



HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!!

The Manoa-Punahou Catholic Community

Pentecost Sunday

May 11, 2008

Pentecost Sunday

The Church celebrates Pentecost (so called because it is fifty days after Easter Day) as the day on which the Holy Spirit descended upon the apostles, gathered in an upper room with Mary, mother of Jesus, "as a mighty, rushing wind", fulfilling Jesus' promise when he "breathed on them", as recorded in John's Gospel (chapter 20).

This event, which marks the beginning of the Church, is recorded in the book of Acts of the Apostles, chapter 2. The 14th century Siennese painting by Duccio (above) illustrates the moment when the Bible says the Spirit descended upon the gathering of Christians in the form of tongues of fire. The liturgical color for Pentecost is red, a reminder of the flames that "rested on them". Another symbol for the Holy Spirit is the dove, usually emitting golden rays of light.

The Holy Spirit gave the apostles gifts of grace through which they would undertake the evangelical mission of the Church. On the day of Pentecost, the apostles were given the miraculous "gift of tongues" -- so that everyone from every country understood the Christians inspired message of salvation as if they were hearing it in their own languages. Thousands were converted by the preaching of Peter and the other apostles.

Called Whitsunday (white Sunday) in England, for the white garments worn by confirmands (candidates for Confirmation), Pentecost, or the Feast of Weeks, originated as a Jewish festival fifty days (seven weeks) after Passover.

The Solemnity of Pentecost ends the Easter season. After Pentecost, the Easter candle is kept in the baptistery or near the baptismal font, and is lighted only for a baptism. For centuries, the Sundays of the Catholic Church year between Pentecost and Advent were numbered as "after Pentecost". Since the Second Vatican Council, this period is called "Ordinary Time" (the first period of Ordinary Time is that between the Epiphany and Lent). Three Solemnities are celebrated in the weeks immediately following Pentecost: Trinity Sunday, Corpus Christi (The Body and Blood of Christ) and the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

~<http://www.wf-f.org/Pentecost.html>

In Memory of Father Thomas Killackey, M.M.

Father Thomas Killackey died on April 30, 2008 at St. Teresa's Residence, Maryknoll, New York. He was 83 years old and a Maryknoll Priest for 51 years. His uncle Father Joseph P. Gibbons was a Maryknoll Priest, who also served in Hawaii.

After ordination on June 9, 1956 at Maryknoll, New York, Father Killackey was assigned to the Hawaii Region. In July 1981, after 25 years, he was assigned to the U.S. Region and to the Development. In January 1985 he was once again assigned to Hawaii.

Wake services were held at Maryknoll on May 5th, Mass of Christian Burial was concelebrated in Queen of Apostles Chapel on May 6th. Burial was at Maryknoll.

A Memorial Mass will be held at St. John the Apostle and Evangelist Parish on May 23rd, Friday at 7:00 pm.

To read the full article, visit,

<http://www.catholichawaii.org/article.php?story=20080501122518493>

WEEKLY SCRIPTURE READINGS

Sunday, May 11

Acts 2:1-11
Psalm 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34
1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13
John 20:19-23

Monday, May 12

James 1:1-11
Psalm 119:67, 68, 71, 72, 75, 76
Mark 8:11-13

Tuesday, May 13

James 1:12-18
Psalm 94:12-13a, 14-15, 18-19
Mark 8:14-21

Wednesday, May 14

Acts 1:15-17, 20-26
Psalm 113:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8
John 15:9-17

Thursday, May 15

James 2:1-9
Psalm 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7
Mark 8:27-33

Friday, May 16

James 2:14-24, 26
Psalm 112:1-2, 3-4, 5-6
Mark 8:34—9:1

Saturday, May 17

James 3:1-10
Psalm 12:2-3, 4-5, 7-8
Mark 9:2-13

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A Healthy Way to Support a Mission

The Maryknoll Summer Mission to Majuro is selling Jamba Juice coupons. Please help them defray costs and purchase a set of coupons for \$8. Your donation will help fund supplies for teaching classes – paper, pencils, chalk, books etc AND you'll receive a Jamba mug and a free smoothie! For more information you can contact Stephanie Conching at stephanieconching@maryknollschool.org. Thanks!



MPCC Outreach Corner

Fr. Don's Breakfast Ministry is in need of...

...bath towels and toiletries, such as bath soap, shampoo, deodorant, toothpaste & toothbrush, etc. All donations are greatly appreciated.

Our Food Pantry is in Need of...

...Corned beef hash, Spam, chili, canned fruit, Hearty soups, cereal, and saimin. All other food donations are greatly appreciated.

Thank You for your continuous generosity!!!



CONFIRMATION:

Let us offer our prayers and congratulations!

Flo Balfe, Michael Donch, and Diane Lamasao are to be confirmed during this weekend's 11:00 am Mass at Sacred Heart parish.

They have worked hard in their ongoing journeys of conversion. Besides attending the Monday night sessions, they have grown in their relationship with God and with our Lord's Church. Their sponsors have prayed for them and will continue to be their spiritual "co-pilgrims."

