



"TO LIVE OUR BAPTISMAL PROMISES BY LIVING OUR FAITH THROUGH PRAYER, SERVICE AND GENEROSITY."



*St. Michael Parish
with the Mission of Sts. Peter and Paul
and St. Michael School*

Mass Schedule

[Mass Reservations online or by Phone]

St. Michael Church

Monday

Communion Prayer Service 7:00am

Tuesday - Saturday - 7:00am

Saturday Vigil Mass - 5:00pm

Sunday - 7:00am & 11:00am

(Virtual via Facebook - 11:00am)

Sts. Peter and Paul Mission

Sunday - 9:00am

Reconciliation at St. Michael

Saturdays - 4:00pm - 4:30pm

Or call for appointment

Morning Prayers (St. Michael)

Tuesday—Friday

(Lauds – Morning Prayer) – 6:35am

Parish Office

Tuesday—Friday - 9:00am - 3:00pm

Closed on Holidays

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St. Michael School

Monday – Friday - 8:00am - 3:00pm

Closed on School Holidays

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Ready the Soul

By: Joshua Kapika

Today as we gather on this Second Sunday of Advent we hear of the depiction of John the Baptist. A man clothed in camel skin who eats locust and wild honey all while preaching a baptism of repentance.

John played an important role in God's plan of salvation. Like many prophets before him, John was sent to call on God's people to repent, but more importantly he was sent to prepare the way for the Lord.

As I shared in last weeks reflection. The season of Advent is about preparing our hearts and souls for God. We take these four weeks to truly make ourselves ready for Jesus' coming both in remembrance of his birth and his second coming at the end of time.

It is important that we take this time over the next couple weeks to truly seek Christ and examine our hearts and souls to be sure it is truly ready for the coming of the Lord.

Where we were warned last week that we might miss the train we are reminded this week of the importance of preparing the way. John the Baptist knew the importance of repentance. He knew

that an unclean heart and soul would not be ready to receive Christ when he comes. John knew that God's people were hard and stubborn and were in need of a wake up call.

We are no different today than our brothers and sisters in John's time. We are still hard head and stubborn. We often put ourselves before others and sometimes even our desires before Christ.

We cannot let this season of repentance and preparation pass us by. Let us not be found unready for Christ return. Instead let us ready our hearts and souls for Christ. Let us wash away the obstacles that stand in the way truly living a Christian life.



2ND SUNDAY OF *Advent*

St. Michael Parish Advent and Christmas Schedule

Immaculate Conception

Tuesday, December 8, 2020

5:30p: Rosary - 6:00p: Mass

Missa De Gallo

Wednesday, Dec 16 - Thursday, Dec 24

5:00a

Christmas Eve Masses

Thursday, December 24, 2020

Mission of Sts. Peter & Paul - 5:00pm

St. Michael Church - 7:00p & 9:00p

Christmas Day Masses

Friday, December 25, 2020

St. Michael MIDNIGHT MASS - 12:00a

St. Michael Christmas Day - 7:00a

Mission of Sts. Peter & Paul - 9:00a

PARISH EVENTS

Sunday, December 6

11:00a Live- Streamed Mass

Monday, December 7

(OFFICE CLOSED)

6:35a Morning Prayer

7:00a Communion Prayer Service

7:00p EPIC Virtual Via Zoom

Tuesday, December 8

Feast of the Immaculate Conception

NO 7:00am Mass

5:30p Rosary @SMC

6:00p Immaculate Conception Mass

Wednesday, December 9

6:35a Morning Prayer

7:00a Daily Mass

Thursday, December 10

6:35a Morning Prayer

7:00a Daily Mass

Friday, December 11

6:35a Morning Prayer

7:00a Daily Mass

Saturday, December 12

7:00a Daily Mass

9:00a KofC Church Decorating

SEE SCHEDULE FOR SUNDAY MASS TIMES

Extension of Dispensation from Mass Obligation

"I am hereby extending that dispensation from the obligation to attend Mass on Sundays and holy days of obligation through December 31, 2020. As I do so, however, I urge everyone who is able to return to Mass, without undue risks to their health or the health of others, to do so." -

Bishop Larry Silva

Parish Registration

If you are interested in registering or would like more information, please contact the parish office or visit our website.

