

SAINT GEORGE CHURCH



August 11, 2019

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

MISSION STATEMENT

St. George Parish in Waimanalo is a Community of many diverse people joined together to proclaim God's Word in Holy Scripture by celebrating the Liturgy and building a Faith Community. Uniquely embraced by the majestic Koolau and rolling seas we strive to be a Welcoming Parish and commit ourselves to serve the people of God through Outreach, Unity and Renewal.

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OFFICE STAFF

Secretary:
RE Coordinator: Vicky DeSilva

OFFICE HOURS

Mon.—Fri. 9:00am—12:00pm

MASS TIMES

Saturday: 6pm Vigil Mass
Sunday: 7am & 9:30am
Monday: Communion Service, 7am
Weekday: 7am Tues.—Sat.

DEVOTIONS

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena:
Tues. 6:30am
Rosary: Mon.—Sat., 6:30am
Divine Mercy: Follows Tues. Novena
& Fri. Rosary
Adoration: 1st Sun. 11am-12pm
Fatima Rosary: 13th day of each month
5pm if weekend; 7pm if
weekday

RECONCILIATION (Confession)

Sat. 5:15 – 5:45pm or by appointment

FUNERALS

Contact the parish office before
funeral home.

SICK & HOMEBOUND

Call the parish office to schedule home
Communion.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Dir. of RE: Vicky DeSilva
Grades K – 5: 8:15-9:15am
Pre-School: 9:30-10:15am
Grades 6 –H.S.: 10:30am-12noon

Please call office at 259-7188 for more
information.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (R.C.I.A.)

Sunday 8:15-9:30am..

NEW PARISHIONERS

Registration forms available at the
back of church or from parish office.

BAPTISM

Must register for classes which are
mandatory for parents and godparents.
Call office for more info.

MARRIAGE

Call to arrange an appointment with the
Pastor at least six months prior to
wedding date.

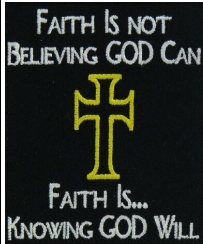
Watch and pray. The Lord will come when we least expect Him. We must watch and pray not only for His summons to judgment. We must watch and pray that we may realize His presence in our lives here on earth. At every moment He is with us. Let us strive to please Him in everything we think and say and do.

TODAY'S READINGS:

1st Reading: Wisdom 18: 6-9 - The Old Testament book of Wisdom was written during a time when God's people in Alexandria, Egypt, were distracted by the entertainments and pleasures of life. Wisdom reminds the people that God delivered them out of slavery in Egypt and made them a pilgrim people. God's very own.

2nd Reading: Hebrews 11, 1-2, 8-19 - If heaven is our goal, our lives must be filled with faith. We must have conviction about our purpose in life. Even when we do not understand the events of our lives, we must be a people of absolute fidelity to God, with joyful confidence that He will be faithful to us.

Gospel: Luke 12: 32-48 - If the purpose of our life is union with God, we must live each day for God. We must watch and pray that everything in life is done to please God. We must be ready for eternity at every moment. Whatever is done for a worldly purpose will fade and decay; whatever is done for God will become a treasure in eternity.



Today's Reflection:

Every week at Mass we remind ourselves of the mystery of our faith—that by his death and resurrection Jesus set us free, and he will come again in glory. How do we know this? Could we convince someone this is true? If “true” means factual evidence backed up by science, we won’t be able to prove this to anyone. But God gives us a different way of knowing. It comes from the revelation of God in creation, Scripture, and Christ. Our faith, a gift from God, is the ability to recognize the truth of the mysteries we proclaim.

In the reading from Hebrews, the author praises Abraham’s faith, which led him to obey the God he did not know and the tradition he handed on. Abraham wasn’t worried about proving that God spoke to him; he lived it. In the same way, Jesus calls his disciples to be ready and waiting for the Lord’s return. We can’t convince everyone that the resurrection and baptism affect salvation, that the consecration is real, or that Jesus will come again. We can, however, point to the life and witness of the Church and show the difference our faith makes in our own lives as we encounter others, work for justice, and spread the gospel. Our obedience, virtue, and good works manifest our faith and reveal the truths entrusted to us. Nowhere is this truer than at the eucharistic table, where we celebrate the mysteries in union with and in joyful expectation of the One who was, who is, and who is to come.

