May 1, 2022 Third Sunday of Easter

# **Sunday Bulletin**

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#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### **BSA Scouts Troop 311 Court of Honor**

This past week, SJV Troop 311 conducted a Court of Honor to award over 60 merit badges and 20+ rank advancements, including five scouts who reached the highest rank of Eagle. With the addition of this last cohort of Eagle Scouts, a total of 85 young men and women have attained the rank of Eagle since the troop was formed in 1979. A National Medal of Merit, the first for Troop 311, was also awarded to David King for his meritorious act of rescuing two lost hikers and their dog last year. Please see our electronic bulletin for a list of all awardees.

#### The Gift of the Holy Spirit Flyer

The Faith Formation committee continues our Year of the Holy Spirit. This month we examine the Gift of Counsel. Help yourself to one of the flyers in the back of the church and learn how this gift helps us make good moral choices, especially when its difficult to know the right thing to do.

#### Anointing of the Sick Mass and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Saturday, May 7th at the 8 a.m. daily Mass, the healing Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick will be offered to anyone who is suffering from serious illness, is facing serious surgery or whose health is impaired by advanced age. Following Mass, you are invited to spend time with the Lord during our monthly Adoration by members of the Sodality.

#### May Crowning, Sunday, May 8th after the 11 a.m. Mass—All are Welcome!

May is traditionally dedicated in a special way to honoring and seeking the intercession of Mary as the Mother of God and Mother of the Church. "She is that woman who rejoiced in the presence of God, who treasured everything in her heart, and who let herself be pierced by the sword. Mary is the saint among the saints, blessed above all others. She teaches us the way of holiness and she walks ever at our side. She does not let us remain fallen and at times she takes us into her arms without judging us." — Pope Francis, *Gaudete et Exsultate*, no. 176

#### Next Week's Second Collection 2022 Diocesan Priest Retirement Fund

Our retired priests dedicated themselves over many years to the service of God's people and we are grateful for the service they have rendered to our community. Your donations supplement the diocesan pension fund, covering the costs of sustenance, housing, medical and dental insurance, and other needs as our retired priests move into their elder years.

#### St. Vincent De Paul Society, submitted by Melodie Sasaki

In this Sunday's Gospel, the disciples in their struggle finally recognize Jesus and proclaim, "It is the Lord!" Have you considered answering the call to "help the poor recognize the Lord in their life" by joining the Society of St. Vincent de Paul?

#### **Prayers for Healing**

Ruth Alves, Kathy Asing, Edward Balderston, Jim Balderston, Peter Barcia, Sydney Bennett, Chuck Bernales, Robert Bernales, Michelle Brown, Sheryl Caldeira, Rod Castanha, Sandy Chong, Mollie Chun, Filomena Dalope, Eleanor Dodds, Mellie Enos, Barbara Fields, Jayla Gomes, Kathleen Heirakuji, Keone & Deborah Johnson, Tony Lambio, Myngoc Le, Bernice Lewis, Kasey Lopes, Lopes Ohana, Jonathan & Malina Leswczuk, Elizabeth Libby, Buck Marcum, Milton McAngus, Michael Miti, Patrick Miyachi, Hope Montalvo, Laureen Okumura, Christian Palacio, Trish Robertson, Herbert Rodrigues, Mary Sauvageau, Souza Ohana, Caroline Soriano, John Sutton, Sharon Sweat, Gabrielle Taylor, David Teves, Paulette Teves, Gordon Wong

#### Repose of Soul

- +Douglas Barbieto
- +Ken Weir

#### **Next Sunday's Readings**

First Reading: Acts 13:14, 43-52 Second Reading: Revelation 7:9, 14b-17 Gospel: John 10:27-30

#### Schedule

Sun, May 1

9 a.m.—2 p.m. Religious Education Program 12:00—1:30 p.m. Altar Server Training 1:30—3:15 p.m. Youth Band Rehearsal 3—4:30 p.m. People of Praise

Mon, May 2

9—10:30 a.m. Bible Study 7—8:30 p.m. RCIA

Tues, May 3

6—7:30 p.m. Altar Servers 7—8:30 p.m. Bible Study

Wed, May 4

6—7 p.m. Religious Ed Program 6:30—9:00 p.m. BSA Troop 311 Committee Mtg.

