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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!**

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](mailto:sheartsvocations@gmail.com).

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



HAWAII CATHOLIC CHARISMATIC RENEWAL SERVICES

**Lenten Statewide Prayer Meeting**

**March 14, 2026**  
**Saturday, 10 AM**

**Sacred Heart Chapel**  
St. Anthony Retreat Center  
3351 Kalihi Street, Honolulu, HI

**The Corporal Passion of Jesus Christ**

**Jorge Samaniego, M.D.**  
Speaker  
**HCCRS Worship Team**  
Praise and Worship

**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.

- Abortion**
- God's First Commandment: "Be fertile and multiply; fill the earth and subdue it" (Genesis 1:28)
  - Abortion can result in death to the mother; the CDC's Nov 27, 2020 Abortion Surveillance Report for 1973-2018: there were 519 maternal deaths - 86.1% (legal abortions), 11% (illegal abortions), and 2.9% (unknown legal status abortions)

**March 8<sup>th</sup>, 2026**  
**Third Sunday of Lent**

**First Reading**  
-Exodus 17:3-7  
*"Give us water, so that we may drink."*

**Responsorial Psalm**  
-Psalm 95:1-2,6-7,8-9  
*"If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts."*

**Second Reading**  
-Romans 5:1-2,5-8  
*"The love of God has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us."*

**Gospel Reading**  
-John 4:5-42  
*"The water that I shall give will become a spring of eternal life."*



**Reflection on the Gospel**

The gospel passage takes place at a Samaritan town called Sychar. There are three parts to this passage: First, Jesus meets with a Samaritan woman; Second, Jesus speaks to his disciples about the nature of their ministry; Finally, there is the conversion of many for that town.

When Jesus meets the woman at the well, there is one thing "wrong" with this scene. First, there are times to draw water from the well, and it's done as a community. Coming alone implies that this woman wishes not to be seen publicly. As we learn, she is in an adulterous relationship. Such detail is minor compared to what Jesus speaks, as the woman cites Jewish faith that their only place to worship is in Jerusalem. Despite being a Samaritan, Jesus speaks that they worship the same God, as those who truly worship the Father in Spirit and truth. The place of worship is not restricted to a city nor a mountain, a way of saying salvation is offered for all. The woman knows her faith, knows the man in front of her is more than a prophet; she mentions the coming of Christ. After Jesus' confirmation, she completes her conversion and preaches what Jesus had spoken, leaving behind her jar.

The disciples happened to arrive nearing the end of the conversation and seeing the woman leave. The gospel's author is deliberate, as the scene itself can be scandalous. Food is what gives us strength; however, the food the Jesus speaks of is doing the will of his Father. Meaning this ministry isn't one about working for daily bread. As salvation is for all, the "seeds" of faith are still growing, but it has to be nurtured and "reaped". The "payment"? Enjoying that same salvation.

Sychar's people are convinced of the woman's testimony and invited Jesus to stay in the town. After two days, they no longer believe because of the woman's testimony. They believe as they experienced Jesus for themselves. The woman didn't forget her jar for water, she didn't need it anymore as she left her past life behind as she accepted salvation. How about for us, are we able to leave our past, sinful lives behind and accept Jesus on our own volition?

*-From the desk of Bro. Emmanuelle*

**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



1124 Seventh Avenue  
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 27<sup>th</sup>, 7pm



Venue: 7<sup>th</sup> Ave.  
Parking Lot  
(weather permitting)  
*more details to come*

Concessions  
Available  
for Purchase

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 5<sup>th</sup>, 2026 after the 8:30 AM Mass

#### Notice

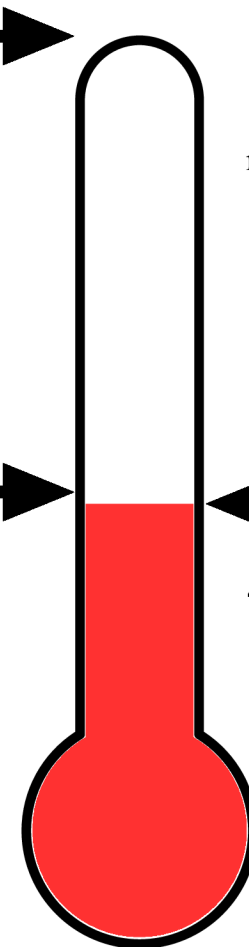
St. Patrick School's 7th & 8th Grades will be practicing Mimes: Stations of the Cross at the Church. During school days.

