

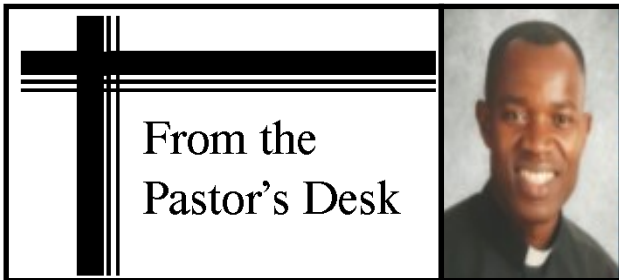
*Eighteenth Sunday  
In Ordinary Time  
August 2, 2020*



**Saint John Vianney Parish  
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**DEAR PARISH FAMILY,**

This week's Gospel of Jesus feeding 5,000 people with just five loaves of bread sets the scene for Jesus' great Bread of Life Discourse in the Gospel of John, which we will hear for the next four Sundays. He multiplied these five loaves to teach his hearers about who He is: the new Passover who frees them from slavery to sin and death, the new Manna from heaven eaten in the form of His Body and Blood, the imperishable Eucharist that gives eternal life to all who eat of it.

Notice that, just as not all sources of physical nourishment are of equal importance, so also not all sources of spiritual nourishment are of equal importance. The Eucharist is the staple that should serve as the foundation for the rest of our spiritual life. Eat ordinary bread and you live one day longer. Those 5,000 whom Jesus fed by the Sea of Galilee were taken care of that day; but then on the following days as before, it was back to relying on themselves to put bread on the table. But eat Jesus' Bread of Life and you will live forever. Come to Jesus and you will never hunger for anything else because He will provide all you need. Rely on Him. Truly believe in Him. Put your faith and trust in Him, and you will never thirst for anything else ever again. Jesus is the Bread of God come down from heaven to give life to the world; us included. Jesus is truly present in the Sacrament of His Body and Blood, the foundation on which everything in the pyramid of a healthy spiritual life -- and for that matter, our eternal life is built.

**HAPPY FEAST DAY:** Today, as we celebrate the feast of our Patron, St. John Vianney, we discover that the secret of his greatness was in the love of prayer and the Eucharist. May we too be blessed as good stewards, sharing in the one bread and the one cup - Happy Feast Day!

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](http://saintjohnvianneyhawaii.org)  
**PARISH SCHOOL** Website: [sjvkailua.org](http://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

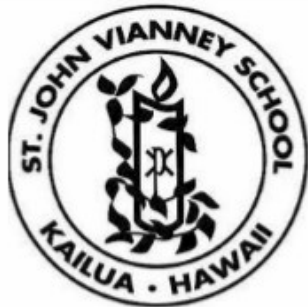
## Is Mass that Important?

### Ask St. John Vianney

This weekend as we celebrate the life of St. John Vianney, the second Vatican Council of 1962 explains that: *The Eucharist needs to be the source and the summit of the Christian life, the beginning and the end, the starting point and goal.* That's what characterized Saint John Vianney's life; that's what he tried to bring about in his people.

Pope John XXIII, in his encyclical letter on the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the death of St. John Vianney, wrote, *"The devotion to prayer of St. John M. Vianney, who was to spend almost the whole of the last thirty years of his life in Church caring for the crowds of penitents who flocked to him, had one special characteristic: it was especially directed toward the Eucharist."* He was devoted to the adorable Sacrament of the Altar with a burning charity and his soul was drawn to the Sacred Tabernacle by a heavenly force that could not be resisted. If you look at his catechesis, he spent far more time preaching about the Eucharist than about all other subjects put together. His hours spent in the confessional were not just so that he could reconcile the people to God, but rather, to prepare them to lead a Catholic life, which entails full participation in the Holy Mass by receiving Holy Communion worthily. Here are some beautiful quotes from St. John Vianney:

- If we really understood the Mass, we would die of joy.
- There is nothing so great as the Eucharist. If God had something more precious, He would have given it to us.
- "If we really loved the good God, we should make it our joy and happiness to come and spend a few moments to adore Him, and ask Him for the grace of forgiveness; and we should regard those moments as the happiest of our lives."



