



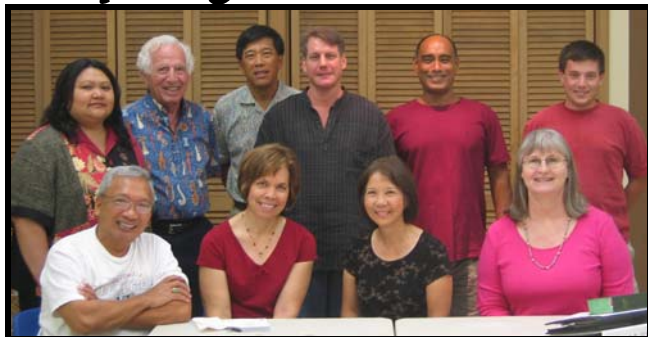
# The Manoa-Punahou Catholic Community

**29th Sunday of Ordinary Time**

**October 21, 2007**

## MPCC Pastoral Council

The Manoa-Punahou Catholic Community (Sacred Heart Parish, St. Pius X Parish, Maryknoll School, and the Korean Catholic Community) has undergone



change over the last several years under the leadership of three different pastors. What has not changed is the commitment of parishioners to serve the parish community in various ministries including the parish council. Reverend R.G. Weakland, O.S.B. identifies a parish council as "...primarily a faith community, a communion of disciples, gathered together to discern the will of God for a specific parish...a unique form of shared responsibility that brings the parishioners into the decision-reaching process of the church at an adult, responsible level."

In March 2007, Pastor Gordian Carvalho called together parishioners of diverse backgrounds who were willing to serve on the MPCC Pastoral Council. These individuals meet every third Thursday of the month with Fr. Gordy in service to their parish community:

**Doug Akin** – Sacred Heart, 14 years, liturgy committee, mass captain, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion (EMHC), Aid's ministry, attorney, Vice-President of Claims for HIG

**Inez Asami** – Sacred Heart, 6 years, EMHC Board member, revenue manager

**Carl Berger** – Sacred Heart, 19 years, lector, AIDS ministry, Seder, RENEW and bible study, executive assistant at KCAA Pre-schools of HI, staff at law firm, post graduate studies at UH-Manoa

**Onfre Bolosan** – St. Pius X, choir, religious education program, facilities committee, retired

**Tom Dinell** – Sacred Heart, 8 years, mar-

riage preparation ministry, Professor Emeritus Urban and Regional Planning, UH-Manoa and planning consultant

**Joe Masiero** – St. Pius X, 4 years, Graduate student

at the University of Hawaii's Institute for Astronomy.

**Jill Nagamine** – St. Pius X, 14 years, lector, EMHC, religious education program, liturgy committee, Department of the Attorney General, two sons

**Linda Nishigaya** – Sacred Heart, lifetime, lector, EMHC, Improvements at Heart Fund Raising committee, Legion of Mary, Professor of Sociology, UH-West Oahu

**Jeff Overton** – St. Pius X, 4 years, facilities committee, land use planner and environmental consultant, Group 70 International, Inc., Architects and Planners in Honolulu

**Pat Paakaula** – Sacred Heart, 18 years, choir, AIDS ministry, retired registered nurse, Kapiolani Hospital after 35 years and receptionist at Life Foundation after 12 years

**Willa Papandrew** – St. Pius X, 18 years, food pantry, IHS, hospitality, ohana, pews, stewardship, bell choir & tone chimes, former executive secretary, UH Manoa-Horticulture, "honors" - two grandchildren

**Michael Punua** – Sacred Heart, 21 years, cleaning contractor

**Joseph Young** – Sacred Heart, 7 years, marriage preparation ministry, pediatrician

As diverse as the membership of the MPCC Pastoral Council is, it is united in its desire to foster the spiritual renewal and growth of the MPCC. The Council asks for your prayers and support as it strives always to "discern the will of God" for the parish community.

### WEEKLY SCRIPTURE READINGS

#### Sunday, October 21

Exodus 17:8-13  
Psalm 121:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8  
2 Timothy 3:14—4:2  
Luke 18:1-8

#### Monday, October 22

Romans 4:20-25  
Luke 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75  
Luke 12:13-21

#### Tuesday, October 23

Romans 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21  
Psalm 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17  
Luke 12:35-38

#### Wednesday, October 24

Romans 6:12-18  
Psalm 124:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8  
Luke 12:39-48

#### Thursday, October 25

Romans 6:19-23  
Psalm 1:1-2, 3, 4, 6  
Luke 12:49-53

#### Friday, October 26

Romans 7:18-25a  
Psalm 119:66, 68, 76, 77, 93, 94  
Luke 12:54-59

#### Saturday, October 27

Romans 8:1-11  
Psalm 24:1b-2, 3-4ab, 5-6  
Luke 13:1-9

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## Sacred Heart Parish Debt Reduction Collection Update

*Your generosity is needed.*

Your help is greatly appreciated and thank you for your continued generosity! Mahalo for your support!

