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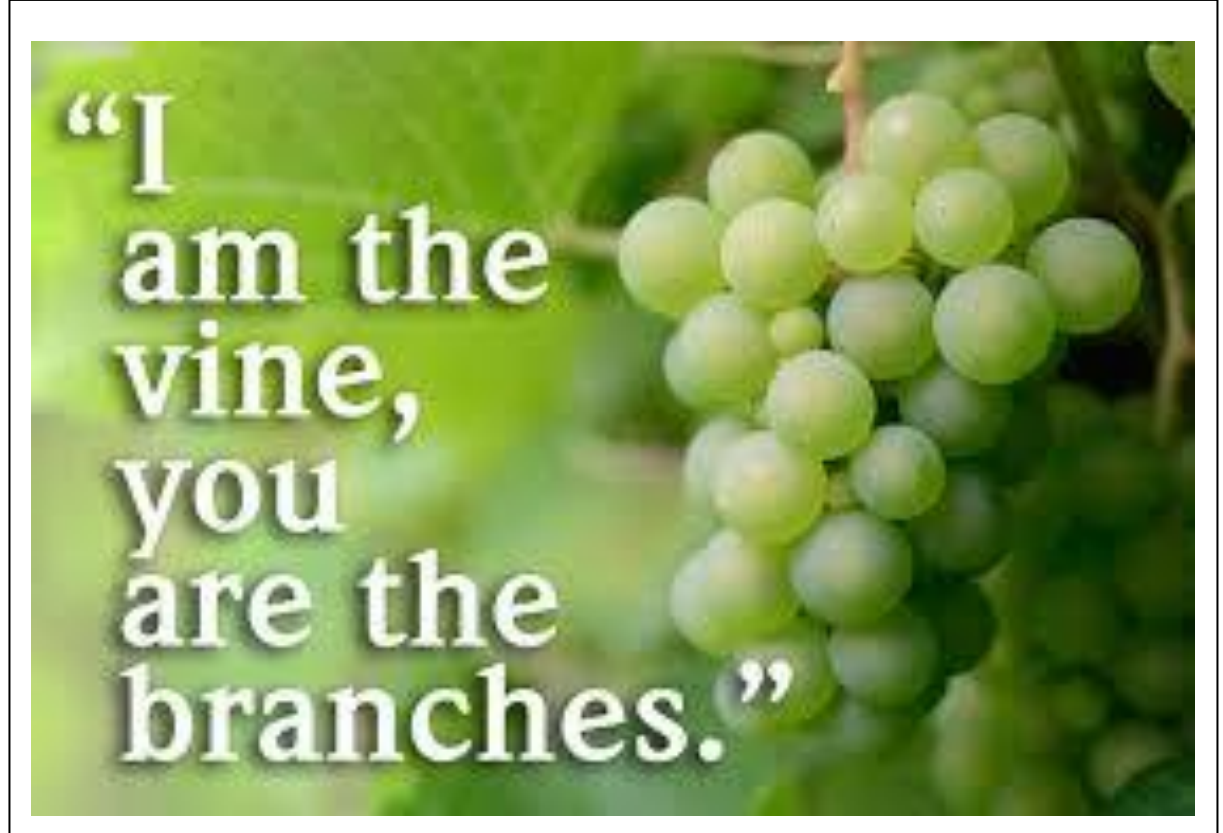


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***+April 28, 2024 * Fifth Sunday of Easter *+**



MISSION STATEMENT

We, the people of Sacred Heart Parish in Pahoā, Hawaii, strive to be a community of faith. We believe we are called by God to be disciples of Jesus Christ and to be good stewards within the Church and our local communities.

We are called to praise and reverence God, to support one another on our journey of faith, to work for the salvation of our souls, and to labor for peace and justice. By the grace of God and the power of the Holy Spirit, we do this by, communal liturgical worship, faith sharing, ongoing faith formation, stewardship, outreach ministries, and by selflessly giving of our time, talent, and treasure.

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SUNDAY CONNECTION

John 15:1-8

Jesus teaches that he is the vine and that his disciples are the branches. Today's Gospel reading is taken from middle of the Last Supper discourse. Jesus speaks about his relationship to his disciples. In his metaphor of the vine and the branches, Jesus is referencing the Hebrew Scriptures. In the Hebrew Scriptures, Israel is the vineyard, and Yahweh himself tends the vineyard. One of the primary themes of John's Gospel is to show Jesus to be the fulfillment of God's promises to Israel.

In this passage, Jesus teaches his disciples that his relationship with them will not end after his death; he will remain with them always. This unity between Jesus and his disciples is the basis for their ability to continue to do the work that he began. Similarly, Jesus' presence with us through the Gift of the Holy Spirit enables us to continue the work of love and reconciliation that he began.

Jesus also teaches his disciples about the importance of the words he has taught to them. Just as Jesus will remain in the disciples, so too will his words. We come to know Jesus through the Scriptures, the living Word of God. Our commitment to be Christ's disciples is sustained through God's Word. This commitment is also strengthened by our life of prayer and nourished by the Eucharist. Through the Eucharist, Jesus dwells in us, remains with us, and transforms us so that we might bear fruit in his name.

