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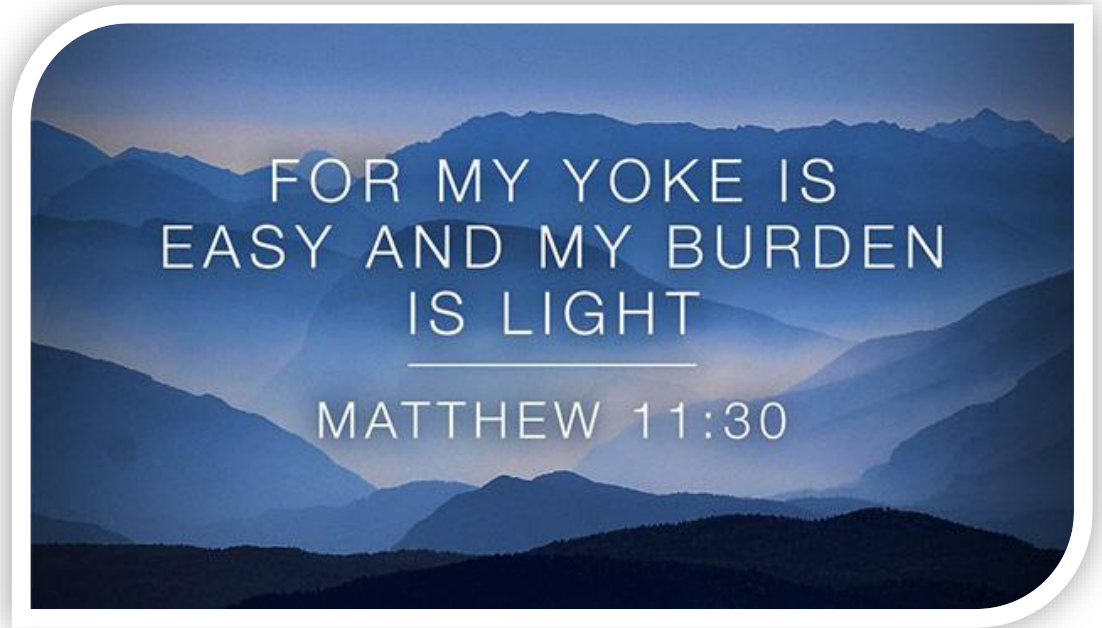
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MISSION STATEMENT

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 WORD

Matthew 11:25-30

TO REJECT OR TO ACCEPT?

In today's gospel Jesus is tired. He has been facing questioning, doubt, false accusations, opposition and rejection by the disciples of John the Baptist, the scribes, the Pharisees, and by others in part because he eats and drinks with sinners and tax collectors. (11:1-20) Jesus responds to them saying "...the blind receive their sight, the lame walk, the lepers are cleansed, the deaf hear, the dead are raised, the poor have good news brought to them, and blessed is anyone who takes no offense at me." (11:5-6)

In spite of all the rejection the bond between Father and Son is inseparable and intimate. Jesus praises his Father's works. What God has hidden from the scribes and Pharisees and all the others who reject Jesus is the significance of his works and deed that brings forth the Kingdom of God. This God has revealed to "the little ones", which refers to Jesus' followers: those who hear, see, and understand who Jesus truly is. Jesus extends an invitation to both those inside and outside of his circle of disciples to "Take my yoke upon you and learn from me: for I am gentle and humble in heart and you shall find rest for your souls." (11:29)

In the Torah, wisdom is found through the yokes of study, piety and following the law. Sadly, during the time of Jesus following the letter of the Law had become more important. The Pharisees especially, were obsessed by details and rituals rather than the true yoke and spirit of the Law which are justice and mercy. Those who deemed themselves wise because of these obsessions were in fact yoked to a crushing burden and blind to what God was offering them in and through Jesus.

The underlying question in today's gospel is what is wisdom, and where is it to be found? Whoever knows Jesus, knows the Father: this is the highest form of wisdom. Those who see and understand this are not necessarily the most learned, but rather, the marginalized little ones whose hearts and minds are truly open to Jesus and God's plan of salvation.

The invitation to bear the yoke of Jesus is a call to discipleship. Not only are we to learn from Jesus we are also to imitate Jesus in all we do. The yoke is for two, one side for us, the other side for Jesus. Discipleship is not easy but walking with Jesus makes it easier and lighter. Jesus reaches out to each of us: "Come to me..." (11:28) Will you reject or accept his loving and welcoming invitation?



SACRED HEART PARISH - PAHOA

BAKE SALE FUNDRAISER

Weekend bake sale was a huge success! A big "MAHALO" to Nancy Robbins for coordinating and setting up the bake sale.

Mahalo to everyone who provided wonderful sweets and treats to the bake sale, and to every volunteer for taking the time to set up, sell, and clean up at the event.

Thanks to your efforts we raised over \$500.

