

St. Augustine by-the-sea



With the servant leadership of the Congregation of the Sacred Hearts of Jesus and Mary since 1854

Fr. Lane K. Akiona, ss.cc.

Pastor

Deacon Andy Calunod

Sr. Cheryl Wint, osf

Pastoral associate

Sunday Liturgy

5 p.m. Saturday

6, 8, 10 a.m., 5 p.m. Sunday

Daily Mass

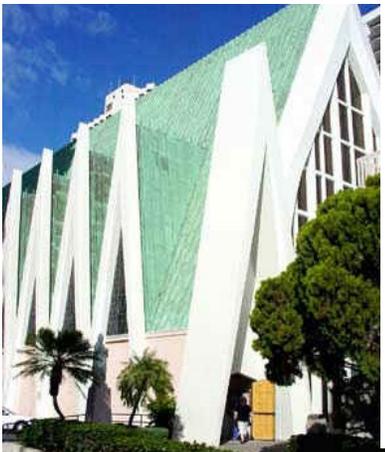
7 a.m., 5 p.m. Monday-Friday

7 a.m. Saturday

Damien and Marianne of Moloka'i

Heritage Center

Open daily, featuring
displays of the work of
St. Damien and St. Marianne



The grace of our Lord is



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*You have made us for yourself, Lord,
and our hearts are restless until they
rest in you*

-- St. Augustine of Hippo

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Office hours

Monday–Thursday 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.; closed noon to 1 p.m. Friday, 8 a.m. to noon. Closed Saturday, Sunday and holidays.

Sacraments

Reconciliation: 6:30–6:45 a.m. and 4:30–4:45 p.m. Tuesday–Thursday; 3–4 p.m. Saturday.

Baptism: Call the parish office for information.

Marriage: Email staugustineweddingcoordinator@gmail.com before making arrangements.

Confirmation: Call the parish office for information.

Funerals: Call the parish office when finalizing services with the mortuary.

Religious education

Contact the parish office to enroll your child in religious education classes or to inquire about the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults.

Parish organizations

Altar Rosary Society

Holy Name Society

Tongan Society

Knights of Columbus

Ka Huaka'i (Marriage ministry)

Please call the parish office for information about joining any of these organizations.

Soup kitchen

Coordinator: Carmen Brewer

Hot meals are served between 11 a.m. and noon

Monday to Friday, except holidays

To register

Call the parish office to register and to sign up for envelopes

Bulletin deadline

Material to be considered in the bulletin must be submitted to the parish office by noon on the Monday before the Sunday of publication.

Hospitality

Join us for doughnuts and juice after all morning masses on the first Sunday of the month.

This week at St. Augustine

Sunday, Nov. 17—Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Liturgical color: Green

6 a.m. Mass—All Souls remembrances; S/I Linda & Orville Potts

8 a.m. Mass—All Souls remembrances; S/I Margaret Stafford (birthday), Mildred Dopp (birthday), Florence McAvay, Altar Rosary Society members, living and deceased

10 a.m. Mass—All Souls remembrances; S/I Sage and the Kong Kee Family, Noel and Maria Termulo (anniversary)

5 p.m. Mass—All Souls remembrances; R/S Eleanor Mackowski, Tangitangi Sevelo, Viliami Kama

Monday, Nov. 18—The Dedication of the Basilicas of Saints Peter and Paul, apostles; Saint Rose Philippine Duchesne, Virgin

Liturgical color: Green/White

6:30 a.m. Liturgy of the Hours

7 a.m. Communion Prayer Service

5 p.m. Mass—All Souls remembrances

7 p.m. Faith sharing, Damien Meeting Room

Tuesday, Nov. 19

Liturgical color: Green

6:30 a.m. Liturgy of the Hours

7 a.m. Mass—R/S Andrew Vincze; All Souls remembrances

5 p.m. Mass—S/I Rodney and Frances Peppernell (anniversary); All Souls remembrances

5:30 p.m. Novena of Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Wednesday, Nov. 20

Liturgical color: Green

6:30 a.m. Liturgy of the Hours

7 a.m. Mass—All Souls remembrances

5 p.m. Mass—All Souls remembrances

6:30 p.m. RCIA, Damien Meeting Room

Thursday, Nov. 21—The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Liturgical color: White

