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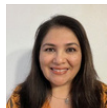
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MASS TIMES

Monday - Saturday: 7:00 am

Saturday Anticipated Mass: 5:00 pm

Sunday: 7:00 am, 9:30 am & 5:00 pm

CONFESSIONS

Saturday: 3:30 pm to 4:30 pm

1st & 3rd Friday of the month:

5:00pm - 7:00pm (during Adoration)

OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday: 8:00 am-5:00 pm

BLESSED SACRAMENT CHAPEL

Open 7 days a week:

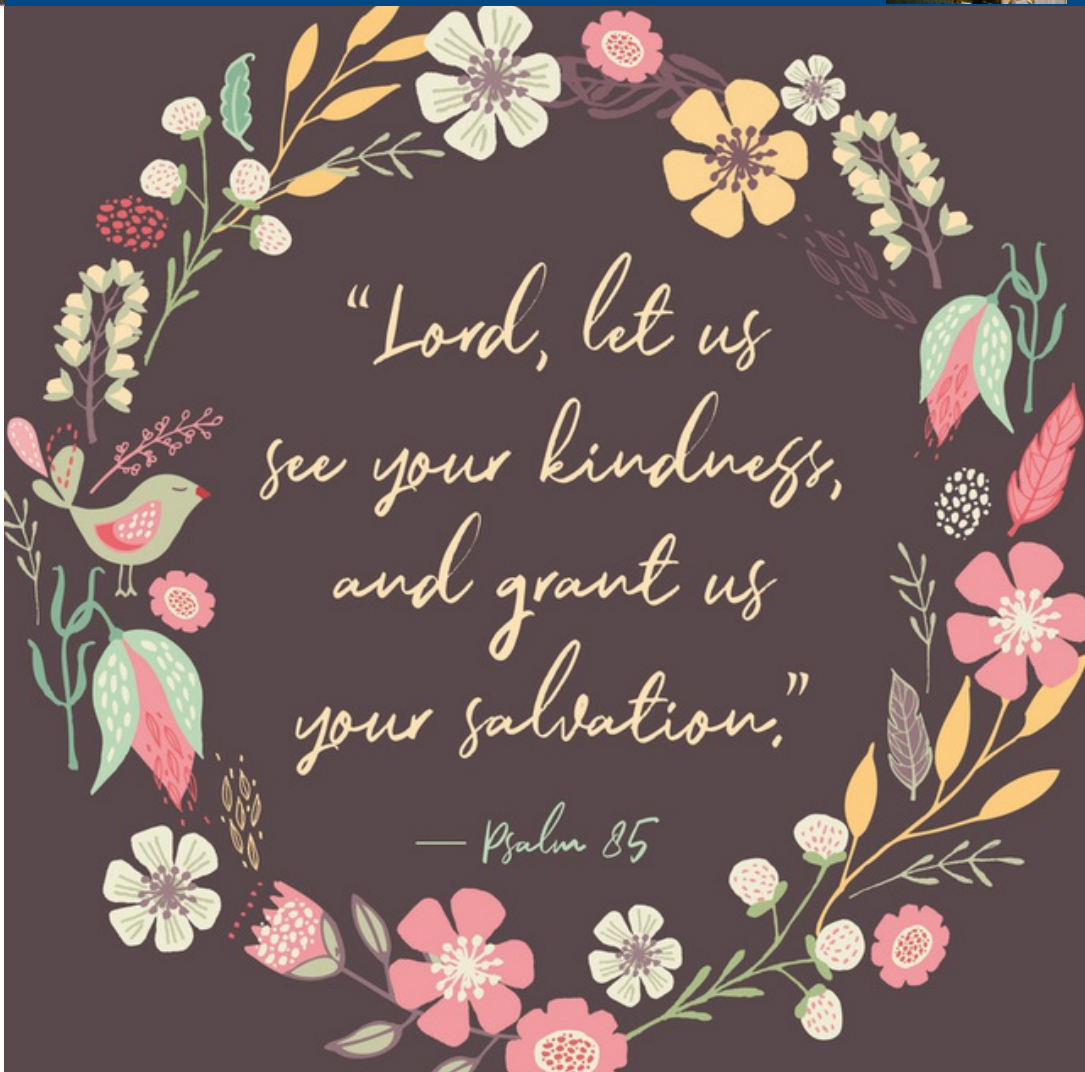
6:00 am to 6:00 pm

ADORATION

1st & 3rd Friday: 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

2nd & 4th Wednesday:

