# August 2022

28 - 12noon Mass at St. James the Less, 11am Mass at Holy Ghost will be canceled.

# September 2022

1– World Day of Prayer

4 - Holy Hour for Vocations, Sunday, 3pm, OLQA

7 - Healing Mass, 7am at Holy Ghost

11 - Patriot's Day, remembrance at the Sunday Masses

11 - Religious Education classes begin, 8:15am at HG Hall 10/11 - Second Collection, Catholic University of America

18 - Catechetical Sunday

#### Stewardship of Treasure, Aug 20 & 21, 2022

Weekly Offertory	\$2,154.00	Ν
Catholic Charities	\$1,393.00	
Mass Intention	\$80.00	A
Restricted Gift	\$4,500.00	H
Building & Maint Fund	\$1,400.00	Δ
OLQA Out door Stations	\$6,190.00	
Candle donations	\$119.00	
HG Gift Shop Sales	\$70.69	C
HG Gift Shop Credit Card Sale	\$137.30	
TOTAL DEPOSIT	\$16,043.99	

Prayer Quilt Ministry: The recipient of the 192nd quilt is Agnes Lopes who is 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 continue to open after the 5pm Mass & on Sundays from 9am to 10:45am. Phone 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. Federal funds available for back rent & utilities! 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.

# FUN, FAITH & FOOD - Youth Ministry

If you have a youth in middle and/or high school, join us on Sunday, September 18 from 6-8 pm at Our Lady Queen of Angels. Dinner will be provided. Optional: Dress in clothes that can get dirty, dark colors are advised. If you have any questions, please contact Carol Conley (carol.fit808@gmail.com) or Mary Jean Bega (mjbega@gmail.com). Please RSVP by September 1 to Carol or Mary Jean.

**ANTI-BULLYING PRESENTATION presented by** Jodee Blanco, N.Y. Times best selling author and bullying survivor turned activist Wednesday, August 31, 2022, 5:00pm St. Anthony Church, Wailuku, free & open to the Public. For more information call 808-244-4190 Ext. 221 Got Time? Serve with a grateful heart and volunteer for one of these ministries.

Catechism Teachers & Assistant Teachers. contact Carol at carol.fit808@gmail.com or call the office 808-878-1261 Holy Ghost Gift Shop Volunteers call Laureen Joseph 808-281-7513 **Building & Maint. Committee, call the office** IT background needed, please call the office Social Ministry, call Henrietta Chong 808-250-9901 Please kokua and give us a call, there are lots of areas you can share your Aloha with us!

October ~ Rosary-Marian Devotion A statue of the Blessed Virgin Mary will be hosted in homes in the Kula Catholic Community during the month of October. Family and friends can be invited to join the host family in saying the rosary. Sign up sheets at the entrance of church for those interested in being a host. In September we will work with host families to set dates to participate. Please welcome our Blessed Mother into your homes as we pray together.

## Liturgical Ministers: Weekly Mass Schedule: Sept 3 & 4

Holy Ghost Mission Church 5:00pm (*L*) *J.* & *C. White* 

Our Lady Queen of 7:00am (L) E. Wilson, C. Sylva

Holy Ghost Church 9:30am (L) H. Chong, J. Ritchie (E)M. Chong

Holy Ghost Church 11:00am (L) P. Kaialiilii, MJ Bega

# Kula Roman Catholic Community Bulletin

August 28, 2022

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

## 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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Livestreaming of 7am Mass continues Facebook site: Our Lady Queen of Angels Church, icon: Mary's Grotto

Mahalo to our Parishioners who walked in this year's **Charity Walk** Malorie, Cathy & Joe, Henrietta, Carol & Zane, Lance & Sandra Thank you to all who sponsored our walkers. They raised just under \$3000 for our Parish!

## <u>This Sunday's Gospel</u> <u>Thoughts for the Week</u> August 28th, 2022



#### <u>1st Reading Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29</u> Humility

"Humble yourself...and you will find favor with God." The writer of Sirach is a keen observer of his fellow humans. People addicted to pride, full of pretensions, are like actors who constantly play the roles of other characters but never their own. They cannot be great in God's eyes. Humble persons know that they depend entirely on God. "God, in your goodness, you have made a home for the poor [me].

