

The Baptism of the Lord

January 10 & 11, 2015

Parish Facility Use Schedule

Monday, January 12

9:00-11:30am	Outreach	Center
7:00-9:00pm	Knights of Columbus	Center

Tuesday, January 13

6:00-9:00pm	RCIA	Center
7:00-9:00pm	Neocatechumenal Way	Mtg. Rm

Wednesday, January 14

1:30-2:30pm	Drum Class	Mtg. Rm
5:00-6:00	Drum Class	Mtg. Rm
6:30-9:00pm	Youth Group	Mtg. Rm
6:30-9:00pm	Charismatic Prayer Grp.	Church
7:00pm	PPC	Center

Thursday, January 15

8:15am	School Mass	Church
9:00-11:30am	Outreach	Center
4:30-6:00pm	BVM Prayer Grp.	Church
6:00-7:00pm	Y & YA Choir	Mtg. Rm
7:00-9:00pm	Samoan Choir	Church
7:00-9:00pm	Neocatechumenal Way	School

Friday, January 16

10:00am	Jacqueline Hashimoto Funeral Service	Offsite
3:00-4:00pm	OLGC Cheerleaders	PC 1
6:00-9:00pm	Y & F Ministry Movie	PC
6:30-9:00pm	Boy Scouts	Center
7:00-9:00pm	Reflections Choir	Church

Saturday, January 17

7:30am	Confirmation 1	Center
7:00-9:00pm	Samoan Choir	Church

Sunday, January 18

8:00-11:00am	RCIA	Center
9:45-10:45am	Religious Ed. Classes	School
12:15-1:45pm	Cohesive Committee	PC 1
2:00-4:30pm	Confirmation 1	Center
2:00-4:30pm	Confirmation 2	PC 1
7:00-9:00pm	Neocatechumenal Way	School

Mass Intentions

Saturday, January 10

7:00am: For the eternal repose of the soul of Amador-Casupang

5:00pm: Blessings & speedy recovery of Nick Alviedo
For the eternal repose of the souls of Alfredo Tabon, Orlando Garcia

Sunday, January 11

6:30am: Birthday blessings for Nina Agoo Manrique, Silas Alaimalo, Aukasitino, Kasimilo & Vitale Afoa, Gasolo Tauti

For the eternal repose of the souls of Steve Carnahan, Amador Casupang, Aukasitino Afoa

8:30am: For the eternal repose of the soul of Maura Iliscupidez, Rosa C. Borja

11:00am: *For the parishioners of Our Lady of Good Counsel*

5:00pm: Special intentions for Jonah Romel

Monday, January 12

Special intentions for Lawrence Tobiolo
For the eternal repose of the souls of Amador Casupang, Alfredo Tabon, Orlando Garcia

Tuesday, January 13

Special intentions for Linda & Mitchell Ching, blessings & special intentions for Ella Balogh
For the eternal repose of the soul of Amador Casupang,

Wednesday, January 14

Birthday blessings for Glenn Riviera, blessings & special intentions for Ella Balogh
For the eternal repose of the soul of Amador Casupang, Alan Quito

Thursday, January 15

Birthday blessings for Ella Balogh
For the eternal repose of the souls of Betty Ann Lopez, Amador Casupang, Alan Quito

Friday, January 16

For the eternal repose of the soul of Florencio Macabulos, Alan Quito



Holy Father's Prayer Intention For January 2015

Universal: That those from diverse religious traditions and all people of good will may work together for peace

For Evangelization: That in this year dedicated to consecrated life, religious men and women may rediscover the joy of following Christ and strive to serve the poor with zeal.



One more powerful than I is to come after me

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Isaiah 55:1-11
Psalms 12

1 John 5:1-9

Mark 1:7-11

Come to the water.
“You will draw water joyfully from the springs of Salvation.”
To love God is to keep God’s commandments.
The Spirit of God descends like a dove.

