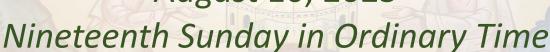


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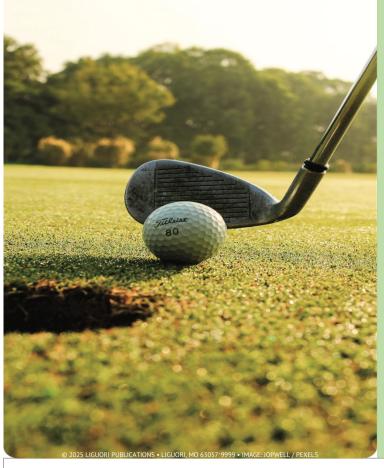






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"For where your treasure is,
there also will your heart be."

LUKE 12:34



MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKDAY

Monday – Friday 7:00 a.m. & noon

WEEKEND

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 7:00 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m., & 6:00 p.m.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Fridays after 7:00 a.m. mass until 11:45 a.m.

RECONCILIATION

Fridays: 10:15—11:30 a.m. Saturdays: 3:00—4:15 p.m.

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First Fridays: 5:30—7:00 p.m. First Saturdays: 11:00 a.m.—12:30 p.m.

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SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION

Anointing of the Sick and Funerals: Please call parish office.

Infant Baptism: Parents are required to meet with Father before scheduling a baptism. Please call the office or send email to request a registration form. (For adults, call and leave a message for RCIA coordinator, 808-941-0675 ext. 25)

Marriage: The proper and required prep for Marriage is extensive. Please talk to a priest or deacon at least 6-months prior before setting a date.

Father Khanh Hoang, Temporary Administrator
Father Gregorio Honorio Jr, Assisting Clergy
Dcn. Joel Narusawa

Good News!

August 10, 2025

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (C)

Wisdom 18:6-9 / Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-19, or 11:1-2, 8-12 / Luke 12:32-48 or 12: 35-40

Life is a Game of Golf

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

When the British colonized India, they brought with them the game of golf. A worse hazard than sand traps turned out to be monkeys. Wherever the ball landed, a monkey would run onto the fairway, pick it up, and drop it somewhere else—from the fairway into the rough, out of a sand trap onto the green, from the green back onto the fairway. The Brits tried everything to keep the monkeys off the course—fences, sirens, booming noises. Nothing worked. In the end, they ended up changing the rule book: play the ball where the monkey drops it.

The scriptures today tell of people who lived with an openness to wherever it was that God would take them. They played the ball wherever the monkey dropped it. It is the story of the Hebrews enslaved in Egypt when they were about to be led out into a God-knew-where desert. It is the story of aged Abraham and Sarah, called to travel to an alien land and then into parenthood in their old age. Faith is not trusting that God will always take us to where we want to be; it is trusting that wherever it is that God takes us will ultimately bring us into fuller life. So, watch and be ready to recognize the coming of God. It may be in times of darkness for you (as when the master comes late at night, says Luke's Gospel) or when you find yourself in an "alien land," a place in life you've never been before. •

-Reflect-

What surprising places has God led me?

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SUNDAY

August 17 Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time Jer 38:4-6, 8-10 Heb 12:1-4 Lk 12:49-53



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LITURGY & PRAYER

Date		Intentions	Celebrant
Sat Aug 9	5:00 PM	Parishioners of Sts. Peter and Paul	Fr. James
Sunday Aug 10	7:00 AM	+ Ricardo Marcos Fr. Clement Beeri (Anniv) + Lucile Mistysyn + Yolanda Pruneda	Fr. Victor
	9:00 AM	+ Lora Maureen Pecor Raul Esperanza (SI) + Floyd Ichinose	Fr. Khanh H
	11:00 AM	Michi Kyler (H) Ichinose Family (SI) Jessica Mae Guillermo (SI) + Cely M. Ferrer	Fr. Alfred
	6:00 PM	+ Teresita Cabales + Fr. Khanh Pham-Nguyen Jayd King Doone Joseph (BD)	Fr. Leonard
Monday	7:00 AM	+ Floyd Ichinose Val Matsuda (SI)	Fr. Khanh H
Aug 11	12 NOON	+ Arnold Aguilar	Fr. Khanh H
Tuesday	7:00 AM	Ichinose Family (SI)	Fr. Greg
Aug 12	12 NOON	+ Arnold Aguilar	Fr. Greg
Wednesday Aug 13	7:00 AM	Jessica Guillermo (SI)	Fr. Khanh H
	12 NOON	+ Arnold Aguilar	Fr. Khanh H
Thursday Aug 14	7:00 AM	+ Bernarda DeGuzman	Fr. Khanh H
	12 NOON	Manlolo Family (SI)	Fr. Khanh H
Friday Aug 15	7:00 AM	+ Caesar & Julia Gonzalez Vigil	Fr. Greg
	12 NOON	Ka Kin Choi (H) Flora Switzer (SI)	Fr. Khanh H
Sat Aug 16	5:00 PM	Parishioners of Sts. Peter and Paul	Fr. James
Sunday Aug 17	7:00 AM	+ Floyd Ichinose Ichinose Family (SI) + Liberata Orallo + Fr. Khanh	Fr. Khanh H
	9:00 AM	Johnnie Mondragon (SI) + Henry Parenio Jr. + Fr. Khanh Pham-Nguyen	Fr. Greg
	11:00 AM	+ Diomediza & Felicisima Aguanta + Eberth Desiento + Arnold Aguilar	Fr. Khanh H
	6:00 PM	Evelyn Wardell (Th)	Fr. Victor