6:30 a.m. Liturgy of the Hours

7 a.m. Mass—All Souls remembrances; S/I Anthony Pelosi (birthday), Katie Farias (birthday); R/S Aristides De La Paz

5 p.m. Mass—All Souls Remembrances; R/S Mauro Herrera

Friday, Nov. 22—Saint Cecilia, virgin and martyr

Liturgical color: Red

6:30 a.m. Liturgy of the Hours

7 a.m. Mass—All Souls remembrances; R/S Loretta Garzke, Lettie Young; S/I Therese & Mike McGee (anniversary)

5 p.m. Communion Prayer Service

Saturday, Nov. 23—Saint Clement I, pope and martyr; Saint Columban, abbot; Blessed Miguel Agustin Pro, priest and martyr; Blessed Virgin Mary

Liturgical color: Green/Red/White

7 a.m. Mass—All Souls remembrances

7:30 a.m. Church cleaning, Tongan Society, President's Mystery

5 p.m. Mass—All Souls remembrances; S/I Sage & the Kong Kee Family



Breaking open the Word

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Reflection

Living the Paschal Mystery

Times of adversity, whether now or in the future, are opportunities in which the wisdom of Jesus and his teachings embolden his followers to testify to him and strengthen them to persevere. The trials and tribulations we face now in our lives are preparation for the end times. Our faithfulness hastens the end times. As we grow in our readiness to be faithful to the Gospel in this life, we are already choosing our final destiny.

Before new life, there must be dying to the old self. We know that Christ is the victor, and those who persevere in their faithfulness will share in the glory of that victory. But the full victory is not yet revealed.

The readings for this Sunday are really filled with hope, not doom or fear. Along with all these terrifying things, good things happen: these things do not signal an immediate end so we have time to prepare; these things give all of us an opportunity to testify to Jesus' name and his reign; Jesus himself will give each of us the wisdom we need to speak boldly; and, most importantly, Jesus assures us that he will be the victor. We await. We hope.

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Readings

First reading — **Malachi 3:19-20a** For those who fear the name of the Lord, the sun of justice will arise.

Responsorial psalm — **Psalms 98** The Lord comes to rule the earth with justice.

Second reading — **2 Thessalonians 3:7-12** Those who are living in idleness are urged to earn their own living.

Gospel — **Luke 21:5-19** Jesus foretells the destruction of Jerusalem, the persecution of his followers.

Weekday

Monday: 1 Mc 1:10-15, 31-43, 54-57, 62-63; Ps 119:53, 61, 134, 150, 155, 158; Lk 18:35-43

Tuesday: 2 Mc 5:18-31; Ps 3:2-7; Lk 19:1-10

Wednesday: 2 Mc 7:1, 20-31; Ps 17:1bcd, 5-6, 8b, 15; Lk 19:11-28

Thursday: 1 Mc 2:16-29; Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15; Lk 19:41-44

Friday: 1 Mc 4:36-37, 52-59; 1 Chr 29:10bcd, 11-12; Lk 19:45-48

Saturday: 1 Mc 6:1-13; Ps 9:2-4, 6, 16, 19; Lk 20:27-40

Next Sunday's readings

2 Sm 5:1-3; Ps 122:1-5; Col 1:12-20; Lk 24:35-43

33rd week in Ordinary Time

In this next to the last week of the Liturgical Year, we read from the **First Book of Maccabees**. These books are about the revolt against Jewish persecution a little over a century before Christ. The Maccabees are presented as a family that is faithful to the law in the midst of this persecution. Their witness is inspiring today.

