

June 2011

Dear Parishioners:

I am happy to announce that Mr. Cyril Pires will be the new Principal of St. Theresa School beginning the 2011-12 academic year. Mr. Pires and his wife Debra are parishioners of the Co-Cathedral and over the years he has served as our technology instructor, athletic director, and most recently as our Dean of Students. Over the past three years, Mr. Pires has been instrumental in introducing many important upgrades to our school in the areas curriculum, student information management, technology, and extracurricular activities. I know he is excited to begin his new responsibilities and is looking forward to working with our faculty, parents, and parishioners to build up our parish school.

I am also happy to announce that Mr. Pires will be assisted by our new Vice-Principal, Mrs. Wanda Pila. Mrs. Pila has taught at St. Theresa School for many years and is a parishioner of St. Patrick's Church, Kaimuki. She is a dedicated professional who brings a wealth of experience, especially in the area of curriculum development.

After consultation with our Pastoral Council and School Advisory Board, I have decided to set aside our discussions with Damien Memorial School about a possible structural partnership. While Damien remains an important partner with us in Catholic education and we continue to enjoy a long-standing relationship with a majority of our boys continuing their studies at Damien each year, the consensus was that, at this time, we will serve our constituencies best by operating independently.

Because St. Theresa School is a ministry of our parish it is incumbent on every one of us to support our school. This can be done by making every effort to send your children/grandchildren to our school, supporting our "Little Flower" scholarship fund to make Catholic education affordable for more of our families, volunteering, and never missing an opportunity to be an ambassador of our school.

Our school brings tremendous vitality to our parish and helps us to extend our mission of "being the heart of Christ in the heart of the city." I know that together we can make this happen in exciting and bold new ways, and I am looking forward to a future bright with success!

Easter Blessings,

Fr. William

Community Life

Welcome to the Co-Cathedral!

Thank you for worshipping with us today! We are happy you have joined us! We pray that in our company you will experience the Lord's own welcome and discover anew God's loving purposes for your life. If we can be of help or support to you, please speak to any one of our staff or volunteers. If you are interested in joining our parish, visit our Cathedral Office after Mass to register and receive more information about our parish activities.

June@The Co-Cathedral

June 14 Finance Council, 6:30 pm
June 18 Parish Picnic, 10 am
June 19 Anointing of the Sick, 11:30 am
June 21 Ex. Ministers of Holy Communion,
7:00 pm (church)

June 22-25 Oahu Faith Formation Conference, Holy Family Academy

June 23 Lector Training, 7:00 pm (church)
June 25 Sacristan Training, 8:30 am (church)
June 25 Catechists' Luncheon
June 26 Eucharistic Procession, 12 N
June 30 Usher Training, 7:00 pm (church)

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Our Co-Cathedral website is regularly updated with information, calendar of activities, and pictures and other useful information and spiritual resources (e.g. the Daily Readings, Minute Meditation, LIFETEEN link, etc.).

Parish Picnic!

Our annual Parish Picnic will be **Saturday, June 18 from 10 am – 2 pm** at Ala Moana Beach Park (the Risers). Hamburgers, hot dogs, teri beef & water will be provided. Just bring a salad or dessert to share, a beach chair, and sunscreen! There will be games for the kids, bounce houses and fun for the whole family! Come and enjoy a summer day with us!

Grotto Restoration

Mahalo to all who contributed to our grotto restoration. This summer the new image of the

Blessed Mother will be placed in the grotto, benches for sitting will be added, and in time lighting on the statue. We are grateful to all who supported this project!

Mission Appeal

The Co-Cathedral welcomes Fr. Robert Kelly, SVD as our Mission Appeal speaker the weekend of June 18-19. Fr. Kelly will preach at all Masses on the international work of the Divine Word Missionaries. A special collection will be taken.



Our Rose of the Month!