By: Earl Walker

August 2, 2020

# SCHOOL NEWS

St. John Vianney School, 940 Keolu Drive, Kailua Hawaii, 96734



*Due to the threat from Hurricane Douglas, the first day of school was postponed until Tuesday, July 28.*

*Beginning around 7:15 am that day, vehicles began arriving with students who were most excited about returning to in-class instruction. Parents were advised to drive one-way through the driveway by the church and exit through the driveway by the parish hall. Parents remained in their vehicle as Junior Patrol Officers assisted students from the passenger side and escorted them to their teachers. Pre-school students were greeted by our staff members who were waiting on the curb to escort them into the Early Learning Center. All children had their temperatures taken upon entering their classrooms.*



*We thank our Catholic school community and the support from our parish as we begin this new school year. We are looking forward to it being one filled with joy and many accomplishments!*





## **POSITION OPEN:** Chief notary of the Tribunal

For more information and to apply, go to:

<https://www.hrsymphony.com/hrs/route/position/1884/G9LV>

30 hours/4 days per week



Overall Responsibility: The Moderator of the Tribunal Chancery, as the chief notary of the court of the Diocese of Honolulu, coordinates judicial processes in accord with the norm of canon law and also assists with other canonical and administrative duties as needed. Reports to: Judicial Vicar/Director of Canonical Affairs

Classification: Non-Exempt Position Summary:

\*Coordinates the Ordinary Process for marital declarations of nullity, including preparing decrees and assisting in instructing causes as notary, and other judicial and administrative processes. \*Prepares marriage rescripts and ecclesiastical approbations of marriage paperwork coming into or going out of the diocese. •Maintains records systems, including databases and filing, and prepares required reporting to the Supreme Tribunal of the Apostolic Signatura. \*Responds to telephone and email inquiries using judgment and initiative. \*Assists the judicial vicar with preparing for and carrying out advocate training workshops, marriage nullity information sessions, and other canonical training. \*Develops a familiarity with canon law in matters relating to processes and marriage and maintains the diocese's canonical library. \*Other duties as assigned. Minimum Qualifications: \*Active member of a Catholic parish required •Bachelor's degree •Intermediate knowledge of Microsoft Office programs, including Word and Access. Other Job Requirements: Physical requirements •Bending, stooping, reaching, twisting, lifting, pushing, pulling and moving items.

Employment Type: **Full Time**



**Aloha!**

Hope you are all well and staying safe. This is a friendly reminder of the primary election on August 8<sup>th</sup>. Please cast your ballot if you have not done so yet.

**Be sure to mail your ballot back before August 3<sup>rd</sup> If you are returning your ballot after August 3, don't mail it. Drop it off at a Voter Service Center or [ballot drop off box](#) to make sure it is received on time.**

\*Ballots must be received by 7 p.m. on Election Day, Aug. 8. Late ballots will not be counted. Postmark dates are not accepted.

You can check the status of your ballot and download a HI Voted image at <https://ballotstatus.hawaii.gov>.

\*When filling out your ballot use a blue or black pen and completely fill in the rectangle next to the candidate you are voting for.

\*If you make a mistake, request a new ballot. Don't use whiteout or your vote may not count.

\*Pick and vote for only one political party or nonpartisan on the front of the ballot and vote for only one candidate in each race, except for the Kauai County Council.

\*Remember to sign the outside of your ballot envelope or your ballot might not count.

\*If you really want to vote in person or if you still need to register to vote, you can vote at a Voter Service Center.

\*Questions or need the locations of Voter Service Centers or ballot drop boxes near you? Call the Office of Elections at 808-453-VOTE or neighbor islands can call toll-free at 1-800-422-VOTE. You can also go online to [elections.hawaii.gov](https://elections.hawaii.gov).

\*Polling places will not be open on Election Day



Please remind your family and friends as well. Every vote counts.

