



St Roch Parish Bulletin

OCTOBER 9-10, 2021 28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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St. Roch Church

56-350 Kamehameha Highway Kahuku, HI 96731

Mass Schedule

Sunday 7:30am, 9:30am

Daily Mass (Tues.-Fri.) 9:00am

First Saturday: Charismatic Prayer & Healing Mass 4:15pm



St. Joachim Mission Church

53-535 Kamehameha Highway Punalu'u, HI 96762

Mass Schedule

Saturday 5:00pm

No Mass on first Saturday of the month

FATHER SEBASTIAN KUMAR SOOSAI

This Week's Reading 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading (From the Old Testament)
Wisdom 7:7-11 (143B)

Second Reading (From the New Testament)
Hebrews 4:12-13

Gospel
Mark 10:17-30 or 10:17-27

Next Week's Reading 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading (From the Old Testament)
Isaiah 53:10-11 (146B)

Second Reading (From the New Testament)
Hebrews 4:14-16

Gospel
Mark 10:35-45 or 10:42-45

Mass Intentions for the Week

Eternal Rest For:
Madeline Swain by Mike Swain

Healing For:
The Jeremiah Family by Grace Ragasa Doak
Gloria Bennett by Jojo Manipon

Special Intentions For:
Melba Galace
Destiny Davis & Family by Carolyn Alameida

Thanksgiving For:
Grace Vendiola by Tina Hernandez

Church Mission

St. Roch Parish (St. Roch Church and St. Joachim Mission Church) will engage in a life-long journey in prayer and a relationship with the Lord by living our Catholic faith and transforming ourselves and others spiritually for generations to come. We will create an open, hospitable and welcoming community that embraces diversity and celebrates the giftedness of each person.

Church Vision

To be joyful disciples equipped to witness Jesus by living and sharing our faith with all.



God’s Word and Wisdom Enriches Our Heart

On this twenty-eighth Sunday of Ordinary Time, we celebrate Christ the Wisdom and Word of God. Even if we have nothing in this world, Christ is sufficient and all things for us. We are rich in him because, he is alive and active in our hearts.

The gospel is very interesting. It highlights the fact that, a truly rich person is one who possesses true Wisdom and not just material wealth alone. It also reminds us of how material wealth could be a grave obstacle to obtaining true Wisdom.

The rich man in the gospel came to justify himself, and to parade his religious piety. Indeed, Jesus appreciated his effort. However, Christ knew that something was really lacking in him. Christ diagnosed him of only one problem: attachment to his wealth.

There are important lessons to learn from the reading. First, we might have a weak spot unknown to us. Only the wisdom of God can help us illuminate this. Second, at times, it seems to us that we have done “all things well.” Unfortunately, pride and love of this world makes it difficult for us to see the true reality of our lives. Third, we must not allow material wealth to become an obstacle between us and eternal life.

Today, Christ teaches us that attachment to wealth is the easiest way to forsake God. This is because attachment to wealth and this world over-burdens and alienates one’s soul. It makes our spiritual journey very heavy, difficult, and almost impossible. We must seek the wisdom and understanding that comes from God.

Seek the goodness of the Lord and He will fill us with wealth and good. He is above everything, and He is our guide and strength. Just look and see Him.

Have a wonderful week. God bless you.

Church Cleaners Schedule

October 16—Jenefer Ancheta, Jennifer Badua

October 23—Janeth Bruno

October 30—Julie Nacapuy, Myrna Ramos



St. Roch’s COVID-19 Corona Virus Update

St Roch is committed to offer you a safe place to worship. Please wear a face mask at all times and practice safe distancing at all times. Please continue to call the Parish Hall on your intentions on attending Mass. Please use the front entrance to enter the church. Please bring your seat covers when attending Mass. Please follow the Usher’s instructions.

Bishop Larry Silva has announced the end of dispensation from obligation to attend Sunday Mass. However the dispensation will remain in place for anyone who is sick, may have been exposed to anyone with COVID or who has a health condition that would endanger themselves or others by being present in church.

Our official online giving website is safe and secure. You can do your online giving at: <https://www.osvhub.com/strockkahukufunds>

Parish Calendar

Saturday, October 9	
Mass at St Joachim(*)	5:00pm
Sunday, October 10	28th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Rosary	6:45am
Mass (*)	7:30am
RE Class	8:45am
Mass (*)	9:30am
Monday, October 11	
Communion Service	9:00am
Tuesday, October 12	
Rosary	8:30am
Mass	9:00am
NO Yoga Class THIS WEEK	
Wednesday, October 13	
Rosary	8:30am
Mass	9:00am
Thursday, October 14	
Rosary	8:30am
Mass	9:00am
Building Committee Meeting	6:30pm
Friday, October 15	
Rosary	8:30am
Mass	9:00am
Divine Mercy & Adoration	9:30am-12:00pm
Saturday, October 16	
Mass at St Joachim(*)	5:00pm
Sunday, October 17	29th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Rosary	6:45am
Mass (*)	7:30am
RE Class	8:45am
Mass (*)	9:30am

(*) Please call the Parish Office to make your reservation if attending Mass.

