



# St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church



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## St. Anthony Catholic Church & School

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ST. ANTHONY CHURCH CLERGY & STAFF

“And a voice came from  
the heavens, saying,  
“This is my beloved Son,  
with whom  
I am well pleased.””

— Matthew 3:17

Baptism of the Lord  
JANUARY 11, 2026

### OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Friday: 8:00 am–5:00 pm  
Closed for lunch: 12:00 pm–1:00 pm  
*Closed on weekends & holidays*

### DEVOTIONS

First Friday Devotions: 7:30 am  
Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help  
Every Wednesday: 7:45 am  
Divine Mercy Chaplet: 3:00 pm on Sunday

### ADORATION & BENEDICTION

1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday: 5:00 pm – 7:00 pm  
2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday: 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm

### MASS TIMES

Sunday: 7:00 am, 9:30 am & 5:00 pm  
Monday to Saturday: 7:00 am  
Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:00 pm

### CONFESSIONS

Saturday: 3:30 pm to 4:30 pm  
or by appointment through the office

### BLESSED SACRAMENT CHAPEL

Open 7 days a week from  
6:00 am to 6:00 pm

### SPANISH MASSES:

St. Theresa Church, Kihei  
Saturday, 7:00 pm

Christ the King Church, Kahului  
Sunday, 12:00 pm

Sacred Hearts Church, Kapalua  
Sunday, 6:00 pm





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# HELP NEEDED

You all did a great job helping  
us clean and decorate our  
Church for Christmas.

Now we need your help to put  
everything away, please.



MONDAY, JANUARY 12, 2026  
4:00PM - PAU

ST. ANTHONY CATHOLIC CHURCH

QUESTIONS? EMAIL MADDIE AT:  
BABYARCHIEP3@GMAIL.COM

MAHALO!

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# ✧ ✧ March for Life ✧ ✧

**ALL LIFE MATTERS** — *this is WHY we march!*  
Please come one, come all—bring the whole family—  
and join us for the Maui March for Life:

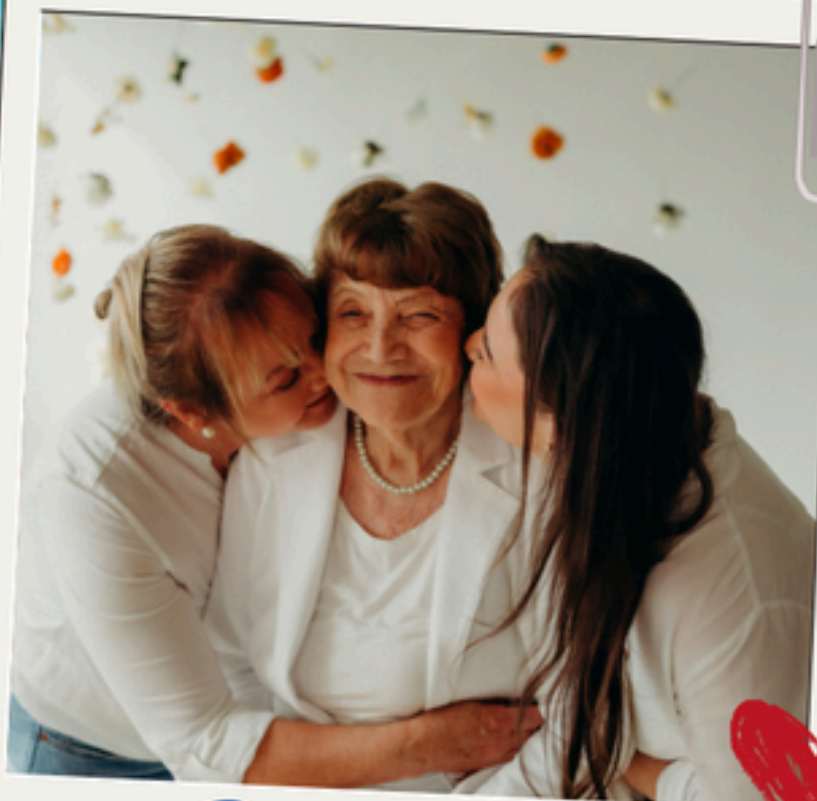
***Saturday, January 24 at 8:30 AM***

We will begin at the corner of Kane Street and Ka'ahumanu Avenue and march together to Christ the King, where we will conclude with prayer in the church.

