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Facebook: <http://www.facebook.com/john.apostle.718>Follow us on Twitter at: <https://twitter.com/JohnAChurch>Website: www.stjohnmililani.org • Email: info@stjohnmililani.org**DAILY MASS:****Monday-Saturday: 8:00am****SUNDAY MASSES:****Saturday: 5:00pm****Sundays at 7am, 9am, 11am & 6pm****RECONCILIATION:****Saturdays: 3:30pm - 4:30pm****or by appointment****RECTORY OFFICE HOURS:****Monday: 12:00pm-4:00pm****Tuesday-Friday: 8:30am-4:00pm****Saturday & Sunday – Closed**

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Trinity of Persons: Model of Communion

The Solemnity of the Holy Trinity comes on the Sunday after Pentecost. It is not by chance that the two solemnities follow each other. If you look back you realize that since Easter, we focus on the Paschal Mystery of Christ that culminates on Pentecost, the sending of the Holy Spirit. The Solemnity of the Holy Trinity helps us to affirm our central truth and faith in One God: the Father (who creates), the Son (who redeems) and the Holy Spirit (who sanctifies, unifies and reconciles). Our learning about the Trinity begins with Baptism. That is why we begin and end all our prayers, "In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit". This prayer leads us into the mystery we celebrate this Sunday, the Most Holy Trinity. One of the greetings at the beginning of each Mass is an excellent synthesis of this truth "The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you" (2 Cor. 13:13).

The Holy Trinity is not just a subject for theological speculation on the three divine persons in One God. It is not so much about the awesomeness of God, but about an awesome lover who draws us into communion with Him. The Holy Trinity is a life of communion to be lived, shared, and imitated. Therefore, we need to go beyond talking about love, communion and sharing and putting that teaching into practice by being instruments of reconciliation and compassion. That is the reason why God in creating us does not put us directly into heaven, because if He did so, we would mess life up there! Our life here on earth is a time to practice in concrete ways sharing, healing and living in communion with the people God has given us. There are three practical points on the Solemnity we celebrate this Sunday; 1) The Holy Trinity is not a subject for theological speculation but a model of life of communion in God to be lived and imitated; 2) In this sense we are challenged to be instruments of reconciliation, healing and compassion; 3) In order to be such instruments, we need to be nourished by prayer together, for example in the family, prayer groups, bible study groups or in basic Christian communities.

Msgr. John S. Mbinda
Pastor



(Andrei Rublev's icon of the Holy Trinity depicting the 3 strangers visiting Abraham – Gen 18:1-15).

VISION STATEMENT

*We are called to **develop a deeper relationship with Christ**. Such a relationship is fostered through active participation in: the Sacraments, the Word, Renewal programs, ministry/service, fellowship and other **Spirit-led** activities. We will dedicate our time, talent and treasure to install in our Parish community these basic building blocks of Christian living, to live out the **Lord's commands** and to preach the **Good News** to all through our words, deeds and lives.*

Readings for Next Sunday: June 2

Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

Readings: Gn 14:18-20; Ps 110:1,2,3,4; 1 Cor 11:23-26;
Lk 9:11-17

First Reading: Genesis 14:18-20

The three verses of this passage describe a cultic sacrifice of bread and wine by the ancient Melchizedek priest and king of Salem. Abram arrives here to offer thanksgiving to God for past blessings of victory over his enemies. He also brings his tithe to the priest. There is a rich connection here between Melchizedek's sacrifice, the Exodus sacrifice, the Last Supper and the sacrifice of Christ on the Cross. All that connection is important for our Eucharistic faith, but unfortunately cannot be developed here.

Responsorial Psalm 110:1,2,3,4

Psalm 110 is a royal song in praise of the Davidic king. It contains two prophetic visions intended for the king. The first is a directive: "the LORD said to my lord", which means that the LORD GOD said my master (the king). The scene reveals that God is the real King because the kingship of human beings is only delegated (comes from above). The second revelation is that all Davidic kings are granted a priestly status that formerly belonged to Melchizedek.

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 11:23-26

This account of the institution of the Holy Eucharist at the Last Supper draws on Christian community tradition. What Paul received, he now hands down (cf. 1 Cor 15:3). The language Paul uses confirms that he received this teaching from the existing Jesus tradition in continuity with the teaching of the apostles. The words used here are found within a precise account of Jesus' Last Supper with every detail of that scene. The ritual reenactment of this supper would be a participation in his death and a sharing in the benefits from it. In this memorial, the past, the present, and the future are brought together.