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

**Save the date!**  
Taste of St. Patrick's  
April 11<sup>th</sup>, 2026

100% →

50% →



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.

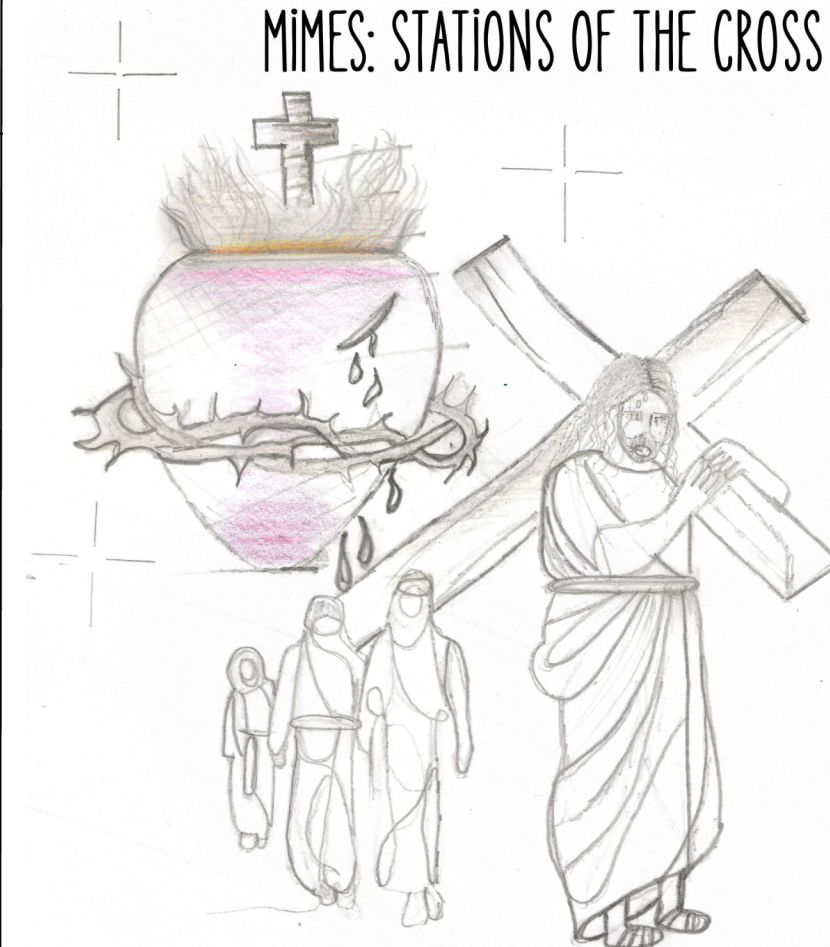
As of March 7<sup>th</sup>, 2026

**\$7,432**

43%

**Mahalo Nui Loa**  
for your continued support

### MIMES: STATIONS OF THE CROSS



March 12<sup>th</sup>, 2026  
8:30 AM School  
6:00 PM Public

## Saint Patrick Church Upcoming Events

- March 12<sup>th</sup>** Mimes: Stations of the Cross  
8:30 AM: School  
6:00 PM: Public
- March 13<sup>th</sup>** Stations of the Cross  
6:00 PM
- March 14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup>** Second Collection  
Catholic Relief Services

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

**Second Collection**  
**March 14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup>**



Catholic Relief Services This collection provides funding for Catholic Relief Services, the USCCB Offices of International Justice and Peace, Migration and Refugee Services, and Pastoral Care for Migrants and Refugees, relief work of the Holy Father, and the Catholic Legal Immigration Network.