

February 4, 2024 Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday Bulletin

St. John Vianney Catholic Church, Kailua

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Thank You for Your Outstanding Support of Our Parish School!

Our students, teachers, and parents thank all parishioners and sponsors for attending our 13th annual Breakfast with the Bishop last Sunday, January 28, 2024. It was an awesome day with over 400 people being served a delicious buffet breakfast. Our special guest was the Most Reverend Larry Silva, Bishop of Honolulu, who spoke on the importance and value of the Catholic education we provide to children. Over \$54,000 was raised and will be used to support the school's tuition assistance programs.

Our hula halau and young musicians provided outstanding entertainment. The meal was prepared by the school's chefs, and served by the school's teachers and parents. Celebrities and special guests included Miss Hawaii Star Dahl Thurston, Chef Chai, Frank DeLima, Hoku Zuttermeister, Pete Caggianno, Robbie Magasiva, Sydney and Siena Agudong, Siena Grace Tufaga, and four cast members from NCIS Hawaii, Alex Tarrant, Tori Anderson, Jason Antoon and Seana Kofoed. Many of the celebrities also flipped pancakes.

Today is Hospitality Weekend

Stay after Mass and enjoy the company of our Christian community. Refreshments will be served on the Fellowship Lanai after all Masses this weekend. Meet couples from Worldwide Marriage Encounter. They will have a brief announcement before Mass and will be on the lanai with information about upcoming weekend experiences.

Come One! Come all! To the Mardi Gras!

Our celebration of the Carnival of New Orleans featuring Louisiana food, live entertainment, grand parade and giant balloon drop will be held on Saturday, February 10 at 6 p.m. in the parish hall. Tickets are on sale today after all Masses and in the parish office. Adults \$10 and Students \$5. Invite some friends and plan to attend our most popular parish social event of the year.

Return Last Year's Blessed Palms to the Baskets at the Doors of the Church

Please return last year's blessed palms from Palm Sunday so they may be burned for ashes for this year's Ash Wednesday liturgies. You may place them in the baskets in church. The 2024 Diocese of Honolulu's Lenten Regulations are posted in our online bulletins and on the website.

Mahalo for giving to the Latin America, Black, and Indian Missions

Thank you for your generous support for last week's Collection for the Church in Latin America and the Black & Indian Missions. As a parish, we help share the faith with our brothers and sisters for these two organizations, so they in turn can share the Good News in their communities. If you missed the collection, it's not too late to give! Visit these sites or give through the parish's online offertory special collections.

www.usccb.org/latin-america and www.blackandindianmission.org/donate

Prayers for Healing

Ruth Alves	Brian Lewis
Anna Asinsin	Emily Lim
Edward Balderston	Kasey Lopes
Jim Balderston	Mike Lauriano
Terry Barnaby	Sylvia Manlutac
Clark Bernales	Ruford Marcum
Robert Bernales	Mary Matos
Michelle Brown	Sandy McAulton
Donovan Caldeira	Gloria Medeiros
Sheryl Caldeira	Jack Miller
Rod Castanha	Beverly Mink
Carolyn Chong	Bobby Mink
Glenn Chong	Linda Morgan
Kathy Dean	Audrey Motonaga
John Dixon	Hope Montalvo
Pat Drury	Jennifer Ann Ng
Hamilton Durante	Sharon Nisbet-Jones
Sharon Elwell	Mary Odom
John Glorioso, Jr	Stephanie Pahia
Tom Glorioso	Cayetana Paras
Angeline Goh	James Reis
Jayla Gomes	Jean Rich
Dan Gorecki	Bill Roman
Milli Gorecki	Antonio Salcedo
Tim Hudson	Par Salehi
Kailey Jong-Perez	Deni Smith
Sylvia Ann Pao Kruse	Bernardo Soriano
Bruce Kumashiro	John Sutton
Charlien Kumashiro	Erin Tagupa
Tony Lambio	Loriann Tavares
Hayden Lau	Christine Taylor
Myngoc Le	Gabrielle Taylor
Margaret S. Lee	Terri Taylor

Repose of Soul

+Ramona Souza, Funeral Mass on Saturday, Feb. 24, 2024 at 11 a.m.
+Christa Obara, Funeral Mass on March 9, 2024 at 12 p.m.
+Charles Volhein, Funeral Prayer Service on April 12 at 6 p.m.

