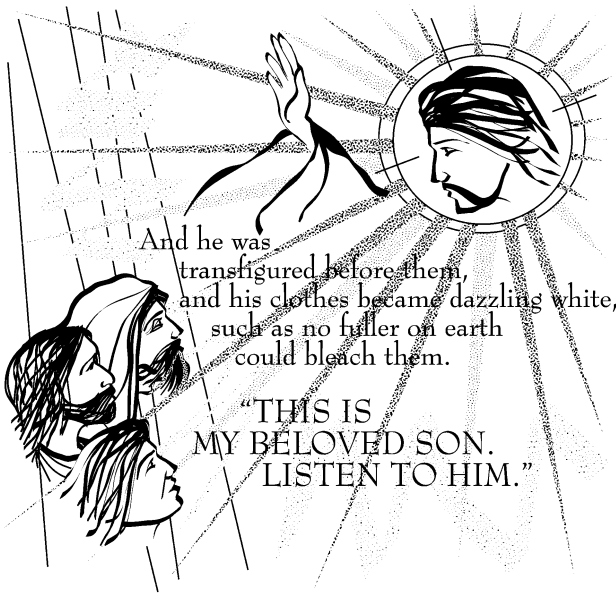


**Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
July 30, 2017**



And he was transfigured before them, and his clothes became dazzling white, such as no fuller on earth could bleach them.

**"THIS IS MY BELOVED SON. LISTEN TO HIM."**

**Reflection on the Scriptures**

"The reign of God is like a buried treasure which a man found in a field." —Matthew 13:44

Just because we're in the Lord's dragnet doesn't mean He will retain us at the end of the world (Matthew 13:47ff). Just because we're in the Lord's field, it doesn't mean we are God's wheat. We may be weeds to be burned (Matthew 13:40). Just because we go to church doesn't mean we are automatically living in God's kingdom. Doing Christian things and living in the midst of Christians doesn't make us Christians (see Luke 13:26-27).

We are Christians and followers of Jesus, the King of the kingdom, when we sell all that we have to buy God's kingdom (Matthew 13:44, 46). We are living life in Christ when we, by faith, give our lives to Jesus, and are no longer living for ourselves but for Him Who died and rose from the dead for us (2 Corinthians 5:15; Galatians 2:20). Being close to Christians doesn't make us Christians, but being close to and in Christ makes us Christians.

To those merely active in Christian activities but not living in Him, Jesus will say: "I never knew you. Out of My sight, you evildoers!" (Matthew 7:23) To those living for Him alone, Jesus will say: "Come. You have My Father's blessing! Inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the creation of the world" (Matthew 25:34). Live in His kingdom.

Reflection from [presentationministries.com](http://presentationministries.com)

**Next Sunday's Readings**

**Transfiguration of the Lord**

First Reading: Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14  
 Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 97:1-2, 5-6, 9  
 Second Reading: 2 Peter 1:16-19  
 Holy Gospel: Matthew 17:1-9

**This Week's Mass Intentions**

Sat., 5:15 pm	+Gabriel & +Victoriana Borja +Julius Bajet Soria +Estella Aganon Lorraine Cashen, Special Intention +Jose Sarte, Sr.
Sun. – 7:30 am	+Julius Bajet Soria +Yvonne Reyes
9:30 am	Pro Populo
6:00 pm	Darlene Theodore, Healing
Mon., 6:30 am	
Tue., 6:30 am	+Rogelio Buenavista +Julius Bajet Soria +Estella Aganon
Wed., 6:30 am	+Julius Bajet Soria Milton Takasugi, Healing
Thu., 6:30 am	+Gloria Padilla Milton Takasugi, Healing
Fri., 6:30 am	+Benjamin Villaro Jr. Milton Takasugi, Healing

**Remember in Prayer**

Purisima Agbanglo	Jeff Kwock
Lawrence Alejado	Cathy Llanos
Char Ancheta	Ashley Nawahine
Aiden Ancheta	Eufrosina Olaso
Anna Buenaventura	Geoffrey Padilla
Marty Burke	Gloria R. Padilla
Gilbert Ching	Grant Padilla
Bill Curtis	Sky Racoma
Bridida Dizon	Patricia Ramos
Janice Eldredge	Earl Santimer
Juan Ferrer	Bernie Serrano
Christine Fontanilla	Jovina Tabangcura
Flora Franco	Fani Tedios
Fred Freitas	Marie Tedios
Joseph Hurst	Ida Villamor