Sacrament of Baptism

Preparation is required. Please call the parish office to attend a class.

Funerals

It is customary to contact the parish office **before making arrangements with the mortuary.**

Final arrangements are made with the cooperation of the mortuary and priest.

Marriage

Must contact the parish office at least six months prior to the wedding date.

Blessings & Anointing of the Sick

Call parish office for appointments.

Outreach (Food Pantry)

Mondays 8:30 am - 11:00 am

Holidays.....Closed

PARISH ADMINISTRATOR

Father Ernesto A. Juarez, Jr.

Pastoral Associate

Mr. Joshua Kapika

School Principal

Mr. Kainoa Fukumoto

Facilities Scheduling

Rental of Saint Damien Hall and/or use of equipment must be scheduled with the Parish Office and necessary forms must be filled out.

REMINDER: Mass intention requests must be submitted to the church office by Thursday morning to be included in the Daily, Saturday or Sunday Prayer of the Faithful.

REMINDER: Articles to be printed in the church bulletin must be submitted to the parish office by Monday afternoon.

ON-LINE GIVING

www.stsmichaelpeterpaul.org

Click on GENEROSITY

Make a sure donation via
electronic check or debit/credit
using the form.

St. Michael COVID-19 Response Guidelines

St. Michael Parish since the outbreak of the pandemic in Hawaii has been dedicated to ensuring the safety of all its parishioners and the greater North Shore community. We continue this commitment by following the guidelines set forth by our Diocese, State and County Officials and the CDC.

The celebration of public mass has been permitted under strict safety guidelines. The following are the guidelines created by our parish for our unique situation.

- ◆ The obligation to attend mass on Sunday continues to be dispensed through October 31, 2020
- ◆ Live-stream mass at 11:00am via Facebook live and our parish website will continue to be available for those who wish to attend mass virtually.
- ◆ In order to ensure safe physical distancing we have limited the number of attendees to each mass. St. Michael Church is limited to 64 parishioners per mass and the Mission of Sts. Peter and Paul is limited to 40.
- ◆ Parishioners should visit eventbrite.com or our parish website to reserve your seat. Those who are unable may call the parish rectory office.
- ◆ Face masks are required throughout the duration of mass.
- ◆ We ask that all who attend mass wash their hands before entering. Two wash stations are available near the church for your convenience.
- ◆ We also encourage everyone to sanitize their hands as often as possible especially before and after receiving communion.
- ◆ Please refrain from gathering before or after mass.
- ◆ When sharing the sign of peace do so by a simple nod of the head or by a wave.
- ◆ For the distribution of Communion please remain in your pews. The Ministers for communion will bring communion to your pews.
- ◆ When the minister approaches your pew hold your hand one on top of the other with your palm flat.
- ◆ After receiving it in your hand you may remove your mask and take communion. **DO NOT REMOVE MASK** until after you have received communion in the hand. Please put your mask on after consuming.
- ◆ At the conclusion of mass please remain in your seat until an usher has dismissed you.

Let us worship together safely as we continually pray for an end to this pandemic.



STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE - 2020

GENERAL OPERATING FUND	
July 1, 2020 to June 30, 2021	\$240,000.00
Weekly Goal	\$5,000.00
<u>COLLECTIONS Nov. 21 & 22</u>	<u>\$4,685.00</u>
Sunday Collection Envelopes	\$2,564.00
Sunday Collection Loose	\$501.00
Online Giving	\$1,620.00
Number of Envelopes Received	85
Thanksgiving	\$2,064.00

MANY BLESSINGS TO ALL WHO GIVE!

*Come, Lord Jesus. Come and visit your people.
We await your coming. Come, O Lord.*



Prayer for the Second Week of Advent

“Lord, I place my trust in your promise. Please, Lord, rouse your power and come into this place in my life, this relationship, into this deep self-defeating pattern. Please come here and save me.”



