## August 4, 2023 Feast of the Transfiguration of the Lord **Sunday Bulletin**

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"This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him." Matthew 17:5

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### Feast Day Celebration, August 5-6 weekend

On Saturday, August 5, 2023 at the 5 p.m. Mass, the youth band will serve as music ministers and beef brisket sliders, potato salad and lemon bites will be served on the Fellowship Lanai. On Sunday, August 6, 2023 after every Mass, French toast sticks, pork sausages, bananas, strawberries and cake will be served by our school's students on the Fellowship Lanai. Enjoy the company of friends and family with good food at the Hospitality Sunday and Feast Day Celebration!

#### Holy Moments Will Make You Insanely Happy

In celebration of our parish patron's feast day (August 4), we are giving away copies of Dynamic Catholic's Holy Moments book. Holy Moments will flood your life with meaning and divine purpose. They will also make you insanely happy. Moment by moment, they will turn the nagging dissatisfaction in your soul into enduring and overflowing joy. In a world full of distractions where we are encouraged to fill our lives with meaningless things and trivial activities, Holy Moments have the power to unleash the greatness of the human spirit.

#### **Eucharistic Miracles of the World**

To renew us by enkindling a living relationship with the Lord Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist, our parish's faith formation committee has made available their monthly brochure. This month features the Eucharistic Miracles Of the World. Extraordinary signs of Jesus' presence in the Eucharist have been recorded and venerated since the earliest days of the Church up to the present. Take a flyer at the back of the church or read it in the online bulletin found on the website or in MyParish App.

#### **Catholic Charities Sunday**

Our second collection this weekend will be for Catholic Charities Hawaii which has served our island community since 1947. When you give to Catholic Charities Hawaii, you are helping people in need to help themselves, regardless of their faith or culture. As part of the largest private network of social service organizations in the United States, Catholic Charities Hawaii offers much needed programs and services statewide, serving 40,000 individuals each year.

**ADORE: A night of Eucharistic Adoration for young adults on Friday, Aug 11** ADORE is an evening gathering of young adults to spend time together in prayer and contemplation, focused on deepening a relationship with Jesus Christ who is present in the Eucharist. ADORE includes exposition of the Blessed Sacrament interspersed with silence, praise, a brief talk and spiritual message, ending with fellowship and refreshments. Friday, August 11 from 6:30—8:30 p.m. at St. John Vianney Church. Young adults from all parishes ages 18 to 39 years are encouraged to attend.

#### **Prayers for Healing**

**Ruth Alves** Anna Asinsin **Edward Balderston** Jim Balderston Terry Barnaby Leatrice Battisto Hayes Beissel Sydney Bennett Clark Bernales **Robert Bernales Bimbo Family** Avarose Marie Braga Malia Braga Michelle Brown Donovan Caldeira Sheryl Caldeira Rod Castanha Paul Chinen **Carolyn Chong** Pat Drury Herman Encarnacion Jerry Gallagher John Glorioso, Jr Tom Glorioso Angeline Goh Jayla Gomes Milli Gorecki Tim Hudson Sylvia Ann Pao Kruse Tony Lambio Brian Lewis

Kathy Lewis Kailey Jong-Perez Jonathan Lewczyk Malina Lewczyk Emily Lim Kasey Lopes Elizabeth Libby Buck Marcum Gloria Malabet Sandy McAulton Juan Mendiola **Beverly Mink** Bobby Mink Hope Montalvo Christian Palacio **Jimmy Pany** Cayetana Paras Kenneth Quirin, Sr. James Reis **Bill Roman** Antonio Salcedo Par Salehi Deni Smith Bernardo Soriano John Sutton Sharon Sweat Gabrielle Taylor Terri Taylor David Téves Paulette Teves **David Thomas** 

#### **Repose of Soul**

+Francis Tolentino, Funeral Mass on Sep 15 at 10:30 a.m.

