

March 13, 2022 Second Sunday of Lent

# Sunday Bulletin

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Second Collection for the Church in Ukraine

Years of conflict along the eastern border have already displaced 1.3 million people from their homes and claimed 14,000 lives and now 2 million people have fled Ukraine. There is great risk of additional suffering both within Ukraine and for those who are fleeing to neighboring countries for safety. This weekend's second collection goes to the USCCB's Subcommittee on Aid to the Church in Central and Eastern Europe, and allows the faithful to make a timely contribution and provide assistance to the victims of war in Ukraine, among many other projects the Collection supports in the region. Let us ask Our Lady, Queen of Peace, to bring a swift end to the violence, and thank you for your support of the Subcommittee and its work .

### The Ladies Sodality seeks new members

The Sodality of Our Lady, also known as the Sodality of the Blessed Virgin Mary, are a group of women who show devotion to, and great love for Our Lady, in communion as Sisters in Christ. They promote a love of Jesus and His Mother by prayer, fellowship and good works. Membership is open to all women, age 18 and up. If you are interested, join them for a meeting in the church after the daily Mass on Saturday, March 19. Brochures with more information are at the back of the church.

### CRS Rice Bowl—Perseverance to Succeed

Raúl and Lilian have faced many challenges while trying to provide for their family and pursue their dreams in Guatemala. With support from Catholic Relief Services, they have been able to overcome these obstacles and grow their business while helping their community along the way. In what ways are you being challenged to serve others this Lent? Visit <https://www.crsricebowl.org> to learn more.

### 40DFL Spring Prayer Vigil for the unborn, their parents, and abortion facility workers

The 40 Days for Life team in Honolulu reported its first saved baby in three years! A sedan with its window rolled down pulled up to the vigil site providing the 40DFL volunteer an opportunity to encourage the vehicle's abortion-bound driver to explore alternatives to abortion before taking the life of her child. Ninety minutes later, the same woman left the clinic, telling the volunteer, "I took your advice. I am keeping my baby." "How wonderful!" the volunteer replied as the expectant mom smiled big, flashed a thumbs up, and drove off. Please visit [www.40daysforlife.com/honolulu](http://www.40daysforlife.com/honolulu).

### BSA Scouts Sell \$10 Camp Cards for Discounted Retailers

St. John Vianney BSA Scouts will sell their annual \$10 Camp Card (previously known as Makahiki Discount Card) next weekend, March 19 and 20, on the Fellowship Lanai after all Masses. Camp Card sales raise money to cover the cost of summer and winter camping programs, and the proceeds are split between the Scouting Unit and the Aloha Council. The cards have great discounts at certain establishments around Oahu, including Ben Franklin Crafts, Leonard's and BRUG Bakeries, Midas Hawaii, Teddy's Bigger Burgers, Dave and Buster's, Pups of War Arena, and many more.

## Prayers for Healing

Ruth Alves, Doug Barbiato, Edward Balderston, Jim Balderston, Sydney Bennett, Chuck Bernales, Robert Bernales, Rod Castanha, Sandy Chong, Mollie Chun, Eleanor Dodds, Mellie Enos, Barbara Fields, Jayla Gomes, Jaci Hagen, Kathleen Heirakuji, Keone & Deborah Johnson, Myngoc Le, Kasey Lopes, Lopes Ohana, Jonathan & Malina Leszczuk, Elizabeth Libby, Buck Marcum, Pam Metzger, Milton McAngus, Michael Miti, Patrick Miyachi, Hope Montalvo, Christian Palacio, Trish Robertson, Herbert Rodrigues, Mary Sauvageau, Souza Ohana, Caroline Soriano, John Sutton, Sharon Sweat, Gabrielle Taylor, David Teves, Paulette Teves, Earl Walker, Gordon Wong

## Repose of Soul

+Mareno Gulisao, +Lorraine Smith, +Edita Aguete, +Harold "Hal" Okita, +Rowena Okita, +Albert Souza