Thu, May 5

9—11 a.m. Sodality Rosary Making

Sat, May 7

8 a.m. Anointing of the Sick in Mass 8:30 a.m. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Reconciliation

1:30—3:15 p.m. Youth Band Rehearsal

Sun, May 8

3—5 p.m. Girls Scouts

#### SCHOOL NEWS

Submitted by Earl Walker

Congratulations to our seventh graders, Gabriel Brooks, Airi Chang, and Lily Lukianowicz who filmed and edited a video "Why I Wear a Mask" featuring four of our first graders. It was submitted to the Olelo Youth Xchange 2022 competition. The team was awarded FIRST PLACE in the Public Service Announcement category on April 20<sup>th</sup> in a ceremony at the Hawaii Convention Center.

Your school is having a May Day celebration this Friday, May 6<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 AM in the Parish Hall. Please join us for this beautiful event as we joyfully celebrate with Hawaiian song and dance. We are asking for donations of cut plants and greenery to decorate the Hall. Please drop off donations outside the Hall on this Thursday, May 5<sup>th</sup>. Mahalo.

We are seeking candidates for our School Board. Members are advisors to the Pastor and Principal in strategic planning for your parish school. All those interested please contact the school.



#### A big Mahalo to all who helped during Holy Week and Easter

"Many hands make light work" as the saying goes. Thanks to all who helped during Holy Week and Easter: Choir and music ministers, environment ministers, sacristans, lectors, eucharistic and hospitality ministers, deacons, altar servers, catechists, office staff, behind-the-scenes volunteers, and Fr. Vincent. All are to be commended for the heart they put into making the celebration meaningful and extra special. Christ's light shined to all from those who gave their time, talent and treasure. Thank you! Christ is risen! Christ is truly risen!

#### CATHOLIC FAITH CORNER

Apologetics without Apology A Year of the Holy Spirit (The Gift of Counsel)



In this month of May, we will look at one of the special gifts of the Holy Spirit, that of Counsel. It perfects the virtue of prudence. Its function is to enable a person to judge promptly and rightly, as by a sort of supernatural intuition, what should be done, especially in difficult situations. With the gift of counsel, the Holy Spirit speaks, as it were, to the heart and in an instant enlightens a person what to do. It corresponds to the promise made by Christ to his followers, "When they hand you over, do not worry about how to speak or what to say; what you are to say will be given to you when the time comes; because it is not you who will be speaking; the Spirit of your Father will be speaking in you" (Matthew 10:19).

What does the Gift of Counsel do for us? First, the Holy Spirit gives us another form of practical wisdom. He helps us to know what is right and good, especially in circumstances where the truth is difficult to see. Second, the Holy Spirit reveals God's care for us as He lends us His aid in knowing and choosing goodness. Third, the Gift of Counsel helps us to recognize the moral law as a gift from God that leads us to true goodness. Fourth, the Gift of Counsel shows us how following the moral law is an act of love. This is especially true when doing so requires sacrifice and hardship. By following the moral law, we return the love that God shows to us in giving it to us. Fifth, the Gift of Counsel gives us the desire to love more selflessly as Jesus loved and to grow in holiness. As can be seen, the Gift of Counsel is a great example of how God invites us to take part in His Divine Life.

How can we live the Gift of Counsel in our everyday life?

—Make turning to the Holy Spirit a habit whenever you struggle to know what is right in a particular situation.

#### LITURGICAL ENVIRONMENT MINISTRY

Mahalo to Deacon Clarence DeCaires, John Miller, Kathy Jaycox, Moana Guerrero, Piper Ingram and Glenn Chong for setting up the church, Ricky Rapoon, Shannon Alivado for donating the flowers, Gail Berangue for arranging the flowers, Ellen Huntley for sewing the donated fabric by Linda Glorioso, and last but not least, our Liturgical Environment Coordinator, Patty Lee. Thank You!

#### STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Week of Apr 16—22, 2022	Envelopes/Loose	Online Giving	<u>Total</u>	<u>Goal</u>
Sunday Offertory	\$4,391.00	\$2,639.00	\$7,030.00	\$8,010.00
Repair and Maintenance	\$195.00	\$195.00	\$390.00	\$769.23
Debt/Major Repair	\$290.00	\$40.00	\$330.00	\$769.23
Appeal	\$330.00	\$850.00	\$1,180.00	\$2,307.69







Congratulations to the five newest Eagle Scouts of Troop 311 who were recognized in a Court of Honor on April 24th. They join the rank with 80 other Eagle Scouts who have received the highest Scout ranking since the Troop's formation in 1979.

They are Keaton Matsushita, Quinn Grimes, Tariq Lockett, Derrick Djou and Logan Henderson.



#### **National Medal of Merit**

A Medal of Merit is awarded to Scouts and Scouters who have performed some act of meritorious service above and beyond that normally expected of a youth or adult member of the Boy Scouts of America. Our own David King performed such an act, using his Scout skills to help and possibly save others.





#### **Merit Badges**

Gabriel Brooks, Keola Demello, Dash Dicksion, Dylan Djou, Jacob Egami, Paul Garcia, Asher Grimes, David King, Tanner Masuoka, Jordan Perry, Eli Sakamoto, Trevor Sakamoto, Josh Walsh, Vince Warr, Leo Weigel, Cole Wolcott, Tenaya Koegler, Carolina Payne, Maia Payne

#### **Rank Advancements**

Mikela Granite, Cash Texiera, Maya Wright, Ava Asing, Brennen Campbell, Avahry McGuirk, Faith Brooks, Coltin Conger, Jet Dicksion, Colette Jost, Rylan Shriver, and Solbee Ahina

# St. John Vianney Parish Presents

### A Year of The Holy Spirit

"The Lord and giver of life"



When the Holy Spirit has come upon you, you will be Christ's witnesses to the end of the earth.

## The Gift of Counsel Received from the Holy Spirit

"The Gift of Counsel is the Holy Spirit's help for us to make good moral choices, especially when it's difficult for us to know exactly the right thing to do." (See back side)

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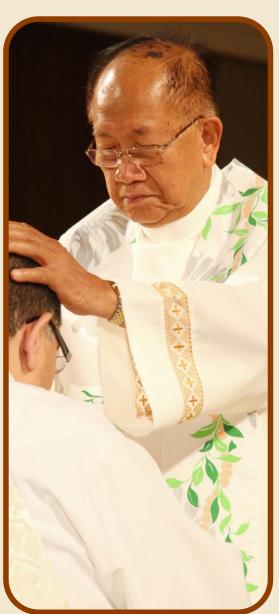
- 2. This gift enables a person to judge individual acts as good and ought to be done, or as evil and ought to be avoided.
- 3. The way of a fool is right in his own eyes, But a wise man is he who listens to counsel. (**Proverbs 12:15**)
- 4. This gift prompts the person to ask himself, "Is this act true to Christ and the teachings of His church?
- 5. I will praise the LORD who counsels me— even at night my conscience instructs me. I keep the LORD in mind always. Because He is at my right hand, I will not be shaken. (**Psalm 16:7-8**)
- 6. It corresponds to the promise made by Christ to his followers, "When they hand you over, do not worry about how to speak or what to say; what you are to say will be given to you when the time comes; because it is not you who will be speaking; the Spirit of your Father will be speaking in you."

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- 7. Enlightened by the Spirit, a person learns what to do in a specific case and what advice to give when consulted or command to make if he is in authority.
- 8. By the gift of counsel we "grow in the virtue of prudence, learning to overcome our self-centeredness and to see all things with the eyes of Christ," (Pope Francis)
- 9. But the Counselor, the Holy Spirit—the Father will send Him in My name—will teach you all things and remind you of everything I have told you. (**John 14:26**)
- 10. The more closely we are united with the Holy Spirit, the more we can go through life and do the most humanly impossible things, wisely and correctly, because we are being guided by the Spirit of God.

Our Parish Faith Formation Committee encourages everyone in our parish family to learn more about the Holy Spirit

## They were there for us. Let's be there for them now.

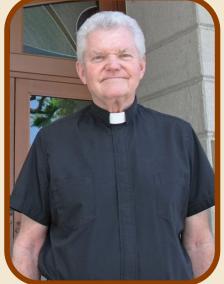
















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