Gospel Reading: Luke 9:11-17

The Gospel passage opens with a summary on the ministry of Jesus: preaching about the Kingdom of God and healing the people of their illnesses. For that reason people throng around Jesus in a deserted place where he is teaching. This is the setting for the miracle of the multiplication of five loaves and two fish to feed five thousands. While the disciples see no possibility to feed such a crowd, Jesus tells them to have the people sit down. With five loaves and two fish (which are ancient Eucharistic symbols) Jesus took the loaves and looking up to heaven, gave thanks, broke them and gave them to the disciples to give to the people. That is the same Eucharistic language used at the Last Supper: he took, gave thanks, broke and gave the bread.

Msgr. John's Sunday homilies are available on the following updated links: Blog (text): <http://sundayhomily.com>

Podcast (audio): <http://streaminghomilies.podbean.com>

*On iTunes, under Podcast search for: **streaming homilies**, subscribe free to get the homilies weekly.*

Boohomily (audio): <http://audioboo.fm/jmbinda>

Slides: <http://www.authorstream.com/streaminghomilies>

"If our prayer is resolutely united with that of Jesus, in trust and boldness as children, we obtain all that we ask in his name, even more than any particular thing: the Holy Spirit himself, who contains all gifts."(CCC 2742)

PRAY FOR OUR MEMBERS AND FRIENDS:

Healing/Blessings: Myrtle Reponte, Arlene Estiamba, Mike Culkin, Connie Leonoras, Marcy Sagon, Luis Bongbonga, Anthony Scarpelli, Danny Uehara, Bobby Higa, Guillermo Uyttingco, Stephanie Campbell, Emily Ramiscal, Gavina Tamonte, Anunciacion Amod, Marsha Cha, Ben Regidor, Sharon Scott, Channing Fukuda, Sandy Padilla, and everyone mentioned in our Prayer Intentions Book.

Deceased: Victoria Rausa, Avelina Miranda, Irene S. L. Yuen, Juan Pillos, Joaquin Cruz Ferjarang, Danilo Lumantas, Audrey Chun Hoke, Mary Cagasan, Orlando Padilla, Dominic Oscar Corniel, Manuel Butoc, Cipriano A. P. Herrera, Sr., Marie Lourdes How Yew Kin, Juan "Johnny" Bolosan, Maryanne Craddock, Philip J. Nazareth, Jr., Jose Talon, Abraham Miram, John Molina, Fernando P. Payomo, Deocenisa Baptista, Jun Galinato, Eufasia P. Reyes, Chyrl H. Kadoyama, Marcin Bocobo, Eleanor Domingcil, James Broto Toledo, Gloria Spray, Aurelia Corpus, Arthur S. Dorado and Joy Lauriano.

Mass Intentions:

Monday, May 27, 2013

8am Mass Paul Lapa (RIP)
Annelise Rossi (Birthday Blessings)

Tuesday, May 28, 2013

8am Mass Dominic Oscar Corniel (RIP)
Everett and Ernesto Perlas, Jr.
(Birthday Blessings)

Wednesday, May 29, 2013

8am Mass Delmar and John Galicinao
(Birthday Blessings)
Dominic Oscar Corniel (RIP)

Thursday, May 30, 2013

8am Mass Dominic Oscar Corniel (RIP)
Antoinette DeNonno (RIP)

Friday, May 31, 2013

8am Mass Brigida C. Millan (RIP)
Dominic Oscar Corniel (RIP)

Saturday, June 1, 2013

8am Mass Crimson Aznar
(Blessings/Thanksgiving)
Joy Lauriano (RIP)

5pm Mass Orlando Padilla (RIP)

Sunday, June 2, 2013

7am Mass Marcie Thames (Birthday)

9am Mass For the People

11am Mass Marsalides "Lolly" Cole (RIP)

6pm Mass Prudencia and Leon Eugenio (RIP)

Parish News & Announcements

The Parish Offices will be Closed on Monday, May 27th in observance of Memorial Day.

In lieu of our regularly-scheduled First-Friday Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, **Eucharistic Adoration will begin this Saturday, JUNE 1st at 8:30am to 3:00pm, and will continue from 6:30pm to 5:00am in the chapel.** All are invited to a **Holy Hour of Eucharistic Adoration in the church from 5:00-6:00AM**, as the Holy Father Pope Francis simultaneously celebrates Eucharistic Adoration on the Feast of Corpus Christi at St. Peter's Basilica in Rome. A sign-up sheet is available near the main entrance of the church. Please join us!