#### **Next Sunday's Readings**

1st Reading: 1 Kings 19:9a, 11-13a 2nd Reading: Romans 9:1-5 Gospel: Mattthew 14:22-33

#### **Upcoming Events**

- Sat and Sun, Aug 5 & 6, Parish Feast Day Celebration and Hospitality Sunday with refreshments after all Masses
- Fri, Aug 11, 9 a.m.-12 p.m., Senior's Bingo and potluck in the Parish Lounge. Bring bagged gift and food to share.
- Sat, Aug 12, 5 p.m. Commissioning of new altar servers at Mass
- Sun, Aug 13, 11 a.m. Commissioning of new lectors at Mass
- Thu, Aug 17, 6:30-8:30 p.m. Catholic Men's Fellowship Meeting in the parish lounge.
- Sun, Aug 20, 2 p.m. BSA Scout Mass followed by Court of Honor

Use the QR code at the entrance to the church to read the full edition of the Sunday Bulletin online or in MyParish app for more announcements.

Download the music leaflet to sing along during Mass from your smart device.



#### SCHOOL NEWS

St. John Vianney School has begun a new school year, and we wish to welcome several new teachers to our staff. Our new first grade teacher is Mrs. Kailee Alexander. Our new reading lab teacher is Mrs. Kathleen Dudevoir. Ms. Danielle Jones will teach music to Grades K-4 and band for Grades 3-8. Returning in new positions are: Mrs. Melissa Nicolas as our kindergarten teacher, Mrs. Shannon Ronald is now our Grade 6 homeroom teacher and will teach science, social studies, and religion to various upper grades, and Miss Karli-Jo Carlton will now be teaching computer to Grades K-8.

Parents are the primary educators and our entire staff joins with them in the ongoing education of their children. We focus on educating the whole child, mind, body, and most importantly spirit. Students are encouraged to become productive citizens and future leaders in our community as we prepare them for higher education.

All of us wish our parish a Happy 61st Anniversary!



#### Hiring Two Part-Time Coordinators for Religious Education

Each year, dozens of young people in our parish enter the church through the sacraments of initiation; baptism, confirmation and first communion. Developing their understanding and knowledge of church beliefs and traditions is important in these formative years for them to have a strong faith belief later in their teenage and young adult years. Our parish is seeking two coordinators to assist children and families in their formation of a Christ-centered life. Please submit applications online through the careers page of the Diocese of Honolulu's website. For more information, please contact the parish office.

#### **CATHOLIC FAITH CORNER**



#### A YEAR OF THE EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL

What St. John Vianney had to say about the Eucharist

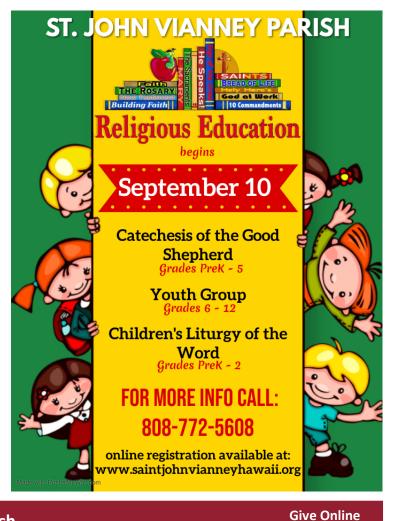
St. John Vianney is best known as the Patron Saint of Priests. He is known to have spent long hours in prayer before the Blessed Sacrament. Here are some of his quotes about the importance of the Eucharistic in our lives:

"Our Lord is hidden there in the Blessed Sacrament, waiting for us to come and visit him, and make our requests to him."

"What happiness do we not feel in the Presence of God, when we are alone at his feet... Redouble your fervor; you are alone to adore your God; His eyes rest upon you alone."

"When Our Lord sees pure souls coming to visit him in the Blessed Sacrament he smiles on them. They come with the simplicity that pleases him so much."

