

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.



July 1, 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:
Moke Moses 937-9783

Business Manager: David Watson
935-1465 x20

Finance: Jeannette Lesko
808-778-8058

Liturgy: Joe Farias 982-5919

Religious Ed: Wendy Cortez
896-7224

Social Awareness: Richard MacKenzie
896-0390

Spanish Coordinator:
Laura Abad-Huilca 989-4234

My beloved parishioners,

We are getting ready to celebrate Independence Day on the 4th of July. We recognize how the founding fathers and pillars of this country who signed the Declaration of Independence, among which were George Washington, Thomas Jefferson, John Adams and Benjamin Franklin, proclaimed two basic principles: "Liberty and Equality" that to this day are the corner stones of our fundamental rights. It is thus that the Solemnity of Saint Peter and Saint Paul, which we celebrated Friday, comes to mind. Saint Peter and Saint Paul are founding fathers and pillars of the Church, two ordinary people turned extraordinary by the grace of God. They forged the basic principles that by which we still live today as Catholics.

Peter, the apostle of the Jews, and Paul the apostle of the gentiles, are the foundation and beginning of the Church.

To our Malia community it is a great Joy to celebrate the feast of these two saints, who give us strength and safety, and illuminate the tasks that we are undertaking, such as updating and carrying out our parochial Pastoral Plan, with which we give stability and solidify our being and ecclesiastical undertakings.

Many thanks to our parochial committees for the effort that they are carrying out and I invite them to persevere in our mission.

With love, Fr. Wilson.

LITURGY COMMITTEE SUMMARY 06/24/2012:

1. Father Wilson gave the opening prayer and Chair Joe Farias called the meeting to order at 10:40 a.m.
2. Minutes of last meeting accepted by Tana Rosehill, seconded by Juliana Ziegler-Graber.

Old Business:

A. Summary for bulletin: Aunty Mabel doing a great job getting summary to Father for bulletin. No summary submitted due to Aunty Mabel not present, only minutes was sent to Father for June 24th meeting.

New Business:

A. Joe still working on youth liturgical workshop. It's still in the planning stage. He hopes to get more ideas at MMA youth conferen-

- ce that he will be attending this summer. It will be announced when workshops will be held.
- B. Review of the 5 goals and objectives for the year 2012- 2013 and current Goals and Objectives stated in the Pastoral Plan Presented to the committee via power point.
- C. Any other suggestions, goals and changes may be called in to or e-mailed to Joe Farias.
- D. Next meeting to be announced. Agenda: more nuts and bolts regarding goals and objectives.
- E. Closing prayer by Father Wilson, meeting adjourned at 10:40 a.m

FINANCE COMMITTEE:

The Malia Finance Committee met on June 23 for their quarterly meeting. The budget for our fiscal year 2012-2013 was reviewed and approved.
 We are in the process of planning for our upcoming fundraisers. Please stay tuned for further announcements.

FOOD PANTRY:

So important is the mission to help our brothers and sisters in need that the 12 apostles named in the nascent Church seven deacons to care for the poor and widows.
 The Church has continued to be faithful to this mission and continues to fulfill it through time and across the breadth and width of the world. Our beloved Malia community is not the exception. For that reason we have the Social Awareness Committee, chaired by Richard MacKenzie, and the Food Pantry through which we attend to brothers and sisters in need. We invite our parishioners to join this necessary and urgent mission.

I thank all of those who have contributed to this mission through their donations and I also thank our volunteers, lead by Auntie Roberta, who show the tenderness of God’s face tending to our brothers and sisters in need.

Here is a list with the number of people and families served, thanks to your help, and the teams responsible for each of the dates:

- Total in May: 104 persons - 33 families served.
- Total in June: 127 persons - 38 families served.

- Group I: Maybelle Kumali, Shirley Tripp, Raelee Awai and Roberta Gacutan
- Group II: Vanessa Hulihe’e, Maili Mauhili, Ulu Morales and Roberta Gacutan
- Group III: Mildred Vereze, Shirley Perriera, Patt Grube and Roberta Gacutan
- Group IV: Phyllis Nahale, Mae Ramos, Eva Cuelho and Roberta Gacutan

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| July 18— Group II | July 25— Group III |
| Aug 22— Group IV | Aug 29— Group I |
| Sept 19— Group II | Sept 26— Group III |
| Oct 24— Group IV | Oct 31— Group I |
| Nov 21— Group II | Nov 28— Group III |
| Dec 19— Group IV | Dec 26— Group I |

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:

- 1: Fr. Wilson’s Birthday Party after 9:00 am
- Enculturation Team Meeting at 11:00 am
- 4: Independence Day
- 8: Maintenance/Repair Committee Meeting
- 18: Food Pantry 12:30pm – 2:30pm
- 25: Food Pantry 12:30pm – 2:30pm

STEWARDSHIP REPORT	
KOA BOWL	1445.00
SPANISH MASS	81.00
BUILDING FUND	10.00
TOTAL DEPOSIT	1536.00



Please Keep in Prayer

- Fr. Joseph Hennen*
- Ernest Matsumoto*
- Auntie Patty Grube*
- Uncle Tony Moniz*
- Auntie Dora Costa*
- Auntie Nita Kua*
- Auntie Elizabeth Dulatre*
- Auntie Mabel Silva*
- Auntie Linda Farias*
- Grace Carter*
- Rupert Tripp Jr.*
- Daniel Richards*
- Auntie 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 McBroom*
- Ellen Kashiwabara*
- Mercy Abeleye*
- Jimmy Aiona*
- Christian Staszkw*
- 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*

And for all who are sick