## Next Sunday's Readings

First Reading: Exodus 3:1-8a, 13-15

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 10:1-6, 10-12

Gospel: Luke 13:1-9

## Schedule

Sun, Mar 13

9 a.m.—2 p.m. Bd. Rm., Lounge, Hall, Religious Education Program

1:30—3:15 p.m. Church, Youth Band Rehearsal

3—5 p.m. Fellowship Lanai, Girls Scouts

Mon, Mar 14

7—8:30 p.m. Bd. Rm. & Lounge, RCIA

Wed, Mar 16

6—7 p.m. Bd. Rm. & Lounge, Religious Education Program

6:30—8:30 p.m. Parish Hall/Outside Circle of Pc. BSA Scouts

7—8:30 p.m.—Church, Lenten Communal Penance Service with Individual Confessions

Thu, Mar 17

9—11 a.m. Bd. Rm. & Lounge, Sodality Rosary Making

Fri, Mar 18,

7 p.m. Church. Stations of the Cross

Sat, Mar 19

9—10:30 a.m. Church, Ladies Sodality Meeting

10:30—11:30 a.m. Church, Lectors Meeting

Sun, Mar 20

9 a.m.—2 p.m. Bd. Rm., Lounge, Hall, Religious Education Program

1—5 p.m. Parish Hall, Cub Scout Pack 311

1:30—3:15 p.m. Church, Youth Band Rehearsal

3—5 p.m. Bd. Rm. & Lounge, People of Praise

## SCHOOL NEWS

Submitted by Earl Walker

This Lent our school is also participating in the CRS Rice Bowl program. This program invites all of us to reflect on the challenges of global hunger, and our Gospel call to care for our global human family. By joining our prayers, fasts and alms with those of other Catholic schools and parishes in the United States, we will help millions of people around the world whose economic challenges have been made worse by the pandemic. Our sacrifices during this holy season have the power to change lives by providing enough nutritious food for families to thrive.

Friday, March 11<sup>th</sup> was our last day of third quarter for this school year. For the next two weeks we are on spring intersession and spring break, with classes resuming on March 28<sup>th</sup>. Our school is accepting applications for new students for next year and several tuition assistance programs are available. For more information, please contact the school office at 808-261-4651.

## ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

Submitted by Melodie Sasaki

Lent is a call not just to “give up something” but more important to “give something to the poor.” Wherever you live in the parish, there are poor families within distance of your home. When in need, they call the parish office or our help line. They are in effect, calling you. Is there a family you know who needs assistance? Please call the Society of St. Vincent de Paul helpline at 808-456-7837 so that together we can help the poor, the suffering, and the deprived.

## FAITH ACTION FOR COMMUNITY EQUITY

Submitted by Kathy Jaycox

This week, Faith Action introduces the newest staff member, Soon Kim. Soon joins three other bright, talented women who comprise the Faith Action Staff: Executive Director Ashleigh Loa and organizers Cassie Chee and Kiki Mills. Info about all staff is at: <https://www.faithactionhawaii.org/post/meet-our-staff>

## PRISON MINISTRY TOILETRY BASKET AT EASTER

Submitted by Jackie Barney

As imitators of Christ, we seek to prepare 200 Easter baskets of personal hygiene items including shampoo, conditioner, soap, washcloth, toothbrush, toothpaste, and deodorant. We humbly request cash donations, rather than the items themselves, so we can buy in bulk, ensuring all items are of the same size and volume, which satisfies the Women’s Community Correctional Administration. Please direct donations to St. John Vianney Prison Ministry. For more information, please call the parish office at 808-262-8317 and leave a message for Jackie, or email [jjb96734@gmail.com](mailto:jjb96734@gmail.com).

## CATHOLIC FAITH CORNER



### Apologetics without Apology

*A Year of the Holy Spirit (The Gift of Wisdom)*

Last week we saw that according to 1 Corinthians 12:8, Wisdom is not the same as knowledge. Some writers have said that we can know a lot of stuff and still be foolish. Paul separates wisdom and knowledge as two different gifts from the Holy Spirit. Knowledge acquires facts and recites God’s truth. Wisdom knows when and how to apply God’s truth to a specific situation. When wisdom is put to use, a “knowing” truth turns into a skill of insight and putting God’s Word to work.