6:00 pm - 7:00 pm



August 9, 2026

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Stats: Week ending 8/2/26

Prayers Completed: 1,169

Minutes Prayed: 12,818

Total Members: 357

MASS COUNTS

August 1 & 2, 2026

Mass	Count
Sat. 5:00 pm	218
Sun. 7:00 am	246
Sun. 9:30 am	254
Sun. 5:00 pm	202
TOTAL	920



CALLING ALL MARRIED *Couples*

- ✓ Have you been married 2 years or more?
- ✓ Would you like to serve in a ministry with your spouse?
- ✓ Are you available 2-3 weekends per year?
- ✓ Do you want to help engaged couples prepare for marriage?

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MONDAY

August 10
St. Lawrence,
Deacon and Martyr
2 Cor 9:6-10
Jn 12:24-26

TUESDAY

August 11
St. Clare, Virgin
Ez 2:8-3:4
Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14

WEDNESDAY

August 12
Weekday
Ez 9:1-7; 10:18-22
Mt 18:15-20

THURSDAY

August 13
Weekday
Ez 12:1-12
Mt 18:21-19:1

FRIDAY

August 14
St. Maximilian Kolbe,
Priest and Martyr
Ez 16:1-15, 60, 63
or 16:59-63
Mt 19:3-12

SATURDAY

August 15
The Assumption of the
Blessed Virgin Mary
Rv 11:19a; 12:1-
6a, 10ab
1 Cor 15:20-27
Lk 1:39-56

SUNDAY

August 16
Twentieth Sunday
in Ordinary Time
Is 56:1, 6-7
Rom 11:13-15, 29-32
Mt 15:21-28

Mass Intentions

Missing a loved one who passed away? Celebrating a birthday or anniversary? Know someone having surgery or is in need of prayer?

What better way to pray for these intentions than to offer a Mass!

Visit the Parish Office to schedule a Mass intention, or go to stanthonymaui.org and scroll down to find the Mass Intention icon to request a Mass there

Masses are offered at 7:00 am Mass Monday - Saturday & are now offered at all Sunday Masses as well!

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Contribute to Saint Anthony Catholic Church with just a tap!

Simply **tap** your card or smartphone's wallet (ApplePay, GooglePay) against one of our **tiptap** card readers, and your card will be charged the amount listed on the card reader.

How do I donate different amounts?

You can only donate the amount that is labelled on the device. If you would like to donate more, simply tap more than once. For example, to donate \$20, you can tap a \$10 reader twice.

Near the entrance to the church is a card reader that allows you to set your own donation amount, and you are free to use that instead.

Is my information safe?

The devices do not store data or information. They use NFC technology to complete the transaction, and have security features built in to prevent tampering.

How do I keep track of my giving?

By registering the card with tiptap we are able to provide you with a record of your donation for tax purposes. Scan the QR code below to register.



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What Is SEEK?

SEEK is a five-day experience where thousands of young adult Catholics come together to encounter Christ through prayer, Adoration, the sacraments, and inspiring speakers. It's a chance to focus on what matters most, grow in authentic community, and be transformed in your faith.

Join Father Larry at this year's SEEK Conference: Ever Ancient, Ever New—January 1–5 in San Antonio, TX.

Contact Ldenis@rcchawaii.org or call 808-867-6152 for more information.



2026
2027

Family Faith Formation

Growing Together in Christ
Find Your Place at St. Anthony



Faith formation is a lifelong journey. Whether you are just beginning, preparing for a sacrament, returning to the Church, or continuing to grow in your faith, there is a place for you at St. Anthony. We invite children, youth, adults, and families to grow together through prayer, learning, worship, service, and community.

OUR MISSION

We accompany children, youth, adults, and families as they encounter Jesus Christ, grow in the Catholic faith, celebrate the sacraments, and joyfully live the Gospel through prayer, worship, service, and community.

