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I OFFER MY LIFE

Retreat

What does it mean to truly hold nothing back?
In the hustle of daily life, we often offer only pieces of ourselves—our time, our energy, our spare moments.

But what happens when we offer the whole?
Join us for a transformative weekend retreat, where we will explore the profound theme: "I Offer My Life."
This is an invitation to pause, breathe, and surrender the burdens of control.
Through quiet reflection, guided sessions, and shared community, **we will explore what it means to live a life fully offered—**
In service, in love, and in faith.

MARCH 20-22, 2026 in Honolulu



Congregation of the Sacred Hearts of Jesus and Mary
US Province

Be Part of Something New: Help Build a Vocation Culture

Our parish is launching a **Parish Vocation Ministry** - and **WE NEED YOU!**



"HOW SWEET IT IS TO DIE A CHILD OF THE SACRED HEARTS."
Saint Damien of Molokai

God continues to call men and women to serve Him in priesthood and religious life. Vocations grow where they are encouraged, prayed for, and supported. A vibrant vocation culture begins in the parish.

We are inviting parishioners to become members of this new ministry who are willing to pray regularly for vocations, encourage young people in their faith journey, and support vocation awareness initiatives in the parish.

If you feel moved to help others discover God's call, sign up at our registration table after Mass, or email us at: **sheartsvocations@gmail.com.**

Let us work together to call forth the next generation of shepherds and consecrated men and women.

First Reading
-Genesis 12:1-4a
"The call of Abraham, the father of God's people."

Responsorial Psalm
-Psalm 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22
"Lord, let your mercy be on us, as we place our trust in you."

Second Reading
-2 Timothy 1:8b-10
"God has saved us and called us to be holy."

Gospel Reading
-Matthew 17:1-9
"Jesus' face shone like the sun."



March 1st, 2026 Second Sunday of Lent

Reflection on the Gospel

The Transfiguration event is present in all three Synoptic Gospels. This event seems to be a private one that Jesus took Peter, John, and James to be witnesses to. This gospel passage takes place 6 days after Jesus' prediction of his Passion (Matthew 17:1).

The scene immediately transitions to Jesus being transfigured. Jesus' face shone like the sun, and his clothes became white as light. What happened to Jesus is what the prophet Daniel has seen with his visions of God (Daniel 7:9, 10:6). Then Moses and Elijah appeared and were conversing with Jesus. Seeing the sight, Peter offers a tent, one for each of the three. Then God's voice from a cloud declares Jesus as his Son. The disciples immediately fall prostrate. Jesus tells them not to be afraid and to rise.

Why did Jesus tell the three not to tell anyone about the event unless he rose from the dead? Perhaps Jesus knew Peter, John, and James didn't fully understand what happened. One fact is that Jesus has the same divine features as his Heavenly Father. To be able to converse with Moses and Elijah on a mountaintop, their ancestors, must've been an impossible scene. Unless one understands that mountaintops are sacred across many cultures, as it is believed it is the closest humans can experience the divine.

What is it for us about the Transfiguration? This event is a foreshadowing of the resurrection. Jesus, in inviting the three apostles, also invites us to the transfiguration with him and to be glorified through him. During this Lenten season, let us remember why we took on this journey. Sacrifice comes from two words in Latin: Sacra meaning holy, and facere meaning to make. We are making ourselves holy in our Lenten Journeys, transfiguring from our past selves to join in Jesus' Resurrection.

-From the desk of Bro. Emmanuelle



Mass & Healing Service

with Fr. Pat Crowley ss.cc

If you or someone you know is in need of God's healing power, we encourage you to come and experience God's love in the real presence of Jesus.

Wednesday, March 4th, 2026
6:30PM in St. Patrick Church

ALL ARE WELCOME!!!



Vision Statement

We are a loving community witnessing and living the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

Mission Statement

We the members of Saint Patrick Parish, are called by Baptism in Jesus Christ to: celebrate our faith as a community of believers through worship, prayer and community action, to participate in opportunities and experiences that strengthen our knowledge and love of Jesus and his Church; to foster a welcoming environment which serves our 'Ohana and reaches out to the community at large.

-Reaffirmed 2018



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Honolulu, Hawaii 96816
Congregation of the Sacred Hearts

Church est. 1929
Sunday Liturgy of the Eucharist
Saturday: 6:00 pm
Sunday: 6:30am, 8:30 am, 11:00 am

Weekday Liturgy of the Eucharist
Monday to Saturday: 7:00 am

SACRAMENTS
Contact the Parish Office for further information regarding the sacraments.