On this celebration of the Baptism of the Lord, one obvious way to interpret the readings is through the lens of our own baptism. The first reading (another Christmas reading from Isaiah) starts off with water and an invitation to come to the Lord. The second reading from the First Letter of John, is full of baptismal imagery. And, of course the Gospel, from Mark, the briefest account we have of Jesus’ baptism. So let’s put on our “baptismal glasses,” listen to these readings, and discover what they have to say about our baptism.

2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
January 17 & 18, 2015

1 Samuel 3:3b-10, 19

Psalms 40

1 Corinthians 6:13c-15a, 17-20

John 1:35-42



I baptize you in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit

Stewardship Report

You can gift wrap your tithe in a personalized envelope!
Please contact our Parish Office for details.

General Operating Fund

July 1, 2014 - June 30, 2015 \$ 766,650.00
Weekly goal \$ 14,750.00

Collection for: Jan. 3 & 4, 2015 \$ 17,487.85

Tithing from collection envelopes: \$ 9,805.99
Loose Collections: \$ 4,123.90
Misc Holiday Donations: \$ 4,790.16
Bank Adjustment from 12/21 & 12/28 \$ (1,232.20)
Year to date budget: \$ 398,250.00
Year to date receipts: \$ 390,307.45
Difference: \$ (7,942.55)
of Tithing Envelopes Received: 285

Building Fund

Building Fund Balance \$ 437,835.24
Collection for: Jan. 3 & 4, 2015 \$ 258.25
Building Fund Expense (Deposit for chairs) \$ (31,559.45)
Phase III Construction Goal: \$ 3,000,000.00
Amount to Goal: \$ (2,562,164.76)

Church Maintenance Fund

Current Church Maintenance Balance \$ 148,268.39
Collection for: Jan. 3 & 4, 2015 \$ 1,198.00
Church Maintenance Expenses \$ (1,539.00)

Thank you for your generosity! - Fr. Pascual

A FINANCIAL GUIDE FOR TITHERS

For those striving to tithe, the following guide will be helpful

ANNUAL Income	WEEKLY		MONTHLY		QUARTERLY		ANNUALLY	
	10%	5%	10%	5%	10%	5%	10%	5%
\$10,000	\$19.23	\$ 9.61	\$83.33	\$41.66	\$250.00	\$125.00	\$1000.00	\$500.00
\$15,000	\$28.84	\$14.42	\$125.00	\$62.50	\$375.00	\$187.50	\$1500.00	\$750.00
\$20,000	\$38.46	\$19.23	\$166.66	\$83.33	\$500.00	\$250.00	\$2000.00	\$1000.00
\$25,000	\$48.07	\$24.03	\$208.33	\$104.16	\$625.00	\$312.50	\$2500.00	\$1250.00
\$30,000	\$57.69	\$28.84	\$250.00	\$125.00	\$750.00	\$375.00	\$3,000.00	\$1500.00
\$40,000	\$76.92	\$38.46	\$333.33	\$166.66	\$1000.00	\$500.00	\$4000.00	\$2000.00
\$50,000	\$96.15	\$48.07	\$416.66	\$208.33	\$1250.00	\$625.00	\$5000.00	\$2500.00
\$60,000	\$115.38	\$57.69	\$500.00	\$250.00	\$1500.00	\$750.00	\$6000.00	\$3000.00
\$70,000	\$134.62	\$67.31	\$583.33	\$291.66	\$1750.00	\$875.00	\$7000.00	\$3500.00
\$80,000	\$153.85	\$76.92	\$666.67	\$333.33	\$2000.00	\$1000.00	\$8000.00	\$4000.00
\$90,000	\$173.08	\$86.54	\$750.00	\$375.00	\$2250.00	\$1125.00	\$9000.00	\$4500.00
\$100,000	\$192.31	\$96.15	\$833.33	\$416.66	\$2500.00	\$1250.00	\$10000.00	\$5000.00
\$125,000	\$240.38	\$120.19	\$1041.67	\$520.83	\$3125.00	\$1562.50	\$12500.00	\$6250.00

IMPORTANT MEMO FROM THE DIOCESE

Effective January 1, 2015 we will no longer be able to claim donations for Mass Intentions as tax deductible donations. Donations for Mass Intentions from 2014 will still appear on your tax statements, which are sent out at the end January, but any donations made in 2015 will not.