Next Sunday's Readings

1st Reading: Leviticus 13:1-2, 44-46
2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 10:31-11:1
Gospel: Mark 1:40-45

Upcoming Events

- Fri, Feb 9, 9 a.m.-12 p.m., Senior Bingo and Potluck. Bring a bagged gift.
- Sat, Feb 10, Catholic Men's Fellowship Mass at 8 a.m. followed by breakfast
- Wed, Feb 14 is Ash Wednesday 6 a.m. Prayer Service with distribution of Ashes
Masses at 8 a.m. and 7 p.m. with distribution of Ashes
- Fri, Feb 17, 7 p.m. Stations of the Cross

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.





NATIONAL Eucharistic Revival

YEAR OF PARISH REVIVAL | June 11, 2023 – July 17, 2024

Read about Eucharistic miracles on the poster in the church's adoration chapel.

Be There When God MOVES

Come in faith. Leave with hope.

Join thousands of fellow Catholics in five days of prayer that will ignite your desire for transformation and instill a vision for the healing grace God wants to unleash in our world. God hears our prayers for the renewal of our Church. He will answer them through a life-changing transformation of our own hearts.

The National Eucharistic Congress is an invitation to experience profound personal revival so we can be sent out to share Christ's love with a world that so desperately needs it. Whether you can come for one day or all five, join us for this generational moment. Register for the National Eucharistic Revival Conference in Indianapolis from July 17-21, 2024. Y

You can learn more about the conference by going to their website at www.eucharisticrevival.org. The Diocese of Honolulu purchased tickets for this event. If you or your group would like to get tickets please email euchcongress2024@rcchawaii.org.



Charlie Ogden and Mike Wong were commissioned to proclaim God's Word at weekday Masses by Fr. Vincent Vu.

KOOLAU CATHOLIC MEN'S FELLOWSHIP PRAYER BREAKFAST

All men are invited to meet on Saturday, February 10 at 8 a.m. Mass with Fr. Arrion Rosales-Lantos followed by breakfast in the parish lounge hosted by the Sodality. The guest speaker will be Kainoa Fukumoto.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

In the Gospel today, we find that Jesus would rise very early before dawn and go to a deserted place to pray and then he went out to preach and to heal. Please pray for the poor and suffering, knowing that you are bringing the love and peace of Jesus to those who live in fear and doubt, loneliness and dread.

CATHOLIC FAITH CORNER

A YEAR OF EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL



The Liturgy of the Eucharist & the Concluding Rites

This month, after taking a closer look at the Introductory Rites and the Liturgy of the Word, we will begin to look at the third part of the Mass known as the Liturgy of the Eucharist and the Concluding Rites.

At the Last Supper, taking the bread and wine Jesus said: "This is my Body" and "This is my Blood." At Mass, Christ is present through the priest "in Persona Christi." In celebrating the Mass, the priest takes bread & wine, gives thanks and says the same words of Christ. We believe that through this action and the action of the Holy Spirit, bread & wine become Body & Blood of Christ that we share.

PREPARATION OF THE GIFTS: The preparation of the gifts serves a twofold purpose. First, the gifts of bread and wine are prepared for their consecration at the Eucharistic prayer. Second, the priest and the people are prepared to take part in the Eucharistic prayer. The prayer said over the bread and the wine comes from the Jewish tradition of the Berakah prayer - "Blessed are you, O Lord". These prayers that give thanks for the bread and wine are still said as part of the Jewish Friday night Sabbath meal blessing. In this prayer, the priest gives thanks for the gifts of bread and wine, recalling that these gifts will soon become the Body and Blood of Christ.

Mixture of Water and Wine: The priest mixes a little bit of water into the wine. This gesture has a spiritual significance. These words are said: "By the mystery of this water and wine, may we come to share in the divinity of Christ (wine), who humbled himself to share in our humanity (water)." We pray that just as the water and wine become one, that we may also become one with Christ.

Priest Washing of Hands: The priest washes his hands. While this originally served as a practical cleansing, the priest also prays silently a prayer for spiritual cleanliness, "Lord, wash away my iniquity; cleanse me from my sin."

