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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

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www.pahoasacredheart.org

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#### +\*March 14, 2021 \* Fourth Sunday of Lent\*+



#### 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

ADMINISTRATOR: Rev. John Molina

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### **Sunday Connection**

John 3:14-21

Jesus tells Nicodemus that the Son of Man will be raised up so that those who believe in him will have eternal life.

The fourth Sunday of Lent is sometimes called *Laetare* Sunday. *Laetare* is a Latin word that means "rejoice." From the book of Isaiah, we observe our Lenten sacrifices, we rejoice in anticipation of other joy that will ours at Easter.

John's gospel consists of two parts. The first part is the final sentence of Jesus' reply to Nicodemus the pharisee who approached Jesus at night. Nicodemus acknowledged Jesus as someone who had come from God and seemed to want to be a follower of Jesus. Jesus greeted Nicodemus with the observation that one must be born from above to see the Kingdom of God.

In part of the conversation with Nicodemus, Jesus referred to an incident reported in the Old Testament. When the Israelites grumbled against the Lord during their sojourn in the desert, God sent venomous serpents to punish them for their complaints. The Israelites repented and asked Moses to pray for them. The Lord heard Moses' prayer and instructed him to make a bronze serpent and mount it on a pole. All who had been bitten by a serpent looked upon the bronze serpent were cured. By recalling this story, Jesus alludes to the salvation that would be accomplished through his death and Resurrection.

The second part of today's Gospel is a theological reflection on Jesus' words to Nicodemus. The words of the Evangelist are in continuity with the words of the prologue to John's gospel. In these reflections, John elaborates on a number of themes that are found in his gospel: light and darkness, belief and unbelief, good and evil, salvation and condemnation.

In John's reflection, we find an observation about human sinfulness. Jesus is the light that has come into the world, but people preferred the darkness. We wish to keep our sins hidden, even from God. Jesus has come into the world to reveal our sins so that they may be forgiven. This is the Good News; it is the reason for our rejoicing in this season of Lent and throughout our lives.

Article taken from: 03.14.2021. Fourth Sunday of Lent, Cycle B,

https://www.loyolapress.com/catholic-resources/liturgical-year/sunday-connection/

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TOTAL

#### **SCRIPTURE READING**

#### Sunday, March 14

2Chronicles 36:14-16, 19-23 Psalm 137:1-6 Ephesians 2:4-10 John 3:14-21

#### Monday, March 15

Isaiah 65:17-21 Psalm 30:2, 4-6, 11-13 John 4:43-54

#### Tuesday, March 16

Ezekiel 47:1-9, 12 Psalm 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9 John 5:1-16

#### Wednesday, March 17

Isaiah 49:8-15 Psalm 145:8-9, 13-14, 17-18 John 5:17-30

#### Thursday, March 18

Exodus **32:7-**14 Psalm 106:19-23 John 5:31-47

#### Friday, March 19

2Samuel 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16 Psalm 89:2-5, 27, 29 Roman 4:13, 13-18, 22 Matthew 1:16, 18-21, 24a

#### Saturday, March 20

Jeremiah 11:18-20 Psalm 7:2-3, 9-12 John 7:40-53

#### FINANCIAL REPORT

#### March 10, 2021

Offertory	\$1,702.00
Candles	34.42
Latin Mass	91.00
Palm Sunday	30.00
Flowers	10.00
HAAS	1,643.47
Building & Maintenance	15.00
Mass Intentions	30.00
Donations	500.00
Catholic Relief Services	15.00

#### **Announcement**

\$4,070.89

Wednesday, March 17, 2021 No Mass

#### Thursday, March 18, 2021 No Mass

Father will be in Kona for the Chrism Mass

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#### **Pray for Healing**

\* Shirley & Steve Torres \*

\*Alfred Micallef

\* Jan Malinowski \* Charla Irvine
Sarah Marie

\*Anwar Payne \* Tom Kutcher

\* Fr. Alapaki Kim \* Gifara Alsahouri

\*Alicia Galvan \* Joseph Kealoha
Maile Palacat \* Gary Sojot

\* 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 \* Robert Sisco \*

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Store has religious
goods, a rice cooker, an
indoor/outdoor grill,
jewelry, and many other
items available for
purchase. Visit the site
on
Facebook or call the
church office for more
information.



