



St Roch Parish Bulletin

MAY 20-21, 2023

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

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St. Roch Church

56-350 Kamehameha Highway Kahuku, HI 96731

Mass Schedule

Sunday Mass 7:30am Sunday Healing Mass 9:30am
Daily Mass (Tues-Fri) and Communion Service (Mon) 9:00am



St. Joachim Church

53-543 Kamehameha Highway Punalu'u, HI 96762

Mass Schedule

Saturday Mass 5:00pm
Charismatic & Healing Mass 4:15pm (First Saturday)

FATHER SEBASTIAN KUMAR SOOSAI

This Week's Reading **Seventh Sunday of Easter**

First Reading (From the Old Testament)
Acts of the Apostles 1:12-14 (59A)

Second Reading (From the New Testament)
1 Peter 4:13-16

Gospel
John 17:1-11a

Next Week's Reading **Pentecost Sunday**

First Reading (From the Old Testament)
Acts of the Apostles 2:1-11 (63A)

Second Reading (From the New Testament)
1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13

Gospel
John 20:19-23

Mass Intentions for the Week

Eternal Rest For:
Ofelio Mayo

Special Intentions To:
Melba Galace and Marella Galace

Healing For:
Ocean Sintos, Josephine "Pina" Faustino,
and Dennis Parkin

Congratulations to:
all our college, high school
and Elementary Schools graduates

Prayer Alert:
*Please continue to pray for Father Sebastian's
safety and safe return from his homeland.*

Church Mission

Be the heart of Jesus for others.

Church Vision

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



Christ Goes up in Glory

Happy Sunday. I pray that you all are doing well and enjoying good health and happiness. Thank you for all your prayers. I am enjoying my vacation with my family. It is very hot here and not feeling going out due to humidity. I miss you all. My prayers. Please keep safe and healthy.

On this seventh Sunday of Easter, we celebrate the solemnity of Ascension. It is an important solemnity that marks the return of Jesus to the Father. Together with the Resurrection, it is a manifestation of the victory of Christ.

Ascension is a solemnity that sustains the hope of Christians that one day we shall be where Christ is. The Catechism of the Catholic Church teaches that: “Jesus Christ, the head of the Church, precedes us into His Father’s glorious kingdom, so that we, the members of his body, may live in the hope of one day being with him forever.” (665-667).

In the gospel, Jesus knew that his apostles needed help to succeed. So he instructed them: “... Stay in the city until you are clothed with the power from on high.” And, Ascension marks the beginning of the fulfillment of Christ’s promise to us. So, as we celebrate the solemnity of Ascension today, Jesus reminds us that irrespective of our knowledge and human capabilities, we need divine help in order to succeed. This divine help will come from the Holy Spirit, to whom we must always pay attention.

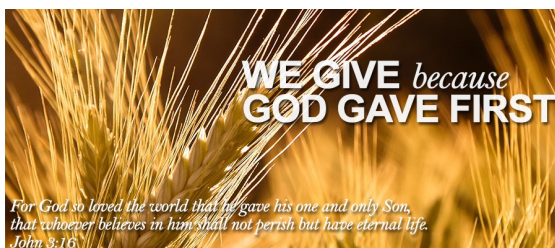
So, as we celebrate the Ascension of Christ today and expect the fulfillment of His promise on Pentecost Sunday, let us pray: “Sent forth your spirit, O Lord, and renew the face of the earth.”

God bless you. Have a wonderful week.

Weekly Treasures from May 8—May 14

Each one must do just as he has purposed in his heart, not grudgingly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. (2 Corinthians 9:7)

Offertory	\$2447.50
Candles	\$38.00
Grotto Devotion	\$20.00
Baptism	\$50.00
Building & Maintenance	\$299.00
Total:	\$2854.50



Church Cleaners Schedule



May 27



June 3

Mario and
Cion Ancheta



June 10

Amy Swiderski,
Katie Shaw

Parish Office hours:
8:00am—12:00noon
Monday—Friday

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.