SODALITY OF OUR BLESSED LADY HOSTS BRUNCH TEA

Every Catholic woman of St. John Vianney Parish is invited to a brunch tea on Saturday, February 18th to learn more about the association's work and devotions. Meet in the parish lounge after morning Mass and prayers. The Sodality promotes a deeper love and service to Almighty God and to the Blessed Mother, and assists in parish educational and social projects.

TRANSPORTATION FRIENDS FOR KUPUNA PROJECT

Are you

- 60 years old or older
- lives independently on Oahu
- needs transportation and/or chaperone assistance?

Catholic Charities Hawaii's volunteer drivers and chaperones in the Transportation Friends for Kupuna Project are ready to assist you. Call Catholic Charities Hawaii Senior Help Line at 808-527-4777.

OFFERTORY Our gifts to God to steward the Church

Week of Jan. 13—19, 2024	<u>Envelopes/Loose</u>	<u>Online Giving</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Goal</u>	<u>% of Goal</u>
Sunday Offertory	\$4,606.00	\$3,903.00	\$8,509.00	\$8,763.33	97.10%
Repair and Maintenance	\$927.00	\$345.00	\$1,272.00	\$1,500.00	84.80%
Major Repair and Maintenance	\$410.00	\$115.00	\$525.00	\$576.92	91.00%

Give Online



**St. John Vianney Parish
Presents
The 2nd Year of Eucharistic Revival
The Year of Parish Revival**



**Participate in
The Liturgy of the Eucharist
and the Concluding Rites**

Active partaking in these parts of the Mass
allows each of us to receive Jesus
into our body and soul.

***"Upon receiving Holy Communion,
the Adorable Blood of Jesus Christ
really flows in our veins and
His Flesh is really blended with ours."
St. John Vianney***

The Year of Parish Revival

The Liturgy of the Eucharist and the Concluding Rite

- The Liturgy begins when the servers and deacon prepare the table as attendees bring the bread, wine and gifts down the center aisle to the priest who takes them to the altar.
- The priest adds a drop of water to the wine, so that as they become one, we also may become one with Christ.
- People stand for the great prayer which asks us to “lift up our hearts” to the Lord, and be spiritually involved. Then, we all pray “with the angels and saints,” as the congregation sings the Sanctus, the “Holy, Holy, Holy,” taken from Isaiah 6:2-3 and Revelation 4:8.
- We then **kneel** as a posture of adoration and deep reverence, and to be focused on the action taking place. The priest extending his hands over the bread and wine, asks God the Father to send down the Holy Spirit and make them holy.
- The priest recalls the words of Christ at the Last Supper, the first Mass, with “This is My Body.” At completion, the church fulfills Jesus’ command to “do this in memory of me.” We proclaim the mystery of faith.
- The priest recalls the suffering, death, and resurrection of Jesus. Then prays for our church leaders, for peace and for our needs. Saints are remembered, those who have died, and those in need. We confirm these with “Amen.”
- We stand and say the Lord’s Prayer in the words of Jesus. Afterwards, the priest pronounces “Peace be With You.” And we reply “and with your spirit”. We are then asked to give a sign of peace to those around us.
- The priest raises the Host and Chalice and says, “This is the Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world. Happy are we who have been called to His supper!” (This statement quotes John the Baptist’s first sighting of Jesus).
- We respond with the words of the Roman centurion who said to Jesus “Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter my house, but only say the words....”
- We journey forward to receive the body and blood of Christ, and acknowledge them by proclaiming AMEN. The congregation usually sings a Psalm, then we return to our seats and spend time in prayer, before the Concluding Rite.
- After Communion, leave a time of silence so that you can take advantage of those moments of intimacy with the Lord.
- The priest says “Let us pray” and the congregation stands for a final blessing, which is always Trinitarian: "May almighty God bless you, the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit." As at the beginning all in the church trace the sign of the cross across their body.
- Then we hear the words from either the priest or the deacon “Go, in peace, the Mass has ended.” We answer, “Thanks be to God.”
- The word "Mass" comes from the Latin word, "*Missa*." At one time, the people were dismissed with the words "*Ite, missa est*" (literally meaning "Go, you, the Church—has been sent").