Remember us in your WILL!!!

Our Lady our Good Counsel is extremely grateful to those individuals who have made or have expressed an intention to make a gift to our future ministries in their will. Such a gift is among the most far reaching and valuable contributions a parishioner can make, directly benefitting the future mission and ministries of our parish and school. If you are considering leaving your gift as a will or bequest to the parish and would like additional information, please contact our office at (808) 455-3012.

Our Share of the Incarnation

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Diocese of Honolulu*

As Christians, we believe God chose to create each and every human being in God's own image and likeness. Indeed, so precious are we that God chose to become one of us (and continues becoming one with us through Eucharist and through us, the Body of Christ).

Jesus' baptism, continues unpacking this great mystery of Incarnation. With Jesus' baptism, we glimpse a human who stoops to become wet under another man's hands. Stoops simultaneously, is completely beloved by God. With our baptism, we enter the Incarnation, the Body of Christ. Our inheritance is sharing in Christ's divinity!

That said, being baptized also has consequences. While Americans can freely pursue money or decadent desserts or the best paddling/hula clubs, the baptized can not. What are we to pursue instead? Growth in holiness. An ever relationship with God in the community of others. We become a people (aka, stewards) who no longer live for themselves, but who live for others, ALL others.

Through our baptism, we share in the incarnation by ever becoming the person God created us to be, a beloved child in whom God is well pleased.

Pro-Life Reflections

With humility and confidence, open your hearts to repentance. Your merciful Father awaits you, so He can give you His pardon and peace.

~John Paul II to those who have had abortions... The Gospel of Life, 99

Reflection: Every day around the world, men and women who have lost children to abortion gather for Rachel's Vineyard retreats.

These provide an opportunity in a safe affirming environment of prayer and the support of others who have been through the same experience.

Prayer: Lord, be with all those who are going through healing after abortion, and bring them quickly to Your peace.

Cancer Support Group, sponsored by the OLG Health Ministry is being formed. Anyone interested is invited to attend the meeting of this support group on January 21st in the Office Parish Center from 6:30-8:00pm. Come alone or bring a buddy.

Mark Your Calendars

Luminary Ceremony & Prayer Service

When: Wednesday, January 21, 2015

Time: 5:30 - 8:00pm

Where: Hawaii State Capitol

Sponsored by: Aloha Life Advocates

You may sponsor a luminary to honor a baby, known or unknown, by calling the Pearson Foundation at (808) 349-2223.

42nd Annual March for Life

When: Saturday, January 24, 2015

Time: 12:30 - 5:00pm

Where: Hawaii State Capitol

Sponsored by: Aloha Life Advocates

A Family Event: Guest speakers, spirit filled testimonies, children games, information booths, local entertainers and more..... The actual March around the capitol is scheduled to begin at 3:30pm.

Our parish will be providing a bus for the March for Life event. Deadline to sign up is Jan. 20th.

Sign up sheets may be found on the Ushers Table and in the Adoration Chapel. Please call the parish office at (808) 455-3012.

Bus will be leaving OLG at 11:30am and boarding of the bus at 4:45pm for the return trip in front of the St. Damian statue.

Adult Bible Study



When: Saturday, Jan 10th

Time: 6:15-9:00pm

Where: Office Parish Center

Light refreshments will be provided. Come and bring a friend and a Catholic Bible Revised Standard Version.

For more information, please contact Ted or Daisy Rhoades @ 398-8470 or email tedndayz@hawaiiantel.net.

