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MASS SCHEDULE

St. Joseph Church

Weekdays:

Mon.-Fri.

6:00 am & 12:15 pm

Saturday: 7:00 am

Legal Holidays: 7:00 am

Vigil Mass: 5:00 pm

Sunday:

St. Joseph Church

7:00 am, 9:00 am,

11:45 am & 6:00pm

Youth Mass

May 17

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11:45 am



CONFESSION

Saturday:

10:00 am-11:00 am

St. Joseph Church

or by appointment

*Please note:
confession schedule
does not apply during
some liturgical seasons.

PRAYER TIMES

Adoration:

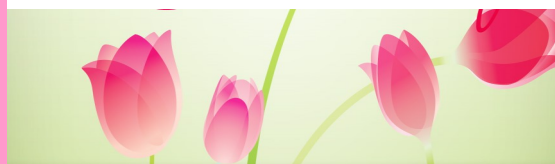
M-F 4-5:00 pm

Sat 3-3:30 pm

Sun 4-4:30 pm



**'Loving God,
as a mother gives life and nourish-
ment to her children,
so you watch over your Church.
Bless these women,
that they may be strengthened as
Christian mothers.
Let the example of their faith and love
shine forth.
Grant that we, their sons and daugh-
ters,
may honor them always
with a spirit of profound respect.
Grant this through Christ our Lord.
R. Amen.'**



Alumni & Friends Luau Needs You!

May is right around the corner and so is the Alumni & Friends of Saint Joseph School's annual luau (May 23, 2015) that will recognize the 50th reunion of the Class of '65. Beginning with a tour of the school at 4:00 p.m. the class will then join others at 5:00 at the luau at the high school gym. Delicious Hawaiian food and Hawaiian entertainment are planned, plus a program honoring the graduates and a raffle and auction to benefit the school, its students and programs. And, dance to a few tunes while you're at it.

Auction and raffle items are needed (contact Mona Victorino at 966-4219 or Colette Tyrin at 959-3485) and tickets can be purchased from Jean Alves (938-9283), ticket chair or Melveen (935-8443) at the high school Business Office.

This is also an opportunity for mini-reunions. Call Jean and we can arrange for a section for your class to celebrate as well. Just contact your classmates, let us know how many are coming, buy your tickets and leave the rest up to us. Classes of '75,'85,'95 and 2005 – how about meeting your classmates for your 40th, 30th, 20th or 10th reunion?

For more information, contact Marlene Hapai, 966-9894.



Mission Statement: Centered on the Word of God and the Eucharist we gather as a community of disciples of Jesus Christ as we seek fullness of life. Blessed with many cultures and gifted with the Hawaiian spirit of Aloha we pledge to share our heritage and our faith, and commit ourselves to the full development of our people. With Saint Joseph as our patron we offer our gift of self for the greater glory of God.

Please remember St. Joseph Parish in your will

Pastor's Corner

6th Sunday of Easter

Dear brothers and sisters

Peace in the Risen Lord!

Since next week we will celebrate the Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord, our gospel this Sunday takes us back to the Farewell Discourse. This is meant to invite us to know more the heart of Jesus. Now that he is about to return to the Father we want to know his legacy and his last teaching to us before he leaves.

Jesus' legacy and his teaching is summarized in what he said to his disciples, "As the Father loves me, so I also love you." And the greatest love of all is "to lay down one's life for one's friends."

This is difficult. But we need to remember that it is not our loving that we will have to use. It is the love of the Father that is in the heart of Jesus and now given to us. It is the love of God that we will give to one another.

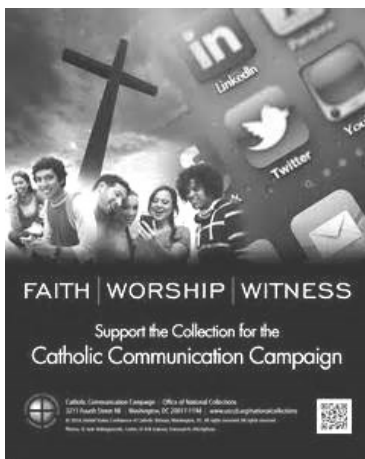
God bless you.

