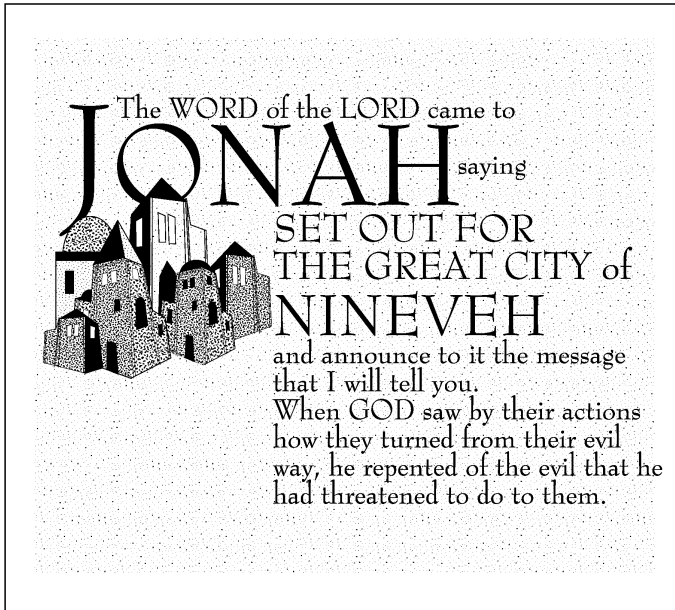


**Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**January 25, 2015**



**Reflection on the Scriptures**

When a fish is caught and taken out of the water, it dies. The former watery world that it knew "is passing away" (1 Cor 7:31). Similarly, everything changes when we enter into the kingdom of God. Living in God's kingdom is as different from our pre-Christian life as it is for that fish trying to live on land. Lifestyles that worked underwater no longer work in fresh air. In order for the fish to live on land, it literally has to die to its old life. The fish would need to die and receive a new nature to be able to live on land.

So it is with us human beings. To live in the kingdom of God, we die to our old nature in Baptism and become "sharers of the divine nature" (2 Pt 1:4) when we rise from the waters of Baptism. Now our old lifestyle won't work. Once we begin living the new, baptized life in Christ, we can no longer live the lifestyle we had before Christ. We have to put away the things we used to do before we gave ourselves to Jesus. We can no longer live as do the nonbelievers (1 Pt 4:2-3). We die to ourselves, pick up our cross each day, follow Jesus, and live the new lifestyle that befits a member of the household of God (1 Tm 3:15).

Are you struggling to live a godly life? Are you having a hard time breathing the risen air? Maybe you're not dead yet. Ask Jesus to crucify your old nature (Gal 6:14-15) and raise you up to life to the full (Jn 10:10).

*Excerpted from Laudate/PresentationMinistries.com*

**Next Sunday's Readings**

**Fourth Sunday of Ordinary Time**

First Reading: Deuteronomy 18:15-20  
 Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 95:1-2, 6-7, 7-9  
 Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 7:32-35  
 Holy Gospel: Mark 1:21-28

**This Week's Mass Intentions**

Saturday, 5:15 pm	Ashley Nawahine, Health
Sunday – 7:30 am	
9:30 am	Pro populo
6:00 pm	
Monday, 6:30 am	
Tuesday, 6:30 am	
Wednesday, 6:30 am	
Thursday, 6:30 am	+Elsie Ching
Friday, 6:30 am	

**Remember in Prayer**

Alvin Akiu, Jr.	Addison Jospheh
Lawrence Alejado	Emma Jospheh
Rose Aranita	Rnyaff Robert Jospheh
Michael Bello	Ashley Nawahine
Melvin Bonifacio	Eufrosina Olaso
Anna Buenventura	Celest Ortiz
James David Cadiz	Geoffrey Padilla
Gilbert Ching	Gloria R. Padilla
Florence Custudio	Grant Padilla
Emmie Arambulo Durado	Mary Pires
Flora Franco	Sky Racoma
Carmen Espiritu-Igawa	Charles Richelieu
Violeta Guieb	Bernie Serrano
Ryoko Hayashi	Jovina Tabangcura
Joseph Hurst	Lani Test

*Please call or email the Parish Office if you would like us to pray for someone.*

**Weekly Stewardship**

<b>General Offering</b>	\$	<b>7,882.76</b>
<b>New Building Fund</b>	\$	<b>2,627.50</b>
<b>Other:</b>	\$	<b>1,750.00</b>
<b>Recycling</b>	\$	
<b>TOTAL:</b>	\$	<b>12,260.26</b>
<b>Adjustments</b>	\$	
<b>New Building Fund</b>		
<b>Balance:</b>	\$	<b>1,168,607.14</b>

*Please remember Resurrection of the Lord in your wills and trusts. Thank you for your generosity!*

## Events @ Resurrection

### Monday (January 26):

Rosary, Marian Chapel, 6 a.m.  
Communion Service, 6:30 a.m.  
Weekday Bible Study, Lanai, 10 a.m.  
Centering Prayer, Cry Room, 7 p.m.

