

# St. Benedict Parish

## St. John the Baptist Mission Church

Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

November 8-9, 2025

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### WEEKEND MASSES

**\*St. Benedict Church**  
Saturday 4:00 p.m.  
Sunday 8:00 a.m.

**Second Sunday Hawaiian**  
Mass 8:00 a.m.

**\*St. John the Baptist**

Saturday 6:00 p.m.  
Sunday 10:00 a.m.

**3rd Sunday Pohnpei Choir**

St Benedict

7:00 a.m. Tuesday- Friday

**PASTOR /Administrator**

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**Rev. William**

**Quiamjot (kee-yam-hot)**

**WEEKDAY MASSES**

St. Benedict Honaunau 7:00 a.m.  
Tuesday through Friday

**Confession at St. Benedict**

**Saturday 10AM-12:00 Noon**

### BUSINESS MANAGER

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A church is a general term for a Christian place of worship, while a basilica is a church granted a special honorific status by the Pope for its historical, spiritual, or architectural significance. A basilica is therefore a type of church, not a separate category, and is often a major pilgrimage site or center of worship.

**“Omnium urbis et orbis Ecclesiarum Mater et Caput. The Mother of all the Churches of Rome and of the world”** . Thus is known the **Papal Archbasilica of San Giovanni in Laterano** , the cathedral church of Rome and the official ecclesiastical seat of the Bishop, the Pope .



### GOOD NEWS FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

Singing together during the distribution of holy Communion is one way of expressing the reality that we are one in the Eucharist, the Body of Christ. I once was taught to pray quietly during this time. If I'm honest, however, what I find myself doing after I return to my pew is watching others process past as they return from receiving Communion. They are a parade of holiness on the way. They are the longtime parishioners who have been making their way back to their pews in this way for decades— some now using walkers or canes, others with a bit of a slow hobble. There are teenagers, too. Some, from the expressions on their faces, look like their parents made them come, while others look impressively prayerful. Young parents, too, caring for a new baby in their arms, and another couple holding a two-year-old's hand as he tugs to escape and be free. And middle-aged single people, now halfway through this life's journey. Young couples, as well, those just married or engaged and so obviously in love, but also widows and widowers longing for the love they once knew. All of these are the body of Christ, the very temple of God built upon the foundation that is Christ Jesus, as Paul notes so well. This is why I watch them processing back to their pews. This, too, is prayer.

**Processional: #767 Let us Go to the Altar**

**Mass Setting: #185 including Eat This Bread**

**Psalm: # 1044 The waters of the river\_\_gladden the City of God, the holy Dwelling of the Most High .**

**Presentation of Gifts: #698 Fly Like a Bird**

**Communion: #551 How Lovely is your Dwelling Place**

**Recessional: #827 Alleluia Raise the Gospel**

## We Are God's Living Temples

The anniversary of the dedication of the Basilica of St. John Lateran – the cathedral church of the Pope in Rome – is an invitation to show our love for the Holy Father and renew our union with him. It is also an opportunity to reawaken our awareness that God's temple is not just the place of worship made of stones and cement, but especially the community of believers who are the "living stones" that constitute it. Today, therefore, is also the feast of our parish community, God's family and living temple in this area. At no other time is this reality more obvious than when we gather to celebrate the Eucharist. Let us be aware of this wonderful reality of which we are a part. With all our hearts, let us worship the Lord in unison with all those who share our faith and hope, especially those who are suffering in whatever way.

**1<sup>st</sup> Reading from the Book of the Prophet Ezekiel 47:1-2, 8-9,12** The prophet Ezekiel had a heartwarming vision of streams of water, which were flowing from the Temple and quickened to life even the deadest of the seas. This life-giving water symbolizes divine grace which flows from the sacramental life of the Church, God's living temple.

**2<sup>nd</sup> Reading from the First Letter of Paul to the Corinthians 3:9-13.16-17** The community of believers which St. Paul had founded in Corinth was plagued by factionalism and different forms of perversion. In his first letter to them, the Apostle reminds them and us that every Christian community is a living temple of God. No one should destroy its unity and holiness through irresponsible behavior.

### Gospel John 2: 13-22

The expulsion of the traders from the temple area, as reported in today's Gospel passage, reveals the very high regard Jesus had for the sacredness of the house of prayer. This is an ever-timely reminder to all those who behave disrespectfully in it or promote church activities mostly for material gain.