In the Rite of Confirmation, the confirmandi renew their baptismal promises and profess their faith. During the Laying on of Hands, the celebrant invokes the outpouring of the Holy Spirit to help and guide the confirmandi, and to give them the gifts of wisdom, understanding, right judgment, courage, knowledge, reverence, wonder and awe in His presence. Each confirmandi is then anointed with perfumed oil (chrism), receiving the "mark" or seal of the Holy Spirit.

The *Catechism of the Catholic Church* tells us that "by the sacrament of Confirmation, [the baptized] are more perfectly bound to the Church and are enriched with a special strength of the Holy Spirit. Hence they are, as true witnesses of Christ, more strictly obliged to spread and defend the faith by word and deed." Flo, Michael, and Diane are now "fully initiated Catholics" – may they continue to be living stones, graced by the Holy Spirit, to build up the holy Church.



Attention!

The Sacred Heart Church Office will be closed on **Saturday, May 24** and **Saturday, May 31**. Sorry for any inconveniences.



May is the Month of Mary!!!

During the month May we will be praying the rosary **every Saturday evening** at 4:40 pm at Sacred Heart Church. This will follow confessions and precede the 5:00 pm Mass. Public rosary will be led by the Legion of Mary. All are invited to honor our Holy Mother.

Seeking Altar Servers...

St Pius X Church is looking for altar servers to help serve during weekend Mass. If you are interested, please call 988-3308.

Lay ministry applications are available at the back of the church, at the office, or online at www.mp-cc.net.

Upcoming Religious Education Events

Confirmation (Adults)

Sunday, May 11, 2008
11:00 am Mass @ Sacred Heart

Confirmation (Teens)

Sunday, May 18, 2008
11:00 am Mass @ Sacred Heart

Monday Night Sessions

Weekly until the end of May
Then the last Monday of the month

Sacred Heart conference room at 7 pm.

Mon. May 12th

Potluck to celebrate our newly confirmed adults & Pentecost!

Mon. May 19th

~ Faith-sharing on Sunday scripture readings
~ **GUEST SPEAKER: Linda Nishigaya on the Rosary**

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REMINDER: All Catholic adults are welcome to join these sessions for ongoing formation in the faith! Also invited are adults wanting to become Catholic - and Catholic adults wanting to be confirmed and/or receive first Eucharist.

Weekly Mass Intentions

Sunday, May 11

7:00 am Edward Mello (Deceased)
 9:00 am Joseph S. Rapoza (Deceased)

Monday, May 12

6:30 am Evelyn Rodrigues Pao (Deceased)

Tuesday, May 13

6:30 am Edward Mello (Deceased)

Thursday, May 15

6:30 am The Saldana Family (Special)

Friday, May 16

6:30 am Joseph S. Rapoza (Deceased)

Saturday, May 17

6:30 am Vito Fernandez (Deceased)

Please keep our members and friends in your prayers!!!

~STEWARDSHIP of TREASURE~

May 3-4, 2008



SACRED HEART

Saturday 5:00 pm....\$1,633.79
 Sunday 7:00 am.....\$1,182.50
 9:00 am.....\$1,378.85
 11:00 am....\$1,214.00
 5:00 pm.....\$957.51
 Mail-in Offerings.....\$0.00
 Total.....\$6,366.65

*Debt Reduction....\$2,392.56

Philippines' Seminary.....\$155.00
 Misc. Donations.....\$115.00
 Maintenance.....\$490.00
 Candles.....\$37.45
 Penny Pot.....\$104.20

Mahalo for your generosity!

ST. PIUS X

Saturday 5:00 pm.....\$1,223.00
 Sunday 8:30 am.....\$1,173.25
 Mail-in Offerings.....\$85.00
 Total.....\$2,481.25

*Building Fund.....\$358.00

Maintenance.....\$399.00
 Candles.....\$38.00
 Rice Bowl.....\$40.00
 Food Pantry.....\$400.00
 Misc. Donations.....\$50.00



Bible Study for Adults of all ages!

Please join us for Bible Study: "God the Holy Spirit" in the conference room next to Bachelot Hall on **Friday, May 16** from 7:15 to 8:45 pm. For more information, please call InHim Ministries at 497-7451.

3rd Grade Catechist Needed for Sacred Heart Parish

We are in need of a volunteer to lead the 3rd graders of Sacred Heart in their Sunday School journey beginning in **September 2008**. Courses are available in **June 2008** to give catechists a head start on how to plan for and engage students. Please contact the office if you are interested, 973-2211 or e-mail Steph Conching at sconching@mp-cc.net. Mahalo.

