

A Catholic Community in  
Keaukaha for 75 Years  
**Malia Puka O Kalani**

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**Weekend Mass Schedule**  
**Sat. 5:15 pm; Sun. 9:00 am**

**Weekday Mass 5:15 pm**  
**Mon. Wed. Fri.**

**Confession 4:30 Saturday**

*April 16 & 17, 2016*



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**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”*

**Pastor Administrator**

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**Readings for Next Week, 5th Sunday of Easter – Cycle C**

([www.scborromeo.org/biblestudies.htm](http://www.scborromeo.org/biblestudies.htm))

**1<sup>st</sup> Reading – Acts 14:21-27:** Last week we heard of Saint Paul’s experiences at Antioch in Pisidia during his first missionary journey. That visit had ended on a sour note as Paul and Barnabas were expelled. The reading ended with “the two shook the dust from their feet in protest and went on to Iconium. Their disciples knew only how to be filled with joy and the Holy Spirit” (Acts 13:51-52). Today we hear of the conclusion of this first missionary journey where Paul and Barnabas retrace their steps back through Antioch in Pisidia on their way back to Antioch in Syria where they had begun their journey.

**2<sup>nd</sup> Reading – Revelation 21:1-5a:** For the past three weeks we have had as our second reading an account of John’s privileged vision of the heavenly liturgy where he has seen the eternal sacrifice being offered to God the Father by His Son, the New and Eternal High Priest and Sacrifice. We have heard also the prayers being offered by the faithful. We now go to the end of John’s account as he describes the Heavenly Jerusalem. It was Jesus’ mission to go to the earthly Jerusalem to offer His sacrifice – this shows us the path that we must follow to reach the Heavenly Jerusalem so that we can dwell with Him there forever.

**Gospel – John 13:31-33a, 34-35:** We are all familiar with the ten commandments. We use them as part of our examination of conscience prior to receiving the sacrament of Reconciliation (also known as Penance or Confession). All of Jesus’ instruction was based on the Hebrew scripture; with one notable exception – He gave us one new commandment. Even this commandment is rooted in Hebrew scripture although the root was not counted in the 613 Levitical commandments (Mark 12:29). The time of this reading is at the last supper just after Jesus has predicted His betrayal and prior to their leaving for Gethsemane, which means “oil press” – suitable since it is located on the Mount of Olives.

*If you want to review today’s readings, see 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter-Cycle C*

1<sup>st</sup> Reading – Acts 13:14, 43-52

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading – Revelation 7:9, 14-17

Gospel – John 10:27-30



### A Stewardship Moment for the 4th Sunday of Easter

In today's Gospel reading Jesus is quite emphatic: "My sheep hear my voice..." Those who exercise good stewardship of their prayer lives realize that hearing or listening is fundamental to prayer. Prayer is a personal encounter with the Lord and requires dialogue. Some people never learn the art of listening. When we enter into a dialogue with someone we love we speak and we listen. Otherwise it cannot be a dialogue. This week let's think about how we pray. Do we do all the talking, and then get up and do something else? Or do we sit quietly, waiting for God's voice to enter our hearts?

*<http://catholicstewardship.com>*

### Stewardship of Treasure – April 9 & 10, 2016

	Attendees		Koa Bowl Donations
	Adults	Children	
Saturday, Apr. 9	39	0	\$884.75
Sunday, Apr. 10	71	10	\$994.51
<b>Other Donations/Income</b>			
CRS Rice Bowl			\$9.18
Funeral			\$300.00

**MALIA'S BULLETIN:** Beginning next month our parish bulletin will be issued once a month...on the first weekend of the month after both Masses. Copies of the monthly bulletin will be available at the entrance to church throughout the month for those who missed receiving a bulletin or want another copy. The bulletin is also available at our website, [www.maliapukaokalani.com](http://www.maliapukaokalani.com).

The monthly bulletin will consist of the month's calendar on the front page, showing Mass and confession times, special occasions and events, training opportunities, committee meeting dates, etc. We already started this with our April 3, 2016 bulletin.

The back page of the monthly bulletin will consist of the Stewardship of Treasure report for the previous month's weekly totals, 2<sup>nd</sup> collection notices, Religious Education and committee special announcements for the month, Readings for the month, fundraising information when applicable, and any information that is not shown in the monthly calendar.

A monthly bulletin is a cost-saving measure towards our parish expenses. All pertinent parish and Diocese information will continue to be in the bulletin and if the need arises, a third page will be added to our bulletin. Similarly, if an event/occasion occurs during the month that wasn't in the bulletin, a special announcement will be made during Mass.

Mahalo...*Kehau Kuewa, Bulletin Point-of-Contact*