

November 2022

20 - Second Collection: Catholic Campaign for Human Development. Thanksgiving Basket end date for donations.
 23 - Rosary for Life, 6pm at Holy Ghost
 24 - Thanksgiving Day Mass, 9:30am at Holy Ghost, bring a home made food item, produce, etc for the Sharing Table.
 27 - St. James the Less Church, Mass at 12noon

Stewardship of Treasure, Nov. 5 & 6, 2022

Weekly Offertory	\$2,311.00
All Souls Day	\$1,348.00
Military "Serving those who"	\$1,352.00
Thanksgiving Basket	\$302.00
Blessings	\$100.00
TOTAL DEPOSIT	\$5,413.00



Prayer Quilt Ministry: This weekend's recipients of the 203rd & 204th quilts are Felicitas Pelino and Dory Taylor who are in need of our prayers. The power of prayer is what this ministry is founded on to bring comfort in times of illness and distress. The only criteria to be gifted a prayer quilt is that the person is experiencing serious life challenges. Please call the office, and I'll forward the request to the Ladies.

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 878-1261. **Catholic Charities Maui:** Please call Catholic Charities Maui at 873-4673, press 1 and leave a message for rental, mortgage and utilities help.

Non-Perishable Food donations welcome!

On-Line Giving: Online donations may be made at any time from the comfort of your own home or any place with internet access. Online donations are credited to your Year End Tax Statement (except when made anonymously). You can change your account preferences and or donation amounts at any time. Please visit our website www.kulacatholiccommunity.org

Church Bulletin Announcements: due by Wednesday at noon prior to weekend.

Office closed on Mondays & Wednesdays.



SWEETBREAD SALE!

Pickup date: Saturday, December 3rd at the Holy Ghost hall from 11:30am to 2:30pm.

Please call Bernadette at 808-281-2718 to place your order by Friday, November 25th. Donation \$9.00

All proceeds go to the Building & Maintenance Fund.

Annual Thanksgiving Basket Donations: We have set up envelopes and a basket at the entrance of the Church for your kind donations towards the purchasing of food items for Maui Economic Opportunity Families and individuals. Please let us know if there is a person or family who is in need in our Kula Parish Community, so we can prepare a basket for them. Please call Henrietta at 878-6664 or the office. We are also accepting Foodland reward certificates and gift cards (please in \$30 or \$50 amounts so we can share the cards with more families). **Project end date this Sunday, November 20th.** Mahalo for your generosity!



Thanksgiving Day Mass will be celebrated at Holy Ghost Church with Mass at 9:30am. Please bring a homemade dessert, grown fruits, vegetables, etc. to share and exchange with others at our Sharing Table.

Liturgical Ministers: Weekly Mass Schedule: Nov. 19 & 20

Holy Ghost Mission Church 5:00pm

(L) J & C White (EM) ?

Our Lady Queen of 7:00am

(L) D. May, C. Sylva

Holy Ghost Church 9:30am

(L) M. Bega, MJ Bega (EM) T. Lomongo

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33rd 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.



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A STEWARDSHIP MOMENT In today's Gospel Jesus suggests that his disciples must be prepared to suffer ridicule, persecution and perhaps even death if they are to follow him. Sometimes we may wonder if enduring ridicule and scorn are what we really signed up for when we received the sacraments of initiation. Would we not rather sneak through life as painlessly as possible? Good stewards take their faith seriously and find comfort in the closing words of today's Gospel: "You will be hated by all because of my name but not a hair on your head will be destroyed. By your perseverance you will secure your lives." Let us make it part of our daily prayer routine to ask the Holy Spirit for the courage to act in Jesus' name no matter the consequences.

This Sunday's Gospel
Thoughts for the Week
November 13, 2022



1st Reading Mal 3:19-20
The Sun of Justice

"Lo, the day is coming." The concepts of "fire" and "blazing like an oven" constitute a familiar imagery in the Bible, used to express God's wrath that punishes evildoers. The prophet issues a warning to the proud and the wicked, and he directs a word of encouragement to those who fear (have a filial respect for) God's name. The figure "sun of justice" is applied in later literature to our Lord Jesus Christ.