Ko'olau Catholic Men's Fellowship



Fishers of Men

Matthew 4:19

Men's Fellowship Breakfast
Saturday February 10, 2024

St. John Vianney Church
Kailua

8:00am Mass

Celebrant: Father Arrion Rosales-Llantos

Father Arrion is the Chaplain for the Hawaii Catholic Men's Fellowship

*Breakfast to follow after the Mass.
\$10 donation*

INVITE A FRIEND

Guest Speaker:
Kainoa Fukumoto

Come and hear Kainoa's powerful testimony of how the Lord brought healing to his wife and family. Kainoa is also an accomplished pianist.

"Commit everything you do to the Lord. Trust Him. And He will help you" Psalm 37:5

**Come one ! Come All !
To The**

Mardi Gras!

The Carnival of New Orleans



Louisiane Dinner !

Grand Parade !

Live Entertainment !

Giant Balloon Drop !

Saturday, February 10, 2024

6:00 PM

St. John Vianney Parish Hall

dinner tickets on sale after all Masses and in the Parish office

Adults \$10.00

Students \$5.00

**Come One! Come All! To The Mardi Gras!
Saturday, February 10th at 6:00 PM
in the Parish Hall.**

You and your family are invited
to St. John Vianney's Mardi Gras Celebration.
Join the festivities as we bring you the Carnival of New Orleans

St. John Vianney Parish Hall will be transformed into a street in the famous French Quarter of New Orleans, complete with three sidewalk cafes. Revelers can choose to watch all the festivities from Café Du Monde, Brennan's or Antoine's restaurants. Each will have a stage where various performers will entertain you with their talents. Genuine, delicious, mouth-watering, French-Louisiana food will be served at Café Louisiane and thirst quenching drinks will be available at Pat O'Brien's pub. Activities for the young (and the young at heart) will include face painting, magical tricks, street dancing and live entertainment.

The evening will culminate with the Mardi Gras Parade of Celebrities. Festive marchers will snake their way throughout the hall to the tune of "When the Saints Go Marching In!" Attractive participants will parade throughout the hall to the cheering crowds along the route.

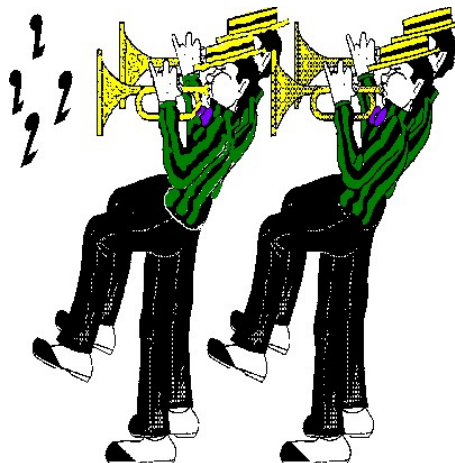
The parade ends underneath the anticipated, gigantic balloon drop, filled with hundreds of green, gold and purple balloons. (green represents faith, gold represents power and purple represents justice). The crowd will cheer as the balloons and confetti drop upon their uplifted heads. The band will continue to play for those who wish to dance in the street.

"Mardi Gras" is French for "Fat Tuesday," also called Shrove Tuesday. Mardi Gras traditionally is the last opportunity for merrymaking and indulgence in food and drink before the fasting of Lent. The season of Mardi Gras is the entire period between Epiphany & Ash Wednesday.

Tickets are on sale after all Sunday Masses and also in the Parish office. Adult tickets are \$10.00 and Student tickets are just \$5.00! Everyone who attends will receive a free mask, while colorful, attractive beads, festive hats, feather masks and other Mardi Gras items may be purchased for a small fee.

As they say in the French Quarter "Laissez les bons temps rouler!" Let the Good Times Roll!