We pray for the repose of the soul of:

+ Fr. Khanh Pham-Nguyen

Funeral/Burial on Saturday, August 16, 2025



Holy Father's Prayer Intentions for August

For mutual coexistence

Let us pray that societies where coexistence seems more difficult might not succumb to the temptation of confrontation for ethnic, political, religious, or ideological reasons.

PRAYER LIST FOR THE SICK

We join together to pray for our brothers and sisters

James Alcon Filamor Alcon Peter Alosi Nickolas K.S. Au Arthur Cababa Leilani Cantiberos Kim Cervantes Alex Curtis Ekaterina Curtis P. Estella Tina Excabe Mark Felipe Rita Gaspar Tuna Hunkin Virginia Lee Ishida Victoria L. Jacinto Christoph Jucewicz Jack Jucewicz Alison H. Kunishige Lyudmila Kuritsina Michi Kyler Janet La Farciola Joan La Farciola Fr. Syd Fernandez

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Lord, help me to trust in You and not in the things of this world. Teach me to let go of fear and be ready to serve with love. Make me a faithful servant, using my time and gifts wisely. Keep my heart focused on You so that I may be ready when You call. Amen.

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE (August 11-17, 2025)

Monday: 6:30 pm—Charismatic Prayer Group

Tuesday: 6:30 pm—Young Adult Bible Study/Faith Sharing-Reception Rm

Wednesday: 1:00 pm—Legion of Mary-Reception Rm
3:30 pm—Centering Prayer-Reception Rm

6:00 pm—Knights of Columbus-Upstairs Conference Rm

6:00 pm—Parish Scripture Group Reception Rm (Resume Aug 20)

Friday: 7:30 am-11:50 am—Eucharistic Adoration-Church

10:15-11:30 am—Confession-Church

Saturday: 8:30 am—Visitation/Funeral(Fr Khanh Pham-Nguyen)-Church

12:00 noon—Wedding-Church

3:00-4:15 pm—Confession-Reception Rm

Sunday: 9:00-10:30 am—Adult Scripture Study-Upstairs Green Rm

10:15-11:45 am—Faith Formation Summer Session-Amana Building

12:30 pm—OCIA Summer-Reception Rm

STEWARDSHIP

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION



"For where your treasure is, there also will your heart be."

—Luke 12:34

Jesus encourages us to build up our treasure in heaven. The world encourages us to build up our treasure in real estate, investments, and material goods. How much time are you investing in building up a worldly treasure? How much time are you investing in building up a heavenly treasure? To invest more in the things of heaven, you must let go of some of the things of this world.

Mahalo to our Olakino Volunteers who helped pack and distribute produce to our community on Saturday. Your service to the households and members in our community is greatly appreciated.

Mahalo to all who contributed donations of nonperishable goods for the Catholic Care Bag Project. The Catholic Care Team will be packing the bags for our kupuna and families next week Friday, August 22, after the 7am Mass.

Have a rosary that's broken or missing beads? You may bring them into the Parish Office to have it repaired or donated (please put them in a ziplock bag).

- -If you'd like it returned, please label it with your name and contact information.
- -If you'd like to donate it, Nettie, a member from Legion of Mary, will lovingly repair and turn it into a blessing for someone else.

TREASURE

Mahalo for your generous donations and faithful Stewardship contributions.