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

**Weekly Stewardship**

<b>General Offering</b>	\$	<b>5,565.11</b>
<b>New Building Fund</b>	\$	<b>669.00</b>
<b>Other: Seminarian Education</b>	\$	<b>726.00</b>
<b>Other: Friends of Grant</b>	\$	<b>4,501.80</b>
<b>Other: Misc</b>	\$	<b>390.00</b>
<b>Other:</b>	\$	
<b>Online:</b>	\$	
<b>General</b>	\$	<b>2,909.00</b>
<b>Building</b>	\$	<b>208.00</b>
<b>TOTAL:</b>	\$	<b>14,968.90</b>

**Please remember Resurrection of the Lord Church in your will or trust!**

## This Week @ Resurrection

<p><b>Monday (July 31):</b>            Communion Service, 6:30am            Rosary, Marian Chapel, 7am</p>
<p><b>Tuesday (August 1):</b>            Mass, 6:30am            Rosary, 7am            Baptism Parent Class, Conference Room, 7pm</p>
<p><b>Wednesday (August 2):</b>            Mass, 6:30am            Rosary, 7am            Outreach &amp; Care Team Mtg, Cry Room, 7pm            Education &amp; Formation Team Mtg, Conference Room, 7pm</p>
<p><b>Thursday (August 3):</b>            Mass, 6:30am            Rosary, 7am</p>
<p><b>Friday (August 4):</b>            Mass, 6:30am            Rosary, 7am</p>
<p><b>Saturday (August 5):</b></p>
<p><b>Sunday (August 6):</b></p>

## Announcements

**PICNIC MAHALO:** Thank you to everyone who made our parish picnic such a success last weekend! The food, the games, and the fellowship was awesome! A special mahalo to Norma Acob our 2017 Picnic Chairperson! Your hard work is greatly appreciated.

**PRAYER PARTNERS:** *Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. Philippians 4:6* Starting this weekend, there will be Prayer Partners available after each Mass in the front of the church for those who desire someone to pray with them.

**HOMEWORK CLUB:** We are organizing a Homework Club for elementary students one day a week after school. The purpose is to show children the love of Jesus by helping them academically. If you are interested in helping with this new ministry as a tutor, please contact Fr. William at 676-4700.

**ADULT CONFIRMATION CLASS:** If you are baptized, 19 and older, and have not yet received the Sacrament of Confirmation, and expedited class is being offered beginning August 17 at 7:00 PM in the Conference Room. It will consist of 3, 1 ½ hour sessions on August 17, 24, and 31. Applications are available in the back of the church. If you are interested, please complete the form and return it to Fr. William or Zach in the Parish Office.

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION TRAINING:** All those serving as Ex. Ministers of Holy Communion should plan to attend the training/review on Saturday, August 12 at 3:00 PM in the Worship Area. The training will also cover how to use all the features of Ministry Scheduler Pro. For more information, speak to Zach at 676-4700.

**CATECHIST LEVEL TWO CERTIFICATION:** Catechists seeking Level Two Certification should plan to attend the workshop on Saturday, April 26 from 9 am – 2 pm. Lunch will be provided. Please RSVP with Roena, our Education & Formation Team Leader at 676-4700.

**ROL GOLF CLUB...** We continue to invite all fellow parishioners and guests on the last Sunday of each month. Come join the team. All are welcome. Remember, we start with prayer, then fellowship, fun, and occasional birdies. Call 389-2416 for more information.

**ONLINE GIVING:** Consider giving online. It only takes a few minutes to set up your account and you can schedule your gifts to be made using a credit or debit card. It is an easy and secure way to give. At the end of the year, you will also have an accurate record of your charitable contributions to the parish. Visit our website [www.resurrectionhawaii.org](http://www.resurrectionhawaii.org) and look for the icon to connect to Our Sunday Visitor's online giving portal.