Find Your Place

Families (Grades K-5)

Hui 'Ohana

1st & 3rd Sundays of the Month

8:00 - 9:15 am in the Cafeteria

Parents and children grow together through prayer, learning, worship, and engaging activities that continue at home.

Youth (Grades 6-12)

Youth Nights EDGE & Life Teen

1st, 2nd, 4th and 5th Tuesdays of the Month

6-8 pm in the Cafeteria

Middle and high school youth grow in faith through friendships, prayer, service, retreats, leadership, and fun.

Sacramental Preparation

Preparation for Baptism (Age 7+), First Reconciliation, Confirmation, and First Holy Communion. Programs available per diocesan guidelines. Must have at least one year of formal faith formation prior to enrolling in sacramental preparation.

Adult Faith Formation - Looking to Grow?

Becoming Catholic? Complete Your Sacraments?

Adults are invited to explore the Catholic faith through OCIA, complete the Sacraments of Initiation, or continue growing through Adult Faith Formation.



Scan QR code for the Adult Registration form.

No matter where you are on your faith journey, we are here to walk with you.

Please see our parish website for more detailed information on all of the Faith Formation opportunities.

Registration is Now Open!

There's a Place for Everyone at St. Anthony!

Register Today

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Scan the QR Code for
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Good News!

August 9, 2026

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (A)

1 Kings 19:9a, 11–13a / Romans 9:1–5
/ Matthew 14:22–33

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In the first reading, Elijah is ready for anything—a whirlwind, an earthquake, a fire—because “the Lord will pass by” (1 Kings 19:11). But God comes tiptoeing, with a tiny whisper. Elijah, a giant of a prophet, covers his face like a child and wraps himself in the word of the Lord. Ordinarily, at this point, a homily would move on to the gospel. But in the second reading, from Romans, we are brought up short. Paul, a giant himself, would love a reassuring whisper from God. He is in utter agony, for the doubtful salvation of “my own brothers,” the Jews. Such is his distress that he wishes he could offer himself in exchange, even to the extent of being “accursed and separated from Christ” (literally, “anathema”) for “my kin.” (See Romans 9:3.) His anguish is heartbreaking, especially since it seems to be a prayer he has repeated over and over. Paul was no doubt thinking of Moses, who dramatically offered his own life to save the Israelites from God’s judgment after the golden calf: “[Lord,] if you would only forgive their sin! But if you will not, then blot me out of the book that you have written” (Exodus 32:32). Paul’s faith told him that Christ had opened the door of salvation to everyone, and even rejection by the chosen people could not close it. In fact, it confirmed its universal promise. A paradox perhaps, much like when Jesus walked on water, as we hear about in today’s gospel. ●

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St. Anthony Youth Ministry – Back to Square One!

Calling all middle school and high school youth! Join us for our first Youth Night of the season on Tuesday, August 11, from 6:00–8:00 p.m. in the St. Anthony Church Cafeteria.

All good things begin at Square 1! Kick off this new season with an evening of fun, games, and fellowship. Enjoy interactive activities, reconnect with old friends, and make new ones. Whether you’re new or returning, this is the perfect opportunity to build friendships, grow in faith, and become part of our youth community.

Bring a friend—we can’t wait to welcome you and begin an amazing year together!

10 Liturgical Norms Every Catholic Should Know - PART 1

Simple Ways to Worship God with Greater Reverence

The Sacred Liturgy is the Church’s highest act of worship. In the Mass, Christ Himself gathers His people, proclaims His Word, and offers His saving sacrifice through the Eucharist. For this reason, the Church provides liturgical norms—not as unnecessary rules, but as practical guides that foster reverence, unity, and faithful worship. When Catholics understand these practices, they participate more deeply in the mystery they celebrate.

1. Prepare Your Heart Through Silence

Before Mass begins, the church should be a place of prayer rather than conversation. A few moments of silence help us leave behind distractions and prepare to encounter Christ in the Eucharist.

“The church is a house of prayer where the Eucharist is celebrated and reserved.”

(CCC 1181)

Sources: *Catechism of the Catholic Church* (CCC) 1181; *General Instruction of the Roman Missal* (GIRM) 45.

2. Observe the Eucharistic Fast

Catholics who intend to receive Holy Communion should fast for at least one hour before Communion. Only water and medicine do not break the fast. This simple discipline reminds us that Christ is our true spiritual food.

