

Twelfth Sunday In Ordinary Time June 20, 2021



From the

Pastor's Desk



Saint John Vianney Parish Community

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Dear Parish Family,

During these Sundays of Ordinary Time, we are reading from Mark's gospel. Mark brings the reader through a process by which the real identity of Jesus is gradually revealed. This Sunday he shows Jesus' decision to move with his disciples across the sea: "Let us go across...." The crossing itself is difficult, as is the challenge that confronted them on the other side of the lake. As they made their way across the lake, a storm suddenly blew up. Naturally, the disciples were very afraid and thought their boat was going to sink. Through it all, Jesus was fast asleep in the boat. In a panic, they woke him up: "Master, do you not care?"

As we read this passage, we are reminded that life is a journey from one side to another. The confrontation of a life-threatening storm is also a reminder that along the journey of life there are many challenges, fears and anxieties. But, as in the first reading where God commands the sea and all of its moods, so does Jesus show his divine power to calm the storm by rebuking it.

There is no individual life or society that does not experience fear or anxiety. Maybe we see some threats looming on our horizon, or perhaps it may be the current pandemic. We badly need the peace of Jesus. Very often we either have no control or little control over the political and social developments of our society; and we have little or no control over what other people are doing. But no matter what we are experiencing, we can, with the help of Jesus, find peace. It is the peace which only he can give. And it is a peace that no one can take away from us.

HAPPY FATHERS DAY: We pray for all fathers in our parish that through the intercessions of St. Joseph they may be blessed. Happy Fathers' 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

Gail Browne

Parish Secretary

Gail Browne

Music Ministry

Robert Mondoy

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) Pam Agui 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 & Mary Duddy

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.

Available at back of church in cabinet under Divine Mercy picture and on parish lanai at school doors.

Parish Office Hours

Monday: 8:30am to 12:30pm Tuesday-Friday: 8:30 am-4:00 pm

Saturday: Closed

Church is now open from 8:30am—10:30am for private prayer and devotion, Monday thru Friday

Know your Catholic Faith Corner

Apologetics without apology A Year of Reading the Bible

Job 38:1, 8-11; 2 Corinthians 5:14-17; Mark 4:35-41

There is a mention of the sea in the Book of Job. The sea in the Old Testament is a symbol of upheaval and chaos. As we read the Book of Job, he finds himself in a stormy situation. The ultimate question in this chaos is: Why does God allow the good to suffer? The answer is, because He is God. In Chapter 37, Job's friends try to convince him that his difficulties were caused by his sins. But in these short verses, God shows that He is in control and He speaks "out of the storm." Since God is in control, Job was required to keep calm and carry on, because God is the beginning and the end of the storms of life.

In the Second Reading, St. Paul encourages the Corinthians, and us, to be calm as we live the Gospel because God is in control. The control comes from the realization that God loves the world so much that He gave His only Son to come and calm the storms of life.

In the Gospel, by crossing the sea in a storm and commanding its waves to be quiet, Jesus showed the power of the Creator (v. 39). Jesus did not pray for calm seas, but commanded, or rebuked the stormy sea, to be calm. In calming the sea, He answered the question, "who is this that even the winds obey (v. 41)?" He is God and has all authority in heaven and on earth. This was a dramatic demonstration of the proclamation in Mark 1:15 that the time of fulfillment and the Kingdom of God has arrived. In times of turmoil, let us always remember who is in control.

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS:

On whom do you rely during difficult times?

How do you react in times of any loss; for instance, of a loved one?



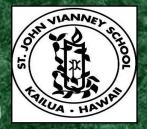
JUNE 22, 29 (TUESDAYS) MARRIAGE IN CHRIST: 6:45PM—9:15PM BASEMENT/FELLOWSHIP LANAI

JUNE 24 (THURSDAY) ROSARY MAKING 9:00AM—11:00AM BOARDROOM AND LOUNGE

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By: Earl Walker

SCHOOL NEWS



St. John Vianney School, 940 Keolu Drive, Kailua, HI 96734 * 808 261-4651

The students and staff at St. John Vianney want to wish all the fathers in our parish a happy Father's Day. Lord, we ask you to bless all the men who are serving as our fathers and let them know we love and appreciate them every day.

Classes for next school year will begin on Monday, July 26, 2021. Our goal is to provide students with on-going formation in their faith and to prepare them for success in higher education. Our curriculum focuses not only on math, science and technology, but also encourages students to live their faith through service to others. This is the Catholic School difference. Our hope is that we develop not only the future leaders of Hawaii but also those in our Church.

