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FOR SACRAMENTS AND SACRAMENTALS, PLEASE CONTACT OFFICE BEFORE MAKING FINAL DATES & ARRANGEMENTS

August 24, 2025/Twenty-First Sunday Ordinary Time

A Family Prayer for patience in difficult times

"Gracious God, thank you for your presence with us always. Help us to remember that we are safe in your care, even when things don't go as planned. Please grow patience within us, and draw our hearts and eyes back to you, especially when we are distracted by our circumstances. In Jesus' name, we pray. Amen"





ORGANIZATIONS/ MINISTRIES	TIME	VENUE
MONTHLY		
FIRS	ST SUNDAYS	
Liturgy/Non-Liturgy Ministries	10:30am	Parish Hall
Sacred Hearts Society	8:30am	Parish Hall
SECO	ND SUNDAYS	
Filipino Catholic Club	10:30am	Parish Hall
Young Adults Ministry	10:30am	Conference Rm
THIR	D SUNDAYS	
Samoan Community	10:30am	Parish Hall
PPAC	10:30am	Conference Rm
FOUR	RTH SUNDAYS	
Chukeese Comm'ty	10:30am	Parish Hall
PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL	10:30am	Conference Rm
WEEKLY	-	
TH	HURSDAYS	
SH Samoan Choir (practice)	6:00pm	Church
SA	ATURDAYS	
Legion of Mary	6:00pm	Parish Hall
S	SUNDAYS	
OCIA	10:30am	RE Room



	FIRST SUNDAYS		
	7:30am		
n	9:30am	Samoan Community (temporary moved to Satur- days at 5:pm)	
n	SECOND SUNDAY		
	7:30am	Legion Of Mary	
n	9:30am	Filipino Catholic Club	
	THIRD SUNDAY		
	7:30am	Sacred Hearts Society/55+	
	9:30am	Religious Education/OCIA	
	FOURTH SUNDAY		
	7:30am		
	9:30am	Chukeese Community	

PARISH ADMINISTRATOR

FR. CARLITO JOEY RANJO, JR.

MORTON ZABALA JEROME LEFU'A VITO

PARISH STAFF

ALBERT "AL" WONG JR.

LINDA JOSE

MYRNA G. PERÁLTA

Director of Religious Education ROSA LEFU'A

PABLO "JUN" PERALTA, JR.

MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY, TUESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY

7:30am (after 7am Rosary)

WEDNESDAY

5:00pm - Rosary, OLPH Novena, **Chaplet of Divine Mercy**

5:45pm - Mass SATURDAY (Anticipated)

5:00pm

SUNDAY

7:30am, 9:30am, 5:00pm

RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4:00 - 4:45pm

DEVOTIONS

THURSDAY

5:00 - 6:00pm - Silent Adoration

FIRST FRIDAY

6:30am - Benediction

7:30am - Mass

FIRST SATURDAY

7:00am - Rosary 7:30am - Mass

ARE YOU NEW TO THE PARISH OR DO YOU NEED TO UPDATE YOUR PARISH INFORMATION? PLEASE FILL OUT THE FORM BELOW, DETACH AND GIVE TO ANY OF OUR USHERS DURING MASS!

Name:	
Phone Number:	
Address:	
Email Address:	



INFORMATION

Every Sunday, until August 31, 2025, Rooms 3 & 4 of the RE building are open from 7:30am to 11:00am for those interested to purchase merchandise donated for the SWAP MEET. All SWAP MEET merchandise will be given to the Out reach Ministry on September 2025



Did you know our Parish Pantry services hundreds of people each month with much needed food to survive! WE ARE IN ALWAYS NEED OF NON-PERISHABLE CANNED & DRY FOODS.

> **PANTRY DISTRIBUTION HOURS: TUESDAYS 8AM UNTIL 10:30AM**

Please call **REGINA**, our Pantry Coordinator, for donations and more information at (808) 741-1056

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AUG. 30, 2025 (5TH SAT)

LEGION OF MARY

SEPT. 6, 2025 (1ST SAT)

REL. ED./YOUTH

SEPT. 13, 2025 (2ND SAT)

FILIPINO CATH. CLUB

In August, we give thanks for the gift of life, from conception to natural death & human dignity and pray for expectant parents, those with pregnancy difficulties & post abortion healing. These events respect life:

- 1) 40/365 Days For Life, prayers,
- 2) Sidewalk Advocates Training (TBA),
- 3) Hawaii State Laws, prayers,
- 4) Walking With Moms In Need programs, prayers,
- 5) End to human trafficking, prayers
- 6) The elderly & end to assisted suicide, prayers.