**MONDAY** November 10  
St. Leo the Great, Pope and  
Doctor of the Church  
Wis 1:1-7 Lk 17:1-6  
**TUESDAY** November 11  
St. Martin of Tours, Bishop  
Wis 2:23-3:9 Lk 17:7-10  
**WEDNESDAY** Nov. 12  
St. Josaphat, Bishop and  
Martyr Wis 6:1-11  
Lk 17:11-19  
**THURSDAY** November 13  
St. Frances Xavier Cabrini,  
Virgin Wis 7:22b-8:1  
Lk 17:20-25

**FRIDAY** November 14  
Weekday Wis 13:1-9 Lk  
17:26-37  
**SATURDAY** November 15  
Weekday Wis 18:14-16;  
19:6-9 Lk 18:1-8  
**SUNDAY** November 16  
Thirty-third Sunday in  
Ordinary Time Mal 3:19-  
20a 2 Thes 3:7-12 Lk  
21:5-19



### Mass intentions November 8-9 2025

#### SAT

**4:00 PM** Geraydo L. Maghandy (Family love & Unity)

**6:00 PM** Mark Rhoads (Health)

#### SUN

**8:00 AM** +Rosauro Alix Toledo

**10:00 AM** For those feeling lost & afraid

### Stewardship of Treasure

Thank you for your generosity!

**8:00 Mass is not in this total. It will be in next week's Total**

**Week of Nov. 1-2, 2025**

**\$ 2199.00** Collection  
**195.00** All Souls Day  
**55.00** Mission  
**55.00** Maintenance  
**205.00** Food Pantry  
**\$ 2804.00** Total

#### Attendance

<b>St. Benedict</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>St. John</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>12</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>15</b>

Thank you to those using the convenient online forms of donation. Your donations are not included in these weekly totals and are counted at a later date.

### FOR STRENGTH AND HEALING, FAITHFULLY WE ASK, HEAR OUR PRAYERS...

\*Craig Camello \*Pam Shultise  
\*Merla Kline \*Paul Ruskey \*Susan Keen  
\*Carla Vonderahe \*Mahina Kaupiko  
\*John Sanchis \*Kamala Galletes  
\*Hank Silva Deb Reed \*Miriam Janczak  
\*Joevelyn Delas Reyes \*Kathy Wood  
\*Gloria Grapa \*A Friend \*Gwen Menchaca  
\*William Anderson \*Elizabeth Aw  
\*May Dancel \*Johnny Koene

### A WORD FROM POPE LEO XIV

Because of the Jewish roots of Christianity, all Christians have a special relationship with Judaism.... The theological dialogue between Christians and Jews remains ever important and close to my heart. Even in these difficult times, marked by conflicts and misunderstandings, it is necessary to continue the momentum of this precious dialogue of ours. ADDRESS, ROME, MAY 19, 2025



## Dear Padre,

Should the pope get involved in American politics?

No, the pope should not get involved in the politics of any country. However, politics often intersects with religious concerns and particularly gospel values. When this occurs, the Holy Father has a responsibility to preach the gospel and defend the values the gospel teaches, even when it might sound political. He pronounces and teaches the values of the gospel, regardless of what nation or politician might feel confronted or challenged by what he teaches. What often happens is, when politicians find themselves in conflict with the gospel values the pope is teaching, they choose to say, “The pope has no business in our politics,” instead of listening. Completely understandable, at least from one perspective, but probably also disingenuous from another perspective. Politicians are fully aware of what is being proclaimed and why it is being proclaimed but choose not to listen. That, too, is completely understandable, if regrettable. One has to think only of the scribes and the Pharisees, and more particularly the high priest, who said, “Consider that it is better for you that one man should die instead of the people, so that the whole nation may not perish” (John 11:50). ● Fr. Thomas M. Santa, CSSR / DearPadre.org Printed with permission by Liguori Press

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Thank you, Father Clyde for presiding and celebrating with us again today.

**(St. Benedict Church)** members, will bring the beautiful image of Mary weekly for November to their home. There were 2 weeks yet to be reserved. The Greeter has the sign up sheet.

**NOV 24, Monday, 6:30, A General Assembly** for the Pastoral Visit of our Vicar Forane, Fr. Lio. This date may change pending Fr. William’s return.

**Due to the uncertainty of travel from the Phillipines**, our Pastor has asked me to invite a guest priest for Mass next weekend. Fr. Clyde has another commitment so I have given the request to Fr. Lio.

**THE ST. BENEDICT T-SHIRTS WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE AFTER EVERY MASS THIS WEEKEND.** T- Shirts sell for \$20, S,M,L, XLG and \$25 for XXL.