### Collection Updates

Aug. 25-26.....	\$488.32
Sept. 1-2.....	\$5,263.32
Sept. 8-9.....	\$4,877.62
Sept. 15-16.....	\$2,667.94
Sept. 22-23.....	\$1,885.42
Sept. 29-30.....	\$2,268.21
Oct. 6-7.....	\$1,978.70
Oct. 13-14.....	\$2,126.80
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$21,556.33</b>

## MPCC Thanksgiving Drive October 22-November 18

The MPCC Food Pantry will be working with St. Patrick's Church, once again this year, in collecting donations for Thanksgiving baskets.

We are asking for donations of supermarket gift certificates for turkey, rolls, and pies. We would also be happy to receive



Thanksgiving-themed food items such as cranberry sauce, corn, pumpkin, gravy mix, olives, powdered milk, stuffing mix, rice, mashed potato mix, mushroom soup, cookies, etc. Monetary donations will also be greatly appreciated.

If you are a parishioner in need of a basket, please contact the parish offices at 973-2211 or 988-3308. Any non-members, please contact St. Patrick's Church at 732-5565.



## Our Food Pantry is in Need of...

Our Food Pantry is in need of spam, corned beef, cereal, powdered or canned milk, hamburger helper, chicken dinner, macaroni & cheese, peanut butter, and jelly. All other food donations are greatly appreciated as well. Thank you for your continued donations! Donations for our Food Pantry may be dropped off at the church during weekend Masses or at the parish offices during the weekdays.

## Middle School Open House

Wednesday, October 24, 2007  
6:00 pm – 8:00 pm  
Middle School Campus  
(1722 Dole Street)



Come share an evening with the faculty, staff, and students of Maryknoll School. Visit our classrooms and hear about the academic and co-curricular programs Maryknoll has to offer! For more information call the Office of Admission at 952-7330.

## Mass of Remembrance Friday, Nov. 2, 2007

7:00 pm Mass  
Sacred Heart



If you know of someone that passed between November 1, 2006 to October 31, 2007 and would like to have him/her remembered at this Mass, please print his/her name and information on the sheet found on the table at the back of the Church. Light refreshments will be served after Mass.

All Souls Day Remembrance envelopes are available at the back of the church.

## Priesthood Sunday Sunday, October 28, 2007

We are celebrating Priesthood Sunday on Sunday, October 28th. Refreshments will be served after St. Pius 8:30 mass and Sacred Heart 7 am, 9 am, and 11 am mass.

Priesthood Sunday is a special day set aside to honor priesthood in the United States. It is a day to reflect upon and affirm the role of the priesthood in the life of the Church as a central one.

## St. Pius X Church & Hall New Roof October 22-November 16



St. Pius X Church and Hall will be getting a new roof. Work on the roofs will be from **October 22-November 16**. The church will be the first facility to be worked on from **October 22-November 2** and the parish hall from **November 5-16**, weather permitting.

The Mass times during the work on the church will be moved to **6:45 am** for **October 22-November 5**. There will be no scheduled events for the parish hall and the food pantry will be closed during **November 5-16 Monday-Friday 7:30 am-5 pm**. If there are any questions please contact Charmaine at the parish office at 973-2211 x23. Thank you.



### Harness the Power of Positive Thinking

- 1) Retrain your brain to focus on what you want instead of what you lack.
- 2) Dream big—imaging your goal—like a job promotion. Print it on a card and put it in a place where you see it and read it.
- 3) Follow the golden rule—positive self talk makes good things come true!
- 4) Filter out the negative—choose a positive word that makes you feel happy and repeat it often.

- Luci Nelson RN, Parish Nurse

### St Pius X's Mini Christmas Sale November 24-25, 2007



A Mini Christmas Sale will be held at St. Pius X Parish Hall on **Saturday & Sunday Nov. 24 & 25** before and after Mass. If you have any Christmas-themed items to donate or can make items for the sale, please drop them off at Sacred Heart or St. Pius X parish offices or leave them in the food donation baskets in the back of the church.

All proceeds will benefit the needy of our community through our MPCC Food Pantry. All donations are greatly appreciated. Thank You!



### Sacred Heart Religious Education Registration!

It's not too late...but there is a deadline...

**October 28** is the last day to register for Religious Education!! Call the Religious Education office if you have any questions: 952-7201.