In Jesus, our fullness of Life,

Fr. Samuel E. Loterte, SSS



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SECOND COLLECTION

Next week, our parish will take up the Collection for the Catholic Communication Campaign. This collection communicates the Gospel through Catholic social media activities and enriches our faith through podcasts, television, radio, and print media. Half of all proceeds remain in our (arch) diocese and support local needs, so please be generous in this collection.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE REPORT April 20, 2015		Year to Date Totals	Year to Date Budget
Offertory Collections	\$8,104.20	\$ 423,663.25	\$ 432,936.02
Other Collections	\$15,634.86	\$ 200,293.75	\$ 216,373.50
Total Deposit	\$23,739.06	\$ 623,957.00	\$ 649,309.52
Parish Hall Fund	\$476.25		\$ 827,138.81

Scripture Readings



Sunday, May 10

Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48

Ps 98:1-4

1 Jn 4:7-10

Jn 15:9-17

Monday, May 11

Acts 16:11-15

Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b

Jn 15:26—16:4a

Tuesday, May 12

Acts 16:22-34

Ps 138:1-3, 7c-8

Jn 16:5-11

Wednesday, May 13

Acts 17:15, 22-18:1

Ps 148:1-2, 11-14

Jn 16:12-15

Thursday, May 14

Acts 1:15-17, 20-26

Ps 113:1-8

Jn 15:9-17

Friday, May 15

Acts 18:9-18

Ps 47:2-7

Jn 16:20-23

Saturday, May 16

Acts 18:23-28

Ps 47:2-3, 8-10

Jn 16:23b-28

Sunday, May 17

Acts 1:1-11

Ps 47:2-3, 6-9

Eph 1:17-23

Mk 16:15-20

WEEKLY CALENDAR

MONDAY, May 11

- 5:30 pm •Young Adults Choir Rehearsal/Church
- 6:00 pm •Adult Faith Formation (aka RCIA)/Library
- 7:00 pm •Baptismal Prep Class/Mtg. Room & Church

TUESDAY, May 12

- 5:00 pm •R E Board Meeting/Mtg. Room
- 5:00 pm •Life Teen Core Team Meeting/Conf. Room
- 6:30 pm •Small Christian Community/Library
- 7:00 pm •Mother of Perpetual Help Novena (Rosary 6:30 pm)/Mtg. Room

WEDNESDAY, May 13

- 6:30 pm •Alabare Choir Rehearsal/Library

THURSDAY, May 14

- 6:30 pm •St. Joseph Choir Rehearsal/Church

FRIDAY, May 15

- 6:00 pm •Young Adults Ministry/Meeting Room

SATURDAY, May 16

- 8:15 am •Church Cleaners (#7-M. Aizawa)/Church
- 9:00 am •NAMI Family-to-Family Workshop/Mtg. Room
- 10:00 am •Bible Sharing (Marianne Leite)/Library
- 1:30 pm •Sacramental Prep Class/Library
- 5:00 pm •High School Youth Ministry/Library
- 7:45 pm •San Lorenzo Choir Rehearsal/Church

SUNDAY, May 17 "Ascension of the Lord"

- 10:15 am •R E Classes/SJHS
- 11:45 am •Youth & Young Adults Mass/Church

The Experience of Easter

We are an Easter people. The joy of Easter is celebrated not only during the liturgical season we call Easter. It is celebrated every day of the year. The Mass is the Paschal Mystery, and every time it is celebrated, we participate in the sacrifice, death and resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ. As St. Paul teaches, we die with Christ and rise with Him in the Holy Spirit. We are transformed into new creations. We are renewed.

Stewards of God's abundant gifts hold dear the promise of renewal and pledge themselves to the work of reconciliation, healing and proclamation of the risen Lord. For Christian stewards, each day is a new dawn for living in the light of Christ. There is much about dying and rising with Christ that we do not

know; much about the Paschal Mystery we do not understand. But stewards of God's love are always open to learning more; to being called out of their ignorance and into the light of faith which comes with an ever-deeper understanding of its peace and joy.

Easter is a good time to reflect on how we experience the joy of Christ's peace. It is also a time to ask ourselves how we can experience the gift of Easter each day of our lives.

www.catholicstewardship.org



Mark Your Calendars!

Sunday May 24th - 9:00 am mass
Confirmation with Bishop Larry Silva

Sunday May 31st, - LAST DAY OF
RE CLASSES

*Eternal rest grant unto them
O Lord
and let perpetual light shine
upon them.*

+Gloria Mendoza-Paiva
+Leo Lacey
+Joseph Lactaoen
+Djon Lim
+Clara Shin

MARRIAGE & FAMILY CORNER:

by St. Joseph R.E. ministries

Motto for the BRIDE AND GROOM:

***"We are a work in
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contract."***

-Phyllis Koss



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