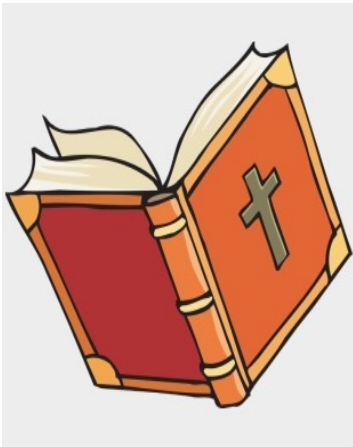
## Stewardship of Treasure



Offertory: Our weekly donation for **July 25—July 31, 2020** is \$7,974.00 and the weekly budget is \$ 8,010. Therefore, we have a **deficit** of \$ 36.

**MAHALO** for your 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* *Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

Reading I:  
1 Kings 19:9a, 11-13a

Reading II:  
Romans 9:1-5

Gospel:  
Matthew 14:22-33



*Healing of*  
*Willie McMillan, Gordon Wong,*  
*Sandy Chong, John Sutton,*  
*Gwen Law, Trish Robertson*  
*And for the Homebound*

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



Vote By Mail is KŪPUNA POWER!



# KŪPUNA

## WE HAVE THE POWER TO SHAPE OUR GOLDEN YEARS.

*It's a kākou thing.  
Let's do it together.*

**INSIDE:**

- Define Kūpuna
- What is Kūpuna Power?
- Hawaii Votes By Mail



We can enjoy our golden years by understanding the many resources available to support us.



[WeAreKupuna.com](http://WeAreKupuna.com)

**LOCAL RESOURCES**

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|---|--|
| Aloha United Way<br><b>(808) 536-1951</b>             | Hawai'i Meals on Wheels<br><b>(808) 988-6747</b>   |
| Legal Aid Society of Hawai'i<br><b>(808) 536-4302</b> | AARP Hawai'i<br><b>(866) 295-7282</b>              |
| Lanakila Meals on Wheels<br><b>(808) 356-8519</b>     | Hawai'i Foodbank<br><b>(808) 836-3600</b>          |
| The Salvation Army<br><b>(808) 988-2136</b>           | Executive Office of Aging<br><b>(808) 586-0100</b> |

Visit [WeAreKupuna.com](http://WeAreKupuna.com) RESOURCES for more on Medicaid, Medicare, Long Term Care, Insurance, Elder Abuse and Healthy Living



**Don't Forget –  
This Year Hawaii Will Vote by Mail!**  
Primary Election – August 8  
General Election – November 3

**What You Need to Know:**

- You must be registered to ensure you receive your mail ballot packet.
- You can still vote in person at a voter service center in your County.
- Voter service centers are open 10 days before and on Election Day.

For more information, contact the Office of Elections at **453-VOTE (8683)** or toll free from the Neighbor Islands at **1-800-442-VOTE (8683)**.

**Important Dates:**

- July 21 – Mail Ballot packet delivered
- July 27 – Voter Service Center open thru Election Day
- August 8 – Primary Election

**Registration Information contact your Clerk Office:**

- County of Hawaii – (808) 961-8277
- County of Maui – (808) 270-7749
- County of Kauai – (808) 241-4800
- City & County of Honolulu – (808) 768-3800

**Voter Service Centers: Open July 27**

- Oahu: Honolulu Hale or Kapolei Hale
- Kauai: Piikoi Building Conference Room-Lihue
- Maui: Velma McWayne Santos Community Center
- Molokai: Mitchell Pauole Center
- Lanai: Lanai Police Station
- Hawaii Island: Hilo - Aupuni Center or Kona - West Hawaii Civic Center

**Hours: Mon-Sat: 8 am – 4:30 pm,  
Election Day: 7 am – 7 pm**



## **St. John Vianney Parish Is celebrating its 58th Anniversary**



**Let us sing, pray and rejoice  
during all Masses this weekend**

Congratulations to St. John Vianney Parish for serving Enchanted Lake and the surrounding area for 58 years. The parish presently has an active congregation of over 1,000 families. The first pastor of our parish was Fr. John Read who was followed by Fr. Patrick Freitas, Fr. Nathan Mamo, Fr. Joseph Grimaldi, Fr. Thomas Gross and by our current pastor Fr. Peter Miti.

