

Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, June 23

4:00 pm—SB People of the Parish
6:00 pm—SJB People of the Parish

Sunday, June 24

7:15 am—SB People of the Parish
9:30 am—SJB People of the Parish

Monday, June 25

No Masses

Tuesday, June 26

7:00 am—SB People of the Parish

Wednesday, June 27

7:00 am—SJB Communion Service

Thursday, June 28

7:00 am—SB People of the Parish

Friday, June 29

7:00 am—SB Communion Service

Saturday, June 30

4:00 pm—SB Family members of Anne Nichols, living and deceased.
6:00 pm—SJB People of the Parish

Sunday, July 1

7:15 a.m.—SB People of the Parish
9:30 a.m.—SJB People of the Parish

MASS INTENTIONS

Mass Request forms are available at the back of the church. The completed form can be placed in the collection along with your stipend. The usual stipend is \$10.00 or more.

thepaintedchurchhawaii.org

Our website is growing, thanks to webmaster, Ariel Hadap. You can get a look at our Sunday bulletin or past bulletins. You can read about the history of the Painted Church. Pictures are posted there from special events.



Also, our parish can receive donations at our website by credit or debit card via the PayPal icon on the home page. Please, spread the word!

<<<< IMPORTANT >>>> ANNOUNCEMENTS AND UPCOMING EVENTS

- ◆ **05/21/2018** Father Ornoldo is enjoying his annual vacation. He will return in late June. If you have a need for a priest, please call St. Michael's. Their number is 326-7771.
- ◆ **07/13—07/15** Hawaii Catholic Charismatic Renewal Services, 40th Annual Regional Conference to be held at Catholic Charities Hawaii in Honolulu.
- ◆ **8/18/2018** Hawaii Island Faith Formation Conference to be held at St. Joseph Jr. & Sr. High School in Hilo. Registration begins six weeks before the conference.
- ◆ **10/05—10/07/2018** Damien and Marianne Catholic Conference at Hawaii Convention Center. Discounted tickets for groups. For more info, requests or questions, please call (808) 625-3622.

SERVICE

CHURCH CLEANING MINISTRY

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ST. BENEDICT GIFT SHOP

Thank you to everyone who has contributed fruit to our hale for visitors. We are always in need of more! If you need help picking or delivering just call the office. We will send someone!

Volunteers are needed to greet visitors at the gift shop. This is not to mean "selling". The visitors always appreciate someone to talk story with. No time limit, no specific hours, just check in with the office, please.

PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION NEXT WEEK

Be a witness of charity. Please support the works of the Holy Father through the Peter's Pence Collection. Please use the envelope in this bulletin. Your generosity will be greatly appreciated.

PREPARE TO VOLUNTEER, PLEASE!

We will soon bring back the (Saturday) St. Benedict Helping Hands. Many things need attention on the Painted Church grounds. Please offer to help out!!



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MISSION CHURCH:
ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST
Kealakekua

WEEKEND MASSES
St. Benedict, Honaunau
Saturday 4:00 p.m.
Sunday 7:15 a.m.
St. John the Baptist
Kealakekua
Saturday 6:00 p.m.
Sunday 9:30 a.m.

WEEKDAY MASSES
St. Benedict, Honaunau
7:00 a.m. Tues., Thurs. & Friday
St. John the Baptist
Kealakekua
7:00 a.m. Wednesday

PASTOR
Rev. Ornoldo Cherrez

DEACON
Craig Camello

BUSINESS MANAGER
Susan Keen

OFFICE STAFF
Penny Burgess

GROUNDS & MAINTENANCE
Peter Estoy

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
Edwina Fujimoto

YOUTH & YOUNG ADULT
Edwina Fujimoto

RCIA
Marjorie Fujimoto

MUSIC DIRECTOR
Ariel Hadap

St. Benedict Catholic Church

Sunday, June 24, 2018

The Nativity of St. John the Baptist



Today is the Solemnity of the Nativity of St. John the Baptist (the Feast Day of the birth of John the Baptist). To say John the Baptist and Jesus were closely related and connected is an understatement.

