

5th Sunday of Easter

May 2 & 3, 2015

Parish Facility Use Schedule

Monday, May 4

9:00-11:30am	Outreach	Center
10:00am	PC Nursing Home Mass	Offsite
6:00-9:00pm	YAFM	Mtg. Rm
7:00pm	Baptism Class	Center

Tuesday, May 5

6:00-9:00pm	RCIA	Center
6:30-9:00pm	Confirmation Rehearsal	PC
7:00-9:00pm	Samoa Choir	Mtg. Rm

Wednesday, May 6

1:30-2:30pm	Drum Class	Mtg. Rm
6:00-7:00pm	Y & YA Choir	Mtg. Rm
6:30-9:00pm	Charismatic Prayer Grp.	PC
7:00-9:00pm	Youth Grp.	Mtg. Rm

Thursday, May 7

8:15am	School Mass	PC
9:00-11:30am	Outreach	Center
4:30-9:00pm	Confirmation Mass	Church
6:00-9:00pm	Confirmation Reception	Center
6:30-7:30pm	Neocatechumenal Way	Mtg. Rm

Friday, May 8

9:00-10:00am	Xavier Club	Center
10:15am	School Rosary	PC
6:30-8:30pm	Boy Scouts	Center

Saturday, May 9

8:30-9:30am	Fellowship Comm Mtg.	Center
9:00-10:00am	Children's Choir	Mtg. Rm
12:00-2:00pm	PABS	Mtg. Rm
6:00-9:00pm	YAFM Bible Study	Center
7:00-9:00pm	Samoa Choir	PC

Sunday, May 10

9:30-10:30am	RCIA	Center
12:15pm	Baptism	PC

Mass Intentions

Saturday, May 2

7:00am: For the eternal repose of the soul of Teresa Wong

5:00pm: For the eternal repose of the souls of Betty Ann Lopez, Bonifacio Garalde

Sunday, May 3

6:30am: For the eternal repose of the souls of Teresa Wong, Catherine Marie Monica Carreira, Aukusitimo Fili Afoa

8:30am: Blessing & healing for Reyn Kishida, Blessings for Ruskin Bond Cristobal

11:00am: *For the parishioners of Our Lady of Good Counsel*

5:00pm: Blessings & healing for Lawrence Tabiolo

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For the eternal repose of the soul of Jose Pamplona

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Thursday, May 7

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Friday, May 8

Pro-Life Reflection

They stood still, their faces filled with sadness

~Lk 24:17

Reflection: On the first Easter Sunday afternoon, the two disciples walking on the road to Emmaus failed to recognize Jesus when He started walking with them. Perhaps it was because they were so disheartened. Often we are too absorbed in our own disappointment to see that hope is right in front of us. For many who are pregnant, despair and fear can lead to the violence of abortion.

Prayer: Lord, I pray for all whose sadness tempts them to abortion. Give me the courage to reveal Your loving presence to them..

Holy Father's Prayer Intention For May 2015



Universal Intention: That rejecting the culture of indifference, we may care for our neighbors who suffer especially the sick and the poor.

Intention for Evangelization: That Mary's intercession may help Christians in secularized cultures be ready to proclaim Jesus.



Acts 9:26-31

Psalm 22

1 John 3:18-24

John 15:1-8

Today's reading all fit together quite well. In the Gospel, we hear Jesus proclaim that he is the vine and we are the branches, if we remain in him we will bear much fruit. Our first reading from the Acts of the Apostles describes how Saint Paul, newly grafted onto the vine, is beginning to bear fruit. And the second reading tells us how to remain on the vine: believe in the name of Jesus Christ and love one

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Barnabas reported to the Apostles how Saul had seen the Lord on the way..

"I will praise you, Lord, in the assembly of your people."

We should believe in the name of Jesus Chris and love One another.

"I am the vine, you are the branches/"

