

*Sixteenth Sunday
In Ordinary Time
July 19, 2020*



**Saint John Vianney Parish
Community**

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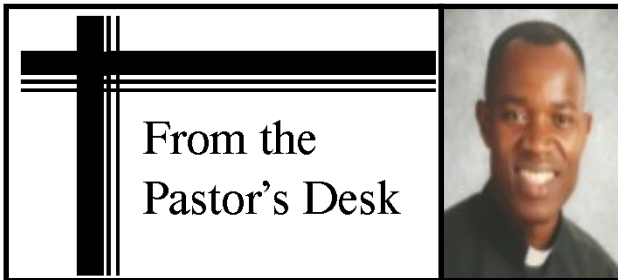
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Dear Parish Family,

Did you ever form a poor opinion of someone and discover later that you were wrong? Did you ever judge someone badly and discover later that your judgment was incorrect? Anytime we judge others, we need to be aware that we may not have the full picture and so we may not be fair in our judgment of others. *The Gospel this Sunday, has weeds or darnel that an enemy sowed among the wheat, in the parable taught by Jesus which looked very much like the wheat in their early growth, so that it was really impossible to decide properly which was the wheat and which the weed. Aren't we blessed that God has the bigger picture and not our puny judgments! God is much more merciful and patient than we are.*

Growing in faith is like being in this field, living among a mix of weeds and wheat. We strive to grow up as wheat, bearing the fruit of faith, hope and love. But we are surrounded by weeds that feed on hatred, despair, and deceit. In our weakness, we may be tempted to grow like the weeds. But we are not weeds! We are planted by the master sower to grow up as wheat. We are his wheat!

But when we forget or fail, when the weeds of sin encroach and overwhelm, God is patient and kind to us. God governs his growing field with clemency. In his mercy, he chooses not to separate the righteous from the evildoers until the end of the age. Every moment until then is an opportunity to be in a state of grace, and to repent and turn back to God when we have failed. He sends his Spirit to intercede for us and come to the aid of our weakness. Under the care of God, who lovingly nurtures us through the Word and sacraments, we will grow to bear good fruit, worthy of his harvest.

In Christ,
Fr. Peter

Saint John Vianney Parish, a Christian Community in the Roman Catholic tradition, motivated by the love of God, provides opportunities in worship, education, ministry and outreach for its parishioners and the community at large.

Pastor Fr. Peter Miti
Permanent Deacons
Clarence DeCaires Jerry Tokars Walter Yoshimitsu—Retired
Parish Administrator Interim Gail Browne
Parish Secretary Gail Browne
Music Ministry Robert Mondoy
RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)
Pam Aqui and Kamalani Rodrigues
Religious Education—Steffanie Beissel, Coordinator
Pre-School & Elementary Youth Ministry
Sacrament of Baptism and Sacrament of Marriage
Please refer to website for information or call the Parish Office: 808-262-8317
Annulment Fr. Peter Miti & Deacon Jerry Tokars
Sick and Homebound (Communion/ Anointing of the Sick)
Call the Parish Office: 808-262-8317
Funerals
Call the Parish Office before making arrangements with the mortuary.
Online Giving Go online to:
saintjohnvianneyhawaii.org
PARISH SCHOOL Website: sjvkailua.org
Phone: 808-261-4651 Fax: 808-263-0505
Principal: Caryn DeMello
Administrative Assistant: Annie Chee
Director of Finance: Sheryl Caldeira

Sunday Liturgy of the Eucharist
Saturday: 5:00 pm
Sunday: 7:00 am, 9:00 am, 11:00 am
Hearing assistance devices available. See ushers.

Weekday Liturgy of the Eucharist
Tue, Wed, Thu, Fri, Sat: 8:00 am
Monday: Communion Service 8:00 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation
After Saturday 8:00am Mass
and by appointment only

Welcome New parishioners:
please register at the parish office.

Aloha Departing parishioners: please
advise the parish office of your
departure date.