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Council 16741 Keep
Christ in Christmas
Campaign

REQUEST FOR PRAYERS

Sick: Helen Abanes, Alan & Georgia Ann Abear, Glenda Aggasid, Oscar Agtina, Francisca Cabico, Aaron & Kekoa & Robert Bolosan, Carey Ibrao Burke, Anthony Cadiz, Petra Casimero, Jackie & Ronald Claunan, Charmaine Cuelho, Ferdinand Dela Cruz, Norma Dela Pena, Francesca de Vera, Henry Devincent, Larry Dixon, Federico Dicion, Janice Eldredge, Marina Erice, Remy Erroc, J. B. Excelcious, Andrea Fiegel, Jocelyn Balmoja Fukushima, Felix Galicinao, Joe Grilho, Julia Redira Haehn, Raynette Hamamoto, Caroline Kahawaii, Daniel Kapika, Catherine Kula, Rosanda Lani, Juanita Manuel, Florence Marcos, Priscilla Robello Meek, Margarita Meneses, Lily Mito, Consorcia Morales, Roxanne Sumile Munoz, Kloe Nakai, Dennis Nolan, Maile Orsino, Shelby Otto, Ethan & Lois Pacolba, Alton Pao, Douglas Parrish, Mary Pascual, Joe PeBenito, Bonifacio & Rosario Pedro, Michael Pond Sr., Joan Pujol, Estela Ramiscal, Severo Raymundo, Patricia Reynolds, Chris Rolluda, Liam Sagucio, Bonnie Sales, Richard Sarno, Kathleen Smith, Sheri Sumida, James Jr. & Joe Sumile, Paige Tabladillo, Tracy Walker, Kalei & Shannon Warfield, June Teixeira, Beatrice Vierra, Carrie Ann & Malia Yamanouchi, Melveen Yoshihara

Death:

BLESSING BAG HOMELESS DRIVE

Help us bring some positive cheer to those who are in need. Please consider donating items that can be placed in a "Blessing Bag" that we will be distributing to the homeless communities on the North Shore.

Accepting donations Now through Tuesday, December 15th

Donations may be dropped off Monday-Friday 8:00am -12:00 pm
St. Michael's Outreach Program 67-390 Goodale Ave, Waialua, HI 96791

Drop off donation on Saturday, December 12th at Alii Beach Park, Haleiwa, HI
8:30am to 12:30pm – Look for the white tent next to the Boat Harbor Road Side
Please wear a mask. Social Distance guidelines will be in place.

For contactless donations-Please call or text Ali'i @ 808-354-6814.
He will meet you at a convenient location and you may place your donation in the back of his truck.

ITEMS NEEDED FOR THE BLESSING BAG

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Deodorant | <input type="checkbox"/> Scarf/Gloves | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Toothpaste | <input type="checkbox"/> Socks | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Toothbrush | <input type="checkbox"/> Hand Sanitizer | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Shampoo/Conditioner | <input type="checkbox"/> Face Masks | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Soap | <input type="checkbox"/> Small First Aid Kit | <input type="checkbox"/> Umbrellas |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lotion | <input type="checkbox"/> Lightweight Snacks
(trail mixes, granola bars, dried fruits, crackers) | <input type="checkbox"/> Windbreakers |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Comb | <input type="checkbox"/> Mints/Gums | <input type="checkbox"/> Blankets |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Razor | <input type="checkbox"/> Bottle of Water | <input type="checkbox"/> Camping Items |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chapstick | <input type="checkbox"/> Word Search/Sudoku/Crosswords Book | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hat | <input type="checkbox"/> Local Resources Guide | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Towel | <input type="checkbox"/> Words of Encouragment | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hand Wipes or Baby Wipes | <input type="checkbox"/> Small \$ Gift Cards
(to easily accessible restaurants or superstores) | |

**Blessing Bags
will be
distributed on
Sunday,
December 20th**