6th Sunday of Easter

May 9 & 10, 2015

Acts, 10:25-26, 34-35,44-48

Psalm 98

1 John 4:7-10

John 15:9-17

A FINANCIAL GUIDE FOR TITHERS

For those striving to tithe, the following guide will be helpful

ANNUAL	WEEKLY		MONTHLY		QUARTERLY		ANNUALLY	
Income	10%	5%	10%	5%	10%	5%	10%	5%
\$10,000	\$19.23	\$ 9.61	\$83.33	\$41.66	\$250.00	\$125.00	\$1000.00	\$500.00
\$15,000	\$28.84	\$14.42	\$125.00	\$62.50	\$375.00	\$187.50	\$1500.00	\$750.00
\$20,000	\$38.46	\$19.23	\$166.66	\$83.33	\$500.00	\$250.00	\$2000.00	\$1000.00
\$25,000	\$48.07	\$24.03	\$208.33	\$104.16	\$625.00	\$312.50	\$2500.00	\$1250.00
\$30,000	\$57.69	\$28.84	\$250.00	\$125.00	\$750.00	\$375.00	\$3,000.00	\$1500.00
\$40,000	\$76.92	\$38.46	\$333.33	\$166.66	\$1000.00	\$500.00	\$4000.00	\$2000.00
\$50,000	\$96.15	\$48.07	\$416.66	\$208.33	\$1250.00	\$625.00	\$5000.00	\$2500.00
\$60,000	\$115.38	\$57.69	\$500.00	\$250.00	\$1500.00	\$750.00	\$6000.00	\$3000.00
\$70,000	\$134.62	\$67.31	\$583.33	\$291.66	\$1750.00	\$875.00	\$7000.00	\$3500.00
\$80,000	\$153.85	\$76.92	\$666.67	\$333.33	\$2000.00	\$1000.00	\$8000.00	\$4000.00
\$90,000	\$173.08	\$86.54	\$750.00	\$375.00	\$2250.00	\$1125.00	\$9000.00	\$4500.00
\$100,000	\$192.31	\$96.15	\$833.33	\$416.66	\$2500.00	\$1250.00	\$10000.00	\$5000.00
\$125,000	\$240.38	\$120.19	\$1041.67	\$520.33	\$3125.00	\$1562.50	\$12500.00	\$6250.00

Stewardship Report

*You can gift wrap your tithe in a personalized envelope!
Please contact our Parish Office for details.*

General Operating Fund

July 1, 2014 - June 30, 2015 \$ 766,650.00

Weekly goal \$ 14,750.00

Collection for: April 25 & 26, 2015 \$ 11,459.41

Tithing from collection envelopes: \$ 7,694.00

Loose Collections: \$ 3,765.41

Year to date budget: \$ 634,250.00

Year to date receipts: \$ 619,747.97

Difference: \$ (14,502.03)

of Tithing Envelopes Received: 270

Building Fund

Building Fund Balance \$ 400,980.02

Collection for April 25 & 26, 2015 \$ 637.25

Building Fund Expense \$ (32,243.92)

Phase III Construction Goal: \$ 3,000,000.00

Amount to Goal: \$ (2,599,019.98)

Church Maintenance Fund

Current Church Maintenance Balance \$ 147,328.22

Collection for: April 25 & 26, 2015 \$ 345.00

Second Collections

Operation Rice Bowl \$ 145.68

Thank you for your generosity! - Fr. Pascual

Remember us in your will!!!

Our Lady of Good Counsel is extremely grateful to those individuals who have made, or have expressed an intention to make a gift to our future ministries in their will. Such a gift is among the most far reaching and valuable contributions a parishioner can make, directly benefitting the future mission and ministries of our parish and school. If you are considering leaving your gift as a will or bequest to the parish and would like additional information, please contact our office at (808) 455-3015.

What?! It's Still Eastertime?!

By Kristina M. DeNeve
Adult Faith Formation Coordinator
Diocese of Honolulu

I know it's been a month ago already, but we are still celebrating the Easter season. Indeed, so important is Jesus' death and resurrection that every Sunday Mass for the entire year is a "little Easter," time set aside to reflect and think about this mystery of all mysteries. It's not surprising then, that Eastertime lasts for a full 50 days!

Today's Gospel of the vine and branches ties us (literally!) to the Resurrection event. God is vine and you and I are branches. We literally do not exist if we are cut off from the nourishment of the vine that is Jesus. Similarly, what happens to the vine impacts us, little, offshooting branch that we are.

Connect this metaphor with the reality of the Resurrection and the message becomes shocking. Jesus, the vine, died. We are branch so we too withered and died (at our baptism). Three days later, Jesus the vine was again alive, yet transformed and different from before. We, baptized Christian branches, we too are to become transformed and different. Today and tomorrow and the next day and...

Christian Prevention and Relationship Enhancement Program 2015

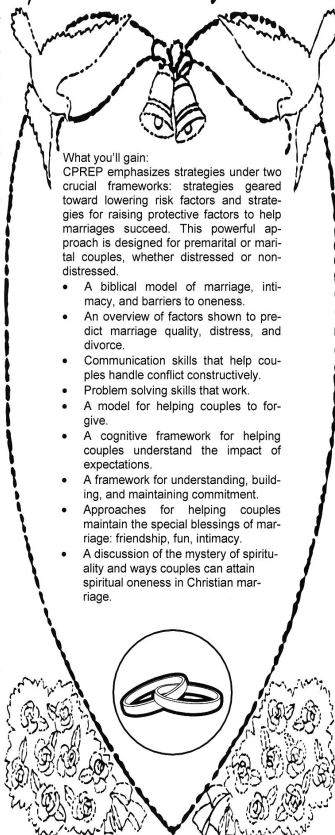
Based on research at the University of Denver started in 1980, the CPREP Approach is a program designed by experts to help couples build lasting, loving relationships and prevent divorce. The clinically tested techniques are for any couple—from the nearly engaged to the long-time partners—who want to solve problems or prevent them from happening. It's for people who want to improve their marital communications.

