

ST. BENEDICT IS REOPENING MASSES BEGINNING THIS WEEKEND

We are happy to announce that St. Benedict/St. John Church is in the process of signing up people to attend our weekend Masses. **All Masses will be held at St. Benedict Hall/Chapel.** We have a limited number of seats available and would like to make sure we can accommodate everyone. We will begin Masses this weekend, Saturday, May 30 and Sunday, May 31.

Mass times Saturday 4:00 pm; Sunday 8:00 am and 10:00 am.

We can accommodate up to 58 people total plus our Celebrant. Each Mass will be assigned a Choir of 5; a Sacristan and 6 Ushers. We require everyone to wear a face mask in compliance with the state's preventive directive.

Please call the parish office at 328-2227 or email st.benedict@rcchawaii.org to advise us which Mass you would like to attend and with how many so we can facilitate the seating capacity. Along this line, we need volunteer ushers who are not vulnerable due to age or health conditions. Please notify us so we can give you proper training and/or orientation in advance.

Bishop Larry reminds us that, as an act of charity, anyone who is sick, who is particularly vulnerable to infection, or is in a high-risk group should not attend Mass at this time. The dispensation from the obligation to attend Sunday Mass is extended through June 30, 2020. This will allow those who are not comfortable attending Mass at this time to stay away with a clear conscience. Masses will continue to be live-streamed, at least from some locations. Log-in information can be found at www.catholichawaii.org.

Again, when you come, please remember to wear your face mask and, if possible, bring your own hand sanitizers or wet disinfectant wipes. We will appreciate if you are able to donate any extra sanitizing products you may have. Thank you for your patience and understanding. See you all soon! God Bless!

Sincerely yours – in Christ,

Rev. Siegfried B. Dosdos