Pray for Healing

- * Shirley & Steve Torres *
- * Ben Beltran * Alfred Micallef
- * Jan Malinowski * Charla Irvine
- * Billy Kenoi * Sarah Marie
- * Anwar Payne * Tom Kutcher
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ATTENTION ALL FACEBOOK USERS

Fr. John is taking over the account. If you have a personal prayer intention that you would like to be remembered during the Holy Mass, please let us know in the comments or you can send a private message.

God Bless, Stay Safe & Healthy

FINANCIAL REPORT June 30th

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| Offertory | \$1,161.00 |
| Candles | \$11.30 |
| Latin Mass | \$2.00 |
| Thanksgiving | \$25.00 |
| Prayer Request | \$55.00 |
| Building & Maintenance | \$5.00 |
| Bake Sale | \$577.50 |
| Gift Shop | \$20.00 |
| Rice Bowl | \$115.00 |
| TOTAL: | \$1,971.80 |

POPE FRANCIS PRAYER INTENTIONS

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MASS SCHEDULE

There are still seats available at the following Masses. You can reserve your seat by contacting Liz Morgan at shpahoasocialmedia@gmail.com or call 965.1694.

Saturday: 4:00pm & 6:00pm

Sunday: 7:30am

Monday: 11:30am & 5:30pm

Wednesday: 11:30am

SCRIPTURE READING

Sunday, July 5th
Zechariah 9:9-10
Psalm 145:1-2, 8-11, 13-14
Roman 8:9; 11-13

Monday, July 6th
Hosea 2:16, 17b-18, 21-22
Psalm 145:2-9
Matthew 9:8-26

Tuesday, July 7th
Hosea 8:4-7, 11-13
Psalm 115:3-7b, 8-10
Matthew 9:32-38

Wednesday, July 8th
Hosea 10:1-3, 7-8, 12
Psalm 105:2-7
Matthew 10:1-7

Thursday, July 9th
Hosea 11:1-4, 8c-9
Psalm 80:2ac, 3b, 15-16
Matthew 10:7-15

Friday, July 10th
Hosea 14:2-10
Psalm 51:3-4, 8-9, 12-14, 17
Matthew 10:16-23

Saturday, July 11th
Isaiah 6:1-8
Psalm 93:1-2, 5
Matthew 10:24-33

STEWARDSHIP

“Let all Your works give You thanks, Oh Lord, and let Your faithful one bless You,” says the psalmist. Stewardship is this “attitude of gratitude” for the many gifts God has given us.

see Psalm 145

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SCHEDULE ARE AS FOLLOWS

JULY 10th, 24th, and 31st

AUGUST 14th, 21st, 28th

**SACRED HEART PARISH
ANNOUNCEMENT**



Effective July 1, 2020, due to the low attendance at the below Masses coupled with the manpower and sanitizing procedures, we have regrettably had to cancel these Masses.

- **Friday, 11:30 am**
- **Sunday, 4:00 pm**

For those who have reserved any of these Masses, you should have received a call from the Task Force team. If you have not, please email, shpahoasocialmedia@gmail.com or call Liz Morgan at 808.965.1694.

SACRED HEART CHURCH
PAHOA, HAWAII
July 1, 2020

TERMS and CONDITIONS for RETURNING to CHURCH

In response to the COVID-19 pandemic, the Sacred Heart Pahoia "E Komo Mai" task force team has carefully formulated the following **Terms and Conditions** for attending Mass based on the directives of the CDC, the State of Hawaii, Hawaii County, Bishop Larry Silva, and the dictates of common sense. We must inform you and your family that Sacred Heart Church cannot guarantee your safety from COVID-19 pandemic. We are all at risk by attending Mass. If you feel hesitant coming to Mass, **stay home**.

Please be aware on June 13, 2020, Bishop Larry Silva extended the dispensation from the obligation to attend Sunday Mass through August 31, 2020. This will allow those who are not comfortable attending Mass at this time to stay away with a clear conscience. Masses will continue to be live-streamed on television and the internet. Before June 30, Bishop will evaluate whether or not to further extend the dispensation.

BEFORE MAKING A MASS RESERVATION

The limited number of seats at each Mass will be filled by advance reservation. Before making a reservation click on the following links to read and follow the information on "How to Protect Yourself and Others" from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and the State of Hawaii.

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/prevent-getting-sick/prevention.html>

<https://health.hawaii.gov/coronavirusdisease2019/what-you-can-do/how-to-prevent-the-spread-of-covid-19/>

<https://hawaiiicovid19.com/guidance-for-everyone/>

Older adults and people with severe underlying medical conditions like heart or lung disease, diabetes, or compromised immune system can be at higher risk for developing serious complications from COVID-19 illnesses. If you have any of these or other various medical conditions, **stay home**.

