July 31, 2022 Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

# **Sunday Bulletin**

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### ANNOUNCEMENT

### Brother Preston is well loved in our parish, we wish him the best!

Today is Brother Preston Castro's last day at our parish after seven months of pastoral assignment with SJV. We will miss him tremendously, and send him off with our love and prayers to begin his school year at St. Patrick's Seminary & University as he pursues a Master's Degree in Theology. "And we know that for those who love God all things work together for good, for those who are called according to his purpose" Romans 8:28

### We pray for the intercession of St. John Vianney for our parish community

In anticipation of the feast day of our patron saint and our parish's 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary, we continue to pray the novena to St. John Vianney asking for his intercession for the good of our parish, and God's grace to spread the Good News of Jesus Christ to the world.

### Fr. Thomas Gross returns for SJV's 60th Anniversary next weekend

Our former and longest serving pastor, the reverend Thomas Gross a.k.a. "Fr. Tom," returns to the island to serve all weekend Masses on August 6 and 7. We are excited to welcome him back and have him join in our anniversary celebration! Refreshments will be served after all Masses on the Fellowship Lanai and there will be photos and displays featuring parish life through the decades. Check out our website for all events.

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

Saturday, August 6th at the 8 a.m. daily Mass, the healing Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick will be offered to anyone suffering from serious illness, is facing serious surgery, or whose health is impaired by advanced age. Following Mass, you are invited to our monthly Adoration service and the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

### Senior Stretch and Dance Fitness Class on Friday, August 5, 9—10 a.m.

Calling all seniors who are looking to get moving! Every first Friday of the month, get together for fun and fitness to get you feeling better! The class is designed around your individual needs and is led by Helen Klein. Meet in the Parish Lounge and dress comfortably.

### St. Vincent de Paul Society—Submitted by Melodie Sasaki

In the Gospel, Jesus tells the parable about the rich man who selfishly stored all his grain and goods only to die and not enjoy his abundance anyway. What we struggle all our lives to learn is that life does not consist of possessions nor our perceived security, but of being possessed by God. This week, as you give your gift to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul you are realizing that in giving you indeed receive.

## **Prayers for Healing**

Ruth Alves, Suzy Apo, Ethel Arola, Kathy Asing, Anna Asinsin, Edward Balderston, Jim Balderston, Peter Barcia, Sr. Rosalinda Barrozo, Sydney Bennett, Clark Bernales, Robert Bernales, Maria Brasher, Michelle Brown, Sheryl Caldeira, Rod Castanha, Donna Carlbom, Paul Chinen, Carolyn Chong, Filomena Dalope, Barbara Fields, Jayla Gomes, Kathleen Heirakuji, Kelly Hohman, Keone & Deborah Johnson, Tony Lambio, Mary Scott-Lau, Myngoc Le, Jonathan & Malina Lewczyk, Kasey Lopes, Elizabeth Libby, Buck Marcum, Milton McAngus, Sandy McAulton, Sel Menor, Beverly and Bobby Mink, Michael Miti, Patrick Miyachi, Hope Montalvo, Allen Naone, Clifford Ontai, Christian Palacio, Trish Robertson, Herbert and Jason Rodrigues, Mary Sauvageau, Alice Secor, Bernardo & Caroline Soriano, John Sutton, Sharon Sweat, Gabrielle Taylor, Marion Teixeira, David Teves, Paulette Teves, David Thomas, **Gordon Wong** 

## **Repose of Soul**

+Edwin Louis Souza (Funeral Mass, August 12)

+Wilfred Paresa (Funeral Mass, August 20)

+Jack Sullivan, +Lorraine Busekrus

+Gordon Yanagawa, +Carol Lau

# **Next Sunday's Readings**

1st Reading: Ecclesiastes 1:2; 2:21-23 2nd Reading: Colossians 3:1-5, 9-11

Gospel: Luke 12:13-21

### Schedule

Sun, Jul 31 Goodbye to seminarian Preston Castro 1:30—3:30 p.m. Youth Band Rehearsal 5—6 p.m. BSA Scout Troop 311