Totals for August 2—3, 2025:

Sunday collection & Stewardship	\$8,768.51
Mass Intentions	600.00
Building Fund	350.00
Outreach	20.00
Olakino	20.00
Baptism	100.00
Kupuna	25.00
Centering Prayer	100.00
Memorial Mass/Fellowship-FrKhanh	2,690.00
Peter's Pence	30.00
Seminarian Fund	50.00
Op Rice Bowl	20.00
Catholic Charities	2,798.00
Capital Campaign	50.00
Candles	<u>599.50</u>
Total:	\$16,221.01



Online giving is also available on our parish website. It is secure, quick, and easy.
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The collection total for **July 28—August 1, 2025** online giving is: \$951.38

Stewardship	350.00
Mass Intention	140.00
Building Fund	20.00
Catholic Care Project	10.00
Olakino	100.00
Shaping the Future Campaign	130.00
Capital Campaign Phase 2	150.00
Giving Tuesday	50.00
Donation help offset fee	1.38

Funeral/Burial Service for Father Khanh Pham-Nguyen

from the Office of the Bishop

Saturday, August 16, 2025

at Sts. Peter and Paul Church (800 Kaheka St. Honolulu, HI 96814)

8:30 a.m—Visitation

9:30 a.m—Funeral Mass (Main Celebrant: Bishop Larry Silva)

11:30 a.m—Burial at Hawaiian Memorial (45-425 Kamehameha Hwy Kaneohe, HI 96744)





In Loving Memory of Fr. Khanh Pham-Nguyen

Rest in Peace



With heavy hearts and in deep sorrow, we share the news of the passing of our beloved Father Khanh Pham-Nguyen.

Father Khanh recently completed a meaningful and prayer-filled pilgrimage on the El Camino de Santiago, traveling from Portugal to Spain. Throughout his journey, he carried our parish in his heart and lifted us in prayer every step of the way.

Upon returning to the United States and while visiting his family in New Mexico, Father experienced unexpected health complications and was hospitalized. Early Sunday morning, July 27, 2025, he peacefully returned to the Lord.

Father Khanh's love for Christ, His Church, and Blessed Mother, was evident in the way he lived, served, and prayed. He was a spiritual father, a faithful shepherd, and a dear friend to many. We are grateful for his life, his ministry, and the grace he brought into our community.

Please continue to keep Father Khanh, his family, and all who mourn his passing in your prayers. May he rest in the eternal peace of Christ whom he served so faithfully.

Thank you all for your prayers, love, and support for Father Khanh through the years. Your faith and compassion truly reflect the heart of our community.



Lord, we entrust our beloved priest into your merciful hands, grateful for his life of service and faith. May he find eternal rest in Your presence, free from pain and sorrow, rejoicing in Your glory. Comfort those who mourn his passing, and inspire us to carry on his legacy of love and devotion.



Funeral Services Information

A Memorial Mass was held on August 1st at Sts. Peter & Paul. A visitation and funeral Mass were held on August 9th in Albuquerque, NM. In accordance with Fr. Khanh's wishes, a private cremation service will be held. The cremated remains will be transferred to the Diocese of Honolulu for Funeral Rite of Committal/Burial.

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Dear Padre,

Where did the Virgin Mary spend her last days on earth? Ephesus or Jerusalem?

Shortly before Jesus died on the cross, he entrusted his widowed mother to the protective care of John the Evangelist. (See John 19:26–27.) Accordingly, when John lived his final years in Ephesus, it is believed that Mary also spent her last days nearby in a modest stone dwelling, before being assumed body and soul into heaven "to be preserved from the corruption of the tomb" (Pope Pius XII, *Munificentissimus Deus*, 1950). Moreover, it is likely in Ephesus (present-day Turkey) where the tradition of Mary's Assumption started.

Pope Benedict XIV (1740–1758) declared Ephesus was "where the

Blessed Mother...proceeded from this life into heaven." More recent popes, such as Paul VI in 1967 and John Paul II in 1979, prayed in this venerable home, known as Mother Mary's House.

However, close to Gethsemane in Jerusalem is the Basilica of the Tomb of Mary from the fifth century. It is built around an ancient crypt where Mary's body was believed to have been laid before it was assumed into heaven.

While both Ephesus and Jerusalem claim to be the location where the Virgin Mary spent her last years on earth, experts contend the latter is the older tradition and the more credible place. Even if Mary temporarily left Jerusalem, it is probable she returned to the land of her birth and resided there at the end of her earthly life. •

Fr. Byron Miller, CSsR / DearPadre.org



A WORD FROM POPE FRANCIS

And at the end of our life, [the Lord] will call us to account for the goods he has entrusted to us....
We have received so much: life, faith, family, relationships, work, but also the places where we live, our city, creation....
[A]re we guardians of all that has been given to us?

ANGELUS, ROME,

AUGUST 7, 2022



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