Sources: *Code of Canon Law*, Canon 919; CCC 1387.

3. Receive Holy Communion Worthily

The Church teaches that anyone conscious of having committed mortal sin should first receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation before approaching Holy Communion. Receiving the Eucharist worthily shows reverence for Christ’s Real Presence.

Sources: CCC 1385; *Code of Canon Law*, Canon 916; 1 Corinthians 11:27–29.

4. Follow the Liturgical Postures

Standing, sitting, kneeling, and making the prescribed gestures during Mass are not empty rituals. These common postures express the unity of the Church and the participation of both body and soul in divine worship.

Sources: GIRM 42–44.

5. Listen Attentively to the Word of God

During the Liturgy of the Word, Christ speaks to His people through Sacred Scripture. Listening attentively is itself an act of worship, preparing our hearts to receive Him in Holy Communion.

Sources: *Sacrosanctum Concilium* 7; GIRM 29; CCC 1088.

THIS WEEK'S PARISH CALENDAR

Also available on our website: stanthonymaui.org

SUNDAY, AUGUST 9, 2026

7:00 am Mass
 9:30 am Mass
 1:00 pm Maui Filipino Catholic Club Meeting -
 Borges Room
 3:00 pm Divine Mercy Prayer Group - Church
 5:00 pm Mass

MONDAY, AUGUST 10, 2026

6:30 am Rosary - Church
 7:00 am Mass - Church
 4:00 pm Sacred Gestures Women Practice - Church

TUESDAY, AUGUST 11, 2026

All Day SAS: Picture taking-FLC
 6:30 am Rosary - Church
 7:00 am Mass - Church
 8:30 am Bible Study - Hale Ho'okipa
 6:00 pm Bible Study - Hale Ho'okipa

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 12, 2026

6:30 am Rosary - Church
 7:00 am Mass - Church
 9:00 am Breaking Open the Word - Borges Room
 5:00 pm Sun. 5pm Choir Practice - Church
 6:00 pm Women's Retreat Planning Meeting -
 Borges Room
 6:00 pm Adoration - Chapel

THURSDAY, AUGUST 13, 2026

6:30 am Rosary - Church
 7:00 am Mass - Church
 9:00 am Kahili Crafters - Borges Room
 6:00 pm Baptismal Interviews - Hale Ho'okipa
 7:00 pm Sat. 5pm Choir Practice - Church
 7:00 pm Knights of Columbus - Borges Room

FRIDAY, AUGUST 14, 2026

6:30 am Rosary - Church
 7:00 am Mass - Church
 9:00 am Craft Group - Borges Room
 9:00 am Prayer Group Team Mtg/Dcn. Stephen -
 Hale Ho'okipa

SATURDAY, AUGUST 15, 2026

6:30 am Rosary - Church
 7:00 am Mass - Church
 3:30 pm Confessions
 5:00 pm Mass

UPCOMING ADORATION



Wednesday,
 August 12th -
 6:00pm - 7:00pm

No Adoration on
 August 21st
 because of
 Mass in Lahaina

Announcements

- Congratulations to our **newest Pastoral Council members** who were nominated by current Council members and chosen by a drawing by an altar server & the Holy Spirit at Masses last weekend: Teri Evangelista, Robert Ostrander, David Smith and Ehra Guiwa as our Youth Rep. Fr. Larry looks forward to working closely with all of our Council members!
- **Maria Lanakila** has been closed for renovations but will reopen on Friday, August 21, 2026 with Mass at 5:30pm. Bishop Michael will be saying Mass and Bishop Emeritus Larry will concelebrate with the priests of our Vicariate. Please join us if you can.