Mon, Aug 1 60th Anniversary of SJV Parish! 7—8:30 p.m. Cub Scout Pack 311

### Wed, Aug 3

5:30—7:00 p.m. BSA Scout Troop 311 6:30—8:30 p.m. BSA Troop Meeting 7—8 p.m. Faith Formation Committee

### Thurs, Aug 4

9—11 a.m. Sodality Rosary Making

#### Fri. Aug 5

9-10 a.m. Seniors' Stretch and Dance

### Sat, Aug 6

8 a.m. Anointing of the Sick in Mass 8:30 a.m. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Reconciliation 1:30—3:30 p.m. Youth Band Rehearsal 2—4 p.m. BSA Scout Troop 311

5 p.m. Fr. Tom Gross celebrates Mass with the youth band serving as music ministers

### Sun, Aug 7 Fr. Tom Gross celebrates all Masses

1—4 p.m. BSA Scout Troop 311

1:30—3:30 p.m. Youth Band Rehearsal

3—4:30 p.m. People of Praise

### **SCHOOL NEWS**

Submitted by Earl Walker

St. John Vianney School has begun classes for the 2022-2023 school year. We are looking forward to a very successful year, filled with joy and tremendous accomplishments! We focus on educating the whole child, mind, body, and most importantly spirit.

Parents choose our school for their child because of our high academic standards and an education embedded with values. We do this through a challenging curriculum focusing on math, science and technology, along with the support of their parents and in a nurturing environment. We also understand the importance of service to others. Students are encouraged to become productive citizens and future leaders in our community as we prepare them for higher education.

Your child will thrive in our small classes while in the care of our supportive teachers who act as role models. You may still enroll your child, as we offer Open Enrollment year-round. For more information, please call the school office at 808-261-4651.



### 2022 Annual Investment Drive

August 1st - October 2nd, 2022

The Annual Investment Drive is an opportunity for Faith Action members to make a long-term investment towards the creation of communities that promote collective well-being.

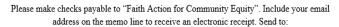
At the heart of Faith Action's work are its leaders, many of whom come to the organization through their member unit. These grassroots leaders seek to uproot social injustice in the community wherever it appears, and work to replace it with equity and fairness.

Grassroots leadership is critical for communities facing hardship and uncertainty. They are often the surest way to improve the quality of life for all those who call Hawai'i home. Faith Action increases grassroots leadership by engaging its members and offering pathways of engagement to the greater public, all of which is made possible through the Annual Investment Drive.

When you invest in Faith Action, you are investing in your community. That is the reciprocal nature of the Annual Investment Drive. Please consider making an investment in Faith Action today to continue the work of building a better tomorrow!

### Ways to Invest:

- 1. Cash or check given to your unit representative
- 2. Online at https://givebutter.com/invest22
- 3. Scan-to-Invest using the QR Code.
- 4. Check by Mail.



Faith Action for Community Equity P.O. Box 235950, Honolulu, HI 96823

If you have any questions, please contact Kiki at  $\underline{\text{kmills@faithactionhawaii.org.}} \text{ Mahalo!}$ 

### **CATHOLIC FAITH CORNER**

A Year of the Holy Spirit The Gift of Knowledge



As we come to the end of our reflection on the Gift of Knowledge, we have seen that when we study an art, we eventually perfect our knowledge of that particular art. For good reason, St. Thomas Aquinas taught that the gift of knowledge brings to perfection the supernatural virtue of Faith. This gift helps us to continue growing in our knowledge of what surrounds us; the beauty and presence of God. Knowledge does not limit itself to the human knowledge of nature, but instead allows us to perceive the greatness of God and his love for his creatures through creation. In a sense, we see the beauty, harmony and goodness of all creation with the eyes of God its maker.

As is clear from the lives of Saint Francis of Assisi and so many other saints, the gift of knowledge gives rise to grateful contemplation of the world of nature and joyful praise of the Creator. This gift enlightens our human perspective and helps us to see God in the whole of creation. Through this spiritual gift, we are enabled to see every person, and the world around us, in the light of God's loving plan.

