June 11, 2017

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MASS SCHEDULE

Weekdays

Mon.-Fri. 6:00 am & 12:15 pm Saturday: 7:00 am Legal Holidays: 7:00 am

Saturday Vigil Mass 5:00 pm

Sunday 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

Weekly Reflections: Sunday of the Most Holy Trinity

"God who so loved the world that He gave his only son..."

"In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen." The first prayer probably we all learnt. This certainly will be our first encounter with the Holy Trinity, the feast we are celebrating this Sunday. This is a feast of a doctrine rather than of an event of salvation

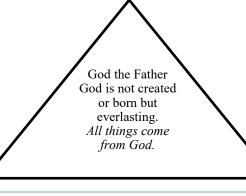


Trinity means "three in one" and that is because the Three Divine Persons: Father, Son and Holy Spirit are not three Gods but one God. As such, every one of the three divine Persons is eternal, divine, and perfect. And because the divine perfection of the three Persons is complete and absolute, they are therefore identical, which means they are one. This is the central mystery of Christian faith and life. It is the mystery of God in Himself.

While we might think of mystery as one beyond human comprehension, for the church it means one that can be grasp through God's revelation in Jesus Christ. In the gospel, Jesus reveals to us who the Father is and likewise who is the Holy Spirit who is to be sent to the disciples. And as for Himself, Jesus tells us what it means to be the son who does the Father's will. And in them is manifested the divine love for each other that overflows to all of us to be our inspiration in the building up of every Christian community.

In honoring the Holy Trinity today, we proclaim the reality of a "God who so loved the world that He gave his only son." And thus celebrate God's awesome love for each other and for all of us May we respond in kind -- in love for the Triune God and for one another.

Christ the Son Jesus Christ came forth from God the Father. Through his life, death & resurrection, he became united in God



The Holy Spirit is the divine love that unites and proceeds from the Father and the Son

Sunday, June 11

Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9 (Ps) Dn 3:52-56 2 Cor 13:11-13 Jn 3:16-18

Monday, June 12

2 Cor 1:1-7 Ps 34:2-9 Mt 5:1-12

Tuesday, June 13

2 Cor 1:18-22 Ps 119:129-133, 135 Mt 5:13-16

Wednesday, June 14

2 Cor 3:4-11 Ps 99:5-9 Mt 5:17-19

Thursday, June 15

2 Cor 3:15—4:1, 3-6 Ps 85:9ab, 10, 11-14 Mt 5:20-26

Friday, June 16

2 Cor 4:7-15 Ps 116:10-11, 15-18 Mt 5:27-32

Saturday, June 17

2 Cor 5:14-21 Ps 103:1-4, 8-9, 11-12 Mt 5:33-37

Sunday, June 18

Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a Ps 147:12-15, 19-20 1 Cor 10:16-17 Jn 6:51-58

DID YOU KNOW....



STRENGTHEN,

THIS PARISH WILL SOON OFFER **CONFIRMATION PRIOR TO** FIRST HOLY COMMUNION?

Indeed, all parishes within the Diocese of Honolulu are restoring the Original Order of the Sacraments of Initiation between 2018-2020.

In the early Church, the person was immersed into the waters of Baptism, anointed with chrism, and shared in the Eucharistic meal as part of a single event. Over time, and for many reasons, the celebration of these three sac-

raments became separated from one another. In the renewal stemming from the Second Vatican Council, the Church was asked to more clearly set forth the intimate connection of Confirmation with the whole of Christian initiation. This original order also helps us recognize that sharing in the Eucharist completes our initiation into the Church and

that it is Eucharist which is the "source and summit of our faith."

Go to www.catholichawaii.org for more information on this important change.

"Families are images of the ever-creative power and life of the Holy Trinity and the fruitfulness of the relationship between Christ and his Church."