The 6-classes/12 hour program will be held on the following SATURDAYS from 2 to 4 pm:

- Feb/Mar: Feb 28, Mar 7, 14, 21, 28, April 4
- June/July: June 6, 13, 20, 27, July 4, 11
- Oct/Nov: Oct 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, Nov 7

All sessions are held at Our Lady Good Counsel Parish Center. Cost is \$20 for the Manual and material. Participants need to attend 6 classes for completion of the program. We welcome anyone from other Catholic & Christian churches.

Sessions are presented by Deacon Tom Miyashiro and Mike & Doris Lee. Call Our Lady of Good Counsel Parish Office at 455-3012 to register. Space may be limited.



What you'll gain:

- CPREP emphasizes strategies under two crucial frameworks: strategies geared toward lowering risk factors and strategies for raising protective factors to help marriages succeed. This powerful approach is designed for premarital or marital couples, whether distressed or non-distressed.
- A biblical model of marriage, intimacy, and barriers to oneness.
- An overview of factors shown to predict marriage quality, distress, and divorce.
- Communication skills that help couples handle conflict constructively.
- Problem solving skills that work.
- A model for helping couples to forgive.
- A cognitive framework for helping couples understand the impact of expectations.
- A framework for understanding, building, and maintaining commitment.
- Approaches for helping couples maintain the special blessings of marriage: friendship, fun, intimacy.
- A discussion of the mystery of spirituality and ways couples can attain spiritual oneness in Christian marriage.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter



Looking to reignite your love for each other the way it was when you were first married.

Go on a **Marriage Encounter Weekend** away from daily distractions, and reconnect with each other. Think of it as the ultimate date. It is the **greatest gift** you can give to

each other. Show your spouse how much you truly love them.

Sign up today!

An Encounter Weekend makes a good Marriage a great Marriage.

Upcoming date for 2015: September 4-6, 2015 - Oahu

For more information, contact Jose & Mary Elizabeth Alvior @ (808) 391-2045 or visit our website at www.hawaiiwme.org. Registration deadline 30 days from start of the weekend.

Respect Life: Natural Family Planning

Are those special feeling and interactions with your spouse becoming routine? Learn how to really communicate and revitalize those feelings by attending a Natural Family Planning Course. Taught by certified couples, the course begins on Wednesday, May 13, at 7:00pm, location near OLG

Course fee:

\$140.00 plus shipping per couple;

(Scholarships and childcare are available for those in need)

To register: Go to Couple to Couple League Website

<http://www.ccli.org/> and select the "register on-line" tab.

For additional information contact:

Ed and Betty Coda, instructors

- 808-839-0837
- 808-258-6688
- CODAFAM@aol.com

DEATH ANNIVERSARIES

May 2

Brandon Ching 1997
Tom Urpanil, Sr. 2000
Federico Pascua Regidor 2004

May 3

Elsie Amy AhNee 1983
Romina Gonsalves Torres 1992
Mabel Masako Lee 1996
Elloreen Lin Bingo 2003
Jose Companiano Salvatierra 2004

May 4

William Popelack 1977
Mary Farrell 1979
Esperidiona DeJesus Galicia 1990
Maria Javar Jaramilla 1990
Norman Ahakuelo 2003
Francis Kido 2003
Moises Rivera 2006

May 5

Valelia Salanda 1966
Manuel Rapoza 1977
John Peter Lopes, V 1980
Frank Lopes 1981
Zenaida Domingo 1983

May 5 cont'd

Thomas Pai Young, Sr. 1984
Annie Texeira Meyer 1991
Joseph Severin Correia 1993
Jose Pamplona 2010
France Nowak Gwaltney 2013
Paul Richard Perreira 2014

May 6

Michael Niemitz 1961
Earl Lucas 1962
Antone Martin 1962
Cherilyn Helene Luke 2002

May 7

Peter Kalua 1960
Nicholas Cavallo, Sr. 1965
Florence Kam Souza 1967
Simon Pascua, Sr. 1996
Ernest Medeiros 2010
Cynthia Gorospe Agas 2011

May 8

Kojak Porter 1995
Randy Suyat Agno 2009
Leocadia Lee 2010
Doris Kikue Segawa 2014



A SPECIAL PRE-MOTHER'S DAY CELEBRATION

*Inviting All Mothers to a
Morning Mini-Retreat*

The Sisters would like to offer this morning as a Mother's Day gift, inviting you to take a little time aside to rest in the Lord and get rejuvenated for continuing in the beautiful vocation of motherhood. The morning will include scripture reflections, music, and movie clips.

Guided by Sr. Joane Caritas, fsp

Saturday May 9, 2015

10:00 am- 12:30 pm

- * 10:00 Meet and Greet/Introduction
- * 10:15 – 10:45 Spend some time listening and enjoying the silence as you plunge into the deep experience of God's Word.
- * Break
- * 11:00 – 11:30 Movie clip and Communal Sharing
-A Sacred Space of sharing your beautiful vocation as a mother with all the joys & challenges
- * Break
- * 12:00 – 12:30 Conclude with Praise and Thanksgiving with Adoration before the Eucharistic Lord

Event will be held in Conference Room:

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