



Co-Cathedral of Saint Theresa of the Child Jesus

Sixth Sunday of Easter

May 21, 2017

MISSION: We the people of the Co-Cathedral of St. Theresa of the Child Jesus, seek to be an example of the presence of God through our Christian Catholic worship, education, service and stewardship of all God's gifts.

We celebrate our diversity of age, culture, language, and view points as a sign of God's all powerful and ever-present love in our community of faith. We strive to witness the gospel of Jesus Christ to evangelize and to respond in love, as well as compassion to our community in Honolulu, to be a welcoming place to all who seek the grace, fellowship, and love of God.

Clergy Team

Pastor Fr. Gregorio Honorio Jr.
In-Residence Fr. Sydney Fernandes
Deacon Francis Leasiolagi
VHM Chaplain Fr. Dominic Nguyen
VHM Deacon Anthony Nguyen

Schedule of Masses

Sunday 6:15am, 8:00am
10:30am, 6:00pm
Saturday Vigil 5:00pm
Mondays - Thursdays 6:30am
Fridays & Saturdays 8:00am

Vietnamese Masses

Sunday 3:30pm
Saturday Vigil 7:00pm
Mon, Tues, Thurs 5:30pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Wednesdays 6:15pm-7:00pm

Eucharistic Adoration

Exposition
Wednesdays 6:15pm-7:00pm
Adoration Chapel
Everyday 6:00am-10:30pm

Co-Cathedral Office

Monday-Friday 8:00am-12:00pm
1:00pm-4:30pm
Saturdays 8:30am-12:00pm
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Saint Theresa School

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"I will not leave you orphans."

After I graduated from high school and turned 18, my dad died unexpectedly from an accident. Three years later, after my first semester of seminary formation, my mom died from breast cancer. I know what it's like to be an orphan. At 21, I experienced the fact of not having the security of parents anymore. But throughout my eight years of being in the seminary, many who have become my fathers and mothers have taken care of me.

In today's gospel, Jesus is preparing the disciples for His departure from them to the Father after His resurrection. Jesus promised that He would not leave them orphans. This promise is extended to us who have been made children of God through Baptism. We have been made partakers of the divine life of the Blessed Trinity. Jesus asks the Father to give us His Spirit of Truth to dwell in us even after He ascends to the right hand of the Father. The tomb is empty but we rejoice and celebrate because we are not orphans in the family of God. Because of this, we are to be His witnesses in the world. To show the world what God has done for us.

Throughout the history of the Church, the Holy Spirit has been at work in the Church. We are reminded of this in the first reading from the Acts of the Apostles. The great signs and wonders, the baptisms, the laying of hands, and the receiving of the Holy Spirit are a few evidence of His presence. Few are ordained to the priesthood of Jesus Christ so that they can radically love and serve the people entrusted to them. They are to be stewards of the sacraments and help lead others to a life of holiness. Last Friday night, Bishop Silva ordained me to this service. I don't know where this ministry will lead me but I know that I am able and willing. I pray that I will always remain in His love.

From the bottom of my heart and depths of my soul, thank you all for celebrating with me my ordination to the Order of Presbyter last Friday night. Your presence, prayers, thoughts, kind words, and generous gifts have touched me profoundly and are greatly appreciated. **May God bless you! Please continue to pray for me in my ministry and for more young people to answer the Lord's call to follow Him!**

**I remain your son in Christ,
Rev. Alfred Omar Bueno Guerrero**

MONDAY

May 22nd

Acts 16:11-15/Jn 15:26-16:4a

Saint Rita of Cascia

- 6:30a - Mass
- 5:30p - VHM Mass
- 6:00p - Choir Practice PH

TUESDAY

May 23rd

Acts 16:22-34/Jn 16:5-11

- 6:30a - Mass
- 5:00p - Sports Banquet PH
- 5:30p - VHM Mass
- 6:30p - Young Adult Ministry PC

WEDNESDAY

May 24th

Acts 17:15, 22-18:1/Jn 16:12-15

- 6:30a - Mass
- 11:00a - Funeral Mass
- 6:00p - OLPH Novena
- 6:15p - Exposition of Blessed FWR
- 6:00p - Sacrament PC
- 7:00p - Youth Core Leadership
Lectio Divina

THURSDAY

May 25th

Acts 1:1-11/Eph 1:17-23/Mt 28:16-20

- 6:30a - Mass
- 8:00a - STS - 8th Gr.
Baccalaureate Mass
- 5:00p - STS 8th Grade Graduation

FRIDAY

May 26th

Acts 18:9-18/Jn 16:20-23

Saint Philip Neri

- 8:00a - Mass
- 6:30p - HCCRS Prayer Group
- 7:00p - VHM Mass

SATURDAY

May 27th

Acts 18:23-28/Jn 16:23b-28

Saint Augustine of Canterbury

- 8:00a - Mass
- 9:00a - Lector's Practice
- 10:00a - Lector's Ministry Leaders R
- 5:00p - Vigil Mass
- 7:00p - VHM Vigil Mass

SUNDAY

May 28th

Acts 1:12-14/1 Pt 4:13-16/Jn 17:1-11a

7th Sunday of Easter

The Ascension of the Lord
World Communication Day

- 6:15a - Mass
- 8:00a - Mass
- 10:30a - Mass
- 3:30p - VHM Mass
- 6:00p - Mass

Funeral

Lucille Yee 5/24

SOCIAL MINISTRY

SHARING IS A GIFT FROM GOD



As faith is a gift from God, those we serve are also gifts from God. The less fortunate help us to grow in faith and to grow closer to our Lord Jesus Christ. Whether we choose to see them or not, they are companions on our faith journey. They are always there as reminders for us to love and to serve and by doing so, we are loving Him above all else.