Our witness affirms that respect for life means honoring life from conception until natural death.

Feel free to make and bring posters that share your message for LIFE!

***For more information: Cid Newberg,  
Vicariate Respect Life Coordinator***



*Defend Life!*

MARCH WITH US!





# POWER OF *Love*

## WOMEN'S RETREAT

"THAT CHRIST MAY DWELL IN YOUR HEARTS THROUGH FAITH...  
ROOTED AND GROUNDED IN LOVE."  
*(EPHESIANS 3:17-21)*

MEMORIAL OF ST. MARIANNE COPE

**FRIDAY, JAN. 23**

6:00 PM TO 9:00 PM  
REGISTRATION, PRAYER,  
SONGS, TEACHINGS AND  
SMALL GROUPS

**GUEST SPEAKER: SISTER CELESTE CABRAL**

MEMORIAL OF ST. FRANCIS DE SALES

**SATURDAY, JAN. 24**

7:00 AM TO 2:00 PM  
MASS, CONFESSION, BREAKFAST,  
PRAYER, TEACHINGS, SMALL  
GROUP, LUNCH, MEDITATION,  
SACRED GESTURE,  
CLOSING PRAYER

**GUEST SPEAKER: FATHER ACE TUI**

HOST AND LOCATION OF RETREAT

**ST. ANTHONY, WAILUKU**

RETREAT OPEN TO ALL WOMEN



1 SCAN QR CODE TO REGISTER

**\$20.00  
REGISTRATION FEE**

2 CALL YOUR RESPECTIVE PARISH TO REGISTER.

3 CALL ST. ANTHONY CHURCH AT 808.244.4148 TO REGISTER!

REGISTRATION CLOSING JANUARY 14





# MAUI YOUNG ADULTS

## JANUARY 2026 EVENTS



**14/  
WED**

### HOLY HOUR

St. Anthony Church, Wailuku  
6:00 pm  
*Fellowship at Parlay to follow*



**20/  
TUES**

### SAINT & SIP

*Faith Sharing*  
St. Anthony School, Wailuku  
Room 101  
6:30 pm



**24/  
SAT**

### MARCH FOR LIFE

Corner of Kane St & Ka'ahumanu Ave to  
Christ the King Church, Kahului  
8:30 am

**MORE  
INFORMATION**

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# SAS NEWSLETTER

Aloha mai kakou,

Dear Parishioners,

Blessings to you and your families. On behalf of the students, faculty, and staff of St. Anthony School, thank you for your continued prayers, support, and encouragement. Our school is deeply grateful to be part of a parish community that values Catholic education and the formation of young people in mind, body, and spirit.

As we look ahead to the next school year, conversations regarding the future of St. Anthony School have begun, and enrollment is now open. We invite families who are discerning Catholic education for their children to apply and to visit our school website for information on admissions and available scholarships. New families are also warmly invited to attend our Open House on January 24 from 9:00-11:00 a.m. This is a wonderful opportunity to learn more about our mission, meet our staff, and experience the spirit of aloha that defines our school community.

We are especially grateful for the continued generosity of our supporters. Those interested in becoming an ACE Scholarship donor are encouraged to contact me directly at the school office. An ACE Scholarship provides sustained support for a student through graduation. Additional information is available at [acescholarships.org](http://acescholarships.org).

Please continue to keep St. Anthony School in your prayers as we discern next steps together. Let us continue the legacy entrusted to us, always seeking God's will in all that we do.