**For Rent:** Studio available for rent lower Manoa \$575/mo. Private entrance. Call Fran at 947-1827.

Visit Our Website: [www.mp-cc.net](http://www.mp-cc.net)  
Email us at [general@mp-cc.net](mailto:general@mp-cc.net)

### ~STEWARDSHIP of TREASURE~

October 13-14, 2007



#### SACRED HEART

Saturday 5:00pm.....\$1,306.50  
 Sunday 7:00am.....\$1,552.08  
 9:00am.....\$1,303.13  
 11:00am.....\$1,317.05  
 5:00pm.....\$1,878.75  
 Mail-In Offerings.....\$10.00  
**Total.....\$7,367.51**

**\*Debt Reduction....\$2,126.80**

Maintenance.....\$75.00  
 Penny Pot.....\$71.02  
 Candles.....\$28.88  
 Misc. Donations.....\$454.00  
 Catholic Charities.....\$3.00

#### ST. PIUS X

Saturday 5:00pm.....\$761.00  
 Sunday 8:30am.....\$1,000.00  
 Mail-In Offerings.....\$120.00  
**Total.....\$1,881.00**

Food Pantry.....\$100.00  
 Candles.....\$46.00  
 Maintenance.....\$55.00  
 Other.....\$10.00

### Monday Night Faith Topics

Sacred Heart conference room at 7 – 9 p.m.

**October 22nd**  
 Salvation History  
 Overview of the Bible

**October 29<sup>th</sup>**  
 Blessed Virgin Mary Communion  
 of Saints  
 All Saints Day & All Souls Day

These sessions are for (1) baptized adults who are considering joining the Catholic Church, (2) Catholics wanting to receive Confirmation and/or First Eucharist, and (3) members of the St. Pius X and Sacred Heart parishes who want to increase their understanding of, and growth in, the Catholic faith.

**SPONSORS NEEDED!** We need confirmed, practicing Catholic adults to be "co-pilgrims" for our adults preparing for the sacraments. What a personal and rewarding way to evangelize our faith!

### Don't Forget eScrip!

eScrip is year-round fundraising made easy for all participants. Participating business partners (Safeway) contribute a percentage of your grocery club card purchases to our parish. Support your parish by signing up to be a member of eScrip. Fill out the yellow pamphlets found at the back of the church with your Safeway card number or call the parish office at 973-2211. You can also sign up online at [www.escrip.com](http://www.escrip.com) and clicking on "1-Sign Up".



If you participated last year, don't forget to renew to continue earning eScrip points. Visit [www.escrip.com](http://www.escrip.com) and click on "YES RENEW". For uninterrupted contributions, renew annually by **November 1**.

# MPCC Weekly Calendar

## **Sunday, October 21**

9:00 am-10:00 am SH RCIA, SHDR  
9:00 am-10:00 am Family Mass, SHC  
9:30 am-10:45 pm PX Religious Ed Classes,  
PXH, CR  
10:00 am-10:50 am SH Religious Ed Classes, MGS  
12:00 pm-2:15 pm Confirmation Class, SHH  
2:00 pm-4:00 pm Pack 42, SHSR  
3:30 pm-5:00 pm Adult RE Mtg, SHBCR  
6:00 pm-8:00 pm AIDS Ministry Mtg, SHDR

## **Monday, October 22**

### **Roof Work Begins, PXC**

10:00 am-12:00 pm RENEW Fellowship, SHBCR  
6:00 pm-9:00 pm Halau Practice, PXH  
7:00 pm-9:00 pm SH RCIA/Adult RE, SHBCR

## **Tuesday, October 23**

3:00 pm-4:15 pm MPCC Children's Choir, SHH  
5:45 pm-7:00 pm Adult Hand Bell, SHBCR  
6:30 pm-9:00 pm KaPaHulaOKalani, PXH  
7:00 pm-8:30 pm Youth Group Night, SHH  
7:00 pm-9:00 pm Liturgy Mtg, PXCR

## **Wednesday, October 24**

8:00 am-9:30 am Theraband Exercise Class, PXH  
10:30 am-11:30 am Adult Tone Chimes, SHBCR  
6:00 pm-8:00 pm MGS Middle School Open  
House, SHH, P, CYD  
3:00 pm-5:30 pm SH Cantor, SHC  
5:45 pm-7:30 pm SH Choir, SHC  
7:00 pm-9:00 pm Finance Mtg, PXC

## **Thursday, October 25**

10:30 am-11:30 am Alison Tom Funeral, SHC  
4:00 pm-7:00 pm Ukulele Mtg, PXCR  
4:30 pm-6:30 pm MHS/Hawaii Theatre, SHH  
5:45 pm-8:00 pm Na Wahine O Manoa, PXH  
7:15 pm-8:00 pm Our Lady's Prayer Group of the  
United Hearts, SHC

## **Friday, October 26**

7:30 am-2:45 pm St Francis Retreat, PXH, K  
6:30 pm-9:30 pm Troop 42, SHSR  
7:00 pm-8:30 pm Young Adult Bible Study,  
SHBCR  
7:00 pm-9:00 pm Pack 42 Mtg, SHH

## **Saturday, October 27**

7:00 am-2:00 pm Marknoll Krispy Kreme Pick-Up,  
SHP  
7:15 am-8:30 am Legion of Mary, SHBCR  
8:30 am-10:30 am PX Choir, PXC  
9:30 am-1:00 pm Troop 42 CPR Class, SHH

### **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)