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Adult Catechism (Studying Catholicism)

Sacred Heart Social Media Platforms

You can visit these sites for information, events, prayers, readings and beautiful postings of our parish

www.pahoasacredheart.org on Instagram at

https://www.instagram.com/sacredheartpahoa/ Facebook

/ https://www.facebook.com/Sacred-Heart-Church-Pahoa-125502825511053/

Would you be interested in helping with our monthly bills?

Utilities, insurances, taxes, donations towards buying gas, oil, for lawn equipment, weed control, helping with expenses for meditation trail. These are ways to help. Thank you.





Weekly sunset dinner with prime rib BBQ Buffet, live country music, dancing and other activities.

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MISSION STATEMENT

We, the people of Sacred Heart Parish in Pahoa, 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.

SACRED HEART CHURCH

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The Feast of the Holy Family - Lectionary A (12-28-25)

Trust is the foundation of every human relationship. We initially learn how to engage in relationships through our families. Consequently, healthy living in a family requires compassion, humility and patience. Relationships require respect and gentle kindness. The natural occurrence of misunderstanding and conflict, often by-products of family relationships, can cause us frustration and pain. The only cure for this problem is trust. As we celebrate this Christmas season and commemorate Jesus' entry into the world, we reflect on His entry into our lives, and we must allow the love He brings to overflow in our hearts to flow over the people closest to us, our family and friends. It is this love, a force which can transcend conflict and tragedy, that serves as the theme for the readings of this Sunday's celebration.

In the first reading from Sirach, we are urged to respect our parents. Sirach teaches that showing honor one's father and mother makes up for our sins. The virtues that flow from devotion to your parents are humility, faith, and love. These qualities were always praised by Jesus in the Gospels. The foundation of a healthy family life is marked by this kind of moral strength when it is exercised by both parents and children alike. We are reminded that we can avoid family conflict and even correct painful mistakes when we act out these virtues.

In Paul's letter to the Colossians, the Apostle urges us to treat one another with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness, and patience. He reminds his audience and us that we have been admitted into the Body of Christ, the Church, through the forgiveness of our sins. Therefore, we should, in gratitude, extend that grace to each other. We are members of one family: a family of believers. We are not perfect, but we are forgiven and to honor this gift we must be willing to bestow that grace to one another.

The Gospel reading from Matthew tells the story of how Joseph is guided by God to protect his family. Joseph, the Husband of Mary, is guided by God through dreams. Like Joseph in the Book of Genesis, these dreams ultimately lead to the protection and salvation of a family. This Gospel passage is teaching us that God is willing to guide each of us in our family interactions to preserve the bond we share with the people closest to us.

In this season of Christmas, as we celebrate and commemorate the coming of God into our world and into our lives, we reflect on the example set for us by the Holy Family. We are reminded that humility and love help to heal the mistakes we have made. We are urged to show gratitude for the graces we have been given by extending forgiveness to others. Finally we are assured of God's help to sustain and preserve the bonds which connect us as family and as Church.

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SCRIPTURE READINGS

Sunday, December 28, 2025 The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

Sirach, 3:2-6, 12-14 Psalm 128:1-5 Colossians 3:12-21 Matthew 2:13-15, 19-23

Monday, December 29, 2025 Fifth day within the Octave of the **Nativity of the Lord** 1 John 2:3-11 Psalm 96:1-3, 5b-6

Tuesday, December 30, 2025 The Sixth Day Within the Octave of the **Nativity of the Lord**

1John 2:3-11 Psalm 96:1-3, 5b-6 Luke 2:22-35 Luke 2:22-35

Wednesday, December 31, 2025 Seventh Day within the Octave of the nativity of the Lord

1John 2:18-21 Psalm 06:1-2, 11- 13 John 1:1-18

Thursday, January 1, 2026 **Solemnity of Mary** the Holy Mother of God

Numbers 6:22-27 Psalm 67:2-3, 5-6, 8 Galatians 4:4-7 Luke 2:16-21

Friday, January 2, 2026 Saints Basil the Great and Gregory Nazianzen, Bishops, **Doctors of the Church**

> 1John 2:22-28 Psalm 98:1-4 John 1:19-28

Financials December 22, 2025

Offertory \$1,835.00 Candles 51.36 Latin Mass 139.00 My Christmas Gift \$9,930.00 Repairs and Maintenance 88.00 Flowers 60.00