We observe many people who act in ways that show their commitment to serve their neighbor. Christians and non-Christians feed the hungry, care for the sick, shelter the homeless, and give alms to the poor. These actions become acts of Christian discipleship when they are motivated by our relationship with Jesus. Whatever the immediate results, Jesus promises us that these actions will bear fruit when we undertake them in his name.

Taken from: 04/28/2024, 5th Sunday of Easter - Year B

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SCRIPTURE READINGS

April 28, Sunday

Acts 9:26-31
Psalm 22:26-27, 28, 30-32
1John 3:18-24 John 15:1-8

April 29, Monday

St. Catherine of Siena

Acts 14:5-18
Psalm 115:1-4, 15-16
John 14:21-26

April 30, Tuesday

Saint Pius V, Pope

Acts 14:19-28
Psalm 145:10-13ab, 21
John 14:27-31a

May 1, Wednesday

Saint Joseph the Worker

Acts 15:1-6
Psalm 122:1-5
John 15:1-8

May 2, Thursday

**Saint Athanasius, Bishop,
Doctor of the Church**

Acts 15:7-21
Psalm 96:1-3, 10
John 15:9-11

May 3, Friday

Saints Philip and James Apostles

1Corinthians 15:1-8
Psalm 19:2-5
John 14:6-14

May 4, Saturday

Acts 16:1-10
Psalm 100:1b-2, 3, 5
John 15:18-21

Financials

April 22, 2024

Offertory	\$1,623.00
Candles	25.62
Latin Mass	176.00
Food Bank	15.00
Donation	11.00
Mass Intention	10.00
Priest Retirement	519.00
St. Joseph	300.00
TOTAL	\$2,669.62

Prayer of the Month

**An Act of Consecration
to the Blessed Virgin Mary**

Holy Mary, Mother of God and Virgin, I choose thee this day for my queen, patron, and advocate, and firmly resolve and purpose never to abandon thee, never to say or do anything against thee, nor to permit that aught be done by others to dishonor thee. Receive me, then, I conjure thee, as thy perpetual servant; assist me in all my actions, and do not abandon me at the hour of my death. Amen. — *St. John*

Berchmans

Pray for Healing

Charla Irvine * Alfred Micallef
 Jan Malinowski * Ann Duffin
 Fr. Alapaki Kim * Peter Vana II,
 Makai Vana * Edward Micallef
 Felicia Hanohano * Dave Hadaller
 Brandon Correa * Sarah Marie
 Patrick Eastman * Benny Davis
 Delbert Jackson * Don Adkins
 Deborah Kranson * Tim Weimer *
 Leslie DeRego * Melinda LaCaille *
 Debe Brandenburger
 Victor Bestamente



Couples are invited to attend a World Wide Marriage Encounter Sharing Group on Sunday, 4/28/24, 2:30-4:30pm at St Joseph Catholic Church in Hilo Contact WWMEBigIsland@gmail.com or 808.478.6071 for more information.

The ROSARY may not be in the BIBLE but surely the BIBLE is in the ROSARY

let's find at least 1,000,000 Catholics who pray Rosary Daily on Facebook!

The JOYFUL MYSTERIES

- e Annunciation (Luke 1:26-38)*
- e Visitation (Luke 1:40-56)*
- e Nativity (Luke 2:6-20)*
- e Presentation of Jesus (Luke 2:21-39)*
- e Finding of Jesus in the Temple (Luke 2:41-51)*

The LUMINOUS MYSTERIES

- The Baptism of Jesus (Mat. 3:13-17, Mark 1:9-11)*
- The Wedding at Cana (John 2:1-11)*
- The Proclamation of the Kingdom of God (Mat 4:13-17, 23-25)*
- The Transfiguration (Luke 9:25=8-35, Mat. 17:1-8)*
- The Institution of the Eucharist (Luke 22:14-20, Mat 26:26-28)*

The SORROWFUL MYSTERIES

- e Agony in the Garden (Mat. 26:36-46)*
- e Scouring at the pillar (Mat. 27:26)*
- e Crowning with thorns (Mat. 27:29)*
- e Carrying of the Cross (John 19:17)*
- e Crucifixion (Luke 23:33-46)*

The GLORIOUS MYSTERIES

- The Resurrection (Luke 24:1-12)*
- The Ascension (Luke 24:50-51)*
- The Descent of the Holy Spirit (Acts 2:1-4)*
- The Assumption of Mary into heaven (Rev 12:1-17)*
- The Coronation of Mary as Queen of heaven and earth (Rev. 12:1)*

April Pope Francis Intention

For the role of women We pray that the dignity and immense value of women be recognized in every culture, and for the end of discrimination that they experience in different parts of the world.

Fifth Sunday of Easter

In today's Gospel, Jesus says that God is glorified when a disciple, grafted in Christ, produces abundantly and bears much fruit. The disciple must then be a good steward of that abundance.