Parish staff includes our pastor, a parish administrator, a parish secretary, a director of Religious Education and a Music director. We have a Finance Council, Pastoral Council and School Board which act as advisors to our pastor.

Ministries include Altar Servers, Lectors, Bereavement, Environment, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Music, an RCIA team, Sacristans and Hospitality. Our programs include Faith Action, Parish Outreach, Knights of Columbus, Scouting, Seniors Young at Heart, the Sodality, St. Vincent DePaul and Prison Ministry.

The parish's four priorities are: Faith Formation, Leadership Development, Marriage and Family, and Youth and Young Adult.

(For more information see our parish website or myParish app).



## **A NEW PARISH IS CREATED TO SERVE THE GROWING KAILUA COMMUNITY**

The Roman Catholic Diocese of Honolulu announced the newest parish in the islands, the second one in Kailua. The new parish was established to serve the newly developed area of Enchanted Lake and the growing Kailua community. Founded in August 1962, the parish was named St. John Vianney after the patron saint of all Catholic priests.

Mr. Joseph Pao pledged to donate the church, in memory of his parents Joe and Mary Pao. The Kailua Heights Joint Venture Company and the Kaelepulu Investment Company donated and developed four choice acres which comprised the parish campus.

The pastor of the new church was Fr. John B. Read, and the assistant pastor was Fr. Patrick Freitas. A residence for them was built simultaneously with the new church. The church building was completed and dedicated on February 24, 1963, in a beautiful ceremonial Mass, as a modern, functional, 425-seat building of steel and concrete construction.

At the end of its first year, the parish rejoiced in 135 Baptisms, 110 First Communicants, 75 Confirmed, 20 Converts, and had grown from 650 to 750 registered families.



## **ST. JOHN VIANNEY PARISH COMPLETELY RENOVATES ITS CHURCH**

The Building Commission, and a few Liturgy members, decided on a design to remodel the church. Expansion by 2250 square feet would allow more room for movement at communion and other celebrations. The design included a permanent baptismal font, a Chapel of Adoration for the Blessed Sacrament and more space for the choir and musicians. There would also be an emphasis on keeping the church bright, including some stained glass. A new side main entrance with an overhanging canopy was planned, and the church's front would be redesigned. The cost estimate for the renovation was \$1.3-\$1.5 million. Parishioners were asked to donate to raise the necessary 50% of the total funds needed.

Construction on the church began in the summer of 2005, and Masses were conducted in the Parish Hall until its completion in 2006. Part of the architectural plan was to have artwork grace the outside of the church adjacent to the main church doors. The piece "Washing Feet" is dedicated to Barbara M. Akeo who worked as Parish Administrator for over 20 years. The piece "Serving the Needy" is dedicated to all the deceased members of the Sodality. The hope and prayer of our parish is that the theme of service will continue to be paramount for our parish and remind all of us that we are called to service through our baptism.





St. John Vianney, by Jean Charlot, SJV parish office

# A Novena

celebrating the Feast day of  
St. John Vianney



A celebration of communal  
(or private) prayer by the  
parish family of St. John Vianney,  
Kailua, Hawai'i

## Opening Prayer to Saint John Vianney:

All: In the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. Amen.

*O Father of all goodness,  
in Saint John Vianney you gave us a priest, a servant-leader and  
a witness to your abundant mercy towards all people.*

*By Saint John's intercession may we, too, be filled with the spiritual zeal to  
heal and to reconcile, and to proclaim  
by our lives the power and peace of God's love for all.*

*May our patron Saint John Vianney pray for us, too, that we be blessed,  
delivered from all dangers and healed in body, mind, and soul.*

*We ask this through Christ, our Lord, Amen.*

*(Continue to next page for each daily prayer)*

**DAY ONE (July 26, Sunday)** *(Start with the Opening Prayer to Saint John Vianney)*

**Scripture reflection:** Matthew 18:2-4 *(reader:)* He called a little child to Him and placed the child among them. And He said: “Truly I tell you, unless you change and become like little children, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven. Therefore, whoever takes the lowly position of this child is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven. *(Pause for reflection)*