This will be the last weekend shirts will be sold after Mass, so be sure you get yours. All proceeds go to the Parking Lot Fund.

- **Looking ahead**

**Nov. 27 St. Benedict Church 8:00 am Thanksgiving Day Mass**

**November 29 &30 First Sunday of Advent**

**BULLETINS with announcements are posted at [www.thepaintedchurchhawaii.org](http://www.thepaintedchurchhawaii.org)**

## The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica



### Treasure Hunt

[*John 2:13-22, Ezekiel 47:1-2, 8-9, & 12, and 1 Corinthians 3:9-11 & 16-17*]

1. **What** made Jesus furious when he went to the Temple of Jerusalem to commemorate the upcoming Passover?
2. **What** did Jesus use to drive the money-changers and animals out of the temple?
3. When the Jews questioned Jesus' angry actions, **what** did He predict to them would happen?
4. **Why** were the disciples the only ones to 'connect' what Jesus had said in His "mysterious prediction" to the Jews?
5. In the *Book of Ezekiel*, what is **miraculous** about the water that flows from the temple toward the East?
6. According to St. Paul, **who** is the temple of God and **who** is the foundation of this temple?

### Answers to Last Week's Treasure Hunt

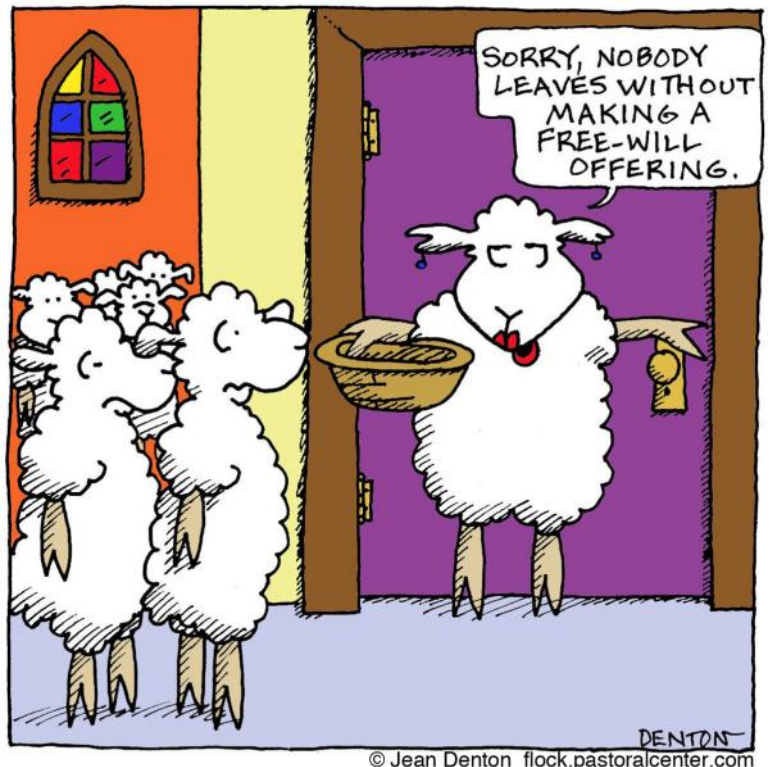
#### The Commemoration of all the Faithful Departed

-1- God the Father; -2- that Jesus "should not let go of anything of what He (God) gave me;" -3- to give those who see and believe in Him eternal life and to raise them up on the last day; -4- T (true); -5- live; **BONUS**: pray, baptized, Purgatory.

Treasure Hunt is created by Georgia Goasf, a member of St. John and St. Benedict and is printed with her permission.

DEAR VISITOR TO ST. BENEDICT CATHOLIC CHURCH,  
ALOHA! THANK YOU FOR VISITING US TODAY!

WE WISH YOU A BEAUTIFUL EXPERIENCE AND THAT YOU LEAVE ST. BENEDICT'S, TODAY, REFRESHED IN SPIRIT AND WITH PEACE IN YOUR HEART! SINCE THE EARLY DAYS OF THE CHURCH, IT HAS BEEN A CATHOLIC TRADITION TO OFFER A "MASS INTENTION". THIS IS A WAY OF REMEMBERING A PERSON AND LIFTING THEM UP IN PRAYER. YOU MAY ASK THE GREETER FOR A FORM AND ENVELOPE.



"Stop making my Father's house a marketplace!"

### Sheepish Question:

When have I been less than faithful in carrying out the purposes of God's church?



St. Benedict Catholic Church