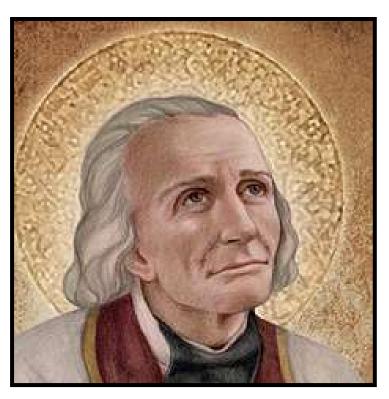
We are therefore encouraged to ask the Holy Spirit to help us grow in the knowledge which enables us to perceive the love with which God guides the world. We are asked to respond with gratitude, and to praise him for his infinite goodness and love. May we see everything around us as God's work, and our fellow men and women as brothers and sisters.



## STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Week of July 16—22, 2022	Envelopes/Loose	Online Giving	<u>Total</u>	<u>Goal</u>
Sunday Offertory	\$2,288.43	\$3,164.00	\$5,452.43	\$8,195.16
Repair and Maintenance	\$145.00	\$1,175.00	\$1,320.00	\$1,298.08
Debt/Major Repair	\$265.00	\$40.00	\$305.00	\$2,916.67
Appeal	\$75.00	\$980.00	\$1,055.00	\$288.46





# 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.

All: 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, Tuesday)** (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: Teach us to be humble, and to see with a child's heart the great deeds of God around us. Give us the grace to imitate the humility of St. John Vianney. Holy Priest of Ars, we have confidence in your intercession. Pray for us during this novena especially for ... (mention silently your special intentions).

(Together:) Our Father..... | Hail Mary,..... | Glory be..... (\* 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, Wednesday)** (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: Help us to celebrate confession and the sacrament of penance frequently, so as to become closer to Christ's image. May we never fail to trust in the grace of that sacrament so pastorally shared by St. John Vianney's patience in the confessional. Holy Priest of Ars, we have confidence in your intercession. Pray for us during this novena especially for ... (mention silently your special intentions).

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**DAY THREE (July 28, Thursday)** (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: As we embrace our own baptismal priesthood, we pray that you send shepherds to lead your flock. Like our saintly patron of parish priests, a shepherd modeled after the Good Shepherd himself.

Holy Priest of Ars, we have confidence in your intercession. Pray for us during this novena especially for ... (mention silently your special intentions).

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**DAY FOUR (July 29, Friday)** (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: May we forgive one another from our hearts and together find the true path of peace. May we never fail to imitate the gentleness of St. John Vianney who taught Christ-like forgiveness at all times.

Holy Priest of Ars, we have confidence in your intercession. Pray for us during this novena especially for ... (mention silently your special intentions).

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

**DAY FIVE (July 30, Saturday)** (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: May we always place our trust in God to save us from the ravages of disease. May we imitate our saintly patron's commitment to abundant prayer and quiet contemplation.

Holy Priest of Ars, we have confidence in your intercession. Pray for us during this novena especially for ... (mention silently your special intentions).

(Together:) Our Father..... | Hail Mary,..... | Glory be..... (\*: In the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit) All: Amen.

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

**DAY SIX (July 31, Sunday)** (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: May we be graced with the spiritual strength to conquer our sins, resist temptation and live with pureness of heart. Just as St. John Vianney highly prized purity of heart and led others to purity by deed and example.

Holy Priest of Ars, we have confidence in your intercession. Pray for us during this novena especially for ... (mention silently your special intentions).

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### **DAY SEVEN (August 1, Monday)** (Start with the Opening Prayer to Saint John Vianney)

**Scripture reflection:** John 3:3-5 (*reader:*) Jesus answered and said to him, "Truly, truly, I say to you, unless one is born again, he cannot see the Kingdom of God." "Unless one is born of water and the Spirit he cannot enter into the kingdom of God. (*Pause for reflection*)

Responsory: Come, Holy Spirit, make our hearts burn with love. That we be fired with the zeal and enthusiasm of St. John Vianney who rekindled among his flock a vibrant and practical faith. Holy Priest of Ars, we have confidence in your intercession. Pray for us during this novena especially for ... (mention silently your special intentions).