"When we are before the Blessed Sacrament, instead of looking about us, let us shut our eyes and open our hearts; and the good God will open his. We will go to him, and he will come to us, the one to give, and the other to receive. It will be like a breath passing from one to the other. What delight we find in forgetting ourselves that we may seek God."



#### OFFERTORY Our gifts to God to steward the Church

Week of Jul 22—28, 2023	Envelopes/Loose	Online Giving	<u>Total</u>	<u>Goal</u>	<u>% of Goal</u>	
Sunday Offertory	\$5174.00	\$2,256.00	\$7430.00	\$8763.33	85%	1 A COLOR
Repair and Maintenance	\$455.00	\$275.00	\$730.00	\$1500.00	49%	
Major Repair and Maintenance	\$604.00	\$225.00	\$829.00	\$576.92	144%	

### Transfiguration & Parish Feastday Celebration



#### GATHERING SONG

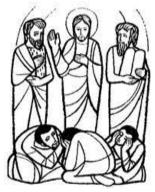
**SJV**: Saint John Vianney grace us here; Pray for us all, oh patron dear! Help us to imitate Christ's way. May all we do God's love display.

1. All people that on earth do dwell, Sing to the Lord with cheerful voice; Him serve with mirth, his praise forth tell, Come we before him and rejoice!

**2.** Know that the Lord is God indeed; Without our aid he did us make; We are his flock, he does us feed, And for his sheep he does us take.

**3.** O enter then his gates with praise, Approach with joy his courts unto; Praise, laud, and bless his name always, For it is seemly so to do.

**5h.** 1. Hoʻonani\_i ka Makua mau Ke Keiki me ka ʻUhane nō Ke Akua mau hoʻomaikaʻi pū Ko kēia ao, ko kēlā ao. ʻĀmene



Text: Psalm (99) 100; William Kethe d.ca.1593; Doxology, Thomas Ken, 1637-1711 in *Nā Hīmeni Haipule Hawai 'i* (1972) Tune: OLD HUNDREDTH, LM. Luiois Bourgeois, ca. 1510-1561.



#### GLORY TO GOD

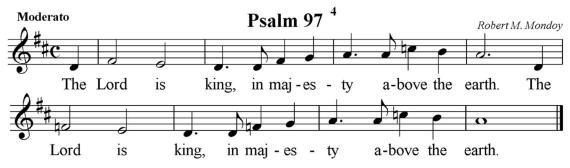
 $\sim$  Glory to | God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorifý you, we give you thanks for your great glory,

~ Lord God, | heavenly King, O God, almightý Fàther. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begòtten Son,

 $\sim$  Lord God, | Lamb of God,  $\sim$ Son of | the Father, you take áwày the sins of thé world, have mèrcy on us; you take áwày the sins of thé world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of thé Fàther, have mèrcy on us.

 $\sim$  For you |alone are the Holý Òne, you alone are thé Lòrd you alone are the Móst Hìgh, Jèsus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God thé Fàther. À-men. R. Mondoy, 2016

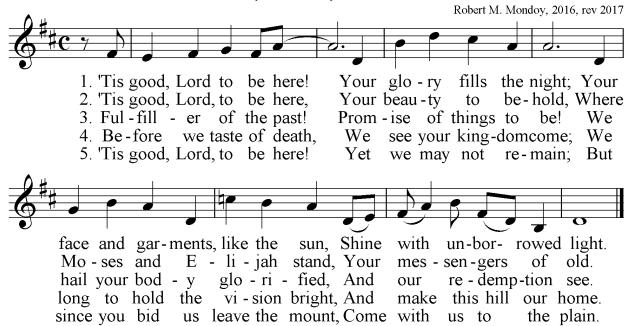
#### **Responsorial Psalm**



1. The Lord rules, the earth is eager, joy touches distant lands. God is wrapped in thunder cloud, and throned on justice, throned on right.

