



# ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

Nov. 15, 2015

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*Established at current  
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*"Wake up the world" 2015 Year of Consecrated Life*

## Pastor's Corner:

## 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dear brothers and sisters,  
Peace!

How shall we face the future that God will give us? How do we feel about it?

The readings for this Sunday, the last Sunday before we end Ordinary Time, remind us of the things that we as human beings truly long for and deeply desire: a new creation, a new power from God who will abolish the false powers and glory that subjugate the world.

This future is a gift of God to us. And he is calling us to be part of this humanity that he will recreate for us. This future is not meant to destroy us. On the contrary, it will be a manifestation of his great love and bountiful mercy.

Let us all look forward to this future.

God bless you and your family,  
In Jesus, our fullness of Life,  
*Fr. Samuel E. Loterte, SSS*



### A Stewardship Moment:

<http://catholicstewardship.com/>

How would you spend your day if you knew it was the last day you would spend on earth? Undoubtedly, it would not be a normal day. The point of today's Gospel reading is that the end-time is always imminent. The good steward remains prayerfully alert, ready to give an accounting; and living each day in the awareness of the coming judgment and salvation. How do we exercise stewardship over our daily lives? Are we prepared to give an accounting? How will we allow Christ to work in and through us to prepare for the reconciliation of the heavens and the earth?



### Parish Mission Statement:

Centered on the Word of God and the Eucharist we gather as a Parish and School community. Together as disciples of Jesus Christ as we seek fullness of life. Blessed with diversity of cultures and gifted with the spirit of Aloha, we pledge to become stewards of our time, talent and treasure by sharing our heritage, 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\*\*\*

## Scripture Readings



### Sunday, Nov. 15

Dm 12:1-3  
Ps 16:5, 8-11  
Heb 10:11-14, 18  
Mk 13:24-32

### Monday, Nov. 16

1 Mc 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63  
Ps 119:53, 61, 134, 150, 155, 158  
Lk 18:35-43

### Tuesday, Nov. 17

2 Mc 6:18-31  
Ps 3:2-7  
Lk 19:1-10

### Wednesday, Nov. 18

2 Mc 7:1, 20-31  
Ps 17:1bcd, 5-6, 8b, 15  
Lk 19:11-28

### Thursday, Nov. 19

1 Mc 2:15-29  
Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15  
Lk 19:41-44

### Friday, Nov. 20

1 Mc 4:36-37, 52-59  
(Ps) 1 Chr 29:10bcd, 11-12  
Lk 19:45-48

### Saturday, Nov. 21

1 Mc 6:1-13  
Ps 9:2-4, 6, 16, 19  
Lk 20:27-40

### Sunday, Nov. 22

Dn 7:13-14  
Ps 93:1-2, 5  
Rv 1:5-8  
Jn 18:33b-37

## **National Hunger & Homelessness Awareness Week**

Hawai'i Island Home for Recovery

As part of the **Community Alliance Partners**

**Invite You to Participate in the Candlelight Vigil Ceremony**

Monday, November 16<sup>th</sup> at 5:15 pm At the Mo'oheau Park Bandstand



## **Hot Thanksgiving Meal for the Homeless**

Wednesday, November 25<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 pm at St. Joseph Rectory

Hosted by St. Joseph Social Ministry

Thanksgiving is a time for generosity, sharing of appreciation and gathering of people & families. We hope to gather our brothers and sisters who are less fortunate and families who are in need for a simple hot turkey meal on the evening before thanksgiving. Through research and collaboration, we have discovered that many organizations and agencies provide a hot meal for homeless on Thanksgiving Day but not many are able to provide for such a service on any other day that week. St. Joseph Social Ministry would like to extend our services to meeting the needs of adding a hot meal to this Thanksgiving week.

In collaboration with the Social Ministry, other various ministries are participating in this event. They are tasked with providing donations to the hot meal itself (turkey, stuffing, pies, etc) as well as providing drinks (both hot and cold) and a spiritual gift bag which includes, prayer cards, rosaries, a hand written thanksgiving greeting card, hygiene items and the cloth bag itself.

**If you would like to donate items or your time** to this event please call the event chairpersons Mario Miguel or Chrislyn Villena at 935-1465.



## **WELCOME !!**

Deacon Jim Dougherty was ordained to the permanent diaconate on June 7, 2014 for the Society of Our Lady of the Most Holy Trinity (SOLT). He is currently on loan from the Diocese of Kansas City—St. Joseph and is assigned to serve the parishes of St. Theresa, Mt. View and St. Joseph, Hilo.

**Dcn. Jim and his wife, Karol**, have been married for 41 years and currently live in the Puna district along with three of their four children, their spouses and their children. Before moving to the Big Island, Dcn. Jim worked at the De LaSalle Education Center in Kansas City, Missouri, for 35 years, where he served as the executive director for 27 of those years.

## **We are a welcoming parish. Be a family member, today!**

Parish registration forms are located in the rear of the church or at the rectory office. Visit our parish website at [www.stjoehilo.com](http://www.stjoehilo.com).

For more information to join one of the many parish ministries, call 935-1465 and ask for one of the coordinators or email us at [stjosephchurch@stjoehilo.com](mailto:stjosephchurch@stjoehilo.com)

## WEEKLY CALENDAR

### **MONDAY, Nov. 16**

- 11:30 am •Food Pantry/SJ Social Ministry Center
- 5:30 pm •Youth & Young Adults Choir Rehearsal/Church
- 6:00 pm •Adult Faith Formation (aka RCIA) Class/Library

### **TUESDAY, Nov. 17**

- 5:00 pm •Life Teen Core Team Meeting/Conf. Room
- 7:00 pm •Mother of Perpetual Help Novena (Rosary 6:30 pm)/Church

### **WEDNESDAY, Nov. 18**

- 6:00 pm •Stewardship Committee/Mtg. Room
- 6:30 pm •Alabare Choir Rehearsal/Church

### **THURSDAY, Nov. 19**

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

### **FRIDAY, Nov. 20**

- 8:00 am •East/West Vicariate Safe Environment Training/Mtg. Room
- 4:30 pm •Teen Council Meeting/Conf. Room

### **SATURDAY, Nov. 21**

- 8:15 am •Church Cleaners (#2-Social Ministry)/Church
- 10:00 am •Bible Sharing (Mary Ann Leite)/Library
- 5:00 pm •High School Youth Ministry/Library
- 7:45 pm •San Lorenzo Choir Rehearsal/Church

### **SUNDAY, Nov. 22 "Christ, the King"**

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### **MASS SCHEDULE**

#### **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

### **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

#### **Evening Prayer & Benediction**

M-F 5:00 pm

Sat 3:30 pm

Sun 4:30 pm

## **Youth & Young Adult Mass**

December 6

@

11:45 am



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

+Peter Abarcar  
+Cleofas Amaral



# Collection Week!

Please include a \$7 shipping fee per box

### **This is the final week to get your shoeboxes into the rectory office.**

The collection will take place NOVEMBER 16-20, 2015. Girls and boys in more than 150 countries have experienced the joy of Christmas and heard about the best gift, Jesus, thanks to caring people like you who have packed over 124 million shoebox gifts for OCC since 1993. Look for brochures at the entrance to church in the literature racks and in the rectory office. For more information you may call Mario Miguel at the Social Ministry Office at 935-1153

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE REPORT Oct. 25, 2015		Year to Date Totals	Year to Date Budget
Offertory Collections:	\$7,495.12	\$160,346.79	\$166,244.63
Other Collections:	\$1,762.55	\$73,893.08	\$88,753.18
Total Deposit:	\$9,257.67	\$234,239.87	\$254,997.81
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