+ Mary Katharine Deeley

Parish Calendar

Sunday, August 11

- 10:45am—Hula Session
- 3:00pm—Divine Mercy and Novena to Our Lady of the Assumption

Monday, August 12

- 7:00pm—Novena to Our Lady of the Assumption

Tuesday, August 13

Outreach Closed

- 7:00pm—Fatima Prayer and Novena to Our Lady of the Assumption

Wednesday, August 14

- 7:00pm—Novena to Our Lady of the Assumption

Thursday, August 15

Outreach Closed

No Bible Study Class

- 7:00pm—HEALING MASS/FEAST OF OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION

Sunday, August 18

- 10:45am—Baptism in Church
- 10:45am—Hula Session

Tuesday, August 20

- 9:00am—Outreach
- 7:00pm—Filipino Catholic Community meeting

Wednesday, August 21

- 6:30pm—Respect Life Ministry meeting

Thursday, August 22

- 9:00am—Outreach
- 7:00pm—Bible Study

Sunday, August 25

- 7:30am—Rel Ed Catechist training/meeting

Tuesday, August 27

- 9:00am—Outreach

Thursday, August 29

- 9:00am—Outreach
- 7:00pm—Bible Study

September 1

- Family Promise begins
- 11:00am—Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

FYI—Outreach pantry will be closed on August 13 and 15. It will reopen the following Tuesday.

Offerings: August 4

Weekly Sunday —\$3566.00
 Repair and Maintenance—\$275.00
 Mary Lou Scholarship—\$45.00
 Bible Study—\$60.00
 Parish Outreach—\$155.00
 Religious Education—\$70.00

Generosity
 changes everything

Mahalo Cleaners!

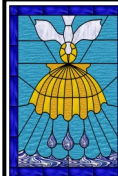
Saturday, 8/3/2019

Carlotta Kidder * Rachel Barrett
 Teresita Dela Cruz * Betty Cadiente
 Virginia Bringas * Diane Carlos
 Emma Fuller * Estrel Quiambao
 Lorraine Higa * Adelina Dela Penia
 Joe Ka'akua * Louanna Kaio

Saturday morning, 7:30-8:30am.

REFLECTION QUESTIONS

- What difference has my faith made in my life?
- Instead of just professing my faith, do I live it in actions daily?



Baptism Class II
Monday—August 12
7:00pm
Mary's Haven
With Deacon Ed



Fatima Prayer/Novena
Tuesday, August 13
7:00 pm



A Word from Pope Francis

The Assumption of Mary is a great mystery which regards each one of us, it regards our future. Mary, in fact, precedes us on the path walked upon by those who, through their baptism, have bound their life to Jesus, as Mary bound her own life to him.

SUMMER HULA FUN

Schedule:

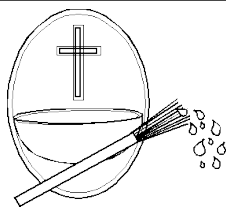
August 11, 18, 25 and September 8
Meet in the Parish hall

10:45am—12:00 noon

**No HULA SESSION on
Sept. 1**



**Due to paving on the side of
the church hall, there will no
parking available in the back
through August 25th.**



**Blessing of the newly
paved driveway on
August 25th
following the 7:00am
Mass**

Need a greater life purpose?



Malu and Kirk Kamanu,
coordinators of the Family
Promise ministry at St.
George, are seeking new

leadership and would like to pass the torch.

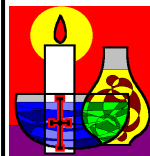
Think about it and pray on it. Let the

Kamanu's know of your interest or call the
office. Training will be provided.

Family Promise Hosting

***"Whatever you do to the least of my people... you
do unto me."***

St. George will be hosting working homeless families with children beginning **Sunday, Sept. 1st through Sunday, Sept. 8th**. We are asking your kokua in making meals/enjoying fellowship, providing supplies, and providing overnight support (sleepovers). We ask that all youth who want to help, come with a supervising adult and contact Kirk or Malu. Please prayerfully consider how you might be able to contribute and call/text Malu 721-6534 and/or Kirk Kamanu 349-3331 or email them at malulanik@hotmail.com



RCIA: Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Do you have friends, neighbors, or family members who were baptized but never received the other sacraments, are non-Catholic but are interested in the Church?

If you do, encourage them to attend RCIA. We welcome all to participate in this journey of faith. The RCIA team walks with those who are inquiring as we explore our relationship with God and others, and learn more about the Catholic faith.

***Welcome and Introductions (Coffee and Pastries) in
Mary's Haven at 8:15 on Sunday September 8, 2019.***

Religious Education 2019-2020

**Registration: August 1—31
Start on September 8**

Classes for:

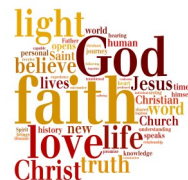
4 yr. olds 9:30am—10:15am

Grades:

K—5 8:15am—9:15am

6, 7, 8 10:35am—12:00pm

9—12 10:35am—12:00pm



Are You Being Called?

We need Religious Education
Catechists.

259-7188 or see Vicky DeSilva
Training Provided.



Novena to Our Lady of the Assumption

August 6—14

7:00pm

**(Aug 11—Divine Mercy and Novena at
3:00pm)**

HEALING MASS

FEAST OF OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION

AUGUST 15

7:00pm

**QUEEN OF
HEAVEN**



*Just to let
you know..*

**No Bible study Class on
Thursday, August 15.
Bible study will resume
on August 22.**