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

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☐ (Conclude with the hymn to St. John Vianney below)

### **DAY EIGHT (August 2, Tuesday)** (Start with the Opening Prayer to Saint John Vianney)

**Scripture reflection:** 1 Corinthians 11:26 (reader:) For whenever you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until He comes. (Pause for reflection)

Responsory: Inflame in us a fervent devotion when we celebrate and receive Eucharist, that we cherish our mystical and real union with Christ. Very much like the fervent love St. John Vianney had for Jesus in the Eucharist at each Mass he celebrated. Holy Priest of Ars, we have confidence in your intercession. Pray for us during this novena especially for ... (mention silently your special intentions).

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

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## **DAY NINE (August 3, Wednesday)** (Start with the Opening Prayer to Saint John Vianney)

**Scripture reflection:** Matthew: 5:16 (reader:) In the same way, let your light shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven. (Pause for reflection)

Responsory: Holy priest of Ars, your coming to that town was like a spiritual avalanche in a time of great persecution and darkness. Pray for us that in our dark time, the light of Christ may shine forth from us and show the way to God's kingdom for all to see. Holy Priest of Ars, we have confidence in your intercession. Pray for us during this novena especially for ... (mention silently your special intentions).

(Together:) Our Father..... | Hail Mary,..... | Glory be..... | (l\*: In the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit) All: Amen.

## □ Concluding Hymn



# THE 60TH ANNIVERSARY OF ST. JOHN VIANNEY PARISH

August 2022



## TWO SPECIAL EVENTS NEXT WEEK

# Saturday, August 6

St. John Vianney Feast Day Mass at 5:00 PM. Fr. Tom Gross will concelebrate Mass with Fr. Vincent. Youth Band serves as music ministers.

Refreshments served on the fellowship lanai along with displays of our past and present.

# Sunday, August 7

Fr. Tom Gross will concelebrate Mass with Fr. Vincent. During Masses recognize parishioners of 60 years, 50 years, etc.

Breakfast after all Masses served by SJV students on the fellowship lanai along with displays of our past and present.

# You and your family are invited to attend these additional events celebrating the 60th Anniversary of St John Vianney parish



# Saturday, August 13

Msg. Gary Secor presides at 5:00 Mass and celebrates his 45<sup>th</sup> year of ordination. Refreshments on the fellowship lanai after Mass.

# Sunday, August 14

Bishop Larry Silva will preside at 11:00 Mass. Honoring all past priests, deacons on display boards with refreshments served on the fellowship lanai.

# Saturday, August 20

Grand Bingo Night & Light Supper at 6:00 PM hosted by Young at Hearts in parish hall. Pasta dinner tickets on sale for \$10.

# Sunday, August 21

Breakfast after all Masses served by the Scouts on the fellowship lanai.

# Saturday, August 27

Movie Night at 6:00 PM in the parish center Light refreshments served.

# Sunday, August 28

St. John Vianney School's Open House Pastries served in front of school and school's hula halau performs

# 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 Piety Received from the Holy Spirit

"Through piety, a person shows reverence for God as a loving Father, and respect for others as children of God." (See back side)

# A Year of The Holy Spirit

"the Lord and giver of life"

- 1. Piety is the sixth of the seven gifts of the Holy Spirit that helps us live our lives as full and complete human beings.
- 2. Piety is the moral virtue by which a person is disposed to render to God the worship and service he deserves. (Fr. John A. Hardon, S.J.)
- 3. While the other gifts of the Holy Spirit complete and perfect the virtues of those who receive them, piety completes and perfects the virtue of religion. (Modern Catholic Dictionary)
- 4. "Piety points up our friendship with God and is a gift that enables people to serve their neighbor with gentleness and a smile." (Pope Francis)
- 5. You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your might. (**Deuteronomy 6:5**)
- 6. Piety calls us to respect that natural order created by God to honor our father and our mother, but also to respect all of our elders and those in authority. And just as piety binds us to previous generations still alive, it moves us to remember and to pray for the dead.
- 7. But if any widow has children or grandchildren, let them first learn to show piety at home and to repay their parents; for this is good and acceptable before God. (1 Timothy 5:4)
- 8. True piety instills in us a desire always to do that which is pleasing to God—and, by extension, that which is pleasing to those who serve God in their own lives.
- 9. The gift of piety perfects the virtue of justice, enabling the individual to fulfill his obligations to God and neighbor, and to do so willingly and joyfully.
- 10. Worship should be an act of love, and piety is the instinctive affection for God that makes us desire to render worship to Him