Baptism – Parent Sessions
Marriage—One year notice before marriage date.
Anointing of the Sick– Before hospitalization. This Sacrament is celebrated with family and friends.
Homebound—Eucharist is available for the sick
Penance Service—Advent and Lent
Reconciliation (Confession) Saturdays: 4:30pm to 5:00pm

Church Directory
Rev. Lusius Nimu, ss.cc. - Pastor
Rev. Bertram Lock, ss.cc. - Parochial Vicar
Dr. Fernando Ona - Deacon
Sherry Shimoda – Rectory Receptionist
Bro. Emmanuelle del Castillo, ss.cc. - Parish & School Associate

Faith Formation Ministries:
Music Ministry: Leslie Segundo – Call rectory
RCIA: Stella Christopher
Social Ministry:
Baptism: Bert Nakamura
Karen Nakamura
Eucharistic Ministry: Karen Nakamura
Lector: David Tom
Rosemarie Tom
Ushers: Garrett Miura, Tammy Miller
Hospitality: Bella Gary

School est. 1930
Congregation of the Sacred Hearts
President: Rev. Lusius Nimu, ss.cc.
Vice President/ Principal: Shireen Santiago
Finance Officer: Hong Li Luo
Vice Principal: Gavin Kim
Registrar/Admissions: Karen Nobuji
Dean of Students: Tiani Ma’afala-Autagavaia

Contact Numbers:
Parish Office: 732-5565 Fax: 737-2477
School Office: 734-8979 Fax: 732-2851
Religious Ed. Office: (Call the Parish Office)

Parish Office hours:
Monday-Friday: 8:00am to 4:00pm
Closed 12noon to 1:00pm daily; and all day on Holidays

School Office hours:
Monday – Friday: 7:00am to 3:00pm
After School Care: 2:30pm to 5:30pm

Parish Movie Night

March 6th, 7pm



March 27th Movie: The Chosen

Venue: 7th Ave.
Parking Lot
(weather permitting)
more details to come



Join us for
Stations of the Cross
Each Friday of Lent at
6:00 PM



Volunteers Needed

Volunteers are needed for the parish Easter Egg hunt on Easter Sunday, April 5th, 2026 after the 8:30 AM Mass

Notice

St. Patrick School's 7th & 8th Grades will be practicing Mimes: Stations of the Cross at the Church.

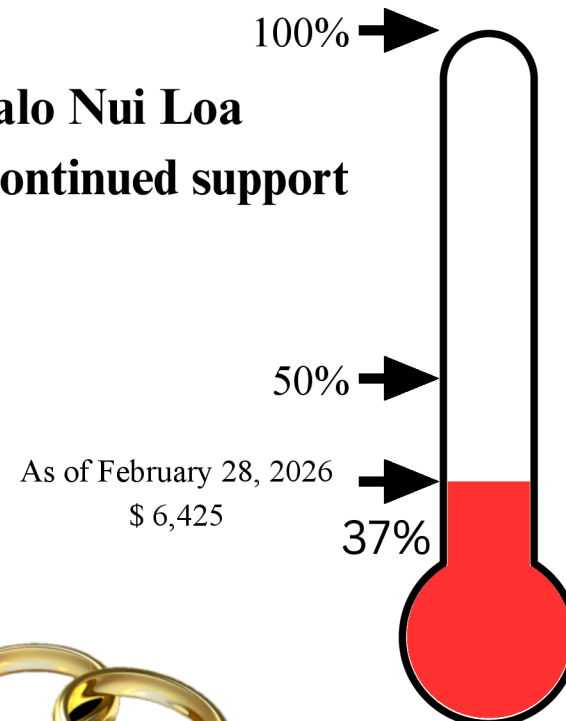
During school days.

Please pardon any inconveniences.
Mimes: Stations of the Cross will be on Thursday, March 12th, 2026.

Save the date!
Taste of St. Patrick's
April 11th, 2026

Our parish goal this year is \$17,300.
We invite you to help us meet — and even exceed — this goal. Anything raised beyond our goal will be returned directly to our parish to support our local needs and ministries.

Mahalo Nui Loa
for your continued support



Are you
Married Outside
the Catholic
Church?

What does a validation require?

- The Catholic Church requires anyone baptized Catholic (or received into full communion) be married in the Catholic Church in order to have a valid marriage.
- Catholics are required to marry before an authorized Catholic priest or deacon. This requirement is called *canonical form*.
- The requirement of canonical form applies even when marrying a non-Catholic.
- A validation requires personal marriage preparation. Discuss this with your parish clergy. The preparation requirements are tailored to your individual needs as a couple.
- A marriage validation does not magically solve a troubled marriage. In those situations, preparation is even more important.

Scan here for more information.



Saint Patrick Church

Upcoming Events

- March 1st** **Family Rosary**
At St. Patrick School Cafeteria.
After 11 AM Mass.
- March 3rd** **Mass & Healing Service**
6:30 PM
- March 6th** **First Friday Adoration**
After the 7AM Daily Mass
Until 4PM
- Stations of the Cross**
6:00 PM
- Movie Night**
7:00 PM
- March 14th & 15th** **Second Collection**
Catholic Relief Services

Events will be updated weekly.
St. Patrick School events can be seen here:
<https://school.saintpatrickhawaii.org/news-events/>

Respect Life (“Womb-to-Tomb”) Facts

Respect Life in the Catholic Church covers the entire spectrum of life – “Womb-to-Tomb” to include abortion, contraception, end-of-life etc. Each week, we will list 3 facts regarding the Catholic Church’s teachings on Respect Life.

Euthanasia and Assisted Suicide

- The Catechism of the Catholic Church says that intentional euthanasia (any action to deliberately cause death of a person with a serious ailment to end suffering) is murder.”
- The Catholic Church allows refusing “overzealous” treatments (e.g., mechanical ventilation, dialysis) that prolong suffering the face of unavoidable death.
- In terminally ill cases, normal care such as nutrition and hydration should be continued unless it causes additional pain.