

October 2023

Collection for the Building and Maintenance Fund all month.

- 21 - Golf Tournament, Pukalani Country Club
- 21/22 - 2nd Collection for World Mission Sunday
- 22 - Youth Night, OLQA, 5-8pm
- 25 - Rosary for Life, HG, 6pm
- 28 - Mandatory Ministry Training, HG, 9-11
- 28/29 - Bring photos of deceased for All Souls Day (Nov. 2)
- 29 - St. James Mass, 12 noon
- November 1—no 7am mass; Healing Mass, 5:30pm at HG
- November 2—All Souls Day Mass, 8am at St. James, 5:30pm at HG; no 7am mass at OLQA

Stewardship of Treasure Oct. 7 & 8, 2023

Offertory	\$2,728.00
Mass Intentions	\$255.00
Ohana In Christ	\$1,270.00
World Mission Sunday	\$20.00
Building & Maint. Fund	\$95.00
Youth Ministry pizza fundraiser	\$360.00
Maui Disaster Relief	\$25.00
Liturgy Donation	\$800.00
HG Golf Donation	\$150.00
HG Golf Registration fees	\$750.00
HG Gift Shop Sales	\$42.15
HG Gift Shop credit card sales	\$20.83
TOTAL DEPOSIT	\$6,495.15

IRA Charitable Rollover Gift If you are an IRA owner, 70 ½ or older or with RMDs on IRAS, and want to contribute to Kula Catholic Community, then the IRA Charitable Rollover may be for you. Donations are excluded from Federal income and count as part of your Required Minimum Distribution (RMD) as well. Check with your tax advisor before taking this step.

Holy Ghost Gift Shop: The Gift Shop is open on Wednesdays & Fridays from 11am to 3pm. In addition they will be open after the 5pm Mass & on Sundays from 9am to 10:45am. Phone 808-878-1091 during shop hours. Holy Ghost Church will be opened when Gift Shop is open. **Homebound Parishioners:** If you would like to have an E.M. come to your home and administer Communion to you, please call the Office 808-878-1261. **Catholic Charities Maui:** Please call Catholic Charities Maui, 65 S. Kane St. Kahului, 808-872-6251. For Maui wildfire relief call 808-873-4673 or visit website at catholiccharitieshawaii.org for updates. If you would like to make a donation, please visit www.catholiccharitieshawaii.org/maui-relief/.

Non-Perishable Food donations welcome at our church! Church Bulletin Announcements: due by Wednesday at noon prior to weekend. **Office Hours:** Donna - Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 8:00—3:00; Mary Jean - flexible hours

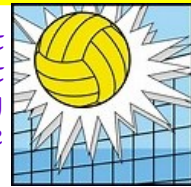
The 6th Annual Holy Ghost Golf Tournament Held In Memory of Eric Bega

Saturday, October 21 at the Pukalani Golf Course. Proceeds go towards maintaining the Kula Catholic Community's Historical Churches and supporting the Maui Community affected by the recent wildfires. The committee is looking for volunteers to help on that day.



Contact Sandra Morikawa 808-264-0322 email: smorikawa05@gmail.com and Derek Onaga 808-214-2571 email: derek.onaga@gmail.com

SAVE THE DATE: Youth Night on October 22 from 4-7pm at OLQA. Volleyball at 4:00. Bring a friend and your favorite potluck dish to share.



Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary

Outdoor Sunrise Mass on October 7, prayed the rosary, fellowship and breakfast afterwards in the hall.

Why pray the rosary? It's a powerful prayer, they say, one that can change your life, strengthen the family, bring peace to the world, convert entire nations, and win the salvation of souls.

Liturgical Ministers: Mass Schedule: Oct. 21 & 22

Holy Ghost Mission Church 5:00pm

(L) C. Manlansing & C. White (EM) J. White, K. Moniz, T. Manlansing (A) A. Manlansing

Our Lady Queen of Angels 7:00am

(C)P. Kaialiilii (L) K. Aipa, E. Wilson (EM) M. Marchese, D. May, L. Pires

Holy Ghost Church 9:30am

(L) E. Bareng, L. Tantisira (EM) T. Lomongo, M. Chong, S. Morikawa (A) I. & S. Enriquez

Mandatory Meeting for ALL liturgical ministers on October 28, 9-11 am at Holy Ghost Church.

Kula Roman Catholic Community Bulletin

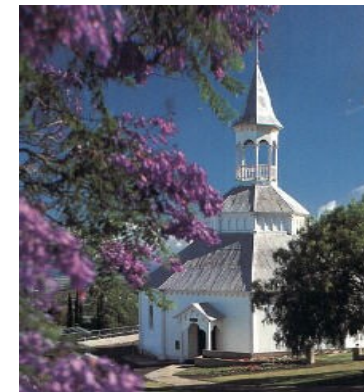
October 15, 2023

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Kula Catholic Community Mission Statement

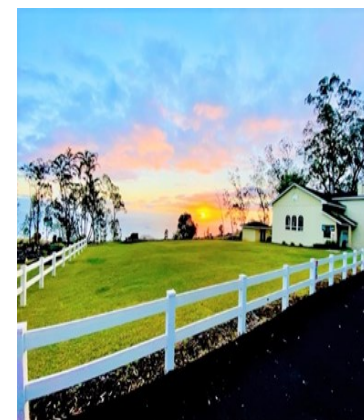
The Kula Catholic Community, blessed by God, inspired by Jesus and empowered by the Holy Spirit, seeks to worship God with sincerity of heart, witness the Gospel by our words and actions, share Christian values in our personal and community lives, and offer service to all people.