### **Responsorial Psalm:**

God, in your good-ness, you have made a home for the poor.

#### 2nd Reading Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a The Heavenly Jerusalem

The Old Testament imagery for the greatness of God consists of clouds, fire, storm, angels, blasting trumpets, thunder, and lightning. This imagery is lavishly used at the manifestation of God on Mount Sinai. People were warned not to break through toward the Lord in order to see him (Ex 19:16-25). They might be struck down.

The author of Hebrews refers to this theophany (manifestation of God) and compares it with the theophany on Mount Zion, located in heaven, where we will see God without trembling and fear. But coming to this mountain in heaven, meeting God there face to face and partaking in his banquet is granted only to the humble, as today's Gospel teaches us.

#### Gospel Lk 14:1, 7-14 The Reward of Humility

Jesus relates a parable and an exhortation to his host. The parable is not just a lesson in good table manners. Rather, it refers to the Messianic Banquet of the end-time. Attendance depends on the invitation of God. And only those who are humble and in need of salvation will be there.

Are you self-sufficient or in need of God? The exhortation to the host suggests that our acceptance of fellow humans now has something to do with our own acceptance at the Messianic Banquet later.



## <u>Mass Intentions</u>

#### August 27, 2022

 5:00pm: Damien Pires (Healing); Fred & Roseline Ventura (Deceased)

#### August 28, 2022

 7:00am: Maria Dean (Blessings); Carol Franco (Peace & Comfort); Cheryl Medeiros (Healing); Julio Franco (Deceased)

♦ 9:30am: Highland Holding Group (Blessings)

◆12noon: Bill Frampton (Healing); Pro-Populo (For the People)

**Pray for the Sick :** Hayden Gonsalves-Hernandez, Rosa Maria Santos, Kainoa Spenser, Rowland Lee, Jason Allencastre, 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, George Poteet, 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 and Ann Pirsch.

"No sin or crime is greater than God's mercy. The sacrifice of the Cross reveals that Christ's greatest desire is to forgive those with a repentant heart."

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities "Death Penalty: Catholic Q&A"

As part of our Pro-Life Ministry, we say the Rosary for Life on the 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of each month at 6pm at Holy Ghost Church. Our next Rosary will be on September 28th. Please come and join us as we pray for our Blessed Mother's intercession. Any questions please call Cathy White at 269-5449.

<u>Bereavement Committee:</u> Lorraine & Damien Pires, Jeanne Ono and Wayne & Dotty Purdy. Mahalo!

# PASTOR'S CORNER

My Dear Brothers and Sisters/ Parishioners / Cosojourners as Kula Catholic Community,

True humility brings true joy.

There is no real honor except being honored by God. We always want the best part, the finest things and highest honor before others but the Lord of Heaven and Earth made himself a man and becomes a slave to all. So, as we take pride in being friends with the worldly leaders, celebrities and the rich and famous, let us not forget to be a true friend with Christ the Lord. In fact, let us remember that all of us are equal children of our God in Baptism. When we die, whether rich or poor you can bring nothing with us. *In observation of the bones of the dead, Alexander the great could not see any difference at all between that of his father and the slaves*.

Let us give honor to God and welcome Him as a special guest in our homes, in our nation and in our world so that there will be no war and fighting because of the proud but only peace and harmony, and that he will honor us the peacemakers, the humble, and the poor in spirit.

#### Father Anton

# Outdoor Stations of the Cross Project at Our Lady Queen of Angels



Many thanks for the donations coming in! Thank you to our parishioner Albert Lemus and his crew from Aztec who started working on Father Anton's design of the 14th Station.

Father Anton has been diligently working on the new rock wall!



# CHARITY WALK 2022

It was great walking for our Christ! Our Community~ Malorie

## Mahalo from a grateful Prayer Quilt Recipient

Words cannot express my deep appreciation for your thoughtfulness and prayers. I am so moved and touched by all of your group's love and tenderness. I will cherish each stich as it was truly a labor of love and prayer. May our Precious Lord bless you all abundantly



for all that you do and for who you are. You all as well continue to be in our prayers. With much love, prayer and deep appreciation...Joe & Sue Talarico