SACRED HEART CHURCH PAHOA
APRIL 2024

April 27/28 Fifth Sunday of Easter

Saturday: 4:00 pm – 5:30 pm Sunday Vigil Holy Mass
Sunday Holy Mass – Sunday: 7:30 am 10:00 am

April 29

11:00 am Holy Mass

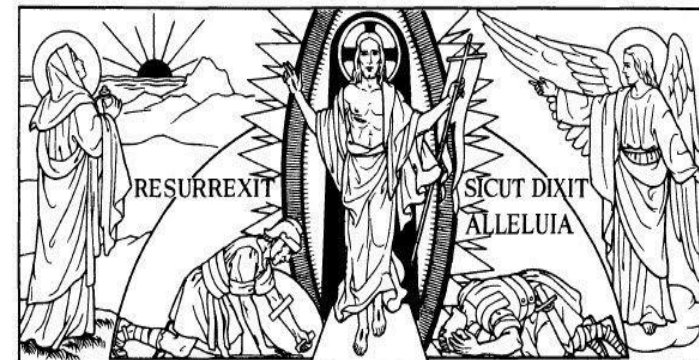
May 1: Wednesday Mass 11:00 AM
Start of the May Block Rosary

May 2:
8:00 AM Mass

May 3: First Friday
 7:30 am Meditated Rosary
 8:00 am Holy Mass and Holy Hour
 4:00 pm Holy Mass at Kalapana

May 4: First Saturday
 8:00 am Meditated Rosary
 8:30 am Mass in Honor of Our Lady

May 4 & 5: Sixth Sunday of Easter
 4:00 pm – 5:30 pm / 7:30 am – 10:00 am



Marion Month of May

The month of May is the "month which the piety of the faithful has especially dedicated to Our Blessed Lady," and it is the occasion for a "moving tribute of faith and love which Catholics in every part of the world [pay] to the Queen of Heaven. During this month Christians, both in church and in the privacy of the home, offer up to Mary from their hearts an especially fervent and loving homage of prayer and veneration. In this month, too, the benefits of God's mercy come down to us from her throne in greater abundance" (Paul VI: Encyclical on the [Month of May](#), no. 1).

This Christian custom of dedicating the month of May to the Blessed Virgin arose at the end of the 13th century. In this way, the Church was able to Christianize the secular feasts which were wont to take place at that time. In the 16th century, books appeared and fostered this devotion.

The practice became especially popular among the members of the Jesuit Order — by 1700 it took hold among their students at the Roman College and a bit later it was publicly practiced in the Gesu Church in Rome. From there it spread to the whole Church.

The practice was granted a partial indulgence by Pius VII in 1815 and a plenary indulgence by Pius IX in 1859. With the complete revision of indulgences in 1966 and the decreased emphasis on specific indulgences, it no longer carries an indulgence; however it certainly falls within the category of the First General Grant of Indulgences. (A *partial indulgence* is granted to the faithful who, in the performance of their duties and in bearing the trials of life, raise their mind with humble confidence to God, adding — even if only mentally — some pious invocation.

Excerpted from *Enchiridion of Indulgences*.

The Call to The Call to Stewardship

Janan Malinowski

The Gospel of Matthew tells us that when we come to the end of times, if we have been good stewards of the gifts God has given us, He will say to us "Well done, good and faithful servant. You have been faithful over a little; I will set you over much. Enter into the joy of your master" (Mt:25;21).

In Sacred Heart parish, there are a number of "good and faithful servants" who without much notice from the rest of us keep our church buildings and grounds looking clean and lovely. These are the members of Physical Environment, Grounds and Building Maintenance Ministries.

Those who cut the grass, trim the bushes, and keep the cemetery clean and orderly are led by 89 year old Uncle Victor Bestamente who has been serving our parish in this ministry since he was a young teen. When asked some years ago why he continues to do this work, Uncle Victor responded that he has a six figure paycheck: "CHRIST"! Over the years he has inspired many others to follow in his footsteps. Currently those include: Patrick Aniban, Joe Atalig, Tom Higgins, Howard Konanui, Norman Kramer, Robert Torres, and Ross Moodie We gratefully thank them for their careful stewardship of our parish grounds which welcome us in each time we visit the church or hall.

Keeping our aging buildings in good repair is a huge task the is undertaken by our Building and Maintenance ministry. In recent times they have reroofed Avery Hall, gotten our church power washed and tented for termites, and refurbished the rectory, among many other tasks. This ministry includes Lenny Admalen, Carl Beavers, Issac Carvalho, Bill Cesaletti, Sonny Gamiao, Tom Higgins, Jim Manion, Chris Spatz, Xavier Tablit, Sebastien Tablit, Robert Torres, Aaron Walker, Dwight Walker, and all the people who donated food and water to sustain the workers. We are very thankful for their dedicated work which keeps us safe and dry during our liturgical and social celebrations.

If you have skills or tools which would be helpful in these ministries, and would like to be among the "good and faithful" servants when your time comes, please contact: for Grounds Maintenance Robert Torres at 808-345-7974 ; or Building Maintenance Jim Manion at 1-760-805-2251.