

PARISH REGISTRATION

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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

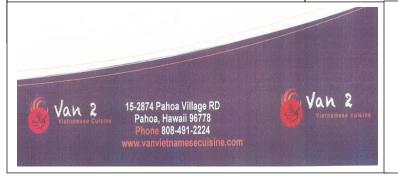
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Would you be interested in helping with our monthly bills?

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 Christ the King – Lectionary C
Deacon Jerome Bettencourt

On this Sunday we celebrate the feast of Christ the King. The marks the end of the liturgical year and precedes the season of Advent. In history, the king was a figure that unified the nation. This was a person of great authority and power who held the fate of his subjects in his hands. Jesus Christ fulfills all these roles for us and more. The main difference between Jesus and a traditional king lies in how he achieves this place in our lives. The readings this Sunday explain how Christ has become our King.

In the Second Book of Samuel the passage describes how David was accepted as king by the people of Israel and unified his kingdom. The Israelite Saul was originally anointed king by Samuel to reign over both Judah and Israel. When he was rejected by God, Samuel was anointed David as King. This began a struggle that split the kingdom in two. The Judeans accepted David and protected him while the Israelites remained loyal to Saul. When Saul died in battle against the Philistines, the elders of the Israelite tribes meet David in Hebron and accept him as their king and David was anointed a second time. Jesus becomes our king when we accept him. As the elders reminded themselves of what David did for them when the kingdom was united, we too must remember how Jesus has touched our lives and receive him as our king.

The passage from Paul's letter to the Colossians lists the ways Jesus has saved us and deserves our devotion. Jesus has delivered us from darkness, redeemed us from sin and has made us welcome in the Kingdom of Heaven. Jesus has a power and authority that existed from the beginning of time, and yet he attains our salvation through his passion on the Cross. If Jesus is King, then his throne is the cross. How can we reject and turn away from one who has made such a sacrifice for our benefit? The kingship of Christ is revealed in this mystery.

The Gospel passage tells a story of this passion. On the cross Jesus is mocked by the crowd. They taunt him to show his power by saving himself. The Romans mock him and the crowd by placing a sign over His head declaring Him to be the King of the Jews. As one of the men condemned at his side insults Jesus, the other accepts his own guilt acknowledging Jesus' innocence. Our Lord promises the man that he will enter paradise. Jesus saved the repentant criminal showing power through mercy. For this he is mocked and ridiculed, not just by the crowd at the foot of the cross but often by people of every age since. Jesus does not show power in the way our world recognizes. He does not exert his authority through revenge or terror but reveals it through love and sacrifice.

Jesus Christ is the person who unites us through love into one body we know as the Church. He is the firstborn of creation, the model and template for all that exists, and yet he took redeem us through His sacrifice. We are saved through our relationship with Jesus. He leads us from darkness into the light of God's kingdom. Jesus Christ is truly King. If he is to be our king, we must accept Him. We can do this when we confess our guilt and ask for his mercy in the hope that we too will meet Jesus in paradise.

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SCRIPTURE READINGS

November 23 Sunday

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe
2Samuel 5:1-3 Psalm 122:1-5
Colossians 1:12-20 Luke 23:35-43

November 24, Monday

Saint Andrew Dung-Lac, Priest and Companions, Martyrs Daniel 1:1-6,8-20 (Ps) Daniel 3:52-56 Luke 21:1-4

November 25 Tuesday

Saint Catherine, of Alexandria, Virgin Daniel 2:31-45 (Ps)Daniel 3:57-61 Luke 21:5-11

November 26, Wednesday

Daniel 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28 (Ps) Daniel 3:62-67 Luke 21:12-19

November 27, Thursday

Daniel 6:12-28 (Ps) Daniel 3:68-74 Luke 21:20-28

November 28, Friday

Daniel 7:2-14 (Ps) Daniel 3:75-81 Luke 21:29-33

November 29, Saturday

Daniel 7:15-17 (Ps) Daniel 3:82-8 7 Luke 21:34-36

Financials November 17, 2025

Offertory	\$2,004.69
Candles	35.25
Latin Mass	212.00
All Souls	265.00
Campaign for Human	
Development	240.00
Repair and Maintenance	
	1,545.00
Lau Lau Sales	225.00
Burial Service	300.00
Mass Intention	60.00
Baptism	50.00
Ohana in Christ	150.00
Christmas	100.00
Donation	20.00



\$5,206.94

TOTAL



Annual Christmas Fair - December 6, 2025

Lunch Plates - \$\$20.00 Serving 10AM to 1PM

8 oz Boneless New York Steak, Rice, Potato/Mac Salad, Corn, Dessert
Spareribs, Chicken Adobo, Rice, Pancit, Dessert
Tickets are available for sale at all the masses.

Lau Lau Sale

Lau Lau is available for sale at every mass. They are 3 for \$25.00. Sales will continue until our Christmas Fair. They are also available at the office.

Bake Sale

We are having a bake sale at our Christmas Fair. We'll need to have baked goods to sell. Please, everyone, bring what you can, it can be spam musubi, pickles, preserves, cakes, breads, and cookies. We will be accepting donations on Friday, December 5, and morning of December 6, the fair Day.

Produce and Plant Sale

If you have produce and plants we can sell at our Christmas Fair, please bring. We can use any kind produce, flowers, fruits and vegetables for us to sell.

Tables to Rent

Tables are available to rent at our Christmas Fair. The price for each table is \$25. You may not sell baked goods as the parish will have bake goods for sale.