Holy Ghost Church



Our Lady Queen of Angels



St. James the Less

Pastor, Rev. Anton Nyo, M.S.
Secretary: Donna Ventura, Mary Jean Bega
Email: kccchurch@rcchawaii.org
On-line Giving: please visit Website
Facebook site: Our Lady Queen of Angels, icon: Mary's Grotto



October—Month of the Rosary.

Join us 30 minutes before each mass to pray the rosary.

A STEWARDSHIP MOMENT

There are a number of Bible verses Christians have memorized. One of them is in Saint Paul's letter to the Philippians found in this weekend's second reading: "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me" (Phi. 4:13). Most people define themselves either by their problems or their possibilities. Fearful people wake up each morning ensnared by their problems. Christian stewards wake up reflecting on their possibilities with confidence and hope. Some stewardship reflection questions for the week: **What challenges do you back away from because you doubt that you are up to them? What would you attempt tomorrow if you were sure God would help you?**

All Souls Day Remembrance Throughout the month of November, we will honor the faithfully departed at every mass and pray for their souls. A special "traveling" box will be placed at the entrance of church and you'll be able to place your envelope with your family and friend's names listed on it. This box will then be placed on the Table of Remembrance and prayers will be said especially for them. **Photos of your beloved may be brought in starting October 21 & 22.** Envelopes are available at the entrance of the church along with a box for your photos. Be sure a contact name and number are on the back of each photo.



This Sunday's Gospel
Thoughts for the Week
October 15, 2023



Let us always rejoice in the abundance the Lord provides.
(Reading in Blue Missal: pg. 250)

1st Reading Is 25: 6-10
God as Savior

Eating or "breaking bread" with a person is a Biblical sign of intimate friendship. Isaiah locates the banquet of the end-time (the time of God's kingdom on earth) on Zion, the holy mountain of the Lord in Jerusalem. God will take away the veil that keeps us from seeing him. He will open the eyes of the faith and we will recognize him as "our God." "Behold our God, to whom we looked to save us. This is the Lord for whom we looked."

Responsorial Psalm: I shall live in the house of the Lord all the days of my life.

2nd Reading Phil 4: 12-14, 19-20
Sharing in Hardships

Paul in prison had received a gift of money from the congregation of Philippi. He is grateful and appreciative. "It was kind of you to share in my distress." And God will reward you: "My God will fully supply whatever you need." God's message to us could be: Be concerned and help, when you know a fellow human enduring hardship.

Gospel Mt 22: 1-14
The Wedding Banquet

Why does the king cast out a guest for not being properly dressed for the occasion when the guests are "whomever you find" on the byroads? Maybe the poor fellow came from his field where he had been working all the day! This passage consists of two parable. The second on the wedding garment as such, the message is clear: When you accept the invitation to God's banquet (the Holy Eucharist- God's companionship in heaven) you are supposed to be clean. The first parable God's word to us may be: God invites you. Appreciate the invitation and join the banquet!

*'Many are invited,
 but few are chosen.'*
(Mt 22:14)

Mass Intentions



◆ **October 14, 2023**

◆ 5:00pm: [Ron Daniels \(Deceased\)](#); [Edwin Ferreira \(Deceased\)](#); [Dory Taylor \(Deceased\)](#); [Elizabeth Boteilho Verano \(healing\)](#)

◆ **October 15, 2023**

◆ 7:00am: [Lyndell Beach \(Deceased\)](#); [Mary B. Oliveira \(Deceased\)](#); [Nancy Pimentel \(Deceased\)](#); [Mateo Stephens \(Deceased\)](#); [Yamanuha Family \(Healing Blessings\)](#)

◆ 9:30am: [Pro Populo \(For the Maui Community\)](#)

◆ **Pray for the Sick** : *Hayden Gonsalves-Hernandez, Rosa Maria Santos, Kainoa Spenser, Rowland Lee, Charles "Bala" Spencer, Father Adondee, Cru Silva, Jennifer McMahon, Ben Kikuyama, Tasha Ham-DePonte, Dwight & Milagros Joan, Sr., Larry Pascual, Dolores Saki, Lucie Marie Cochran, James Gonzalez-Wesley, John Otto, Kevin O'Brien, Colin Yoshida, Frances Garcia, Judith Wagner, Aeris Joseph, Canaska Gonzales, Shantel Kapoi, Reagen Olivares, Ginny Gonsalves, Eleanor Martin, Yvonne Fukumoto, Kehau May, Gary Souza, Marie Robello, Roselle Armitage, Fred Howard Ventura, Sean Souza, Ethel Fernandez, Richard Carvalho, Jacob & Jaxson Rivera, John Ritchie, Amanda Roberts, Russell Okimoto, Cheryl Medeiros, Damien Pires, Ian Yannell, Andriea Silva, Darlene Tavares, Mikey Enriquez, Byron Gonsalves, Arthur & Shirley DePonte, Lawrence Gregulho, Sandra Morikawa, Carmen Goble, Lisa Silva, Janet Martin, and Clarence Tavares.*

As part of our Pro-Life Ministry, we say the Rosary for Life on the 4th Wednesday of each month at 6pm at Holy Ghost Church. Our next Rosary will be on **October 25**. Please come and join us as we pray for our Blessed Mother's intercession. Call Cathy White at 269-5449.