Parish Calendar

Saturday, May 20	
Mass at St Joachim	5:00pm
Rosary in Grotto	
Sunday, May 21	7th Sunday of Easter
Rosary	6:45am
Mass	7:30am
Mass	9:30am
Rosary in Grotto	5:30pm
Monday, May 22	
Communion Service	9:00am
Rosary in Grotto	5:00pm
Tuesday, May 23	
Communion Service	9:00am
Rosary in Grotto	
Ministry Leaders Meeting	6:30pm
Wednesday, May 24	
Communion Service	9:00am
Rosary in Grotto	6:00pm
FCC Meeting	6:30pm
Thursday, May 25	
Communion Service	9:00am
Rosary in Grotto	
Friday, May 26	
Communion Service	9:00am
Rosary in Grotto	
Saturday, May 27	
Mass at St Joachim	5:00pm
Rosary in Grotto	
Sunday, May 28	Pentecost Sunday
Rosary	6:45pm
Mass	7:30am
RE Rosary/Get Together	8:45am
Mass	9:30am
Rosary in Grotto	

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.

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

Healing is offered every first Saturday at 4:15pm and third Sunday after 9:30am Mass.

Next Charismatic Mass will be on June 3

Online Parish Offertory Available

Please consider going online to do your offertory donations. Our official link is 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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FOR US!



Parish Directory

Altar Service..... Barbara & Wayne Hookano
 Bereavement Coordinator.....Sharin Au
 Bookkeeper.....Margaret Primacio
 Building & Maint Comm.....James Oellien
 Bulletin Editor.....Roy Nacapuy
 Divine Mercy Group.....Lydia Daquiaoag
 Church Secretary.....Kay Yumoto-Wagner
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 Music Director (Joachim).....Mark Hazzard
 Pastoral Council Chair.....Federico Mejia Jr
 Religious Ed Coordinator.....Amy Swiderski
 SacristanCleofe Mejia
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 Stewardship Coordinator.....LaVerne Rivas
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 Young Adults....Donna Barsana, Jarma Hudson
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Please turn in your Parish Registration Forms. You may drop them off in the offering box or to the Parish Office. For more information, please contact Laverne Rivas.



Please give a warm welcome to Father Ed Popish for presiding Mass this weekend.

Welcome to St Roch
Father Ed

Daily Rosary for Month of May

Everyone is invited to join us everyday in the month of May to pray the rosary at the grotto. Times may vary so please check for exact times in back of the church or call the Parish Office.

- Saturday, May 20 Lydia & Francis Daquiaoag
- Sunday, May 21 Donna & Jake Barsana
- Monday, May 22 Norma Garo and Noralyn Garo
- Tuesday, May 23 Barbara & Wayne Hookano
- Wednesday, May 24 Laverne Rivas
- Thursday, May 25 6pm Eugenia Posenecker
- Friday, May 26 Jovencio & Pacita Velarde
- Saturday, May 27 Boy & Cleofe Mejia

Thank you to all the hosting families, individuals and groups for hosting the rosary.

For the month of May, Communion Service will be offered in place of the daily 9:00am Mass. No Changes in any of the Mass Services during the weekend. All is invited.

There will be no Bible Study Classes for the month of May while Father will be away. Classes return on June 7 at 5:00pm.

Congratulations to All Our 2023 Graduates

- Janelle Bruno, Kahuku Elementary School
- Giselle Coloma-Suniga, Kahuku Elementary School
- Jennifer Badua, Kahuku High School
- Karla Bodner, Kahuku High School
- Nelson Bueno, Jr., Kahuku High School
- Pikai Kaniho, Jr., Kahuku High School
- Kayton Macanas (Mainland- Texas)
- Justin Padua, Kahuku High School
- Stansyn Pula, Kahuku High School
- Asher Tuimoa, Kahuku High School
- Abigayle Vendiola, Kalani High School
- Braden Vendiola, Kahuku High School
- Ian Coloma, Windward Community College
- Kollin Macanas, Windward Community College
- Kayla Swiderski, Norte Dame University
- Jadeyn Sumait

Religious Education Ministry Update

Save the Date. The RE end of the year family party will be on Sunday, May 28 at St Roch after the 7:30am Mass. Highlighting the day's event will be making rosaries and recite the rosary prior to the party. Students are asked to wear clothes that can get wet. Please bring a towel and sunscreen.

Important Date to Remember

Father Sebastian's farewell Potluck Party will be on June 25 at 5:30pm in the Parish Hall/Grotto. Everyone is invited. The Parish Council invites all ministry leaders to meet on Tuesday, May 23 at 6:30pm to finalize the potluck. Please attend.

This Week's Second Collection is for the Catholic Communication Campaign. Please be generous.