The Responsorial Psalm brings out that when you have been on the alert all your life, "The Day of the Lord" will be a day of joy.

Responsorial Psalm:

The Lord comes to rule the earth with justice.

2nd Reading 2 Thes 3:7-12
Models for Imitation

Paul hand founded the Church of Thessalonica. But other preachers had come along later and emphasized that "The Day of the Lord" with the second coming of Christ was at hand. Hence, many of the Thessalonian had stopped working. If everything will soon be over, why should they exert themselves? Paul tells the congregation not to be alarmed but go on working quietly.

Christians live with the tension of the "already" and "not yet." We believe in a hereafter, but meanwhile this planet is our home, and as God's partners we must make it as habitable as possible for ourselves and our fellow humans.

Gospel Lk 21:5-19
Salvation in Christ

Jesus had certainly predicted the destruction of the temple in Jerusalem, for this prediction was used against him during his final trial before the Sanhedrin. Later, however, the sayings of our Lord were expanded. As this passage now stands in Luke, it is an example of apocalyptic literature. The author interprets a present crisis (persecution, calamity, war, suffering of the innocent) with the use of symbolic language (fearful omens and great signs). Have courage; soon God will definitely intervene!

Note again: "The days will come...The time has come." It is a timeless message for all of us. Be on the alert. Be honest! And when you have to suffer, remember that "by your perseverance you will secure your lives."

Mass Intentions



November 12, 2022

◆5:00pm: George Poteet (Deceased); Diane Bevilacqua (Deceased); Father Thomas Heinzl (Deceased)

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◆7:00am: Ken Ono (Healing); Damien Pires (Healing); Lyndell Beach (Deceased);

◆9:30am: Pro-Populo (For the People)

Pray for the Sick : *Hayden Gonsalves-Hernandez, Rosa Maria Santos, Kainoa Spenser, Rowland Lee, Charles "Bala" Spencer, Father Adondee, Cru Silva, Jennifer McMahon, Mary B. Oliveira, 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, Kameryn Rylee Blackburn, Aeris Joseph, Canaska Gonzales, Shantel Kapoi, Maggi Fleming, Reagen Olivares, Ginny Gonsalves, Eleanor Martin, Yvonne Fukumoto, Kehau May, Tammy Jardine, 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, Ann Pirsch, Damien Pires and Ian Yannell.*

"...the Supreme Court in *Dobbs* cleared the way for a paradigm shift in American law, allowing it to enlarge its boundaries to again welcome a segment of the human family that had been outside of its protections for close to half a century. *Dobbs*, then, is a victory for justice, the rule of law, and self-governance. But for those of us who have prayed for this moment to arrive, it is the time for a renewal and rededication of our efforts to build a culture of life and civilization of love." Archbishop William E. Lori, Chair of the USCCB Committee on Pro-Life Activities

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 **November 23rd. Please come and join us as we pray for our Blessed Mother's intercession. Call Cathy White at 269-5449.**

Bereavement Committee: *Lorraine & Damien Pires, Jeanne Ono and Wayne & Dotty Purdy. Mahalo!*

OCTOBER 2022 ROSARY MARIAN HOME VISIT



ANGELS IN THE CHOIR LOFT



WE ARE ALWAYS LOOKING FOR MORE MEMBERS! COME & JOIN US!

St. Anthony High Schoolers on Retreat at Holy Ghost Church



Their theme for the retreat was "Unity in Community"

Based on the Bible verse: 1 Cor. 12:12-27. Jesus reminds us how important each of us is by comparing our various gifts and talents to the parts of the body. Their objective was to get to know each other more; better understand their role as members of SAS community; consider ways in which Jesus unifies us in community; reflect on why it's important to be an active member of the SAS community; and recognize cooperation as an asset to a Christian Community per St. Paul in 1 Cor. 12:12-27.

They had a powerful retreat, and we are thankful for our Kula Community Ohana who brought them home made snacks & treats to keep them energized during the time they spent with us in Kula.