Both were foretold by prophets, especially Isaiah. The only

record of the birth of John the Baptist appears in the Gospel of Luke and it is at the heart of our Gospel Reading today. A key player in this event is, of course, John the Baptist's father Zechariah. Zechariah was a Jewish priest, but when the Archangel Gabriel revealed to him that he would father a child, Zechariah refused to believe it. As a result he was rendered speechless until John was born.

Zechariah had total trust in the Lord, however. Although it was traditional at that time to name the first son after the father, he and Elizabeth had been told that they were to name him John. As reported in the Gospel, Elizabeth said "He will be called John." The family protested at which time Zechariah wrote "His name is John." When he did that, Zechariah could speak once more. He did not say "should be"; he said "is."

The trust shown by Zechariah is an example to us that we must trust in God, not just when it is convenient, but all the time. Those of advanced generations know who Lawrence Welk was. Born and raised Catholic, Welk practiced his faith throughout his life. He once said, "Never trust anyone completely but God. Love people, but put your full trust only in God."

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — I will make you a light to the nations (Isaiah 49:1-6).

Psalm — I praise you for I am wonderfully made. (Psalm 139).

Second Reading — John heralded his coming by proclaiming a baptism of repentance (Acts 13:22-26).

Gospel — John is his name (Luke 1:57-66, 80).

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OFFICE HOURS: Open Monday Noon to 4:30, Tuesday & Thursday 9 a.m.—4:30, Wednesday & Friday 8:00 a.m.—12:30 p.m.

The office is closed on holidays and weekends.

BULLETIN: Articles and photos (with caption) for the bulletin must be emailed to sstbenedicts@twc.com **Submission deadline: TUESDAY at 5:00pm.**

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Week Ending June 18, 2018

St. Benedict Weekly Offering	\$ 959.00
St. John Weekly Offering	\$1,026.00
Total Offering	\$1,985.00
Other Parish Income Fruit, Visitors, County of Hawaii Donations, Gift Shop	\$1,526.93
Total Parish General Income	\$3,511.93
Weekly Collection Needed for Operating Costs	\$3,935.58
Difference	-\$423.65



Please pray for healing and strength: Melia Astronomo Marcos, Gemma Hadap, Bobbie Navas, Eddie Navas, Deborah Tom, Daniel Dela Cruz, Elsie Tom, Mervyn Burns, Wilson Rodrigo, Ramona Ciriaco, Tony Dias, Theresa Flemming.

Call the office to add your loved one or yourself to the list of those needing prayer. God answers!

EUCHARIST TO HOMEBOUND

OR HOSPITALIZED: Call the office to make arrangements for a visit from a priest or an Extraordinary Minister.

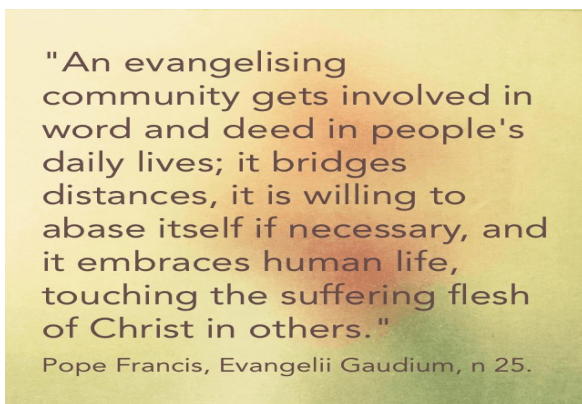
WEDDINGS AND FUNERALS: For the Sacrament of Matrimony, contact the church directly for information on the documentation that needs to be submitted in order for the process to begin. When planning a funeral, please call the parish office before making arrangements with a funeral director.