We are still accepting applications for the next school year. To learn about our curriculum, scholarships and financial assistance programs, see our website sjvkailua.org or call the school office at 261-4651.



Stewardship of Treasure

Offertory: Our weekly donation for June 12th thru June 18th was \$8,280, weekly budget is \$8,010.

Therefore, we have a surplus of \$270.

MAHALO for your continued SUPPORT to GIVE.

If you give online, 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's Readings—Year B Thirteenth Sunday in the Ordinary Time https://bible.usccb.org/bible/readings/062721.cfm

Monstrance—A symbol of the Blessed Sacrament since the monstrance is the sacred vessel which contains the consecrated Host when exposed or carried in procession. It is a well-known emblem of St. Clare, who is reported to have repulsed unbelievers who assaulted her convent of nuns by presenting to their gaze Christ in the monstrance. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is every first Saturday after the 8am Mass.

Reading I: Wisdom 1:13-15; 2:23-24

Reading II: 2 Corinthians 8:7, 9, 13-15

Gospel: Mark 5:21-43



For the Healing of:

Sharon Sweat, Keone Johnson, Melia Meier, Joe Alves, Elizabeth Libby, Melinda Zisko, Bob Badham, Mollie Chun, David Teves, David Thomas, Edward Balderston, Jim Balderston, Andrew Montalvo, Sydney Bennett, Marie Durante, Stacy Carnes,

Barbara Fields, Gabrielle Taylor, Buck Marcum,
Milton McAngus, Jonathan & Malina Lewsczuk, Kathleen Heirakuji,
Myngoc Le, Michael Miti, Gordon Wong, Sandy Chong, John Sutton,
Trish Robertson, Ruth Alves, Doug Barbieto, David Lewis, Lisa Cauldill,
for the Homebound and for other special intentions.

Rest In Peace: Mary Lou Stott

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June 26-27, we will take up the Peter's Pence Collection, which is a way to support the Universal Church and the work of the Holy See, including helping Pope Francis with the funds to carry out his charitable works. These works benefit our brothers and sisters on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression, and disasters. Please be generous.

For more information, visit www.peterspence.va/en.html

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https://bible.usccb.org/bible/readings/062021.cfm

Reading I Jb 38:1, 8-11

The Lord addressed Job out of the storm and said:

Who shut within doors the sea,

when it burst forth from the womb;

when I made the clouds its garment

and thick darkness its swaddling bands?

When I set limits for it

and fastened the bar of its door,

and said: Thus far shall you come but no farther,

and here shall your proud waves be stilled!

Gospel Mk 4:35-41

On that day, as evening drew on, Jesus said to his disciples:

"Let us cross to the other side."

Leaving the crowd, they took Jesus with them in the boat just as he was.

And other boats were with him.

A violent squall came up and waves were breaking over the boat,

so that it was already filling up.

Jesus was in the stern, asleep on a cushion.

They woke him and said to him,

"Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?"

He woke up,

rebuked the wind, and said to the sea, "Quiet! Be still!"

The wind ceased and there was great calm.

Then he asked them, "Why are you terrified?

Do you not yet have faith?"

They were filled with great awe and said to one another,

"Who then is this whom even wind and sea obey?"

Reading II

Brothers and sisters:

The love of Christ impels us,

once we have come to the conviction that one died for all;

therefore, all have died.

He indeed died for all,

so that those who live might no longer live for themselves

but for him who for their sake died and was raised.

Consequently, from now on we regard no one according to the flesh;

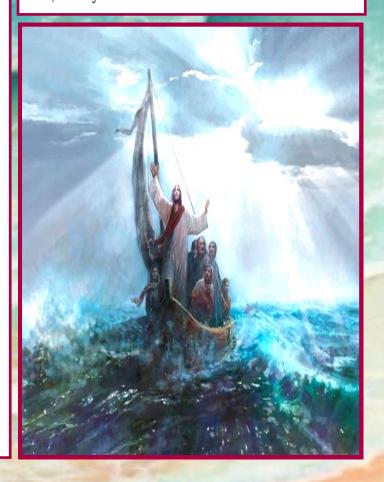
even if we once knew Christ according to the flesh,

yet now we know him so no longer.

So whoever is in Christ is a new creation:

the old things have passed away;

behold, new things have come.



St. John Vianney Parish Presents

A Year of Reading the Bible

Hearing Scripture only on Sunday is not enough.



"Ignorance of Scripture is ignorance of Christ" Saint Jerome (342 AD - 420 AD)

During June read the entire Gospel story: (See back page)

You may also find help In the Bible when you need...

