

# Catholic Community of Malia Puka O Kalani

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## Weekend Mass Schedule

Sat. 5:15 pm

Sun. 9:00 am

## Weekday Masses 5:15

Mon, Wed, Fri

## Confession at 4:30 on Saturday

Feb. 28 and March 1, 2015



## LENTEN SERVICES 2015

**All Fridays of Lent from February 20-March 27, Stations of the Cross  
4:30 pm**

**Chrim Mass for all Eastern Vicariates, March 12, 7:00 pm, St. Joseph  
Church with Bishop Larry**

**Reconciliation Service, March 25, Wednesday, 6:00 pm**

**Holy Monday, March 30, 5:15 Mass, 6:00 pm: Lenten Journey: Catholi-  
cism Part 1, Viewing, Discussion, Agape (soup) for everyone.**

**Holy Tuesday, March 31, 5:15 Mass, 6:00 pm: Lenten Journey Part 2**

**Holy Wednesday, April 1, 5:15 Mass, 6:00 pm: Lenten Journey Part 3**

**Holy Thursday, April 2, 6:00 pm, "Mass of the Lord's Supper" Washing  
of Feet**

**Good Friday, April 3, 2:00 pm Stations of the Cross (led by the youth),  
3:00 pm Adoration of the Cross**

**Holy Saturday, April 4, 6:00 pm, Easter Vigil in the Parish Hall**

**Easter Sunday, April 5, 9:00 am, Holy Eucharist in the Parish Hall**

## SUNDAY REFLECTION

**2nd Sunday of Lent**

**Gospel - Mark 9:2-10**

*Cycle B*

Today's gospel reading is the familiar account of the transfiguration, an event which is reported in all three synoptic gospels (Matthew 17:1-13; Mark 9:2-13; Luke 9:28-36) and is alluded to in John (1:14). The time is a little less than one year before Jesus' sacrifice on the altar of the cross. He has fed the 5,000 and the 4,000 and Peter has made what is called his "confession of faith" (erroneously, I believe, as faith is little involved, divine revelation is).

*(Sunday Reflection is taken from [www.scborromeo.org/biblestudies.htm](http://www.scborromeo.org/biblestudies.htm))*

### MISSION STATEMENT

*"Malia Puka O Kalani is a Roman Catholic parish on Hawaiian Home Lands 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. Oliver J. Ortega

#### Parochial Vicar

Fr. Robert Stark, SSS

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**MAHALO to the many parishioners who helped make our malasada fundraiser a success!**

Special thanks to our youth volunteers Keyna, all smiles while sugaring malasada and Bailey, who was busy making malasada boxes. Last, but foremost, our Mahalo and Aloha to Luana and Walter Leite, whose leadership and selfless service have raised funds for Malia and allowed us all to enjoy tasty malasadas every year.



**NO MASS AT LIFE CARE CENTER:** There will be no mass at the Life Care Center on Wednesday, March 4. Masses will resume in April.

**HUNGERING FOR A BOUNTIFUL EARTH-CRS RICE BOWL:** This week CRS Rice Bowl takes us to the coffee highlands of Nicaragua, where we're called to protect both the goodness of creation and the livelihoods of struggling families. How will this week's fast remind us of the sacredness of God's creation and our duty to protect it?

**KS GOT TALENT-KAMEHAMEHA VARIETY SHOW:**

"Aloha Mai Kakou, my name is Alexa Bader, and I am a senior at Kamehameha Schools Hawaii. This year, I am putting on an event for my school, as a graduation requirement called "KS Got Talent." It will be our school's very first variety show that will take place at our high school theater on Wednesday March 25 from 6:30-8:00. Admission is one canned food at the door. This project will showcase our school's talent, as well as donating all proceeds from this event to Malia Puka O Kalani parish's food pany in Keaukaha. This is a public event and I would like to get the word out as much as possible! I hope to see you on this fun night. For any questions about the event please contact me at my email address alexa.bader@imua.ksbe.edu and phone no. 808-756-6215. Mahalo for your support, Alexa Bader"

**AN UPDATE ON OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD:** The official 2014 collection totals for Operation Christmas Child shoe boxes are in! For East Hawaii, 4,270 shoe boxes were collected; the Big Island, 7,076; Hawaii Nei, 43,553; West Coast region, 568,277 (a 7.7% increase over last year) ; United States, 7,991,643; and the International grand total, 10,440,333! There was a change in the destination for the Hawaii boxes. Instead of going to Indonesia, most went to Nepal and some were pulled to supplement in other areas. Mahalo for your participation. Hurting children are blessed because of you! Please keep praying for the child who received your box. Thank you.

**MALAKI (MARCH) COMMITTEE MEETINGS:**

- March 1—Liturgy Commission
- March 8—Stewardship Committee
- March 22—Maintenance Committee

<b>STEWARDSHIP</b>	
February 21 & 22, 2015	
<b>KOA OFFERING BOWL:</b>	<b>\$1,691.40</b>
Fundraising (Malasada)	1,160.00
Miscellaneous	75.00
n/a	
n/a	