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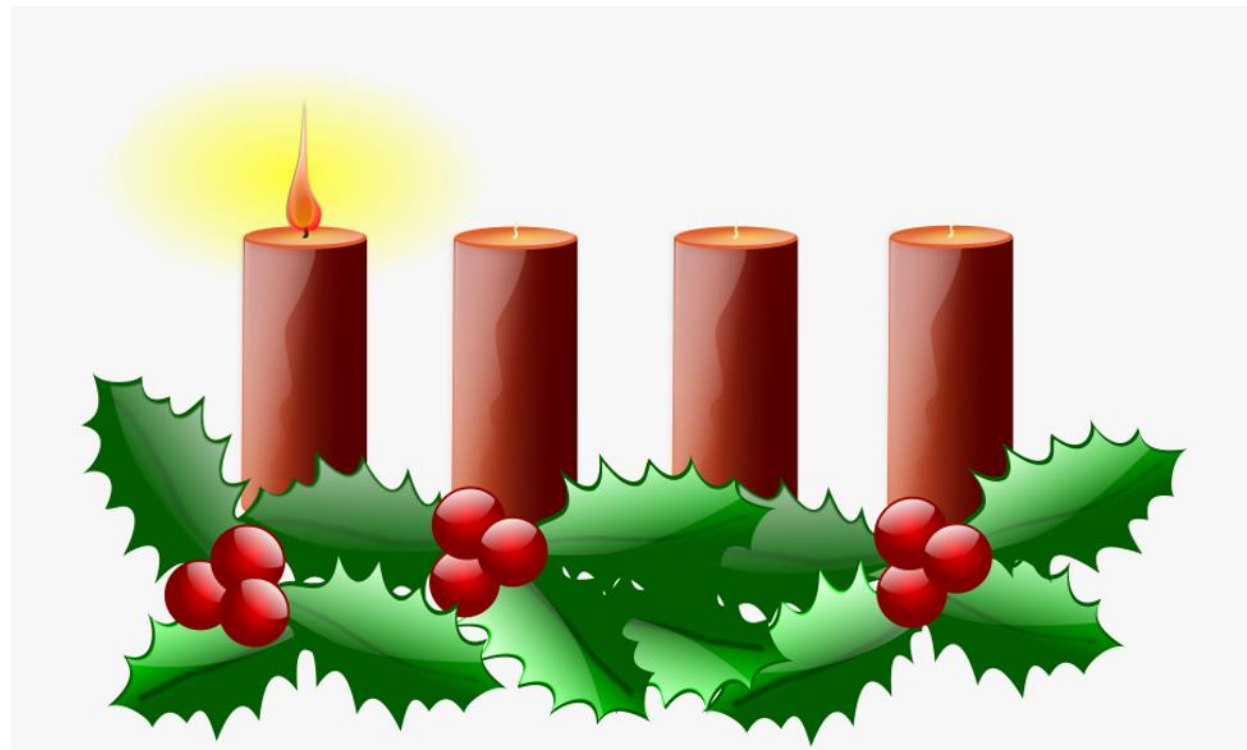
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- Annulments, Baptisms
- Blessings, Confirmation
- First Holy Communion
- Funerals, Hall Use
- Home Visits, Mass Intentions
- RCIA (Rites of Initiation)
- Adult Catechism (Studying Catholicism)
- Reconciliation, Religious Education
- Weddings, Youth

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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Facebook
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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 PARISH – PAHOA

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LIVING the WORDLIVING THE WORD

A Reflection on 1 Cor 1:3-9 and Mark 13:33-37

MY NEW YEAR WISH FOR YOU

January 1st is more than a month away but the real and important new year begins today. Rather than simply say this is a new liturgical year, let's see it as the start of our new year of personal, spiritual and moral growth. This will be completely different, more challenging and rewarding than January 1, 2021 will be. How so? Because today Jesus gives us a fresh start. He gives us countless opportunities throughout this new year to truly listen to his words, to imitate his mercy, compassion, love and good works, to grow and abide in him, to come to the threshold of death and rise to new life.