HOSPITALITY

ALOHA AND WELCOME HOME

We pray that you enjoy celebrating with us this weekend. Whether you are new to the community or live here, know that you are invited to join our Parish family. You may register with us by dropping in or calling our Parish Office during the week at (808) 328-2227, or you may pick up a registration form at the entry of the church. If you are here for a short time, we hope you enjoyed your visit with us and consider this your "home away from home".



NEED TO BE SPIRITUALLY REFRESHED?

Father Ornelo hears Confessions at both St. Benedict and St. John, twenty minutes before all four weekend Masses.

"Confession heals, confession justifies, confession grants pardon of sin, all hope consists in confession; in confession there is a chance for mercy."

-St. Isidore of Seville



PRAYER

DEVOTION TO OUR BLESSED MOTHER

As a spiritual devotion to Mary, our Blessed Mother and the Patron Saint of the U.S., the Rosary and the Litany of the Blessed Virgin Mary are prayed at approximately 40 minutes before all weekend Masses at St. Benedict's and St. John's. Please join us in praying this powerful prayer to our Mother, who intercedes for us.

SERVICE

JUST FIVE DAYS

Please continue to pray for our Young Men going on mission with Just 5 Days. They will be ministering along with middle schoolers from Our Lady of Good Council Pearl City and St. Denis Parish Menlo Park California. Each group working among the needy whether it be the street people of Kakaako, the elderly in Kalihi Valley or helping at the Heeia, Kaha-luu or Moli Fish Ponds will be an experience that will help launch a passion to uphold the Catholic Social Teachings. Team Leader Edwina Fujimoto, Adult Leader Chaperone Damon Ogata with team members Abraham Ogata, Santiago Lara Romo, Tanner Gifford, Kodyy Rei Gifford and Dominic Ono La-Marco will be on Mission from June 25th-29th.



In the same way, let your light shine before men, that they may see your good deeds and praise your Father in heaven. Matthew 5:16

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FORMATION

HAWAII CATHOLIC CHARISMATIC RENEWAL SERVICES 40TH ANNUAL CHARISMATIC CONFERENCE

July 13-15, 2018 at Catholic Charities Hawaii, 1822 Ke'eaumoku Street in Honolulu.

An anointed weekend awaits you. Each day, the HOLY SPIRIT will touch you in a unique way: On Friday, you will experience a Night of Healing. On Saturday, you will be transformed during the Day of Empowerment. And on Sunday, the charisms will be sealed with the Day of Missioning.

Early registration by June 30th is \$40 plus optional Saturday meal plan \$10. Regular registration (from July 1st to July 12th) is \$50. Students \$20.

For more information, please call or text 808.781.9254 or email chariscenter.hccrs@gmail.com

"Ask the MASTER of the harvest to send out laborers for HIS harvest" (Luke 10:2)

DEACON'S CORNER -Craig Camello-

CANNOT MARRY IN THE CATHOLIC CHURCH DUE TO A PRIOR MARRIAGE?

Pope Francis recently streamlined the process to petition for a declaration of nullity to make the process shorter. He also eliminated the mandatory fee. If a person is able to prove in this process that their prior marital bond was invalid for some reason, then he or she can marry in the Catholic Church or validate a current civil marriage.

For assistance in petitioning, you can contact Dcn. Craig Camello at (808) 328-2227 or ccamello@rcchawaii.org

COMING WEEK AT A GLANCE / PARISH CALENDAR						
MON 6/25	TUES 6/26	WED 6/27	THUR 6/28	FRI 6/29	SAT 6/30	SUN 7/01
No Mass <i>Pastor's Day Off</i>	7:00 a.m. Communion Service St. Benedict	7:00 a.m. Communion Service St. John	7:00 a.m. Communion Service 9:00 a.m. Seniors Meet, St. Benedict 7:00 p.m. Prayer Group St. John	7:00 a.m. Mass St. Benedict	4:00 p.m. Mass St. Benedict 6:00 p.m. Mass—St. John Mission	7:15 a.m. Mass St. Benedict 9:30 a.m. Mass St. John