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SACRED HEART PAHOA - HOLY YEAR 2025

HOLY YEAR

November - December 2025

November 22 / 23: CHRIST THE KING SUNDAY

> Sat: 4:00 pm - 5:30 pm Sun: 7:30 am - 10:00 am

November 24 & 26: 11:00 am November 27 – 28: 8:00 am November 29 : 8:30 am (TLM)

Nov. 29, 2025, Saturday

Anticipated Mass with Blessing and Lighting of the Advent Wreath 4pm - 5:30pm Holy Mass

Nov. 30, 2025, Sunday First Sunday of Advent

7:30am - 10am - 12:30 TLM

Commissioning of Lectors

Inscription of the Catechumens

Dec 1 & 3: 11:00 am - Dec 4: 8:00am

Dec 5: 8:00am Holy Mass – 4:00pm Holy Mass Kalapana 6:00pm – 7:00pm: Community Adoration.

Dec 6 – No Morning Mass ANNUAL CHRISTMAS FAIR

Dec. 6/7, 2024, Sunday Second Sunday of Advent

Saturday: 4pm - 5:30pm **Sunday:** 7:30am - 10am

Pray for Healing

Charla Irvine * Alfred Micallef
Mike & Jan Malinowski * Ann Duffin
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 Liener

For the Prevention of Suicide

Let us pray that those who are struggling with suicidal thoughts might find the support, care, and love they need in their community, and be open to the beauty of life.

Christ the King Sunday

Today we celebrate Christ the King and are reminded that all was created through Him and for Him. Does my stewardship of the blessing entrusted to me give evidence that Christ is Lord of my life?



Kupuna Gift Giving

We are now gathering names of kupuna for the Christmas Gift giving. Please submit your names so we can process and get every one's names ready for the Advent Tree on November 29th. To get a form ask Sharen or finds it at the back of the church. Kupuna age range from 55 years old and over.

Toys for Tots

Gift giving for children ages newborn to 15 years old are still being accepted. Please check with Maila and Sharen if you need a form... Toys for Tots guidelines are to serve the underprivileged, at risk, and impoverished.



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Christ the King Sunday - Honoring the Sovereignty of Christ

As the Church's Liturgical Year draws to a close, Christ the King Sunday, celebrated on November 23, 2025, calls all believers to turn their eyes toward the true and eternal King — Jesus Christ. This feast, established by Pope Pius XI in 1925, was meant to remind a restless and divided world that peace and order can only reign when Christ is acknowledged as King of both hearts and nations.

This solemnity celebrates Christ's universal kingship — not a political reign, but a spiritual sovereignty rooted in love, mercy, and truth. In an age where pride and power often dominate human ambition, the image of Christ wearing a crown of gold reminds us that true authority comes through sacrifice and humility. His throne is the Cross, and His law is love. The feast also serves as a bridge to Advent, inviting the faithful to prepare for the coming of the King — not just in remembrance of His birth in Bethlehem, but in anticipation of His return in glory. As we honor Christ the King, we are called to let His reign take root in our homes, our choices, and our daily lives.

To proclaim "Viva Cristo Rey!" — "Long live Christ the King!" — is to declare our loyalty not to worldly rulers, but to the One whose kingdom shall have no end.

Reflection:

May this Christ the King Sunday remind us that every act of charity, forgiveness, and justice is a step toward His kingdom. As the Church year concludes, let every heart echo the ancient cry of faith: "Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done."

Sacred Heart Annual Christmas Party December 20, 2025 6:00PM – After the 5:30 Mass

Everyone is invited. There will be gift giving for keiki and kupuna. If you haven't fill out the forms for a gift, you will find the forms at the back of the church. Time is crucial as our Advent tree will be going up on the 1st Sunday of Advent. Parishioners will then be able to take a card from the tree and shop for your gifts that will be distributed at our Christmas Party.

Our Christmas dinner main dishes will be Ham and Turkey and Lasagna.

Bring sides dishes to go with Ham, Turkey and Lasagna. Mash potatoes, Macaroni and Cheese, Salads of all kinds, Rolls, Stuffing, Sweet Potato dishes, soups, chowders, and Christmas desserts. Let's make our Christmas dinner something special.

We are working on some Christmas entertainment for the evening, it is still in the planning stages.

We want to make it an enjoyable fun filled evening.

Bring your ohana, bring your potluck and let's enjoy each other's company.



+* November 9, 2025 * Dedication of St. John Lateran+*



In conjunction with our Christmas Fair, you have an opportunity to bid on some brand new items. Below are pictures, descriptions and the value of each item being auctioned and a starting price. Items are displayed at the back of the church.



30" Electric Smoker \$\$299.00

3 adjustable racks
Large Capacity BBQ Meat Smoker
Water and Wood Trays for Smoking
Opening Bid:
\$100.00



1,000 BTU Portable Tabletop Propane Patio Heater \$149.99

- 11,000 BTUs & aluminum heat reflector distributes heat evenly
- Rotating dial control for convenience
- Safety Switch-Automatically shuts down the heater if knocked over Opening Bid \$50.00



24"Cleanburn Fire Pit \$299.99

Cuisinart 24" Cleanburn Smokeless Fire Pit with Removable Base for Ash, Portable Wood Burning Outdoor Fireplace, Stainless Steel Smoke Free Outdoor Heater, Enhanced Airflow and Easy Cleanup Opening Bid \$100.00