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

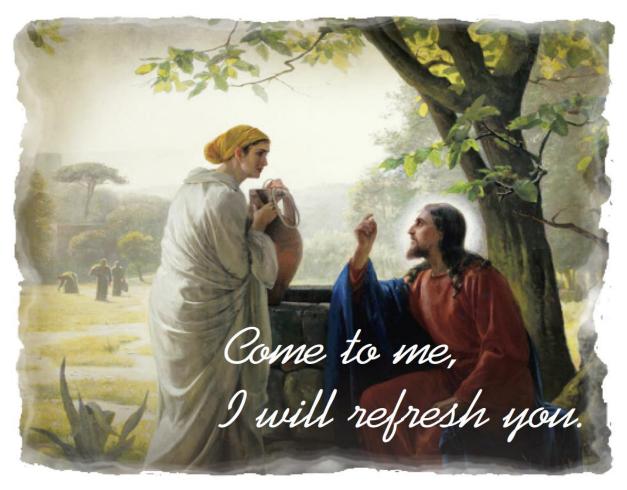




JOIN OUR SERVICE ON AUG 14 MCBH BASE CHAPEL

Catholic Service 09:30 am

# St Elizabeth of Hungary Parish 99-312 Moanalua Road Aiea, HI 96701



# **Women's Conference**

"The Eucharist"

August 6, 2022

7:30am - Breakfast

8:30am - Opening Session

3:00pm - Closing

\$20 Registration (Scholarships available)

To Register: Sister Meristella, MSMHC

umeristella@gmail.com

# DIVE INTO THE STORY OF HOW CHRIST ESTABLISHED HIS KINGDOM IN

# Matthew

A 24-PART BIBLE STUDY FEATURING

JEFF CAVINS



### Dates - Times - Location

This study begins Sept.19,2022

through April 4, 2023

Mondays 9:00 am - 10:30 am

or

Tuesday evenings 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

St. John Vianney Parish Lounge

### Cost - Registration

Cost to cover books and video \$40

Registration forms are in the Parish office.
Register by August 5th.

### For More Information

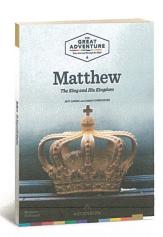
Fran Vierra 206 225-1414 Matthew: The King and His Kingdom shows how Jesus fulfills God's promises to Israel and establishes his kingdom on earth. Through references to the Old Testament promises of God to his people and the messages God sent them through the prophets, Matthew provides the key to understanding the rest of the New Testament and Christ as the fulfillment of God's plan.

Jeff Cavins explains how Jesus is challenging and empowering us to achieve a new level of holiness and how, to live it, we must be thoroughly immersed in the kingdom of heaven on earth, the Church.

Once you start learning, he makes you hunger for more.

Jeff pulls everything you need to know out of the Bible,
and it all starts to make sense like it never did before.

-Margaret T.



# Matthew

The King and His Kingdom



# STUDY REGISTRATION FORM

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PARTICIPANT INFORMATION	REGISTRATION OPTIONS
Name:	Participant Fee: \$40
Address:	Donation to Scholarship Fund:
	Total:
City:	Cash Y/N?
State, Zip:	Check Y/N?
Email:	Checks can be made payable to: and
Specify  Monday morning Tuesday evening	Fran Vierra mailed to:
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Small Group Facilitator Y/N?_	
Other:	



# Volunteers are needed for the Summer Campaign for the Unborn to PRAY TO END ABORTION

Abortions are decreased up to 75% when people are seen praying outside Planned Parenthood. Volunteers are needed now more than ever to pray to end abortion and build a new Culture of Life!

To volunteer, contact: Susana Kwock ph. 808.341.2643

Agnes Tauyan ph. 808.348.4481

**Your** Parish Respect Life Coordinator

Respect Life Ministry ph. 808.597.0413 ph. 808.673-3074