On this First Sunday of Advent the gospel is not taken from ancient prophecies foretelling the coming of the Messiah, nor from one of the nativity narratives. Today's gospel comes immediately before the recounting of Jesus' passion, death and resurrection. The message is loud, clear, challenging and appropriate for our first day of our new year of spiritual growth: *"Be watchful! Be alert! Watch!"*

To watch for Jesus is to be vigilant and ready. This new year let's give the Lord our undivided attention so he can guide us to a better life. In the first reading, St. Paul encourages us to use the spiritual gift we have already received thanks to his First Coming. In today's parable Jesus says that each person "has [their] own work" to do in the master's household. This new year let's be watchful by constantly striving to do God's will in our lives. We can all start by avoiding sin and partaking of the sacrament of reconciliation. By deepening our relationship with Jesus and imitating him by using our God given talents for the service and welfare of others. Let's grow as a both a faith 'ohana and personal family by building each other up, by making church and home a place of joy, understanding, forgiveness. and support. Let's be diligent and always ready to acknowledge Jesus and the power of the Holy Spirit in our lives. We can be alert by seeing and acknowledging, thanking and praising God for the many blessings showered upon us. We can be vigilant through the hard times and challenges by leaning on Jesus for support. We can be watchful and alert by opening our hearts when someone is hungry for kindness, thirsty for forgiveness, in need of being clothed in understanding, and when someone needs to be visited in their isolation or sadness.

Throughout this new year of personal, spiritual and moral opportunity let's always be watchful and alert to how God comes into our normal daily lives and leads us into the kingdom that is already present and is to come, and be diligent in doing our part.

Remembrance of All Souls Passed in 2020

Jesus, dear Savior, we prayerfully remember all our loved ones who have died.
Please give them comfort and hope and may they be at peace, knowing that they will rest in God's arms eternally.

WE REMEMBER

Tiffini Devonshire Pangilinan

Erin Farquhar

Juliet Jacquias

Constance Basilo (Auntie Connie)

William Kennedy

Santiago Jose Tadeo

Cayetano Julian

Simplicio Vermudez

Nathan Chang

KTA RECEIPTS

Please turn in your KTA receipts. These receipts will enabling us to redeem them for food items like; kalua pork, ham, cooked or raw shrimp, Goteburg sausage, Chorizo, mussels, oysters or Karage. It takes 700 points to get one of these items, so we encourage you all to please save your KTA receipts and turn them in so someone may be able to have something special for the holidays.

The eligible dates are November 27th to December 29th.

You may drop them in the offertory basket at the back of the church or bring them into the church office. Every little point will help. Mahalo!

Pray for Healing

* Shirley & Steve Torres *
 * Alfred Micallef
 * Jan Malinowski * Charla Irvine
 * Billy Kenoi * Sarah Marie
 * Anwar Payne * Tom Kutcher
 * Fr. Alapaki Kim * Gifara Alshouri
 * Alicia Galvan * Joseph Kealoha
 * Maile Palacat
 * Nyah Lacro * Odysseys Tafuna
 * Kathleen Matsuda
 * Peter Vana, II * Edward Micallef
 * Felicia Hanohano * Tom Sorcy *
 Gisela McGuire * Emiliano Francisco *
 Jaime Florendo * Damia Burns
 Michael Cunningham * Suzanne Cole
 * Ann Duffin*

POPE FRANCIS PRAYER INTENTIONS Artificial Intelligence

We pray that the progress of robotics and artificial intelligence may always serve humankind

First Sunday of Advent-B Cycle

We are the servants of God, each with his or her own task. We will be judged good stewards if, at His coming, He finds us ready and conscientiously pursuing the tasks to which we have been called.

SACRED HEART PARISH - PAHOA

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CHRISTMAS STEAK FRY

Saturday, December 5, 2020, 10:00am – 1:00pm

Drive thru & curb side pick up

15-3003 Pahoa Village Rd., Pahoa

Menu:

8oz. New York steak, rice, potato, mixed vegetables,
 bread pudding

DONATION \$15.00

Tickets for our Annual Steak Plate are available for purchase.