LINDA SUSAN MADAMBA Respect Life SHCW, Coordinator Phone: (808) 221-7794 e-mail: Linda Susan_Madamba@yahoo.com



BECOMING CATHOLIC...

Have you ever thought about taking this step? Perhaps you...

have never been baptized but now feel drawn to explore it.

..have been baptized in another Christian tradition, but now you want to continue your faith journey in the Catholic church.



..have been baptized in the Catholic Church but never received the Sacraments of Confirmation and/or

..have children above the age of seven whom you would like to have Baptized.

If any of these describe you, we would love to hear from

We want to listen to your story of faith, answer questions, and share with you about the Catholic faith.

> To learn more please contact: LILIA GRACE at (808)379-9446 or email: Ms.lbpg@gmail.com.

Religious Education, Youth Ministry,



PRAYING THE ROSARY & MASS:

Every 3rd Sunday of the month we invite ALL children/ teens and anyone to join us, to PRAY the ROSARY before 9:30am Mass. The next Rosary is Sunday, September 21st at 8:50am in the church. Remember students stay for Mass. See you there.

CATECHETICAL THEME FOR 2025:

Catechetical Sunday will be celebrated Sunday, September 21, 2025. The theme for this year is "Always be ready to give an explanation...for a reason for your hope" 1 Peter 3:15

As we will embark on a new Catechetical Year, there are words that have been coming up that everyone may not be as familiar. Words such as Catechesis, Catechism, Faith Formation, Religious Education, CCD, and so forth.

This week we are defining Catechism, it means 1) oral instruction, 2) a manual for catechizing, 3) a set of formal questions put as a test. It was a term used when instruction was only done by rote memory. It now refers to the bountiful resources published in the 1990s where the facts of the faith are available to all in the Catechism of the Catholic Church.

Last week we defined Catechesis which is Greek meaning"to echo the Gospel".

Please read in the coming weeks as we add more words in this section so that we educate and know the difference of these Catholic words.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact **ROSA LEFUA at 808-861-3747**

or email: rlefua77@qmail.com.

TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME

1st Reading 2nd Reading Gospel Lk 13:22-30 Is 66:18-21 Heb 12:5-7,11-13

THIS WEEK'S READINGS

MONDAY TUESDAY		WEDNESDAY	
1st Reading	1st Reading	1st Reading	
1 Thes 1:1-5,8b-10	1 Thes 2:1-8	1 Thes 2:9-13	
Gospel	Gospel	Gospel	
Mt 23:13-22	Mt 23:23-26	Mt 23:27-32	
THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	
1st Reading	1st Reading	1st Reading	
1 Thes 3:7-13	1 Thes 4:1-8	1 Thes 4:9-11	
Gospel	Gospel	Gospel	
Mt 2442-51	Mk 6:17-29	Mt 25:14-30	

NEXT WEEKEND'S READINGS AUGUST 31, 2025 / 22ND SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME

1st Reading Sir 3:17-18,20,28-29

2nd Reading Heb 12:18-19,22-24

Gospel Lk 14:1,7-14



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MONTHLY FINANCIAL REPORT TO PARISHIONERS

FOR THE MONTH OF JULY, 2025 (FISCAL YR. 2025-26) Profit & Loss (Income Statement) ORDINARY INCOME/EXPENSE INCOME 7/31/2025 Offertory Collections \$14,782.00 Other Regular Income 4,386.00 Revenue Subject to GFT 0.00 Unusual (Non-Scheduled) Income 0.00 Temporarily Restricted Funds 2,460.00 TOTAL INCOME \$21,628.0 EXPENSES **Employment Costs** \$9,404.00 Supplies and Other Services 1,646.00 Contributions & Assessments 5,289.00 Insurance (Property/Liability) Professional Services 4,525.00 Real Property Tax Repairs & Maintenance 2,573.00 Leadership Development **Utilities (Public & Communications** 3.284.00 Depreciation 506.0

NOTES:

NET INCOME

nsurance (Liability/Property) for 2025-26 | \$49,117.00

Assessment to Diocese: \$4,588.00 / per month

TOTAL EXPENSES

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the Business Office during office hours (Tuesday - Saturday 8:30 am - 12:30 pm)

> Phone: (808) 696-3773 or email: office.shcwaianae@gmail.com (ATTN: Father Joey or Al Wong)

Respectfully Submitted by: Albert Wong, Business Administrator Approved By: Fr. Joey Ranjo, Jr., Administrator

> Mahalo for your continued Generosity & Support. May the Lord continue to Bless you & your family



The readings this Sunday offer rich readings that focus on themes of inclusion, humility, and God's call to all people. These themes encourage us to reflect on God's invitation to enter His kingdom and the attitudes we should cultivate to be part of His family.