DEATH ANNIVERSARIES

Jan. 10

Bella Kanakaole Harvest 1962
 Alfred Stacy Rosacia 2012

Jan. 11

Entera Dungon Pahinte 1980
 Walter Carrea, Sr. 1983
 Kukahiwa Avilla 1994
 Katherine Lee Ferrer 1999
 Maria Asuncion Cardenas 1999
 Gregorio Lopez Ordanza 2006
 Steven Acosta Banaticla 2008

Jan. 12

Antonia Alapasco 1964
 John Bernard Medeiros 1973
 Daniel Kalani Waialealea 1975
 Alfredo Agustine Abiva 1981
 Irene Yamaguchi 1991
 Anne Martin Rico 2005

Jan. 13

Francisco Bandlan 1971
 Margarita Jane Oliva Smith 1984
 Claire Tashiro 1991

Jan. 13 cont'd

Michell Udani 2001
 John Douglas Phillips 2009
 Rafael Basilio 2011

Jan. 14

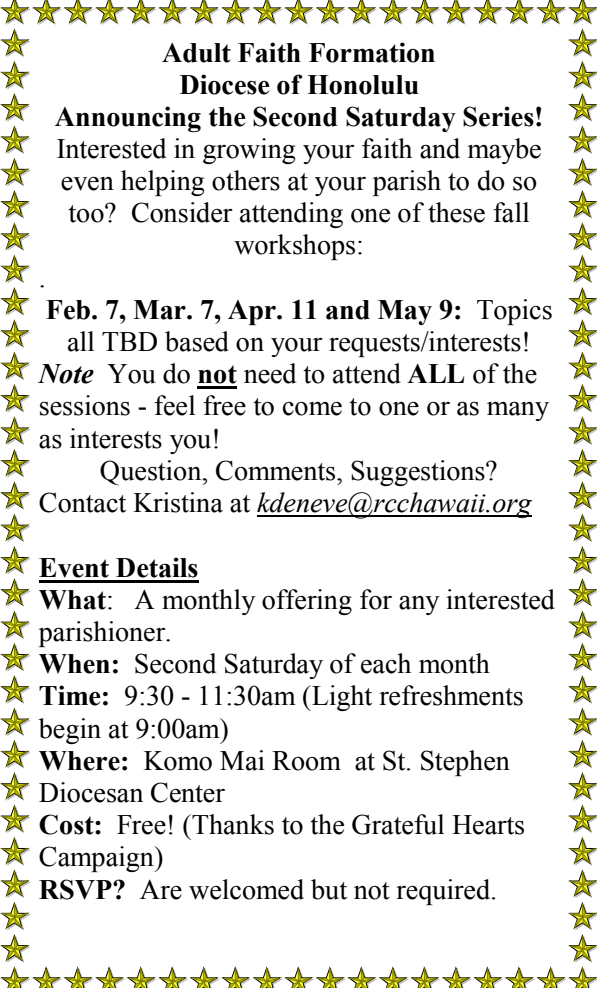
Edward James Eberle 1978
 Simplicio Pelare Labanon 1980
 Isidro Mateo Pasion 1995
 Lena Bennett 2002
 Michael Vincent Kilantang 2012

Jan. 15

Joseph Vierra 1990
 Marino Bautista Raquel 1990
 Alex Ena Meyer 1994
 Daniel Galleon Tumacder 2007

Jan. 16

Judy Lariosa Suzuki 1977
 Pascual Bacabal Fuertisillo 1986
 Jeremy Michael Martinez 1993
 Sabas Mahilista Evangelista 1998
 Manuel Castillo 2002
 Maria De Remedios Verano 2007
 John Milton Ornellas 2011



Adult Faith Formation
Diocese of Honolulu
Announcing the Second Saturday Series!
 Interested in growing your faith and maybe even helping others at your parish to do so too? Consider attending one of these fall workshops:

Feb. 7, Mar. 7, Apr. 11 and May 9: Topics all TBD based on your requests/interests!
Note You do **not** need to attend **ALL** of the sessions - feel free to come to one or as many as interests you!
 Question, Comments, Suggestions?
 Contact Kristina at kdeneve@rcchawaii.org

Event Details
What: A monthly offering for any interested parishioner.
When: Second Saturday of each month
Time: 9:30 - 11:30am (Light refreshments begin at 9:00am)
Where: Komo Mai Room at St. Stephen Diocesan Center
Cost: Free! (Thanks to the Grateful Hearts Campaign)
RSVP? Are welcomed but not required.