Feast of the Immaculate

Christmas Novena

Conception Christmas 40.00

Retirement for the Religious

10.00

1,342.00

50.00

Frozen Raw Steaks 30.00

Landscape and Grounds 40.00

Donation 104.00

TOTAL \$13,719.36

Saturday, January 3, 2026 The Most Holy Name of Jesus

1John 2:29-3:6 Psalm 98:1, 3c-6 John 1:29-34

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Sacrament of Baptism Enrichment 2026 Sacrement of Baptism Gathering

Goals:

To be able to connect with parents/godparents on their responsibility of shaping the faith, spiritual growth and journey of their children.

To encourage parents to live their Christian Catholic Marriage or to provide a pathway for couples to seek marriage in the church

Presenter: Deacon Jerome Bettencourt

Task: Presentation, Prayer, Potluck and Time for fellowship

When: Saturday January 10 after 5:30PM Mass

Who: Participants (Baptismal Recipients from 2018-2025)

Families who had baptismal between 2018 and 2025

Bring: Please bring a dish to share so we can partake in fellowship

RSVP: Scan the QR code to RSVP



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SACRED HEART CHURCH – PĀHOA January 2026

Dec 27/28, 2025 – Holy Family Sunday

Saturday: 4pm – 5:30pm Sunday: 7:30am – 10am

Dec. 29, 2025, Monday 11am – Holy Mass

> Dec. 30, 2025, Tuesday 11am: Holy Mass

Dec. 31, 2025, Wednesday 8:30am – Thanksgiving for the graces received in the past year.

Jan. 01, 2026, Thursday
Solemnity of the Motherhood of Mary
New Civil Year
8:30am Holy Mass
Invocation of the Holy Spirit for the New Year

Jan. 02, 2026: First Friday 8:00am – Holy Hour after Holy Mass 4:00pm – Holy Mass at Kalapana

Jan. 03, 2026: First Saturday 8:30am – Holy Mass

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Pray for Healing

Charla Irvine * Alfred Micallef
Mike & Jan Malinowski
Peter Vana II * Makai Vana
Edward Micallef + Darlyne Fujimoto
Sarah Marie * June Kropfelder
Brandon Correa * Felicia Hanohano
Patrick Eastman * Wenny Davis
Delbert Jackson * Tim Weimer
Leslie DeRego * Melinda La Caille
Debe Brandenburger * Roseanne Leiner
Cynthia Maguire * Emily Souza
Tim Gust

December

For Christians in areas of conflict

Let us pray that Christians living in areas of war or conflict, especially in the Middle East, might be seeds of peace, reconciliation, and hope.

Holy Family

Joseph's obedience to God was not a one-time thing. His attention to the angel's warning kept Jesus from being murdered by Herod and led to the fulfillment of the prophecy that the Messiah would be a Nazorean. Fidelity to God's will assure the best









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Aloha! Greetings from St. Joseph School.

I am pleased to share some good news with our parish community. **Great things are happening at St. Joseph School**, and our students are celebrating many successes both academically, through service to their community, and in their faith formation. We are excited to build on this positive momentum by sharing a new opportunity for our parish families.

For parish families who have considered enrolling their children at St. Joseph School but found the cost difficult to manage, we are happy to announce that the **Parishioner Tuition Assistance Program is being reinstated.** This program is designed to help parishioners afford a strong, well-rounded Catholic education—one that forms students academically while grounding them in faith and values rooted in our Catholic tradition.

In addition, we are grateful to share that **tuition will not be raised for the 2026–2027 school year**, reaffirming our commitment to keeping Catholic education accessible to our parish families.

Parents interested in learning more are encouraged to attend Parishioners' Day at St. Joseph School on Sunday, January 25, 2026, from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in the St. Joseph School Gym. Information will be shared about the tuition assistance program and how families may qualify.

St. Joseph School offers religion and theology at every grade level, and students have the opportunity to prepare for all of their sacraments while enrolled. We take great pride in our continued commitment to strong and consistent religious education.

We invite you to prayerfully consider this opportunity for your family and to learn more about how St. Joseph School can partner with you in your child's education.

Wishing you a blessed Nativity and a grace-filled New Year.

Mahalo and God bless, ⚠ Maile Kipapa