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Weekly Calendar

Monday, June 12 RECTORY OFFICE CLOSED

(Mass at 7:00 am ONLY; NO 12:15 mass

& NO afternoon prayers)

7:00 am Mass/Church

Tuesday, June 13

3:00 pm Diocesan Meeting/Conference Room 5:30 pm Prayer Service (+Claudio Icari)-Fr. Zaldy

(Dodo Chapel)

6:30 pm Knight's of Columbus/Mtg Rm

6:30 pm Novena Rosary/Church

7:00 pm Mother of Perpetual Help Novena/Church

Wednesday, June 14

10:00 am Memorial Mass (+Marie Soares)-Fr Wil-

bert /Church

6:30 pm Alabare Choir Rehearsal/Church

Thursday, June 15

6:30 pm St. Joseph Choir Rehearsal/Church

Friday, June 16

10:00 am Memorial Mass (+Victoria Ah Choy)/Fr

Zaldy /Church

Saturday, June 17

8:15 am Church Cleaner's #1 (F. Veriato)/Church 9:00 am Faith Formation "Make-up" Session for

EOM, Sacristans & Lectors/Mtg Rm 9:30 am Bible Sharing/Library 10:00 am Reconciliation/Church

11:00 am Prayer Service (+Thomas Kailiawa, III)-Fr

Zaldy/Dodo Chapel

12:00 pm Sacristan Training/CHURCH

5:00 pm High school Youth Ministry/Library

Sunday, June 18"Corpus Christi"

9:00 am Mass (Recommissioning of EOM's & Sac-

ristans)/Church

CATECHISTS AND VOLUNTEER SIGN-UP FOR 2017-2018

Have you thought about being a catechist, but have never given it a try? Or you have some experience as a catechist?

We have volunteer Catechist spots just waiting for you! We have teaching opportunities for

- A. 1st Year 1 prep for "First Penance; Confirmation & First Communion": Meets Sundays 10:15-11:15 am
- B. Sacramental Preparation (Mixed grades 3-8): Meets twice a month Sundays 10:15-11:15 am
- C. Adult Faith Formation (RCIA): Meets Mondays from 6:00-7:30pm
- D. Teen Ministry & Sacrament Prep: Meets Saturdays from 5:00-8:00 pm
- E. Middle School Ministry:Meets Twice a month. (Day & Time TBA)
- F. Year round list of substitute catechists or classroom aides

You will receive assistance with lesson planning and materials are provided for you. Call the Rectory Office to see what opportunities are available. We can show you curriculum and lesson plans and help you choose the grade that is best for you. We will need these volunteers to assist us in the transition to restoring the original order of sacraments.

As you prepare and teach your lessons, you are sure to grow in faith yourself!

Please call the office at 935-1465 or email Chrislyn Villena at cvillena@stjoehilo.com for more information.

Stewardship Report of Treasury for:			
	Week (5/30 to 6/05)	YTD Actual	YTD Budget
Collections	8,076.25	481,474.13	520,944.44
All Other Income	8,336.22	335,470.90	314,527.72
Deposited to Bank	16,412.47	816,945.03	835,472.16
Parish Hall	86.25	Parish Savings	
		Loan to school	100,000.00
		Designated Funds	424,119.66
		Restricted Funds	414,850.83
			938,970.49

Saturday, June 17 | 9a-12p Faith Formation "Make-up" Session

For all Lectors, EOM & Sacristans who missed the Seminar on May 27, in the downstairs meeting room.

Call Fr. Wilbert with questions or concerns.

There will be a **Sacristan Training** on Saturday, June 17, at 12pm in the church for ALL current and potential volunteers. Please speak with Lei Shinoda Kaniumoe or Fr. Zaldy for more information.

Infant Baptism Class Monday, June 19, 2017 7-9pm Rectory Meeting Room

Pre-registration is required.

Visit our parish website for a printable application packet or call the rectory at 935-1465 for more information.

NOTE:

All SACRASTINS & EOM's

(including facilities/hospitals/homebound & weekday masses)

will be commissioned at the 9:00 am mass on June 18th (Corpus Christi)







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