FAITH: Joshua 24:15; Roman's 10:8-13; Hebrews 11:1-16 HOPE: 1 Peter 5:5-6; Hebrews 6:9-12; Lamentations 3:24-25 LOVE: 1 John 4:7-21; 1Thessalonians 3:12; Romans 8:38-39

"I am the living bread that came down from heaven, says the Lord; whoever eats this bread will live forever."

"Salvation, faith, unity and mercy all depend on knowing Christ and sacred Scripture." Pope Francis



JUNE GOSPEL READINGS Please read the entire story

June 06: Corpus Christi Sunday

He took bread, said the blessing, broke it, gave it to them, and said, "Take it; this is my body." Then he took a cup, gave thanks, and gave it to them, and they all drank from it. He said to them, "This is my blood of the covenant, which will be shed for many.

(Read more: Mark 14:12-16,22-26)

June 13: 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

With many such parables he spoke the word to them as they were able to understand it. Without parables he did not speak to them, but to his own disciples he explained everything in private.

(Read more: Mark 04:26-34)

June 20: 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time

He woke up, rebuked the wind, and said to the sea, "Quiet! Be still!" The wind ceased and there was great calm. They were filled with great awe and said to one another, "Who then is this whom even wind and sea obey?" (Read more: Mark 04:35-41)

June 27: 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

So he went in and said to them, "Why this commotion and weeping? The child is not dead but asleep." He took the child by the hand and said to her, "Talitha koum," which means, "Little girl, I say to you, arise!" The girl, a child of twelve, arose immediately and walked around. At that they were utterly astounded.

(Read more: Mark 5:21-43,

Our Parish Faith Formation Committee encourages everyone in our parish family to read these entire Gospel stories during June 2021

A Father's Day Tribute

Happy Father's Day to fathers, grandfathers, and stepfathers! Five weeks ago, we offered Mass for our Moms. On this third Sunday in June, as we do each year, we observe Father's Day offering our dads, living or dead, and invoking our Heavenly Father to impart his blessing on them. The origins of this national event is not clear. Whatever the case, the impulse to honor fathers is a worthy one and it comes with the biblical admonition. We have in the Bible, many examples of men who were true to their calling to be fathers. Let us take a look at two scenarios.

Joseph of Galilee is an exemplary father in the Bible who acted both as a protector and defender. He married Mary, despite the unusual circumstances of her pregnancy. He dared to be unconventional because he trusted that God was working through her and himself. He was a righteous man who dared to take on the roles of husband and foster father. And as refugees from danger, after the birth of Jesus in Bethlehem, it is clear that he protected his family by going beyond what was familiar, to find a safe haven. We can learn much about fatherhood from Joseph. Another father from the Bible that is impressive is the one who had two sons, one of whom went astray. This is, of course, the story told by Jesus of the prodigal son. The father in the parable teaches his two sons powerful lessons of love: the one who went astray who discovered that his father's care came to him even when he had run away from it, and the other who struggled to understand such extravagant love in the face of his brother's failures and his own fidelity. The father in the story, like God, never gave up on either of his children.

On this Fathers' Day, there is one dad, however, who doesn't always get a lot of honor. That is the "World's Greatest Dad," Our heavenly Father (Rom. 8:15, Gal. 4:6). Many of us pray the "Our Father" day after day, without paying attention to, or experiencing, the love and providence of our Heavenly Father. May all earthly fathers draw strength from their Heavenly Father on this Father's Day and become role models.

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

ALOHA GOOD STEWARDS,

Thank you very much for supporting your parish, your diocese and other good causes over the past year.

The 2020/2021 appeal ends on June 30 - so if you haven't already done so - please consider supporting Bishop Larry and the vital ministries of the Catholic Church in Hawaii.

For more info, refer to the attached Easter Greeting, or make a gift online at: https://www.catholichawaii.org/bishopscircle/

All gifts help make an impact and are appreciated – MAHALO!

Office of Stewardship & Development

Mark Clark - Diocesan Director

P.S. Good to know updates regarding tax law and charitable giving for 2021:

Charitable Contributions for Non-Itemizers – The Taxpayer Certainty and Disaster Tax Relief Act allows those who don't itemize their deductions a deduction of up to \$300 for cash contributions made during 2021. Married couples filing jointly are allowed a deduction of up to \$600 for the cash contributions they make during 2021.

This is an increase from 2020, when the contribution was limited to \$300 regardless of filing status.