How many times have we passed someone on the street only to have that feeling inside that we should've stopped and offered something? Sometimes we just look the other way. Imagine that was Jesus we ignored and walked past without helping.

Social Ministry, serving others, is in itself, evangelizing. When we serve, it is the Bible in action, the Word of God in motion, our faith in action. When we share our blessings with others in a way we are saying, "God is good, His love is overflowing and abundant and we want to share it with you because you are loved." Excerpts from *Living Catholic in the 808: Serving is a Gift from God* By: Clarissa M. Emayo

The generous sharing of your food donations during this HUNGER AWARENESS WEEKEND is one of the ways of sharing your blessings with the needy among us. We cannot turn our heads the other way when we see and/or we know we have among us those who are vulnerable to food insecurity (not knowing where the next meal will come from). Your food donations go a long way for these households. Thank you for your gift of sharing and for being a channel of God's blessings so others can be blessed and get to experience God's love.

This conference is open to everyone (parishioners, volunteers, ministers)
Registration is now open at
www.catholichawaii.org/oahufaitformation
or find registration forms available at the church bulletin tables.



"I want to help us direct our attention OUTWARD, and not simply focus on the internal structures and programs of our diocese and parishes. This is in keeping with the mandate of Jesus himself." - Bishop Larry Silva

OAHU--FAITH FORMATION CONFERENCE 2017--JUNE 16-17

Friday Breakout Sessions 1:00-3:00pm; 3:30-5:30pm; 6:30-8:30pm
Saturday 8:00 Mass with Rev. Msgr. Gary Secor, Vicar General
Saturday Breakout Sessions 10:00-Noon; 1:00-3:00pm

St. Theresa Co-Cathedral and School
712 N School Street, Honolulu

Session topics includes

- Happy Parents, Happy Kids
- Invoking the Power of the Name of Jesus
- Prayer and the Spiritual Life
- How to Understand Ancient Texts Using Digital Archaeology
- How to Recruit, Empower and Motivate Your Ministry Volunteers
- How to Fund Your 'Stewards of the Gospel' Parish/School Plan

ST. THERESA THIS WEEK
S Sacristy
PC Pastoral Center
PH Parish Hall
R Rectory
VHM Vietnamese Holy Martyrs
FWR Faculty Work Room
STS Saint Theresa School



A STEWARDSHIP MOMENT BY THE INTERNATIONAL CATHOLIC STEWARDSHIP COUNCIL

May 21, 2017

Philip understood very well Jesus' words: "If you love me, you will keep my commandments." We learn of Philip's devotion to prayer, evangelizing and healing in the region of Samaria; made up of communities that would not be very receptive to the followers of Jesus. Philip is a model steward, living his discipleship day by day in the Lord without being obstructed by feelings of what cost his actions might entail.

Good stewards summon the courage to proclaim the Lord and to serve Him by ministering to others. As an Easter people, eager to rejoice in the Lord, it is important to reflect on how we are living out our own commitment to discipleship.

MINISTRY APPRECIATION EVENT



There were so much fun and laughter, photo ops (at the photo booth), food, prizes, giveaways, and a lot of dancing during the night of the Ministry Appreciation Event on Saturday, May 6 in the Parish Hall of the Co-Cathedral of St. Theresa. More than 140 volunteers came and were recognized for their valuable contribution to the parish. They

are true stewards of the gospel as they give of their time and talent to serve God and His people. We thank everyone especially the event committee who worked hard to make the evening enjoyable. We look forward to another one next year.

A Reminder

The Second Collection for NEXT Week is:
May 27/28, 2017

Catholic Communications Campaign

OFFERINGS OF MAY 8 - 14, 2017

Sunday Mass Offering	\$ 10,424.40	Holy Thursday	\$ 2.00
Initial Offering	\$ 4.00	Holy Land	\$ 5.00
Mass Intentions	\$ 601.00	Easter	\$ 5.00
Weddings	\$ 750.00	Operation Rice Bowl	\$ 17.00
Baptisms	\$ 300.00	Donation	\$ 30.00
Blessings	\$ 271.00	Repairs and Maintenance	\$ 321.00
Funerals	\$ 300.00	Dcn. Alfred's Ordination	\$ 205.00
Candles	\$ 1,894.56	Weekday Offering	\$ 297.23
Mother's Day	\$ 3,116.00		

Mahalo for Your Generosity!

OFFERINGS OF MAY 1 - 14, 2017

 **Online Giving**
@ www.cocathedral.org

Sunday Mass Offering	\$ 1,345.00
Repairs and Maintenance	\$ 70.00

Please consider the Co-Cathedral of St. Theresa of the Child Jesus in your Will.
For more information on Planned Giving, please do not hesitate to contact our office or the Diocese's Stewardship and Development Office" Thank you.

Parish Staff

Dir. of Religious Education, Pastoral Associate
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Sacraments & Rites

Contact our parish office for more information or for scheduling an appointment:

- Infant Baptism (Contact our office at least one month before)
- Anointing of the Sick
- Holy Communion for the sick and the homebound
- Matrimony (Contact our office ten months in advance)
- Blessings (house, vehicle, religious items)
- Funerals
- Vocation to the Priesthood or Religious

Prayers & Faith Formation

Holy Rosary
Before daily Mass & 6:15am Sun. Mass

Religious Education
Sundays 9:15am-10:15am

Youth Night
Sundays 7:00pm

Legion of Mary
Tuesdays 6:00pm

Faith Sharing by Young Adults (18-34)
Tuesdays 7:00pm

Mother of Perpetual Help
Wednesdays 6:00pm

Lectio Divina
Wednesdays 7:00pm