Father Sebastian visits the sick every Wednesday and is available for home visits, blessings and prayers. Please call the Parish Office at 293-5026 for information and making appointments for Anointing of the Sick, Baptisms, Funeral, Weddings and Reconciliations.

Faith Formation

Rosary is offered daily 45 minutes prior to the 7:30am Mass on Sundays and 30 minutes prior to the 9:00am daily Mass. Rosary is said at 6:30pm every evening at the grotto.

Divine Mercy offered after 9:00am daily Mass on Friday. Adoration is celebrated at 7:00pm on first Friday each month.

Healing is offered after the first Saturday after the 5:00pm Mass.

Next Charismatic Healing Mass will be on Nov 6.

Online Parish Offertory Available

Please consider going online to do your offertory donations. Our official link is convenient, secure and confidential.

The direct link to donate is:

<https://www.osvhub.com/strochkahuku/funds>

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ST. JOACHIM**



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Parish Directory

Altar Service Coordinator.....Carolyn Alameida
 Baptismal Orientation.....Carolyn Alameida
 Bereavement Coordinator.....Sharin Au
 Bookkeeper.....Margaret Primacio
 Building & Maint Comm.....Roy Nacapuy
 Bulletin Editor.....Roy Nacapuy
 Divine Mercy Group.....Lydia Daquiaoag
 Church Secretary.....Kay Yumoto-Wagner
 Extraordinary Ministers.....Esther Crawford
 Filipino Catholic Club Pres.....Jarma Hudson
 Finance Council Chair.....Nancy Manuel
 Hospitality Coordinator.....Jarma Hudson
 Knights of Columbus.....
 Lector Coordinator.....Myrna Ramos
 Liturgical Coordinator.....
 Music Director (Roch).....Amy Swiderski
 Music Director (Joachim).....Mark Hazzard
 Parish Council Chair.....Roy Nacapuy
 Religious Ed Coordinator.....Amy Swiderski
 Sacristan (Roch).....Cleofe Mejia
 Sacristan (Joachim).....Lana Elder
 Sacristan (Daily Mass)....Cristeta Recta, Lina Bruno
 Safety Manager.....Earl Alameida
 Stewardship Coordinator.....LaVerne Rivas
 Youth & Young Adult.....Donna Barsana, Jarma Hudson

Parish Registration Forms

If you are new to our parish or have not completed a parish registration form, please visit our Parish Office. Mahalo.

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Bulletin Editor: Roy Nacapuy

Bulletin Deadline is on Wednesdays by 3:00pm.
 Submit notices in writing to nacapuyohana@yahoo.com



Next Food Distribution will be on October 16 at St. Roch Parish Hall.

If you would like to have a complimentary lunch, please call the Parish Office (293-5026) to reserve your meal. For more information, please call Kay Yumoto-Wagner or Nancy Manuel.

Second Collections: Please be Generous

Thank you for your generous support in the 'Ohana in Christ Campaign.

This week's second collection will going toward the St. Roch Building and Maintenance Projects.

The Parish Financial Statement for 2020-2021 was released last week. If you would like a copy of this report, please call the parish office.

Special supplemental envelopes are available for those who would like to contribute to our ongoing projects. Please specify which project you would like to contribute to:

- (*) **St Roch Parish Hall Renovations Project**
- (*) **Grotto Upgrade Project**

Envelopes are located on the Offertory table. Please kokua and support these projects. Mass Intention envelopes are also available.

October Ministry Meeting Dates

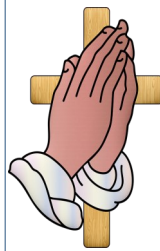
Parish Council October 20
All Ministry Leaders October 27 at 5:00pm

Meetings will be at 6:30pm in the Parish Hall unless noted above.

Please join us during the month of October in praying the rosary at the grotto in dedication to Mother Mary. Prayers start at 6:15m nightly.



On Sunday, October 31 a candlelight rosary will be held at the grotto at 7:00pm. Everyone is invited.



All Saints Day November 1 (Monday)
9:00am Mass at St. Roch

All Soul's Day November 2 (Tuesday)
9:00am Mass St. Roch
12 noon Mass at St. Joachim
7:00pm Mass & Lantern Service St. Roch

(* Please contact the Parish Office to place your loved one's name in our Parish Book of the Dead. You will need to purchase your family candles (\$5.00) and lanterns (\$3.00) to participate in the All Souls Day activities. Please contact the Parish Office to purchase these items and for more information.

Communion Service on Mondays

Communion Service will be offered every Monday, starting on October 11 at 9:00am at St. Roch Church.

Looking for Contractors

We are proud to announce our next major building project which will be the renovation of our Parish Hall. We are looking for someone to head the concrete pour and some carpentry projects. We would like to start this project soon. Anyone interested or would like to submit a bid, please see Roy Nacapuy for more information.

A STEWARDSHIP MOMENT

Jesus offers a hard lesson regarding wealth and possessions in today's Gospel. The rich man whom he encountered could not part with his possessions as a condition to becoming a disciple of Jesus. Would our response be the same as the rich man? Do we place our trust in our money and possessions instead of trusting in God's generosity? Do we seek security in our possessions? Good stewards realize that their possessions must not possess them, lest those possessions block their relationship with the Lord.