**Responsory:**

**L. Teach us to be humble, and to see with a child’s heart the great deeds of God around us.  
R. And give us the grace to imitate the humility of St. John Vianney.**

*(Together all say:)* **Our Father..... | Hail Mary,..... | Glory be.....**  
*(leader: In the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit) All: Amen.*  
♪ *(Conclude with the hymn to St. John Vianney at the end of this booklet)*

**DAY TWO (July 27, Monday)** *(Start with the Opening Prayer to Saint John Vianney)*

**Scripture reflection:** 1 John 1:9 *(reader:)* If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness. *(Pause for reflection)*

**Responsory:**

**L. Help us to celebrate confession and the sacrament of penance frequently, so as to become closer to Christ’s image.  
R. And never fail to trust in the grace of that sacrament so pastorally shared by St. John Vianney’s patience in the confessional.**

*(Together all say:)* **Our Father..... | Hail Mary,..... | Glory be.....**  
*(leader: In the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit) All: Amen.*  
♪ *(Conclude with the hymn to St. John Vianney at the end of this booklet)*

**DAY THREE (July 28, Tuesday)** *(Start with the Opening Prayer to Saint John Vianney)*

**Scripture reflection:** 1 Peter 2:9 *(reader:)* But you are a chosen people, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God’s special possession, that you may declare the praises of Him who called you out of darkness into His wonderful light. *(Pause for reflection)*

**Responsory:**

**L. As we embrace our own baptismal priesthood, we pray that you send us shepherds to lead your flock.  
R. Like our saintly patron of parish priests, a shepherd modeled after the Good Shepherd himself.**

*(Together all say:)* **Our Father..... | Hail Mary,..... | Glory be.....**  
*(leader: In the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit) All: Amen.*  
♪ *(Conclude with the hymn to St. John Vianney at the end of this booklet)*

**DAY FOUR (July 29, Wednesday)** *(Start with the Opening Prayer to Saint John Vianney)*

**Scripture reflection:** Ephesians 4:31–32 *(reader:)* Get rid of all bitterness, rage and anger, brawling and slander, along with every form of malice. Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ God forgave you. *(Pause for reflection)*

**Responsory:**

**L. May we forgive one another from our hearts and together find the true path of peace.**

**R. And never fail to imitate the gentleness of St. John Vianney who taught Christ-like forgiveness at all times.**

*(Together all say:)* **Our Father..... | Hail Mary,..... | Glory be.....**

*(leader: In the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit)* **All: Amen.**

♪ *(Conclude with the hymn to St. John Vianney at the end of this booklet)*

**DAY FIVE (July 30, Thursday)** *(Start with the Opening Prayer to Saint John Vianney)*

**Scripture reflection:** Philippians 4:6. *(reader:)* Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. *(Pause for reflection)*

**Responsory:**

**L. During this time of anxiety, may we put our trust in God to save us from the ravages of disease.**

**R. And imitate our saintly patron's commitment to abundant prayer and quiet contemplation.**

*(Together all say:)* **Our Father..... | Hail Mary,..... | Glory be.....**

*(leader: In the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit)* **All: Amen.**

♪ *(Conclude with the hymn to St. John Vianney at the end of this booklet)*

**DAY SIX (July 31, Friday)** *(Start with the Opening Prayer to Saint John Vianney)*

**Scripture reflection:** 2 Timothy 2:22 *(reader:)* Flee the evil desires of youth and pursue righteousness, faith, love and peace, along with those who call on the Lord out of a pure heart. *(Pause for reflection)*

**Responsory:**

**L. May we be graced with the spiritual strength to conquer our sins, resist temptation and live with pureness of heart.**

**R. Just as St. John Vianney highly prized purity of heart and led others to purity by deed and example.**

*(Together all say:)* **Our Father..... | Hail Mary,..... | Glory be.....**

*(leader: In the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit)* **All: Amen.**

♪ *(Conclude with the hymn to St. John Vianney at the end of this booklet)*