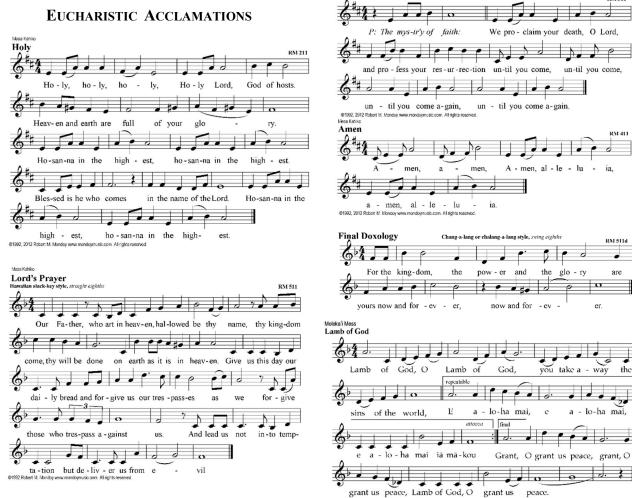
2. Mountains melt like wax before the Lord, ruler of all. Overhead God's justice resounds, a glory all people can see. 3. You, Lord, reach so high in majesty far beyond the earth. You, Lord, are exalted high, far higher than any god.

#### 'Tis Good, Lord, To Be Here



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Memorial Acclamation



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#### Please remain standing until the conclusion of the communion procession song.

**COMMUNION PROCESSION O Jesus, Joy of Loving Hearts** (*Leo: Ku'u Ipo i ka He'e Pue One) 251* **1.** O Jesus, joy of loving hearts, The fount of life and our true light; We seek the peace your love imparts, And stand rejoicing in your sight.

### (1,3,5) Sweet Lord of love, your gift impart, Oh come and dwell within our hearts. (rpt) (2,4) E mai, e ka Haku o ke aloha Noho 'oe i loko ko mākou na'au (rpt)

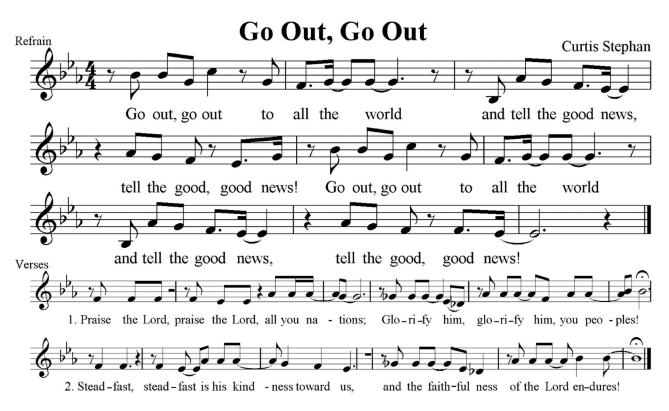
 Your truth unchanged has ever stood, You save all those who heed your call; To those who seek you, you are good, To those who find you all in all.
We taste you, Lord, our living bread, And long to feast upon you still; We drink of you, the fountainhead, Our thirsting souls to quench and fill.

**4.** For you our restless spirits yearn, Where e'er our changing lot is cast; Glad, when your presence we discern Blest, when our faith can hold you fast.

**5.** Jesus, ever with us stay, Make all our moments calm and bright; Oh, chase the night of sin away, Shed o'er the world your holy light.

Hua 'Ōlelo: Jesu, Dulcis Memoria, anon., sometimes ascribed to St. Bernard of Clairvaux (1091-1153), tr. and para. by Ray Palmer (1808-1887) in Sabbath Hymn Book, 1858, alt. Leo: Ku'u Ipo i ka He'e Pue One, Princess Miriam Likelike Cleghorn (1851-1887). This arrangement by Robert Mondoy, 1982.