### Tuesday (January 27):

Rosary, Marian Chapel, 6 a.m.  
Mass, 6:30 a.m.  
Liturgy Committee, Conference Rm., 7 p.m.  
YM Team Meeting, Pastor's Office, 7 p.m.

### Wednesday (January 28):

Rosary, Marian Chapel, 6 a.m.  
Mass, 6:30 a.m.  
Praise Choir Practice, Worship Area, 6 p.m.  
Choir Practice, Worship Area, 7:15 p.m.

### Thursday (January 29):

Rosary, Marian Chapel, 6 a.m.  
Mass, 6:30 a.m.  
TMIY, Lanai, 7 p.m.

### Friday (January 30): St. Marianne Cope

Rosary, Marian Chapel, 6 a.m.  
Mass, 6:30 a.m.  
YM, Worship Area, 7 p.m.

### Saturday (January 31):

Pelaez/Morris Wedding, 9 a.m.

### Sunday (February 1):

Children's Faith Formation, 11:30 a.m.  
B.O.W., 11:30 a.m.

## Announcements

**OUR NEW PARISH WEBSITE:** Last Sunday at the Annual Meeting we launched our new parish website. It contains announcements about upcoming events, the daily readings, news from the Vatican, links to great resources, liturgical ministry schedules, and most of our parish forms. You can also now register, request sacramental records, and make a prayer request online. Please visit the website often at [www.resurrectionhawaii.org](http://www.resurrectionhawaii.org).

**ROL TO RECEIVE ANOTHER DEACON:** We are happy to announce that Bishop Silva has assigned Jose Ancheta to serve as a Deacon at Resurrection of the Lord. Jose currently is a member of St. Jude, Kapolei and has been in the deacon formation for four years. Jose will be ordained a Permanent Deacon on Friday, January 30 at 7:00 PM at the Co-Cathedral of St. Theresa. He will begin his ministry at ROL on Sunday, February 15. We look forward to welcoming him!

### MAHALO FOR YOUR CHRISTMAS APPEAL

**DONATIONS:** To date we have collected \$22,214.00 toward our annual Christmas Appeal! Thank you to all those who contributed to the appeal above and beyond your regular giving.

**CONTRIBUTION LETTERS:** This year contribution letters will be sent to every parish household that made an identifiable offering in 2014. You should receive the letter by the end of January. If you have any questions about the amount indicated, please contact Karen at the Parish Office, 676-4700.

**LIGHTHOUSE MINISTRY:** ROL will provide the meal for the homeless at the Lighthouse Shelter on Sunday, January 25<sup>th</sup>. We are in need of volunteers to help purchase, transport, and serve the food. If you are interested, please see the display on the lanai after Mass this weekend.

**THE WELCOME KIOSK:** Please visit our Welcome Kiosk after Mass on the lanai if you are new and would like to register, RSVP for events, volunteer for ministry, or for more information about our parish activities!

**RCIA REMINDERS:** The next RCIA class will be this Thursday, January 22<sup>nd</sup> at 7:00 pm. The topic will be Jesus the Healer. We will also celebrate the Anointing of Catechumens. Also, catechumens and candidates are reminded of the potluck/pool party on Sunday, January 25<sup>th</sup> at 11:30 am at the Rectory. Please bring a salad or dessert to share.

**FUNERAL SERVICES:** A Funeral Liturgy of the Word for + **Larry Amas** will be held on Tuesday, January 27<sup>th</sup> at 11:30 am at Millilani Mortuary. A Funeral Mass will be held for + **Fred Mina** on Thursday, February 5 at 11:00 AM at ROL. A Funeral Mass for + **James Nohara** will be held on Thursday, February 19 at 10:00 AM at ROL.

**SAFE ENVIRONMENT CLASSES FOR CHILDREN & YOUTH:** Children in Faith Formations classes K-12 will receive their annual Safe Environment training on Sunday, January 25 during class time. Confirmation and Youth Ministry students will receive the training on Friday, February 6 at the regular meeting time. For more information, contact the Parish Office.

**"SOUPER" BOWL SUNDAY:** The NFL Super Bowl will be Sunday, February 1<sup>st</sup>. Like last year, we will collect canned soup and other canned goods for the Food Bank on that day. You can place your donations in the boxes marked for the two competing teams (TBA). The team with the most donations will be ROL's pick for the game!