Next week December 5th is our BBQ Steak Fry Fundraiser. This year we will do drive thru and pick up at curb side. We will also do walk ins if you prefer.

Your steak is grilled and accompanied by rice, a baked potato, mixed vegetables and a slice of bread pudding for dessert. This fundraiser is to help our parish with income to meet our daily expenses.

If you haven't gotten a ticket, see Sharen at the back of the church, or see the office.

If you would like to donate towards the expenses of putting together our fundraiser, you may see the office or drop something in the collection basket and label it "Steak Fundraiser".

Your kokua in any way will be greatly appreciated.

Please refer to the cover for phone numbers and email address to contact us for any questions and more information you might need in order to help us, drop off Giving Tree names, or need our assistance.
 Mahalo.

Holy Communion & Confirmation December 8th 10:00 AM Mass

Nishalynn Valenzuela
 Aliyah Salazar-Manalo
 Alike Likiche
 Liwant Likiche
 Jhoanne Fernandez
 Toantan Likiche
 Larisha Likiche-Kaiko
 Lakwisha Likiche-Kaiko
 Anna Sophia Martin
 Luke Martin

Confirmation: December 15, 10 AM Mass

Shannashsea Aki-Oili
 Shirenasea Aki-Oili
 Aaron Aughe
 Ziggy Baca
 Thomas Baca
 Damia Burns
 Chantelle Fernandez
 Alton Olper
 Joshua Ramo
 Chantelle Ramo
 Jomar Ramos
 Stanislaw Stack
 Amber Makino
 Lakeshia Likiche
 Viviana Flores
 Christian Acosta
 Casselyn Acosta

By Invitation Only

FINANCIAL REPORT

November 4, 2020

Offertory	\$1830.00
Candles	27.12
Latin	243.00
Mass Intentions	190.00
Donation- Steak Fry	100.00
Repair & Maintenance	58.00
World Mission Sunday	5.00
Diocesan Priest Retirement	20.00
Campaign for Human Development	54.00
Steak Fry	195.00
Filipino Mass	85.00
All Souls Day	145.00
Family Christmas	1,853.00
Christmas Flowers	5.00
Christmas Offering	20.00
Hawaii Tax Refund	57.16
Holy Land	5.00
Rice Bowl	5.00
First Offering	20.00
Catholic Relief Fund	5.00
World Mission	5.00
Catholic Charities	5.00
TOTAL	\$4,927.28

SCRIPTURE READING

Sunday, November 29

Isaiah 63:16b-17, 19b; 64:2-7
Psalm 80:2-3, 15-16, 18-19
1 Corinthians 1:3-9

Monday, November 30

Romans 10:9-18
Psalm 19:8-11
Matthew 4:18-22

Tuesday, December 1

Isaiah 11:1-10
Psalm 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17
Luke 10:21-24

Wednesday, December 2

Isaiah 25:6-10a
Psalm 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5-6
Matthew 15:29-37

Thursday, December 3

Isaiah 26:1-6
Psalm 118:1, 8-9, 19-21, 25-27a
Matthew 7:21, 24-27

Friday, December 4

Isaiah 29:17-24
Psalm 27:1, 4, 13-14
Matthew 9:27-31

Saturday, December 5

Isaiah 30:19-21, 23-26
Psalm 147:1-6
Matthew 9:35, 10:1, 6-8

BISHOP LARRY'S DISPENSATION UPDATE

“Since mid-March through October 31, 2020 I have issued a dispensation from the obligation to attend Mass on Sundays in order to prevent the spread of COVID-19. I am hereby extending that dispensation from the obligation to attend Mass on Sundays and holy days of obligation through December 31, 2020. As I do so, however, I urge everyone who is able to return to Mass, without undue risks to their health or the health of others, to do so. Please note that in the Diocese of Honolulu, besides all Sundays, the holy days of obligation are the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception on Tuesday, December 8; and Christmas on Friday, December 25. Again, while all are dispensed from the obligation of attending, I urge you to do so if you can. It is highly recommended that those who do avail themselves of the dispensation substitute some other prayer experience so that worship of God does not lose its primary focus in our lives.”