Parish Finances July 27 - August 2, 2026

Sunday Offerings	\$13,145.10
Candles	\$514.00
Second Collection: Catholic Charities Hawaii	\$4,655.00
Online Offerings	\$2,135.00
School Donations	\$2,718.00
Other Income	\$0.00
Total Income	\$23,168.00

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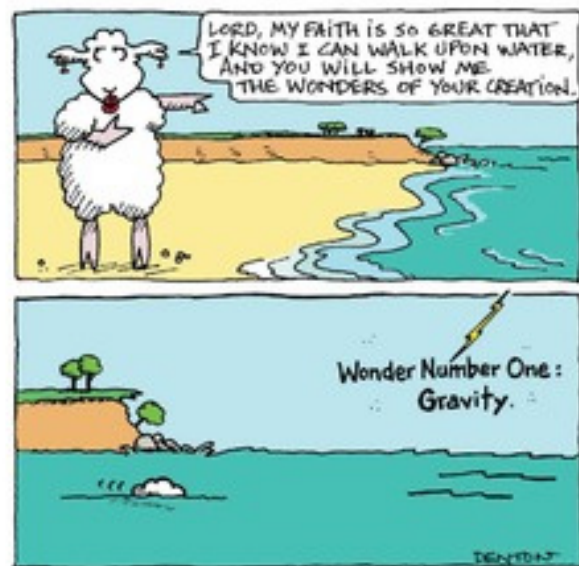
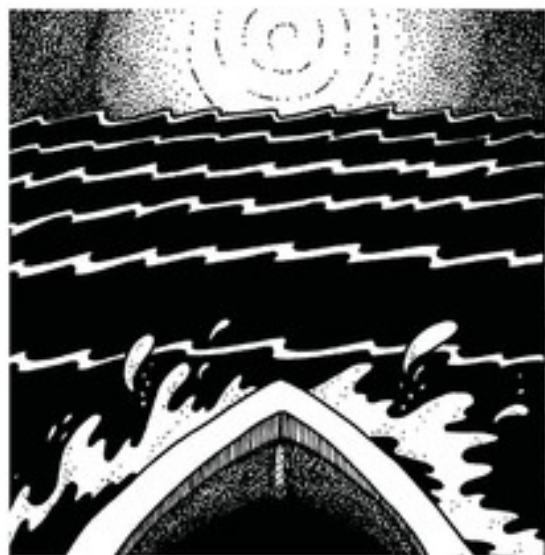
This Week's Readings at Mass

- 1 Kings 19:9, 11-13 • Elijah's flight to Horeb
- Romans 9:1-5 • Grief for the Jews; God's free choice
- Matthew 14:22-33 • Jesus walks on water

Often people hear this passage of Peter's failed attempt to walk on water, and they hear criticism in Jesus' voice: "O you of little faith, why did you doubt?" They assume Jesus was disappointed that Peter doubted him. But Jesus wasn't sinking. Peter was. So what if it's the other way around? What if Jesus was asking Peter why he doubted *himself* and his own ability to walk on water?

In Jesus' time and culture, Jesus wasn't the only rabbi who had students, "disciples," following him and learning from him. It was a common practice for rabbis to choose disciples to follow them whom they judged could eventually, with enough teaching and training, do what they did. Being a disciple to a rabbi was a high calling; very few men were good enough students to follow in a rabbi's footsteps. The student had to have the potential to do what his master did. That's why when Jesus sent the disciples out two by two to cure the sick, cast out demons, and proclaim the good news, others wouldn't have been surprised. After all, they were training all along to do what their master did.

So when Peter sees Jesus walking on water, he wants to do what his master does. Incredibly, Peter *can* walk on water—at least until he looks around and begins doubting himself. If Jesus didn't think Peter could walk on water, he wouldn't have told Peter to get out of the boat. If Jesus didn't



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"Lord, if it is you, command me to come to you on the water."

Sheepish Question:

How can I square "reality" with my faith in the power of Jesus?

know Peter could do what Jesus did, he wouldn't have called him to be his disciple in the first place. In fact, Jesus told his disciples, "You didn't choose me. I chose you" (Jn. 15:16). Jesus believes in Peter and the other disciples—that's why he chose them. He knew they could feed the hungry, clothe the naked, care for the sick, and work for justice. And they did—and they changed the course of history.

The thing is, Jesus believes in all of us too. Two thousand years later Jesus chooses all of us to do what he did. We have faith in Jesus. Can we accept that Jesus has faith in us?

Questions of the Week

- 1 Jesus chose 12 apostles who were probably illiterate, working poor people to carry on his work after he was gone. Who have you seen God work through whom others might have overlooked because of their lack of education, money, or prestige?
- 2 Do you think that Jesus has faith in you? Why or why not?

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