

# Catholic Community of Malia Puka O Kalani

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Weekend Masses:  
5:15 pm Saturday  
9:00 am Sunday  
Spanish Mass 7:00 pm  
Saturday

Weekday Masses:  
5:15 pm Mon. Wed. Fri.

Office hours:  
9:00-12:00 & 2:00 -5:00  
daily except. Thurs.



June 3, 2012

## Mission Statement

Malia Puka O Kalani is a Roman Catholic parish in Keaukaha, Hawaii dedicated to building a church community filled with the Holy Spirit, guided by God's word, and enriched by the Hawaiian Culture.

**Administrator:** Fr. Wilson Buitrago

**Pastor Emeritus:** Fr. Joe Hennen

**Baptisms:** Samantha Naipo-Arsiga  
966-6350

**Building Maintenance:**  
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**Business Manager:** David Watson  
935-1465 x20

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**Religious Ed:** Wendy Cortez  
896-7224

**Social Awareness:** Richard MacKenzie  
896-0390

**Spanish Coordinator:**  
Laura Abad-Huilca 989-4234

Dear Father Robert and my dear Ohana,

A child was busy painting and drawing and his mother asked him: What are you drawing? I am drawing God, he answered. But, you cannot draw God; no one knows how God looks, his mother said. They will know soon..., he replied, when I am finished with my drawing.

Today we celebrate the Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity, the great mystery of God who is One and Triune. We are invited to know Him beyond the theological definition that states that He is "Three distinct Persons and one true God", and know Him as the Trinitarian Family that lives in the unity of love.

Today, in spite of the physical distance between us, I feel united to my Malia family through the love that I feel for each of you, and through the love I have received from each of you, and I thank God for giving me this precious Malia family.

I have undergone several medical tests and next Monday I am scheduled for a colonoscopy and after I have the results I will have the appointment with the specialist.

Mahalo to each and every one of those who have been praying for my health. My family, with whom I have shared much about the immense blessing of living and learning from the beautiful Malia Ohana, sends all of you their heartfelt greetings.

May God bless you. *With love Fr. Wilson*

## **FROM THE SOCIAL AWARENESS COMMITTEE:**

The social outreach and awareness committee met on May 20th for their quarterly meeting. The food bank continues to provide food to those in our community and parish and will continue to do so during the next year. Food items that are needed are listed outside of the church, anyone interested in donating can give food to Father Wilson or Auntie Roberta. We also discussed our goals for next year. These included trying to establish a community garden either outside of the church or somewhere in Keaukaha. The garden will provide an opportunity for those in the parish who wish to get their hands dirty as well as fresh produce for the food bank.

We also wish to establish a working relationship with Hope Services, a non-governmental organization that helps those in need and is located down the street. Our hope is that they will help us reach out to the community and provide opportunities for our parish to volunteer. Our third goal is to have potluck/outreach celebrations on the feast days of St. Nick (between Thanksgiving and Christmas), Father Damien, and Sister Marianne. Our fourth goal is to continue the food bank and our fifth goal is to continue handing out gift certificates to those in need at Thanksgiving and Christmas.

Richard MacKenzie Social Awareness Committee Chair

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION FROM BISHOP LARRY SILVA:**

**EL SHADDAI DWXI:** After consultation with many of our priests who have had experience with the organization, El Shaddai DWXI, I have decided to decline their application for official recognition in the Diocese of Honolulu. Almost every priest I consulted had grave reservations about El Shaddai and what they expressed as a tendency to create a “parallel church.” Therefore I am not granting them official recognition in the Diocese of Honolulu.

**NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING:**

A Certified Billings Ovulation Method (BOM) teacher will assist you in achieving or postponing pregnancy using this natural, highly effective, and compatible with Church teaching process. Only three to five sessions are needed to learn the technique. Sessions are confidential, individualized and FREE of charge. Contact Teresa Fredericks, RN at [teresamarie@hawaiiantel.net](mailto:teresamarie@hawaiiantel.net) or 808.672.7208. Visit [www.boma-usa.org](http://www.boma-usa.org) to learn more.

**TEN QUALITIES OF A RENEWED PARISH, JUNE 26 WEBINAR:**

Tuesday, June 26, 2012, at 9:00-10:00am Hawaii Time: Ten Qualities of a Renewed Parish, from Catholic Speakers Online. Registration is free.

Fr. James Mallon brings his knowledge and pastoral experience to describe the qualities of a parish whose members are renewed as Disciples of Christ.

Father James Mallon is a priest of the Archdiocese of Halifax and Pastor of Saint Benedict Parish in Halifax, Nova Scotia.

**REGARDING THE BULLETIN:**

To all the committees, leaders, parishioners and others interested in publishing some news or information in the bulletin I would like to inform you that although I will be in Colombia for medical exams and vacations, I will continue to work on the bulletin from there. Therefore, send me your materials to our email: [maliapastor@gmail.com](mailto:maliapastor@gmail.com). MAHALO!

**URGENTLY NEEDED FOOD:**

Canned vegetables, canned fruits, canned pasta, spaghetti, noodles, macaroni, pasta sauce, spam, vienna sausage, tuna, saimin, pork n beans. Other foods are welcome too. Mahalo!

**DATES IN JUNE:**

- 11: Kamehameha Day
- 17: Father’s Day
- 20: Food Pantry 12:30pm – 2:30pm
- 24: Enculturation Team Meeting after Mass
- 27: Food Pantry 12:30pm – 2:30pm
- 30: Baptism Class @ 9am



***Please Keep in Prayer***

- Fr. Joseph Hennen*
- Ernest Matsumoto*
- Aunty Patty Grube*
- Uncle Tony Moniz*
- Aunty Dora Costa*
- Aunty Nita Kua*
- Aunty Elizabeth Dulatre*
- Aunty Mabel Silva*
- Aunty Linda Farias*
- Grace Carter*
- Rupert Tripp Jr.*
- Daniel Richards*
- Uncle Warren Curtis*
- Aunty Babes Viverios*
- Terry Tardino*
- Donald Swain*
- Samson Wana Sr.*
- Else DeMello*
- Paul Etchverry*
- Sandi Claveria*
- Jerry Moniz*
- Merasol Hoopii*
- Douglas Ferreira*
- Doreen Johnson*
- Roger Fritts*
- Wayne Anderson*
- Bernice McCartin*
- Quintin Aiona*
- Addie Strunck*
- Janet Luiz*
- Naeda Pearl Wardwell*
- William Birney*
- Kathy McBroon*
- Ellen Kashiwabara*
- Mercy Abeleye*
- Jimmy Aiona*
- Christian Staszko*
- Melodee Hulihee Lani*
- Salcido Family*
- Carleen Haunani Mederios*
- Kyron Horman*
- Robin Bob*
- Shirley Rizzo*
- Beverly Oka Chu*
- Billie Baclig*
- Destry Gacutan*
- Kathleen Yamamoto*
- Shannon Quevedo*
- Rita Branco*
- Baby Alana*
- Preston Mendoza*
- Kathleen Mendoza*
- Jean Maderos*
- Keala Wong*
- Ernest Leite. Jr.*
- Mildred Vereze*
- Nalani Longakit*
- Freida Lee*
- Mildred Vereze*
- And for all who are sick*

<b>STEWARDSHIP REPORT</b>	
KOA BOWL	1338.27
SPANISH MASS	125.00
MASS INTENTION	10.00
<b>TOTAL DEPOSIT</b>	<b>1463.27</b>