AED Available at back of church in
cabinet under Divine Mercy picture

Parish Office Hours
Monday: 8:30 am—12:30 pm
Tuesday—Friday: 8:30 am—4:00 pm
Saturday: Closed

Know your Catholic Faith Corner

Apologetics Without Apology! *Kinds of Indulgences*

We have seen in this series that an indulgence is defined as "*remission of temporal punishment due to sin that has been forgiven in confession.*"

There are two kinds of indulgences: **Partial** and **Plenary**. Partial indulgences remit part of the temporal punishment due to sin, and plenary indulgences remit all of the temporal punishment due to sin. This punishment may come either in this life, in the form of various sufferings, or in the next life, in purgatory. What we don't get rid of here, we suffer there.

How to "gain" a partial or plenary indulgence: Gaining a partial indulgence is very straight forward. The only requirements are: to be in the state of grace (which means to be free from mortal sin), to have the intention to gain the indulgence and finally, to perform the actual act (say the prayer, make the sign of the cross, etc). A person may receive partial indulgences several times a day.

Gaining a plenary indulgence is a bit more involved. Only one plenary indulgence can be gained a day. The requirements are five-fold which are: You must receive the Sacrament of Confession a few days before or after the plenary indulgence; You must have the intention of gaining the indulgence; Say a prayer for the Pope (traditionally the Our Father, Hail Mary and Glory Be); Do the actual act or prayer of the indulgence; Be free from the attachment to sin, mortal or venial.

Both partial and plenary indulgences can be applied either to oneself or to the faithful departed by way of prayer. The Church's official book of indulgences is known as the *Enchiridion Indulgentiarum*, or the *Handbook of Indulgences*.

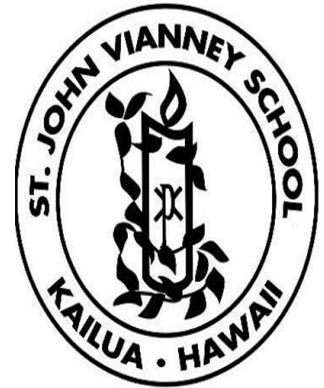


By: Earl Walker

St. John Vianney School will welcome all students back to class on Monday, July 27, 2020. Families can be assured of a safe and healthy environment on our campus and classrooms. We will follow the Hawaii State Department of Health's guidelines, including disinfections procedures and safe distancing. Your child will be kept in safe hands by our nurturing and supportive teachers in our small class sizes.

Our staff instills in students the value of service to others and partners with parents in their child's faith formation. We provide an emphasis on academic excellence and use technology effectively. Students are encouraged to become productive citizens and future leaders in our community as we prepare them for the finest high schools.

Parents who wish to learn more about our school's safety plans and curriculum during these challenging times, please call the school office at **261-4651**.



If you have skills in video taping and video editing, perhaps you would like to help in this ministry, please contact the parish office at **262-8317** and leave your name and contact information.

Stewardship of Treasure



Offertory: Our weekly donation for **July 11—July 17, 2020** is **\$6,962** and the weekly budget is **\$ 9,288**. Therefore, we have a **deficit** of **\$ 2,326**.

MAHALO for you continued **SUPPORT** to **GIVE**. If you give on line, please keep giving online, and if you give by envelope, you can put it in the collection box in the church or mail or drop off your donation at the Parish Office or place in the Slot Box.