Catholic Communication Campaign

Through your support of the Catholic Communication Campaign (CCC), Catholics and all media consumers have increased opportunities to find Gospel-grounded messages and resources to strengthen their families and their faith. Half of all donations received will remain in our dioceses to fund local Catholic communication efforts. Thank you for your generosity. www.CatholicCommunicationCampaign.org

SACRED HEART PARISH

1701 Wilder Avenue • Honolulu, HI 96822
 Phone: (808) 973-2211 • Fax: (808) 973-2209
 Parish Nurse: (808) 381-3850

Office Hours M-F 9:00 am - 3:00 pm (*Lunch: Closed 12-1 pm*)
 Sat 9:00 am - 12:00 pm
Confessions Sat 4:00 pm - 4:30 pm or by appointment
Baptisms First Sunday of the Month
Daily Mass Mon-Sat 6:30 am
Weekend Mass Sat 5:00 pm & Sun 7:00 am, 9:00 am, 11:00 am, & 5:00 pm

ST. PIUS X PARISH

2821 Lowrey Avenue • Honolulu, HI 96822
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Office Hours M-F 9:00 am - 12:00 noon
Confessions Sat 4:00 - 4:30 pm or by appointment
Baptisms Second Sunday of the Month
Weekday Mass Tues, Wed. & Th. 7:30 am
Weekend Mass Sat 5:00 pm & Sun 8:30 am
Food Pantry Hours M-F 10:00 am - 11:30 am

MARYKNOLL SCHOOL

1526 Alexander Street • Honolulu, HI 96822
 Phone: (808) 952-8400 • www.maryknollschool.org

Office Hours M-F 7:30 am - 3:30 pm

Admissions Office 952-7330

Grade School 952-7100

High School 952-7200

KOREAN CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

2949 Kahawai Street • Honolulu, HI 96822
 Phone: (808) 988-9678 • Fax: (808) 988-9679

Office Hours Thurs 8 am - 1 pm, Sun 9:30 am - 11 am, 12 pm - 1 pm
Confessions 30 minutes before Mass
Weekday Mass Mon & Sat @ 6 am, Tue, Wed, Thu & Fri @ 7 pm
Weekend Mass Sat 7:00 pm @ St Philomena
 Sun 11:00 am & 5:00 pm

MPCC Weekly Calendar

SUNDAY, MAY 11

8:00 am-10:30 am SH RCIA, SHDR
8:30 am-9:00 am SH Choir, SHC
12:00 pm-2:15 pm Confirmation Class, SHH

MONDAY, MAY 12

9:30 am-12:00 pm David Piche Funeral, SHC
6:00 pm-9:00 pm Ainsley Halau Practice, PXH
6:00 pm-9:00 pm Adult RE/RCIA + Potluck, SHBCR, SHDR

TUESDAY, MAY 13

7:30 am-12:30 pm MHS AP Testing, PXH, K
4:00 pm-9:00 pm MGS Band Concert, SHH
5:00 pm-8:00 pm Halau Hula 'O Wai'ale'ale, PXH
5:45 pm-7:15 pm Adult Hand Bell, SHBCR
6:00 pm-8:30 pm Finance Mtg, PXCR
7:00 pm-8:30 pm Youth Group Night, SHH
7:30 pm-9:30 pm Chuukese Mtg, SHDR

WEDNESDAY, May 14

7:30 am-12:30 pm MHS AP Testing, PXH, K
1:00 pm-2:30 pm MGS Gr 7 Retreat, SHC
3:30 pm-7:15 pm SH Choir, SHC
6:30 pm-8:30 pm Facilities Mtg, SHBCR
7:30 pm-9:30 pm Chuukese Mtg, SHDR

THURSDAY, MAY 15

8:00 am-2:00 pm I.H.S. Cooking, PXK
9:00 am-2:00 pm Quilting Ohana, PXH
4:30 pm-6:30 pm MHS/HTY, SHH
7:00 pm-9:00 pm Manoa Ballroom, PXH
7:15 pm-9:00 pm Our Lady's Prayer Group of the United Hearts, SHC

FRIDAY, MAY 16

5:00 am-7:30 am Fr. Don's Breakfast Club, PXK
7:30 am-4:00 pm MHS AP Testing, PXH, K
10:00 am-11:30 am RENEW Fellowship Mtg, SHBCR
6:00 pm-7:00 pm Yamamoto/Hew Rehearsal, SHC
7:00 pm-9:30 pm Troop 42 Mtg, SHH
7:00 pm-8:30 pm Young Adult Bible Study, SHBCR

SATURDAY, MAY 17

7:00 am-8:30 am Legion of Mary, SHBCR
8:00 am-10:00 pm Lau Birthday, PXH, K
8:30 am-10:30 am PX Choir, PXC
8:30 am-10:00 am Seder Meal Evaluation Mtg, SHDR
10:30 am-12:30 pm PX Lector Mtg, PXCR
11:00 am-12:30 pm Baptism Class, SHBCR, C
2:00 pm-3:00 pm Yamamoto/Hew Wedding, SHC

Sacred Heart Parish (SH)

C (Church), H (Bachelot Hall), BCR (Bachelot Hall Conference Room), DR (Dining Room), SR (Scout Room), CYD (Courtyard), MGS (Maryknoll Grade School), MHS (Maryknoll High School)

St Pius X Parish (PX)

CR (Conference Room), C (Church), H (Hall), K (Kitchen)