A Celebration of the Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary is happening on Friday, May 31st at 7:00pm, sponsored by the St. John Prayer Groups. All are welcome.

The Outreach Office is having a SCHOOL-SUPPLY DRIVE from JUNE 1st through JULY 31st. Donations of backpacks, binders, folders, composition books, pencils, rulers, scissors and other school supplies are greatly appreciated. Supplies will be distributed to students in need from our parish community and Mililani area. Thank you for your generosity in supporting this drive. Donations may be dropped off at the Outreach Office. Please call Pearl at 623-3332 ext. 203 for more information.

A Core team to promote the Theology of the Body by John Paul II is in the process of being formed and the first meeting will be on Tuesday, June 4th at 7:00 pm. Please contact Maile Domingo if you are interested at: 222-0644.

Join us on Wednesday, June 5th at 7pm for Question and Answer (Q&A) Night, Series 7 of our "Set Your Faith Ablaze" monthly sessions. Panelists: Msgr. John Mbinda, Fr. Ronie Pillon, Deacon Wally Mitsui, Deacon Modesto Cordero and Sr. Alma Esmero will answer your questions. Any question on Catholic Doctrine, Sacraments, Theology, Vocations, Mass, Morality, Prayer, anything you may want to know about our Catholic faith... is welcomed. Simply write down your questions and drop them in the box provided near the main entrance of the church. Call 623-3332 ext. 111 or email: info@stjohnmililani.org for information.

All Youth in Grades 9-12 are invited to attend a Youth Night on Thursday, JUNE 20th at St. Joseph's Church in Waipahu. Please see Sr. Alma Esmero to register.

The Catholic Book Club will discuss its next book, *Diary of Saint Maria Faustina Kowalska Divine Mercy in My Soul* by St. Maria Faustina Kowalska, in three separate meetings beginning on Thursday, June 20th from 7-9pm in Room 6. The group will meet again on Thursday, July 18th and August 15th to continue the discussion on this incredible book, in which Saint Faustina records Jesus' messages of Mercy. Borrow or buy the book, read it and plan to join us for our book discussions. Contact Melissa Crisostomo at 626-2469 or email her at alohamc@yahoo.com for more information.

The Hui O Laulima Food Trolley will be out next weekend, June 2nd, for food collection. Please kokua. Mahalo!

Parishioners, this is your last opportunity to schedule your appointment for picture taking in the St. John's Yearbook (Picture Directory) – visit the table on the lanai after all Masses this weekend. You will receive a FREE copy of this Parish Yearbook and a FREE 8x10 portrait of your family just for participating. Please take advantage of this once-in-a-lifetime offer. This will be the last weekend to sign-up at church. Registrations online will continue at:

<https://www.securedata-trans14.com/ap/stjohnapostleevangelistcatholicchurch/index.php?page=10>

Love, Friendship, and Happiness... Join a discussion on these three ideas studied by philosophers throughout time and how they have contributed to the Christian way of life today. Led by Dr. Peter Steiger, professor of religion and philosophy, this event, for the 21+ crowd, will be held at Pearl Ultralounge at Ala Moana Center on: Sunday June 9 (Love), Sunday June 23 (Friendship), and Sunday July 7 (Happiness). Tickets are \$15 per session online at www.tot-lfh.eventbrite.com and \$20 per session at the door.

FUNERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Arthur S. Dorado (RIP)

Saturday, June 8, 2013 – Mililani Memorial Park - Mauka Chapel
5:30pm - Visitation; 6:30pm - Memorial Service

Eleanor Domingcil (RIP)

Friday, June 14, 2013 - Mililani Memorial Park (MMP)
7:00pm - Prayer Service at Mauka Chapel
Saturday, June 15, 2013 - 10:00am Burial at MMP Cemetery

Eufrasia Patsy Reyes (RIP)

Monday, June 17, 2013 – Mililani Memorial - Mauka Chapel
8:30-9:15am - Public Viewing; 9:15-10:15am - Program
10:15-10:45am - Prayer Service
11:00am - Burial at Mililani Memorial Park Cemetery

James Broto Toledo (RIP)

Wednesday, June 26, 2013 – Mililani Memorial Park
9:30am - Visitation at Mauka Chapel
10:30am - Memorial Service

Sunday Collection Report

	Actual Amount	Weekly Goal
Sunday Offering May 19, 2013	\$12,354.25	\$12,647.00
Building, Equipment Maintenance and Outreach May 19, 2013	\$1,350.00	\$1,470.00

"Honor the Lord with your wealth, with first fruits of all your produce." PROVERBS 3:9