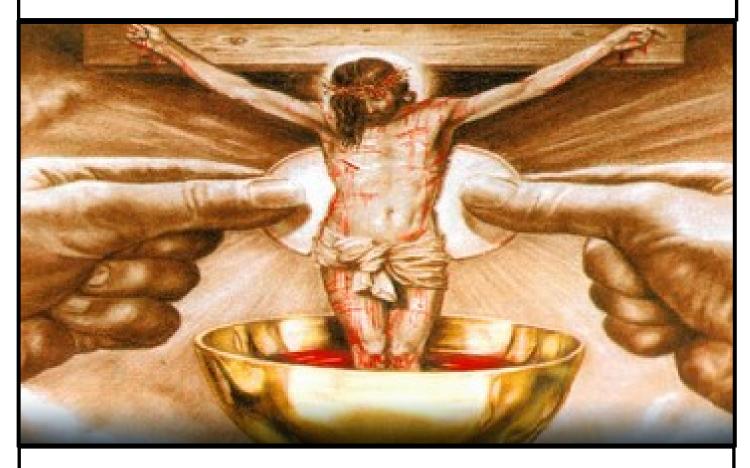
#### LEAVETAKING SONG



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## St. John Vianney Parish Presents A Eucharistic Revival

To renew us by enkindling a living relationship with the Lord Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist.



#### The Eucharistic Miracles Of the World

Extraordinary signs of Jesus' presence in the Eucharist have been recorded and venerated since the earliest days of the Church up to the present.

#### A year long focus to further educate our parish community and the Kailua community about the Real Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist

1. Around 750, the Miracle of Lanciano, Italy involved a priest who experienced doubts concerning Jesus' actual presence in the Eucharist. As he began to recite the words of consecration the wine and bread turned into real human blood and flesh. The flesh and blood remain preserved to this day in the Lanciano's Church of San Francesco.



- 2. In the year 1000 a non-Christian woman received Communion and took the consecrated Host from her mouth and placed it into a handkerchief. Wanting to learn whether or not it was just bread she put it into a heated frying pan filled with oil .Suddenly it spilled out masses of blood. The archbishop immediately ordered the return of the consecrated Host to the church. The relic of this miracle is housed in the Cathedral of Holy Mary of the Assumption in Trani, Italy.
- 3. On Easter Sunday, 1331 during Communion, the priest accidentally dropped a Host onto the cloth held under the chin of a person. When the priest tried to pick up the Host, he could not because the Host had turned into blood. This cloth is preserved today in the village of Blanot, France.
- 4. in the year 1400 during a Mass in Boxmeer, Holland the species of wine was transformed into blood and bubbled out of the chalice, splashing onto the altar cloth. As soon as the priest asked God to forgive his doubts, the blood stopped bubbling out of the chalice and coagulated into a lump the size of a walnut. Even today one can see the blood, which has not changed at all over time and is venerated to this day.
- 5. On December 8, 1991, a priest was celebrating Midnight Mass at the Shrine of Betania in Cúa, Venezuela . After the consecration the priest broke the consecrated Host into four pieces and one of the pieces began to bleed. This miraculous Host has been verified through tests that the substance is human blood type AB positive and can be seen today in the convent in Los Teques and the blood on the Host is still fresh, as it was when the miracle first occurred.
- 6. In 1996 in Buenos Aires a person receiving Communion dropped his Host. Another parishioner picked it up and gave it to the priest who placed it in a vessel with water to dissolve it. A week later the Host had not dissolved and was now showing reddish stains. A doctor, with no knowledge of its source, examined a sample and concluded it was cardiac tissue Myocardium from the left ventricle of one who could not breathe, and who labored and suffered much.
- 7. There are hundreds of other such miracles that have occurred over the centuries. These are just a few. Search the internet and read about many others.

Our Parish Faith Formation Committee encourages all parishioners to learn more about the Real Presence in the Holy Eucharist.







Dear Friends,

Peace be with you!

Jesus never experienced old age. He died at age 33. Though fully human like us, he never felt the disorientation of a fading memory, the aches and pains of arthritis, the dimming of his vision, the halting step, diminished strength, loss of hearing and stooped shoulders.