Congratulations to **Judith Caro** our new Rose of the Month. Judith is a catechist with our Co-Cathedral Kids and leads the Children's Liturgy of the Word at the 10:30 am Mass. Judith also leads our aerobics class, Temple Training, for those wanting to get fit. While a tough fitness trainer she has a gentle heart like our patroness, St. Theresa, and is always attentive to the needs of our little ones. Thanks Judith for your service to our parish community!

Liturgy & Prayer

Liturgical Ministry Training

This month there will be training sessions for all of our liturgical ministries to review our procedures, practice, and update everyone the implementation of the revised Roman Missal. All current and new ministers should plan to attend:

Tuesday, June 21, 7:00 pm (church) – Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion
Thursday, June 23, 7:00 pm (church) – Lectors
Saturday, June 26, 8:30 am (church) – Sacristans
Thursday, June 30, 7:00 pm (church) - Ushers

Faith Formation

Singles for Christ

If you are 21-40ish, come and join a new young adult ministry forming at the Co-Cathedral – Singles for Christ. The meet on Friday evenings in the in the Parish Hall at 7:00pm. Come and meet new people who share your faith in Christ! For more information, contact Justin at 285.0893.

New Infant Baptism Preparation Program

Beginning in June, our Infant Baptism Preparation program will be revised to include 1) A parent interview, and 2) A parent preparation class. These will take place the first and second Wednesdays of each month at 7 pm at the Rectory. Baptisms will then be scheduled on Saturdays at 9 am and 9:30 am. *Families preparing for Baptisms should be registered parishioners, attending Mass regularly, and supporting the mission of the Church.* **Our next session of Baptism Interviews will be Wednesday, July 6 at 7:00 pm.** For more information on Infant Baptism, contact our Cathedral office at 521-1700.

Lectio Divina

Join us every Tuesday evening at 7 pm in the Library for Bible study in the Benedictine tradition of Lectio Divina. It includes Scripture reading, meditation, sharing, and prayer.

Bringing Home the Word

Summer is a good time to consider starting a small group. You can do so with your family at home, with co-workers, or with friends at a local café. Groups are invited to use the resource, *Bringing Home the Word*, a weekly reflection with questions for discussion, available from our Cathedral Office. If you are interested in starting a small group, contact Lloree at 521-1700.

Revised Roman Missal

The words that we sing and say at Mass will be changing November 27, 2011. Every diocese in the United States is making preparations for the introduction of this new translation of the Roman Missal. For more information, visit the United State Conference of Catholic Bishops' website, www.usccb.org.

Stewardship

Sunday/Feast Day Collections in May:

Amount Needed Each Week: \$11,057.00

	<u>Regular</u>	<u>Second/Specials</u>
May 1	8077.19	
May 8	7843.32	2451.47 (Maint/Repairs)
May 15	7291.16	1002.00 (Catholic Communications)
May 22	7128.37	

Thank you for your generosity!

Capital Campaign update

A beautiful color brochure is available near the doors of the church highlighting the different ministries funded through donations from the *With Grateful Hearts* Capital Campaign. Some examples include tuition assistance for those attending Catholic schools, support for the renovation of the Cathedral of Our Lady of Peace, leadership training for clergy and laity, and youth and young adult ministry! Take one home to learn how your pledge is making a difference!

Organ Fund

As a musical instrument, the organ maintains a place of prominence in the history and tradition of the Church. We have created a special fund to pay for the new Allen organ located in the choir loft of the church. This beautiful instrument is already being used at our 8:00 and 10:30 a.m. liturgies. If you would like to make a donation, please contact our Cathedral office.

Join us for the
Co-Cathedral Parish Picnic
Saturday, June 18, 2011 10am– 2pm
Ala Moana Beach Park
(Picnic Area 28A & 28B—"The Risers")

Hot Dogs - Hamburgers Teri Beef - Potato Salad - Chips - Watermelon

***** Bring your favorite dish and desserts to share *****

Games for Adults and Kids --Piñata—Bounce House—Water Balloons

Fellowship—Volleyball—and more!!!!