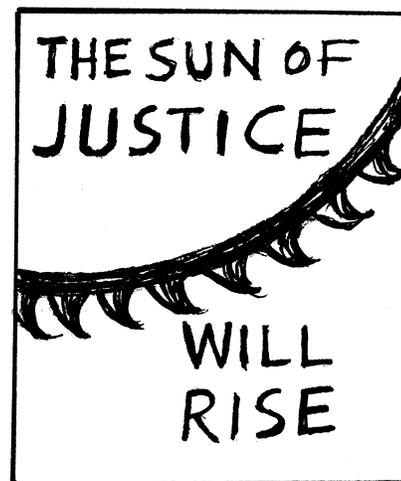
We have wonderful stories from **Luke's Gospel** this week as Jesus moves toward and enters Jerusalem for the end of his ministry. Jesus heals the blind beggar near Jericho. The man immediately "followed him, giving glory to God." Then Jesus meets Zacchaeus who is up in a tree - because he was short, but probably also because he's a tax collector and was nervous about being caught in a zealous crowd. Jesus transforms him by inviting himself to Zacchaeus' house for dinner. Near Jerusalem, Jesus tells a parable of a rejected king and servants who use the gifts given them faithfully. In Jerusalem, Jesus weeps over the city, foreseeing the destruction that is coming, "because you did not recognize the time of your visitation." Entering the temple, Jesus drives out the old way of doing business and begins his ministry. He silences the Sadducees over their doubt about resurrection from the dead.

Creighton University Online Ministries

Liturgical Bits and Bytes Transformation

Full, active participation means entering into the movement of the liturgy itself. Liturgy wants to transform us into the image of God's Son. If we hold ourselves back, we hinder the action of God's grace within us. If we try to maintain our separation from our brothers and sisters, we resist God's efforts to form us into the one Body of Christ. If we enter into the action of the liturgy, then God can shape our minds and hearts according to the divine will. Then we will become effective instruments of God's will in our world. Empowered by God's grace, we who have been transformed can be used by God to transform our world.

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Meeting for all lay ministers Nov. 25

As the new liturgical year nears, there will be a mandatory meeting for all lay ministers on Monday, Nov. 25, at 6 p.m. in the church.

Christmas concert Dec. 6

Save the date! There will be a special Christmas concert in the church on Friday, Dec. 6 at 7p.m. featuring various parish organizations.

Fr. Lane on vacation Nov. 18-22

Fr. Lane will be on vacation from Monday, Nov. 18, through Friday, Nov. 22. Fr. Jayson Landeza will be filling in for him.

Sacred Hearts open house

Sacred Hearts Academy, for girls pre-K to grade 12, is holding an Open House on Sunday, Nov. 17 at 2:30 p.m. Applications are being accepted for the 2014-15 school year. To learn more go to www.sacredhearts.org or call 734-5058 ext. 224

Saint Louis open house

Saint Louis School will hold Open Houses at 1 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 17, and at 1 pm. Jan. 18, 2014 at the Richard T. Mamiya Theatre on the school campus. For more information, call 739-4832 or go to saintlouishawaii.org.

At St. Augustine

Nov. 17	2nd collection for Campaign for Human Development
Nov. 18	7 p.m. Faith sharing, Damien Meeting Room
Nov. 25	6 p.m. Meeting for all lay ministers in the church.
Nov. 28	Thanksgiving Day 8 a.m. Mass only
Nov. 30	5 p.m. Mass/RCIA Rite of Acceptance
Nov. 30/Dec. 1	2nd collection for Building and Maintenance Fund
Dec. 6	7 p.m. Christmas Concert in the church
Dec. 14/15	2nd collection for Retirement Fund for \ Religious

Stewardship

Our daily and Sunday collections

As good stewards, we are grateful to God for his many blessings. In gratitude we share with those who are in need. The collection at Sunday AND daily Mass is a part of our liturgy, not apart from it, and is a sign of our willingness to give all that we have to the Lord for the maintenance of the church and the care of the poor. It is also expressive of what the Eucharist means in terms of our relationship with others. In the early Church, everyone brought up what they had brought, eggs, or produce or chickens or grain, or bread or wine. Some was used for the celebration and the rest was used for the benefit of the Church so that all were taken care of and no one was in need. Today, we share what we have with money. Our collection—daily and Sunday— gives tangible support to our faith in action and to our thankfulness to our Creator.

Collection, week ending Nov. 10: \$8,663.91

Disbursements, week ending Nov. 10: \$13,071.84

Stewardship envelopes for 2014

As good stewards of what is given to us, we must be also good stewards in preserving creation. Paper items must be used appropriately and as we prepare for 2014 we will make a change in how our stewardship envelopes are given out.