But no one had greater empathy for the widowed and infirm than Jesus. Indeed, his Jewish tradition elevated honoring father and mother to a commandment. And in fact, Jesus' very last instruction before he died, delivered from the cross, was one compelled by his concern for the elderly – his own mother. As recorded in the Gospel of John, "When Jesus saw his mother there, and the disciple whom he loved standing nearby, he said to her, 'Woman, here is your son,' and to the disciple, 'Here is your mother.'" The disciple was John.

Jesus went beyond merely asking John to "take care of" his mother. He declared them mother and son, a profound familial bond, with John taking Jesus' place as Mary's child, also suggesting that Jesus had been caring for his mother, most likely widowed by then, all along. "From that time on, this disciple took her into his home," the Gospel states.

Housing, security, protection, care, family. These also are the priorities of Catholic Charities Hawai'i in its commitment to Hawaii's seniors – our mothers, our Fathers, our grandmothers and grandfathers.

The theme for this year's Catholic Charities Sunday is "His mercy is from age to age," a truth declared by Mary in her Magnificat, and also the theme of Pope Francis' 2023 World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly.

In today's youth-oriented, ego-centric, throw-away culture, our elderly are too often dismissed, shoved aside, left alone, receiving less than adequate care, and no longer valued as contributors to society. Catholic Charities Hawai'i counters that attitude with its strong obligation to our kupuna, assisting them with housing, transportation, counseling, social activities, leisure, case management and more. But our seniors must not only be seen as recipients of services, but treasured as "teachers of tenderness," as Pope Francis put it, "so that their experience and wisdom may help young people to look toward the future with hope and responsibility."

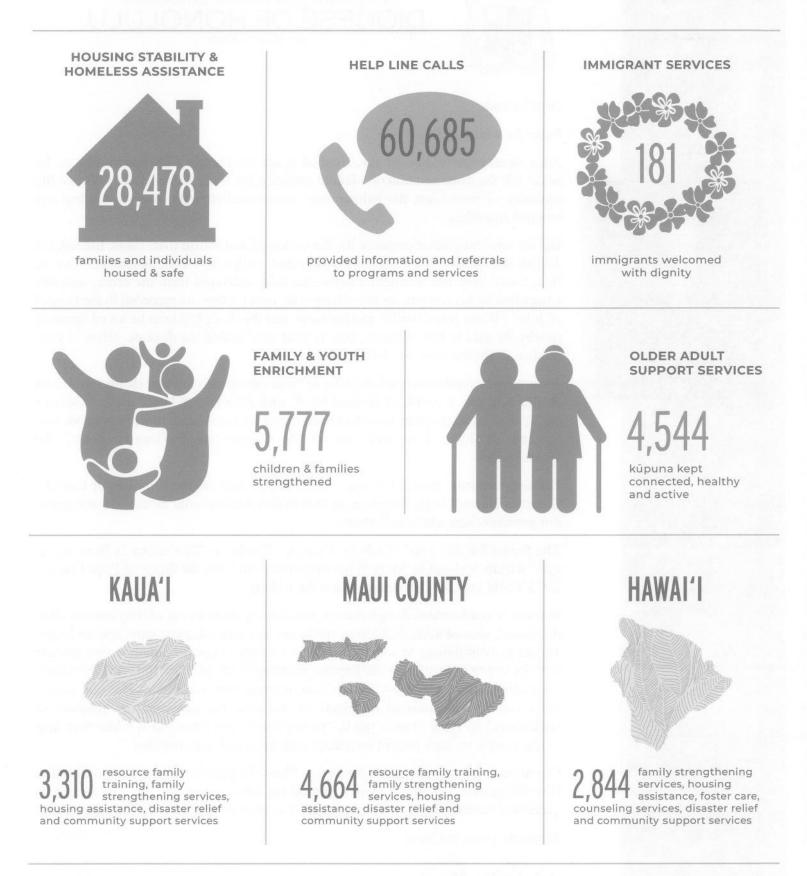
Our kupuna are precious. And deserving. Please be generous this Catholic Charities Hawai'i Sunday to support them – and all the other sisters and brothers served by Catholic Charities Hawai'i. Your wonderful support in the past is deeply appreciated!