2020 Parish Giving Tree

Sacred Heart Parish, Pahoia yearly pays special attention to our kupuna and our keiki, that they may have a nice Christmas with presents. We are now collecting names of families and kupuna that you would like to see receive gifts, including your own families. Submit the names, gender and ages of children 17 and under, addresses and phone numbers. If you don't have their information, your information will work so we have a point of reference. Drop your requests in the donation boxes located at the back of the church or at the church office. Names should be submitted by the beginning of Advent which is November 29th. Christmas card envelopes with the names will be placed on the Giving Tree. During Advent, parishioners may choose families from the Giving Tree to whom they wish to gift. The envelopes will only identify the age, gender and number of people in the household.

December 5th Bake Sale



We will also be having a Bake Sale in conjunction with our BBQ Steak Fry.

Inviting all our bakers and participants to mark your calendar and plan for this occasion. We will accept all sweets, baked, steamed, fried, cooked and refrigerated. You may bring your goodies to the Avery Hall on Saturday morning. If you wish to help manning the tables, please call or speak to Nancy Robbins, 9650133.

SACRED HEART ONLINE CHRISTMAS FAIR

In light of our current situation with COVID-19 and all of the restrictions that we have to adhere to keep ourselves and our loved ones safe, we are planning to engage in a new venture to help our parish.

If you have things that you would like to donate to the parish, you would take a picture with your phone and send it to: shpahoa@gmail.com. We will advertise the item on a social media forum, through the parish. The buyer will have to be present to pick their purchase at the church at which time payment will be collected.

Some of the suggested items are, plants, from vegetable seedlings to growing plants, to flowering plants. You may also donate dry goods, from kitchenware to tools and crafts. We cannot accept clothing. We will also take orders for food items from bake goods to cooked foods that you might want to cook/bake and advertise to sell on Sacred Heart's Online Christmas Fair.

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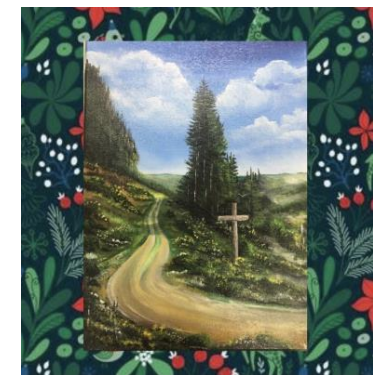
Buyer will contact SHC by selecting item and/or call 8089658202.

SHC will arrange for pick up and payment at church site during business hours or by appointment.

SHC shall make arrangement for items to be delivered to Church grounds for the transaction.

Call 8089658202 for questions, donations or sales.

Our online Christmas Fair offerings, too many to show on this page. Visit our Facebook page, browse through the binder in the church and office, call 8083658202. Your interest and recommendations are welcomed.



Row 1: Singer Serger. Serviced before posting for sale. Works well, \$100.

Cuisinart 12 cup coffee maker, built in coffee grinder, in it's original box. \$50.00.

Row 2: 3 strand Fresh Water Pearls \$100.00

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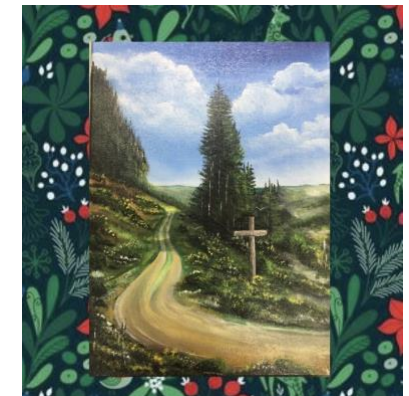
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