP)
Agatha (RIP)
Panjigo (RIP)

Tuesday August 23, 2022

8AM Reynaldo Cardona (RIP)
Howard Whitcraft (RIP)
Suzanna Foster (Peace in her heart)

Wednesday August 24, 2022

8AM Dr. William Wilkinson (RIP)
William G. Houston (RIP)
Suzanna Foster (Healing)

Thursday August 25, 2022

8AM Souls Close To Heaven (RIP)
Kelly Sauget (Birthday Blessing)
Justin Tano (Birthday Blessing)

Friday August 26, 2022

8AM Masako Nishikawa (RIP)
Tsuneo Nishikawa (RIP)
Jeanne Tam (RIP)

Saturday August 27, 2022

8AM Augusto Dicsen
(Birthday Memorial)
Suzanna Foster (Peace in her heart)
Beth Fukuda (Birthday Blessing)
5PM David M. Torres (RIP)

Sunday August 28, 2022

7AM Canales, Pagador & Gibson Family
(RIP)
9 AM For the People

11 AM Petra & Guillermo Malicay
(Birthday Blessing)

6 PM Suzanna Foster (Healing)

FUNERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

PATRICK MAYOCK (RIP), Thursday, September 8, 2022, St John A&E, Family Arrives: 10:00 am, Eulogy (Open Mic): 10:30 am, Mass: 11:00 am.

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, Bienvinido Roter, 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 & Patrick Aki.

St. John Apostle & Evangelist Catholic Church



The Eucharist in Scripture

Led by Fr. Anthony Rapozo

Five Tuesdays starting on September 6 – October 4, 2022

Each class has a 10-person limit.

Morning Class: 9:30 am to 11:00 am

Evening Class: 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm

One Community Center

Fee: \$10 for Study Guide

The Eucharist in Scripture explores the biblical theme of meals shared in faithful fellowship and in covenant relationship with God. Old Testament meals and promises provide a foundation for gospel meals with Jesus, culminating in the Last Supper as it is understood throughout the New Testament. Jesus' bread of life discourse and the early church's practice of "breaking bread" are also explored. Commentary, study and reflection questions, prayer, and access to online lectures are included (5 lessons).



Please contact the Parish Office
to register, 808-623-3332.



Jubilee Pilgrimage to the Holy Land with Msgr. John Mbinda- There are 6 spots left. The deadline to register and make final payment is September 1st. Please visit the parish website for more information.

The deadline to register for Religious Education, Grades K-5 and CYM (Comprehensive Youth Ministry) Grades 6-12 is **Thursday, September 1, 2022**. To register see the parish website under Religious Education - Grades Pre-K -5 and Youth Ministry for more information.

Respect Life “God’s love—individual, real, unchanging—is the true source of our worth, identity, and dignity. It really is not a question of who we are, but rather whose we are. Because his love will never change, nothing can reduce our God-given dignity, and nothing can diminish the immeasurable worth of our lives.”

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities

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PICK OF THE WEEK

August 21, 2022

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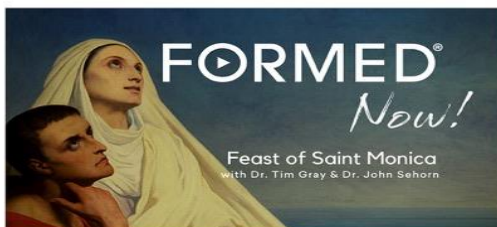
INTO THE BREACH – EPISODE 3: LEADERSHIP

Among many other things, Pope St. Gregory the Great is known for his incredible pastoral presence and servant leadership. In honor of this magnanimous Saint, enjoy this episode of Into the Breach! Although primarily targeted at men, this video and its emphasis on service will be fruitful to anyone who desires sanctity and self-mastery!



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FORMED NOW: THE FEAST OF SAINT MONICA



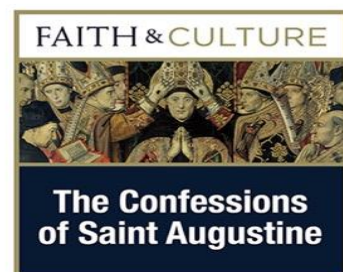
Throughout her life, St. Monica constantly prayed for the conversion of Augustine, her beloved son.

In a moment of desperation, she even asked for the bishop’s help. In response, he said, “the son of those tears surely will not perish.” Truly, as this bishop remarked, Monica’s tearful prayers helped build her son into the Doctor of Grace. In this video, join Dr. Gray and Dr. Sehorn as they discuss more about this great Saint.

LISTEN

THE FAITH AND CULTURE PODCAST: THE CONFESSIONS OF ST. AUGUSTINE

In this episode of the Faith and Culture podcast, Joseph Pearce and Dr. John Sehorn discuss the most towering Church Father of the West, St. Augustine. Together, Pearce and Sehorn describe the purpose of Augustine’s Confessions, the relatability of this Saint, and his impact on the world in his own time and culture. Finally, they discuss what we can learn from Augustine today.



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