To some degree, the gift of Wisdom is often bestowed on certain members of the Body of Christ, to know the mind of the Holy Spirit and to receive insight into how this knowledge may best be applied to specific needs arising in the Body of Christ. In the early church, a “message of wisdom” served a revelatory purpose by enabling some to interpret for the wider community the mind of God in the Holy Spirit. The Apostles and Prophets exercised this gift regularly. To a larger extent, the wisdom that Paul received resulted in a considerable amount of Scripture.

**Wisdom is a unifier, not a divider** (James 3:17): When difficulty arises or a decision must be made, someone with the gift of wisdom knows how to speak God’s Word over the situation, in a way that moves people toward united and peace. When voices sway opinions left and right, wisdom skillfully applies truth, to turn everyone toward Jesus in disarming way.

#### Biblical references:

1 Cor. 12:1-8—The Spirit’s presence is shown in some way in each person for the good of all. The spirit gives one person a fullness of wisdom, while to another person the same Spirit gives a message full of knowledge.



**The RCIA catechumens**, with their Godparents and sponsors, met Bishop Larry Silva to enroll their names in the Book of Elect on Sunday, March 6. The Elect are now in their final period of preparation before being initiated at this year’s Easter Vigil.

## STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Week of Feb 26—Mar 4, 2022	<u>Envelopes/Loose</u>	<u>Online Giving</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Goal</u>
Sunday Offertory	\$3,364.00	\$3,029.00	\$6,393.00	\$8,010.00
Repair and Maintenance	\$355.00	\$485.00	\$840.00	\$769.23
Debt/Major Repair	\$2.00	\$355.00	\$357.00	\$769.23
Appeal	\$100.00	\$1,600.00	\$1,700.00	\$2,307.69



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# LENT SCHEDULE

## Lent Begins

### Ash Wednesday Services, March 2

- 6 a.m. Prayer Service with Ashes
- 8 a.m. and 7 p.m. Mass with Ashes



Pray Fast Give

## Stations of the Cross

7 p.m. Every Friday during Lent

[CRSRiceBowl.org](http://CRSRiceBowl.org)

## Windward Vicariate Communal Penance Services

*Communal Prayer followed by Individual Confessions*

- Wednesday, March 16 at 7 p.m. at St. John Vianney, Kailua
- Monday, March 21 at 6:30 p.m. at Our Lady of Mount Carmel, Waikane
- Thursday, March 31 at 6:45 p.m. at St. Roch, Kahuku
- Tuesday, April 5 at 7 p.m. at St. Ann, Kaneohe
- Thursday, April 7 at 7 p.m. at St. Anthony of Padua, Kailua

## Parish Lenten Mission

- Tuesday, March 29, 7 p.m. Part 1 of 2, The Saints
- Wednesday, March 30, 7 p.m. Part 2 of 2, Marian Apparitions

## Holy Week Begins

### Palm Sunday, April 10

Masses at 7, 9 and 11 a.m. and Vigil on Sat., Apr. 9 at 5 p.m.

## Lent Ends

### Holy Thursday, April 14

7:30 p.m. Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper with Adoration

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# THE SACRED PASCHAL TRIDUUM

## **Good Friday, April 15**

3:00 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Passion of the Lord and Veneration of the Cross

## **Holy Saturday, April 16**

7:30 p.m. Easter Vigil Mass

Full Initiation (Baptism, Confirmation and First Holy Eucharist) of Elect

## **Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord, April 17**

Masses at 7, 9 and 11 a.m.

Full Communion (Confirmation and First Holy Eucharist) of Candidates

10 a.m. Easter Egg Hunt for children

# THE GREAT 50 DAYS OF EASTER

## **Sunday of Divine Mercy, April 24**

Masses at 7, 9 and 11 a.m., Vigil on Sat., Apr. 23 at 5 p.m.

## **Sixth Sunday of Easter, Sunday, May 22**

Masses at 7, 9 and 11 a.m.

Full Communion of Candidates (Sacraments of Confirmation and First Holy Eucharist) at the Vigil Mass on Sat., May 21st at 5 p.m.

## **Pentecost Sunday, June 5**

Masses at 7, 9 and 11 a.m., Vigil on Sat., June 4th at 5 p.m.