Next Week Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Reading I:
1 Kings 3:5, 7-12

Reading II:
Romans 8:28-30

Gospel:
Matthew 13:44-52



*Healing of
Gordon Wong,
Sandy Chong, John Sutton,
Thomas Taum, Trish Robertson
And for the Homebound*

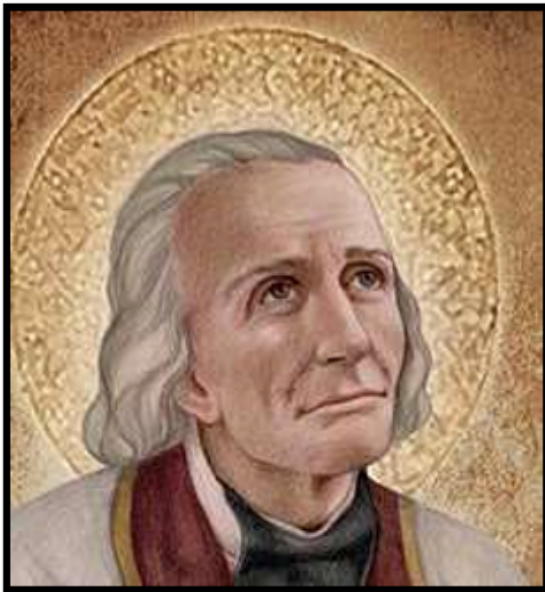
REST IN PEACE
*Mr. Donald Secor
(Msgr. Gary Secor's father)*



A Novena

Celebrating the Feast Day of St. John Vianney

What is a Novena? It is a series of prayers that are said for 9 straight days, usually as a prayer of petition but sometimes as a prayer of thanksgiving. Novenas have their roots in the 9 days that the Apostles spent in prayer between Ascension and Pentecost Sunday (Lk 24: 49).



On Tuesday, August 4, 2020 we will celebrate the Feast day of St. John Vianney. Did you know that as a Parish, we have been in existence for 58 years? It is not by coincidence that we continue to thrive. It certainly is by grace, the presence of the Lord among us. To obtain this grace, St. John Vianney continually intercedes for us as well.

All parishioners are invited to invoke his intercessions as we approach his Feast Day. Beginning on Sunday, July 26 until Monday, August 3, during all Masses, we will recite the daily Novena Prayer as we prepare as individuals, families and the parish community. For those that cannot attend Sunday or weekday Masses, you are encouraged to pray the Novena from your home.

Have a blessed Novena.



ST. JOHN VIANNEY

Learn more about our Patron Saint

St. John Mary Vianney was ordained a priest in 1815. Three years later he was made the parish priest of Ars, a remote French hamlet, not very far from the town of Lyons. Within a short time, his reputation as a confessor and director of souls became well known. People began coming to him from other parishes, then from nearby villages, then from all parts of France, and finally from other countries.

The most distinguished persons visited the village of Ars for the purpose of seeing the holy curé and hearing his daily instruction. His instructions were simple in language, full of imagery drawn from daily life and country scenes. His direction was characterized by common sense, remarkable insight and supernatural knowledge. It is recorded that even the staunchest of sinners were converted at his mere word. His advice was sought by bishops, priests, religious, young men and women in doubt as to their vocation, sinners, persons in all sorts of difficulties and the sick. By 1855, the number of pilgrims visiting Ars to see Vianney is estimated to have reached twenty thousand a year.

During the last ten years of his life, he spent from sixteen to eighteen hours a day in the confessional. His life was filled with works of charity and love. Although he was a wonderworker loved by the crowds, he retained a childlike simplicity throughout his life. He labored incessantly, with unflinching humility, gentleness, patience and cheerfulness until he was more than seventy-three years old.

He died August 4, 1859 and on October 3, 1874 Pope Pius IX proclaimed him Venerable; on January 8, 1905, Pope Pius X declared him Blessed and proposed him as a model to the parochial clergy; in 1925 Pope Pius XI canonized him. In 1929 he was made patron saint of all parish priests.



All Blood Types Needed





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 Visit BloodBankTough.org to register and donate.

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Adventist Health Castle	640 Ulukahiki St Kailua HI 96734	MON - WED	6:30 AM – 6:30 PM	SUN	6:30 AM – 4:30 AM
Walmart Kapolei	91-600 Farrington Hwy Kapolei HI 96707	THU	6:30 AM – 6:30 PM	FRI - SAT	6:30 AM – 4:30 AM

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