**See you there,
Saturday, February 10, 2024**





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

Memorandum

TO: All Clergy, Religious Orders, Catholic Schools & Parishes

FROM: Rev. Alfred Omar Guerrero, Director of the Office of Worship

DATE: January 16, 2024

RE: **Diocese of Honolulu 2024 Lenten Regulations (Updated 1/16/2024)**

FASTING

- ❖ In the dioceses in the United States, Catholics aged 18 through 59 are bound to fast on both Ash Wednesday (**February 14, 2024**) and Good Friday (**March 29, 2024**).
- ❖ To *fast* means to consume one full meal a day at most, although taking of other, smaller quantities of food at the other customary mealtimes is permitted. Food and drink between meals (excepting water and medicine) is not permitted on days of fasting.

ABSTINENCE FROM MEAT

- ❖ Catholics aged 14 and up are to abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday, all Fridays of Lent, and Good Friday.
- ❖ To abstain means refraining from eating beef, veal, pork, or poultry at least, although eggs and milk products are acceptable. The consumption of fish and shellfish is permitted, though the penitential character of the abstinence should be kept in mind.

EASTER DUTY

- ❖ All the faithful, after they have been initiated into the Most Holy Eucharist, are bound by the obligation of receiving Communion at least once a year. This precept is to be fulfilled during the Easter Season unless it is fulfilled, for a just cause, at some other time during the year. This period is extended to include all the weeks of Lent and the Easter Season up to Trinity Sunday (**May 26, 2024**).

LENTEN PRACTICES

- ❖ The faithful are encouraged during Lent to attend daily Mass, receive Holy Communion, participate in penance services, and receive sacramental absolution; to take part in public and private exercises of piety, give generously to works of religion and charity, perform acts of kindness toward the sick, aged, and the poor; to practice voluntary self-denial, especially

regarding food, drink, and worldly amusements; and to pray more fervently, particularly for the intentions of the Holy Father.

- ❖ Ash Wednesday, the first day of Lent, falls this year on **February 14th**. Ashes are to be blessed as a sign of our entry into a season of conversion, repentance, and reconciliation. Ashes are to be blessed by a bishop, priest, or deacon. Others may be associated with the clergy in the distribution of ashes.
- ❖ Funeral Masses may not be celebrated on Holy Thursday, Good Friday, or Holy Saturday, nor on the Sundays of Lent. When pastoral reasons require that a funeral be celebrated on these days, only a Funeral Outside of Mass may be held.
- ❖ To afford the faithful opportunities to participate in Lenten prayer services, pastors are encouraged to have such prayer services at least twice a week, including the Way of the Cross on Fridays, Exposition and Benediction, Evening Prayer, and evening Masses. A homily or instruction should be included.

BLESSING OF THE OILS AND CONSECRATION OF THE CHRISM

- ❖ In order to allow participation of Catholics throughout the islands, the Sacred Oils will be blessed during the Chrism Mass to be celebrated in several locations. All are encouraged to join in one of the following celebrations:
 - a. Kauai: **Tuesday, March 5th at 6:00p.m., St. Raphael Church, Koloa.**
 - b. Maui-Lanai: **Thursday, March 14th at 7 p.m., Holy Rosary Church, Paia.**
 - c. Big Island: **Thursday, March 21st at 5:30 p.m., St. Joseph Church, Hilo.**
 - d. Oahu-Molokai: **Tuesday, March 26th at 7 p.m., Co-Cathedral of St. Theresa, Honolulu.**

THE SACRED PASCHAL TRIDUUM

“Since Christ accomplished his work of human redemption and of the perfect glorification of God principally through his Paschal Mystery, in which by dying he has destroyed our death, and by rising restored our life, the sacred Paschal Triduum of the Passion and Resurrection of the Lord shines forth as the high point of the entire liturgical year” (*Universal Norms on the Liturgical Year and the Calendar, #18*). Three major liturgical principles may be of help here:

- a. The Triduum may be viewed a single liturgical action that occurs over a period of three days.
- b. The Triduum is not part of Lent, but in its entirety, celebrates the Easter event.
- c. The entire focus of the Triduum is on the Triumph of the Cross and the Resurrection.

NOTE: The above directives should be published in parish bulletins for the benefit of the faithful, adding any specific parish or vicariate events. What follows pertains only to clergy and liturgy planners and need not be published for parishioners.



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In English: Live your best life in love

April 12-14, 2024

St. Anthony Retreat Center - Kalihi Valley

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May 3-5, 2024

St. Anthony Retreat Center - Kalihi Valley

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