Sincerely yours in Christ,

+ Lamy Silva

Most Reverend Larry Silva Bishop of Honolulu

## IMPACT In 2022, Catholic Charities Hawai'i touched 107,446 lives.





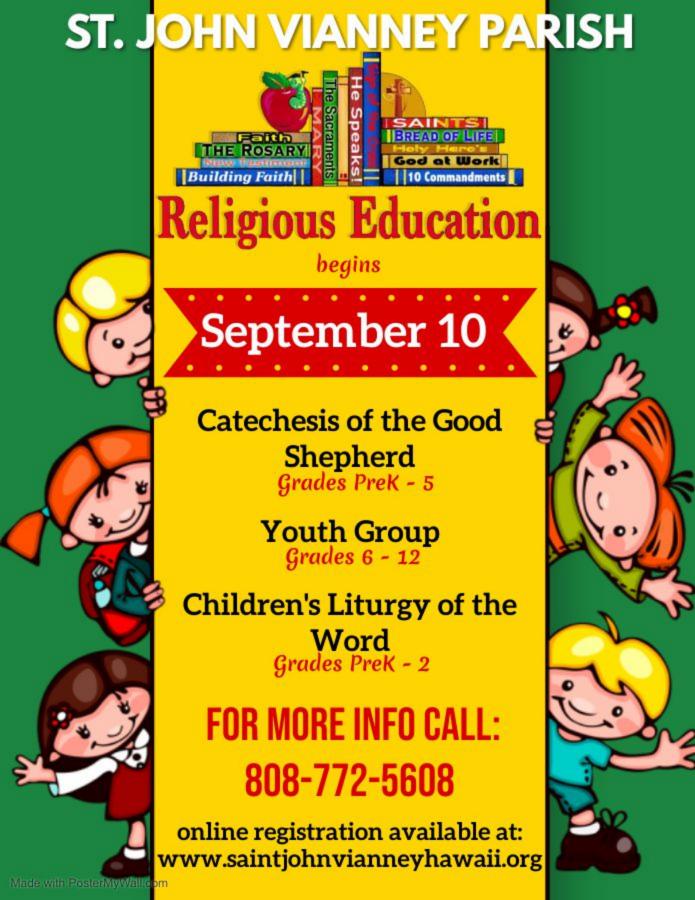
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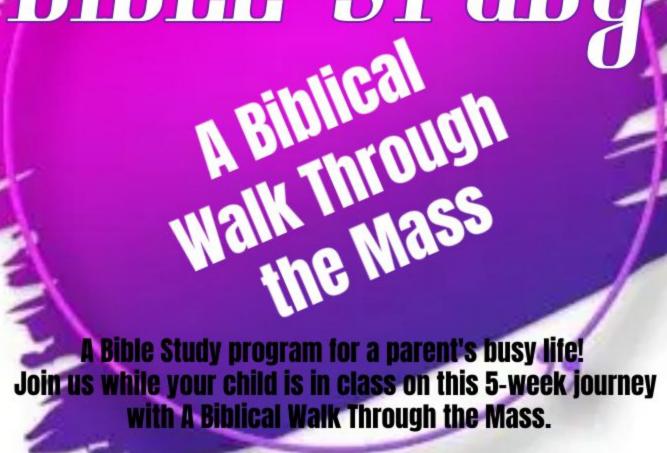
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# ST. JOHN VIANNEY PARISH YOUTH MINISTRY

## SEPTEMBER 2ND

## YOUTH LED MASS @ 5PM followed by FOOD, FUN & GAMES @ 6PM ALL YOUTH IN GRADES 6 - 12 ARE INVITED





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For more information, visit saintjohnvianneyhawaii.org or call (808) 772-5608