- Universal Call: The readings remind us that God calls people from all nations to know Him. Isaiah speaks of gathering people from distant lands, showing God's desire for a diverse and inclusive family.
- **Discipline and Growth**: In Hebrews, we learn that God disciplines those He loves, like a parent guides a child. This discipline helps us grow in righteousness and peace.
- **Humility and Effort**: Jesus emphasizes the need to strive to enter through the narrow gate. This requires humility and effort, recognizing that salvation is not automatic but involves our cooperation.
- **Reversal of Expectations**: The Gospel warns that some who are last will be first and some first will be last. This teaches us not to be complacent or assume our place is secure without genuine faith and love.
- The Importance of Listenina: Listenina to God's word is crucial for entering His kingdom. Hebrews stresses the importance of hearing and responding to God's call with a willing heart.
- Judgment and Accountability: The readings highlight the reality of judgment. Jesus' teaching on the narrow gate reminds us that we will be accountable for our choices and actions.

These themes encourage us to live faithfully and humbly, recognizing God's call to all and the importance of our response. Reflecting on these messages helps us understand our role in God's plan and the importance of our commitment to Him.

Mass & for the Intentions 🔼 Week

DECEASED: Olly & Juliet Eremita/ Segundo Sr & Dominga Mapili/ Atty. Jose Banzon Sr/ Sophia & Lucina Briones/ Aurelia Manosca/ Genoveva, Dolores & Feliciano Macadaeq/ Louis Avalos

HEALING: Joyce Aliniado/ Mialoha D./Aizabelle D./ Genalyn M./ Alberto Pacle

BIRTHDAY: Jeromy/ Josefina Colmenares/ Atty. Teodoro Nano Jr/ Matha Wia

THANKSGIVING: Gerry & Mina Dinong/ Delia

SPECIAL INTENTIONS: Jommy Jeromy Jheart Iwo/ Kellie Mike Sell/ Julita, Bjay Iwo/ Rolando Atienza/ Mina & Gerry Dinong/ Rusel & Fenie Avalos

ALL MASS INTENTIONS must be turned into the Parish Office during office hours no later than the Thursday prior to the intention. Suggested donation as recommended by the Diocese of Honolulu is \$10.00 per Intention/Mass.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE YOUR INTENTION TO BE READ AT EACH MASS, THE DONATION WILL BE \$40.00 (\$10/per mass)

Please submit your envelope provided for your convenience and submit with your intention and donation.

NOTE: PLEASE DO NOT PLACE YOUR MASS INTENTION IN THE OFFERTORY BASKET IF IT FOR THE UPCOMING WEEKEND. PLEASE TURN INTO OFFICE DIRECTLY FOR THE WEEKEND. WE CAN NOT



BLESSINGS OF FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP FOR AUGUST 16 & 17, 2025

MASS COLLECTIONS

5:00pm (Saturday)	\$ 741.00
7:30am	943.00
9:30am	1,052.00
5:00pm (Sunday)	332.00
Online Donations	325.00
TOTAL MASS COLLECTION	\$ 3,393.00
OTHER COLLECTIONS	
Candles	\$ 170.00
Building R & M	58.00
Mass Intentions	330.00
Bulletin Sponsor	100.00
Donation (Church)	30.00
Baptism	100.00
Assumption of Mary envelopes	331.00
Swap Meet	456.00
TOTAL OTHER COLLECTIONS	\$ 1,575.00
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SECOND COLLECTIONS **OFFICE OF THE CHANCELLOR**

Catholic University of America	September 6/7	
Ohana in Christ	October 4/5	
World Mission Sunday	October 25/26	

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT
Sacred Heart Parish is a Christ-centered community of disciples, journeying together in proclaiming and witnessing God's Word for the integral human and Christian development of all, with respect for the diversity of cultures in the spirit of aloha, towards the realization of God's Kingdom.

PARISH VISION STATEMENT

The Sacred Heart faith-community envisions to create a sense of communion and responsibility of its members by actively engaging in the life of worship and prayer, to instill in them the value of stewardship as a way of life, to empower them especially the children and youth in participating meaningfully in church activities, and to commission them as servantleaders in boldly proclaiming the Gospel.