"O Blessed Mother, at the angel's word you went in haste to the aid of your cousin Elizabeth. Although pregnant yourself, you placed her needs before your own. By your example of radical solidarity, teach us to reverence and protect those in need, without conditions or expectations."

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities

"Prayer for Radical Solidarity" (respectlife.org/prayer-for-radical-solidarity)

Bereavement Committee: [Lorraine & Damien Pires](#), [Joe & Cathy White](#), [Jeanne Ono](#), [Wayne & Dotty Purdy](#).

Pastor's Corner

28th Sunday in ordinary time year A
 (World Mission Sunday)

Go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the Name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit! Mt. 28:19 It is mandated by the Lord that as baptized Christians, we are to preach, to teach and live the kingdom of God. So many of us are being preached by the world and so instead of following the Lord, we follow the world and its teachings. God sent His messengers to invite us into the wedding of the Lord but people refused him by refusing the missionaries; harassing them and killing them. It happened many times that those who worked to uplift community receive lesser award than the ones who just entertain the world. A noble peace prize award is about \$1 million not even match the wealth of a movie star or a professional boxer, who can make as high as \$100 millions a fight. How I wish the gospel message is being sent in every messenger we use or the text messages we communicate one another. By this way, we will make this world filled with love, justice and peace ready for the wedding feast of the Lord that lasts forever in eternity. Fr. Anton Nyo, M.S.

October 4 was the Feast Day of St. Francis of Assisi. He is known for having a love for animals and, traditionally, it is a day to bless people's pets. Here are some photos taken after the healing mass and blessing of pets.



October Rosary-Marian Devotion Schedule

- Oct. 15—5pm at Lomongo's**
- Oct. 17—5:00 pm Rachel Medeiros**
- Oct. 18— 6pm at White's**
- Oct. 23—6pm at Chong's**
- Oct. 24—7pm at St. Pierre's**
- Oct. 29—4pm at Turek's**
- Oct. 30—3pm at Gahran's**

Call Mary Ann Turek (315) 283-7703 to reserve a seat or to reserve a date to be a host.

Disaster Relief Assistance

Maui Disaster Relief Office Volunteers Needed! Due to the high number of Maui Disaster Relief Applications received, St. Anthony Parish office needs volunteer help to vet them.

Must be able to read and speak English, make phone calls, take notes, and offer compassion.

Training provided. Minimum 2 hour shift. Monday through Friday, 9-11am and 2-4pm.

Contact Toni at 808.244.4148 or trojas@rcchawaii.org

1. Bottled Water is available for anyone. Please ask if you need assistance carrying a case to your car.

2. Upcountry Emergency Kokua - HOURS: Tuesday and Thursday 5-7 pm; Saturday 9am—2pm. If you're available to help with distribution, report 30 minutes before they open. **UPDATE:** This fund is to provide financial assistance to those who have lost their job or lost property in the August 8 Maui fires and need help paying bills for utilities, rent, mortgage, insurance, etc. up to maximum \$500 per household. Applicants must present a valid ID and a copy of the utility or accepted bill to be paid. Vendors will be paid directly. Funds are made possible by Father Kens Vineyard. Forms can be found at the entrance of the church.

2. Maui Vicariate Maui Disaster Relief Fund - Due to the abundance of applications received for relief funding, we are no longer accepting applications. Donations, however, are still being accepted. Please make your check payable to Kula Catholic Community and write Maui Disaster Relief in the memo, and place it in the designated envelope. Or, visit St. Anthony Church website at stanthonymaui.org or <https://www.osvhub.com/stanthonymaui/giving/funds/maui-disaster-relief>

3. Honolulu Diocese - The Hawaii Catholic Community Foundation (HCCF) is also supporting the relief efforts. You may make a tax-deductible contribution by visiting the following link: <https://tinyurl.com/MauiCatholic>

4. EPIC Ministry Maui - A Catholic ministry comprised of young adults who are ready to assist. Visit their website, epicministry.net or call (808) 354-0971. Items can be specific and delivered. To volunteer or make a donation, visit their website. You can also call Pua or Jeremy at 808-870-2233.



Christ the King Bazaar

November 11, 8am—2pm

Let's help our brothers and sisters from Christ the King just as they continue to help us during our feast. We will be selling scrips this weekend and next for \$10 a strip. Be sure to save the date and support their parish.