Cash Contributions for Itemizers – Under the CARES Act that was enacted in March 2020, the 60% deduction limit on cash contributions to most charities was suspended for 2020, thus allowing larger cash contributions during the COVID crisis—potentially up to 100% of the AGI. Under the Taxpayer Certainty and Disaster Tax Relief Act of 2020, the suspension of the 60% limit has been extended to 2021.

Happy Easter from the Bishop's Circle

The Bishop's Circle helps strengthen the Catholic Church in Hawaii, and your participation helps support important ministries serving our Priests, our Youth and our Needy.

Please consider joining one of the Donor Societies.

Members as of June 30 will be recognized
in the Hawaii Catholic Herald and invited
to a special gathering with Bishop Larry.

A Mass will be said for all contributors to this year's appeal.

Bishop's Circle Donor Societies

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Stewards of the Gospel Society: \$20,000+ Our Lady of Peace Society: \$10,000+ St. Damien/St. Marianne Society: \$5,000+ Joseph Dutton Society: \$2,500+ Witness to Jesus Society: \$1,250+ Catholic Ohana Society: \$625+ All gifts are important and appreciated.

Give online at **CatholicHawaii.org** or by check payable to **The Bishop's Circle**, 1184 Bishop St., Honolulu, HI 96813.

MAHALO for your generous stewardship of treasure!

"A Year of St. Joseph"



Pope Francis has declared "A Year of St. Joseph" to be observed through December 8, 2021.

St. Joseph stands as a model for spouses and parents in the midst of our troubled world. His love and care for the Blessed Virgin Mary is a model of the love that all spouses should have for one another. His humble and sacrificial love of Jesus and Mary shows us how to revitalize our marriages and families. St. Joseph pray for us.





Community Action Network (CAN) Training: Seminar and Workshop

It is crucial that we get involved with Legislative Issues. We ask everyone to join us as we learn how as 'individual citizens and as a group' to be the voice for Pro-Life Issues. The Community Action Network (CAN) provides pastors, deacons, Respect Life Coordinators and their members with the tools and resources they need to promote and defend Life and Religious Freedom in Hawaii.

- Learn why we are called by Jesus to take our gospel message into the public policy arena.
- Learn principles for engaging in public policy within a Christian framework.

Please join Eva Andrade and her team on Saturday, June 26, 2021 from 10:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. at St. Stephen's Diocesan Center. RSVP gstreff@rcchawaii.org or vstreff@rcchawaii.org by June 20, 2021. Please provide your own drinks. Lunch will be served. Cost of the USCCB booklet called, "Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship" \$5.

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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 23 | 10 AM - 2: 30 PM HST

An insightful virtual conference to help family caregivers navigate the journey and challenges of caregiving.

- · Aging Well vs. Dementia's Drift
- Sailing the Early to the Late-Stages of Caregiving
- Navigating Interactions with Compassionate Care
- All Hands on Deck: A Caregiving Panel
- Forecasting Finances and Legal Concerns
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Dr. Michael Cheang University of Hawaii



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Frank De Lima Special Guest

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Terri Dietz with WYAO Hawaii

Caregiver Panel

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Kamal Masaki, MD is Professor and Chair of the Department of Geriatric Medicine at John A. Burns School of Medicine (JABSOM), U.H. She is board certified in Internal Medicine and Geriatric Medicine. She has been performing aging and dementia research for the past 30 years, and has been an Investigator and Clinical Director for many large longitudinal epidemiologic studies, including the internationally renowned Kuakini Honolulu Heart Program, Kuakini Honolulu-Asia Aging Study of dementia, Kuakini Hawaii Lifespan and Healthspan Studies. She has received numerous teaching and research awards, and was selected by Hawaii physicians to "The Best Doctors in America" 3 times. She is co-author on over 275 publications in scientific journals.

Age-Friendly Health Systems and the 4Ms: What Matters, Medication, Mentation, Mobility Thursday, June 24, 2021, 9:30-11am

Dr. Masaki will cover:

- Introduction to Geriatrics
- · Population aging and how older adults have unique needs
- . The concept of Age-Friendly health systems
- The 4 Ms: What Matters, Medication, Mentation and Mobility
- Memory loss and dementia issues
- How caregivers can help

Advance Registration is required at this link: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/age-friendly-health-systems-what-matters-medication-mentation-mobility-tickets-159723383941

The Zoom link & handouts will be sent to registrants before the session.

Sorry, no CEs or certificates are available for this session,

For questions about the workshops please contact: Jody Mishan, (808) 295-2624 or jmishan@hawaii.rr.com









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