MASS RESERVATIONS WILL BEGIN JULY 1, 2020

Due to the lack of attendees, note that the Mass times have changed, the new schedule is as follows:

Saturday: 8:30 am (Latin Mass) 4:00 pm and 6:00 pm
Sunday: 7:30 am, 10:00 am, 4:00 pm (Latin Mass)
Monday: 11:30 am and 5:30 pm
Wednesday: 11:30am

Because the **maximum capacity** of our church is **40 persons** you can only select one particular day and time per week to attend Mass during the pandemic. For example, if you select Wednesday at 11:30am you will have a reserved seat for Mass every Wednesday at 11:30 until August 31, 2020. You cannot change the day or the time so make certain of your selection.

If you are retired or are staying at home, please select a weekday Mass time as that will allow people who work during the week to attend a week-end Mass.

MAKING A MASS RESERVATION

To attend Mass, you need to make reservation. Please email Liz Morgan at shpahoasocialmedia@gmail.com or call 808.965.1694 and state the day and time you want to attend Mass.

WHAT HAPPENS WHEN I ARRIVE AT CHURCH?

1. Please plan to arrive at church at least **20 minutes** prior to the beginning of Mass.
2. **No one** will be seated later than 10 minutes after Mass begins.
3. Please park in every other stall in the parking lot to maintain 6 ft. social distancing unless you are from the same household. **No gathering of groups in the parking lot before or after Mass**. If you arrive early, please stay in your vehicle. Due to the sanitization process we will only seat people 20 minutes before Mass time.
4. **YOU MUST WEAR YOUR MASK UPON LEAVING YOUR VEHICLE. If you cannot wear a mask for the duration of the Mass you should NOT ATTEND. A mask must be worn and social distancing practices adhered to from the time you leave your car till the time you return to your car after Mass.**
5. Just like in places of business, please follow social distancing while waiting in line to enter the portico. Distances will be marked on the walkways, the portico and church floors with ushers there to help direct you.
6. An usher will be present on each side of the portico, the middle entry to the portico will be closed off. The usher will ask for your name. Your name **MUST** be on the reservation list for the Mass that you are attending. If you are **NOT** on the list, you will **NOT** be seated.

7. People will be seated starting at the front of the church working out onto the portico. Due to social distancing requirements we are unable to seat you in any specific pew.
8. Before entering the portico, your temperature will be taken. **If your temperature is above 100.4 F you will not be able to attend Mass.**

Please expect to be asked the following questions:

- Do you now have, or have you recently had a fever?
- Do you have or have recently had a cough, runny nose, sore throat, or other symptoms?
- Have you been in contact with an infected person?
- Have you traveled or flown over the ocean in the past fourteen days?

If you answer yes to any of the above, you will not be allowed to enter.

9. Upon entering the portico, an usher will spray your hands with hand sanitizer. If you feel uncomfortable having your hands sanitized, you will not be able to attend Mass.
10. Whether on the portico or inside of the church, an usher will escort you to your seat. Once seated, you are required to stay in your seat until Mass begins. If you need to leave your seat, please ask an usher to conduct you.
11. Restrooms will be locked at all times but an usher will be available to open them when necessary. Restrooms will be disinfected after every use.
12. **Families with babies, and/or small children:** We encourage you to stay home and attend a Mass through live-streaming. However, if you must attend, parents are required to ensure their children do not leave their seats. If you need to leave your seat, please gesture for an usher to escort you out. Children two years old and younger should not wear a mask. Children two years old and younger may put themselves at risk through not understanding the requirements of social distancing, and we ask you to consider having them taken care of at home.
13. Hymnals, missalettes and other worship material **will not be available** in the church for the duration of the COVID-19 pandemic. Parishioners are free to bring their own missals with them or to use one of the many daily Mass reading apps on their phones.
14. **The Collection:** We will not be passing the collection basket. Please use the drop box at the two entrances. Please consider using Online Giving or mailing a check. Do not send cash through the mail. Your continuous expression of generous Stewardship during these hard times is greatly appreciated.
15. **The Lord's Prayer and the Sign of Peace:** There is to be **NO** physical contact during the Lord's Prayer or the Sign of Peace. A bow, a smile, or a wave will serve as a true sign of peace to one's neighbor.

16. **Holy Communion:** Remain in your seat. Fr. John or an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion will come to give you Holy Communion.
17. **End of Mass and the Dismissal:** Everyone must leave the church and portico after the final blessing and dismissal to allow time for the church to be sanitized before the next Mass.

If you are seated on the portico, you must remain in your seat until directed by an usher. People on the portico will exit first and in an orderly fashion so as to maintain the required 6 foot social distance.

For those who are seated inside the church, remain in your seat until an usher directs you to the exit. The reason for this is that the portico must be cleared first. Please maintain the required 6 foot social distance while exiting.

Please note, everyone will be exiting on the side steps.

18. Bulletins will not be distributed after Mass but are available on the parish website <https://pahoasacredheart.org/>
19. **There is to be no gathering on the portico or church grounds before and after Mass.**
20. **Please note that the Sacrament of Reconciliation is available by appointment only.** Please call Fr. John at 808.965.8202.

Please help our ushers and other community members by abiding by these Terms and Conditions. Thank you for your patience and understanding during these difficult times.