To comply with charitable giving for tax purposes, a person must give a minimum of \$250. After looking at our records, those who do not meet that minimum for annual giving will not receive envelopes for 2014. We suggest that you use a plain envelope with your name on it; you will be responsible for tracking your own gift-giving. Therefore, for those who give above the minimum, your assigned number may change.

Stewardship envelopes will be available in early December. If you have any questions, please contact the parish office. Mahalo for your understanding and patience.

Campaign for Human Development

This weekend's second collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development needs your help. CCHD was founded to end the cycle of poverty throughout America by funding organizations that help individuals help themselves. With a tradition of improving education, housing and community economic development, CCHD continues to make a positive impact in communities nationwide, including in Hawaii.

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FAITH

Faith sharing Nov. 18

St. Augustine's Faith Formation class meets the third Monday of each month for prayer, reflection and faith sharing. We are using Henri Nouwen's book "Here and Now: Living in the Spirit." Our next gathering will be at **7 p.m. Monday, Nov. 18** in the Damien Meeting Room. All are welcome to join us. Copies of "Here and Now" may be purchased in the parish office.

Retreat at Newman Center Nov. 18-20

The Newman Center-Holy Spirit Parish is pleased to have Fr. Andy Alexander SJ and Maureen McCann Waldron share their reflections on "The Spirituality of Pope Francis: His Challenge for Us Today" **Nov. 18-20 from 7 to 8:30 p.m.** at the Newman Center. A donation of \$10 per night or \$25 for three nights is requested to help defray expenses. Parking is available at St. Francis School.

Advent event for families Dec. 1

St. Anthony Retreat Center offers "Let us Make Room in Our Hearts," an Advent event for families from 2 to 6 p.m. on Sunday Dec. 1. During Advent we joyfully await Christ's coming. In this hands-on family day, discover the riches of the Advent wreath, Jesse tree, the O antiphons and more! A light supper will be provided. The cost is \$20 per family. For more information or to register call 845-4353 or go to www.saintanthonyretreat.org. Space is limited.

All Souls Day remembrances

Throughout November, we will pray for deceased members of our parish, our benefactors and family members. All Souls envelopes are available at the church entrances. Write down the names you want remembered and place your offering in the envelope and drop it in the collection.

OUTREACH

Soup Kitchen Thanksgiving

We are accepting donations of frozen turkeys for our annual Soup Kitchen turkey lunch before the Thanksgiving holiday. Frozen turkeys (no more than 14 pounds each) may be dropped off at the Soup Kitchen Mondays through Fridays between 11 a.m. and noon. The Soup Kitchen is also accepting donations of rice, Stove Top stuffing mix and canned cranberry sauce. Please bring your donations by Nov. 22. Mahalo for your kokua.

Food drive for Our Lady of Kea'au

We are collecting nonperishable food items and toiletries through Thanksgiving to support the Outreach Ministry at Our Lady of Kea'au. We have supported the Franciscan Sisters who operate this outreach ministry for several years. Drop off your nonperishable food items and unopened toiletries in marked boxes in the church.

"Absolute Faith" Damien and Marianne of Moloka'i Heritage Center



"Absolute Faith" intertwines the stories of Father Damien, Mother Marianne and the people of Kalaupapa using historic and contemporary photographs, quotations, poetry and song. There are many never-seen-before portraits from the early 1900s that offer a rare and compelling glimpse of life in the land of exile.

The Heritage Center is in front of the church in the ABC Building on the second floor. It is open daily. A lift is available for those with special needs. For arrangements for groups of 20 or more, call 922-3121

Damien statue by Maui artist

We are seeking to commission a bronze outdoor statue of St. Damien by Maui artist Gary Thomas. "Damien...Through the Spirit," is a depiction of Father Damien, who gave of himself to care for those banished to Molokai because they had Hansen's Disease. We are seeking donations to help us obtain the statue, which will be placed in a meditation garden. To donate or for more information please see Fr. Lane.

Our musical termites

Termites have taken up residence in our organ and the damage is such that the organ must be replaced. The replacement cost is \$100,000. If you might be interested in helping purchase this new organ, please contact Fr. Lane. Mahalo.