#### **DID YOU GET YOUR TICKET YET?**

You can buy it from Sharen at the door after each mass or visit the church office.

If you wish to kokua with purchasing of ingredients or helping to put on our Fish Fry, talk to Bernice 443-3905.

We need brownie mix, potatoes, macaroni, eggs, mayonnaise, tarter sauce, rice.

Mahalo!

#### March 17, 2021 Wednesday

Chrism Mass

St Michael Kailua Kona 5:30PM

# March 19, 2021 Friday – Feast of St. Joseph Community Celebration Of

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Father John Molina

Father Jong Atinaja (from Malia)

7*PM* 

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#### **Fourth Sunday of Lent**

All that we have and all that we are comes from the Lord. "We are truly is handiwork", says St.

Paul in the second reading, "created in Christ Jesus to lead a life of good deeds which God prepared for us in advance."

# POPE FRANCIS PRAYER INTENTIONS March 2021

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Let us pray that we may experience
the sacrament of reconciliation with
renewed depth, to taste the infinite
mercy of God.

#### MASS SCHEDULE

This schedule is valid until Holy Week.
Please call the church office for reservations.
(808)965 8202
All Covid19 restrictions are to be observed.

Saturday 8:30 AM Latin Mass Saturday 4:00PM Vigil Mass Saturday 5:30 PM Vigil Mass

Sunday 7:30 AM Morning Mass Sunday 10:00 AM Mass Sunday 4:00 PM Latin Mass

Monday 11:30 AM Sunday Mass Wednesday 11:30 AM Sunday Mass

Thursday 8:00 AM Morning Mass Friday 8:00 AM Morning Mass Stations of the Cross after 8:00 AM Mass on Fridays of Lent

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#### **PARISH REGISTRATION**

# Please complete and return to church office or drop in the offertory basket

are new to the parish	Want a Catholic Herald
change in phone number	
Have a new address	Please Cancel my Subscription
have a new address	
need Offertory Envelopes	Donation to help pay for my Catholic
want to volunteer	Herald
	I want the Catholic Herald but am
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(If you have moved and/or have a new phone numbers, please update your information with church office 965.8202 or shpahoa@gmail.com) OR mail to: 15-3003 Pahoa Village Rd., Pahoa, HI 96778

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#### MEMORANDUM: Resumption of Holy Mass FROM: Bishop Larry Silva

As we continue on our Lenten journey, we look forward to the joyful celebration of the Paschal Mystery, the death and resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ, the greatest event in the history of the world. We have been living in this strange time of the pandemic, and now with decreasing numbers of cases, increasing accessibility to vaccines, and "herd immunity" on the horizon, we should be able to celebrate Easter in a more normal fashion this year. Since our Sunday encounter with the Risen Lord in the Eucharist is the source and summit of who we are as Christians, it is important that we return to our weekly celebrations.

Effective Easter Sunday, April 4 (or as of the Easter Vigil, April 3), I am ending the dispensation from the obligation to attend Sunday Mass, which has been in effect since midMarch, 2020. However, anyone who is sick, may have been exposed to anyone with COVID19, or who has a health condition that would endanger themselves or others by being present in church, continues to be dispensed.

At the same time, I realize that we must stay vigilant about our health protocols, and so the following norms must continue to be observed: • Masks must be worn by all who attend Mass or other liturgical services. • Social distancing and no-touch greetings and Sign of Peace remain the norms. • Holy Communion is to be given only under the species of Bread. • The use of a small choir is permitted during Holy Week and the Easter season. If the parish is using a choir, choir members need to continue following the rules for indoor singing as directed by the state ["Any person(s) singing shall maintain physical distancing of at least ten (10) feet from any other person(s) while singing. Members of the same performing group singing may be closer than ten (10) feet together while performing, provided the group consists of less than ten (10) persons. To the extent reasonable and practicable, a physical barrier (e.g., plexiglass) of sufficient size to mitigate the spread of COVID-19 shall separate any person(s) singing from any other person(s), but not including members of the same performing group.] • A distance of 10 feet between the cantor and the congregation needs to be observed as much as possible. • In addition to the Entrance, Offertory, Communion and Leavetaking hymns – the Kyrie, Gloria, Responsorial Psalm, Gospel Acclamation and the rest of the Mass part responses could be sung during Holy Week and the Easter season, observing the proper precautions. • Sanitization is to continue between Masses. Social gatherings after Mass should still not take place.