*Peace and Blessings,  
Mary Jean S. Bega*

*St. Anthony School  
Po'o Kula (Principal)*





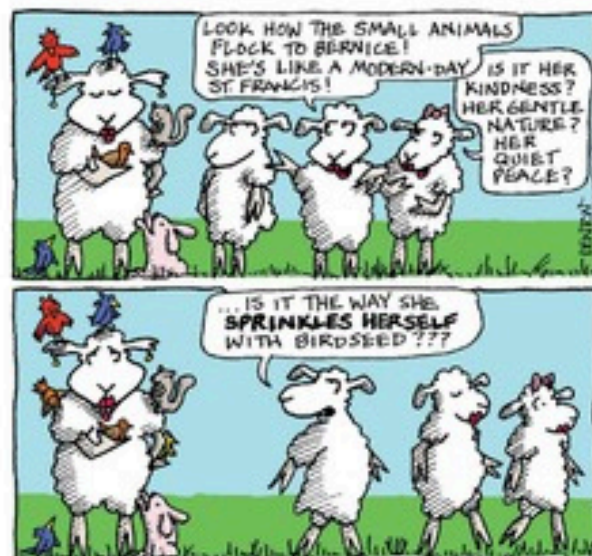
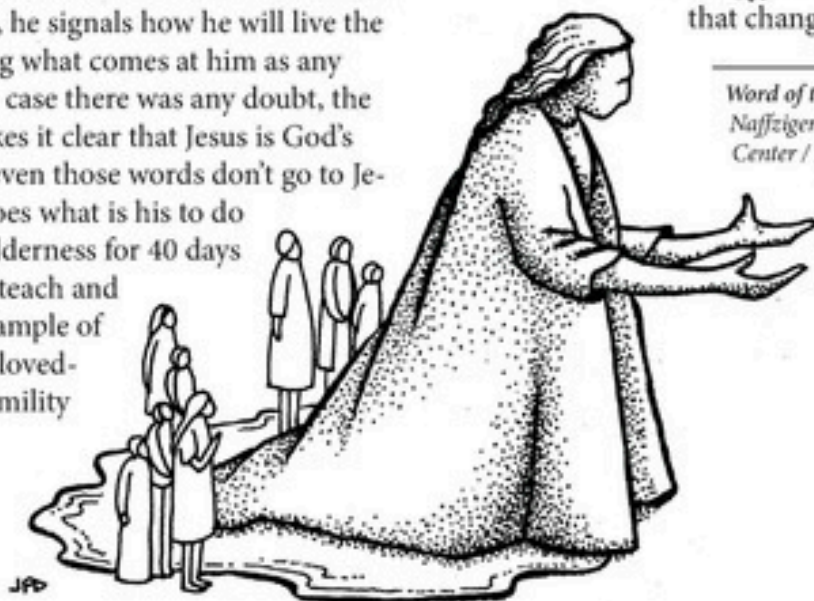
## With All the Rest

### *This Week's Readings at Mass*

- Isaiah 42:1-4, 6-7 • The servant of the Lord
- Acts 10:34-38 • Peter's discourse; the good news of peace
- Matthew 3:13-17 • Baptism of Jesus

Jesus comes from humble beginnings and begins his public career showing humility. Jesus was born to humble parents, a peasant carpenter and a young mother of no particular standing. He was born in the relatively unknown town of Bethlehem, nothing like the centers of power and prestige in Jerusalem and Rome of his day. He was visited by the esteemed magi and given lavish gifts, but immediately after, his family became refugees, fleeing their home country for their lives. When they returned, they had to begin building their life again in the simple, small town of Nazareth. It's no surprise then that Jesus grows to adulthood without an inflated ego.

Right from the beginning of Jesus' adult life, we see how his humility plays out at his baptism. John was the famous one at that point, with huge crowds of people leaving their homes and workplaces to go out into the desert to hear him preach and teach. Humble, poor people were going to him to be baptized, as well as the well-educated and well-off religious leaders of the day. Jesus thought it was only right that he began his public ministry by being baptized "with all the rest." In his solidarity with all humans, Jesus doesn't ask for special treatment because he is the Son of God. At his baptism, he signals how he will live the rest of his life, accepting what comes at him as any other human has to. In case there was any doubt, the voice from heaven makes it clear that Jesus is God's Son, the Beloved. But even those words don't go to Jesus' head. He simply does what is his to do next: going into the wilderness for 40 days and then beginning to teach and heal. He is a perfect example of one who accepts his belovedness and retains his humility



"This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well-pleased."

### **Sheepish Question:**

Although we are baptized in water—not birdseed—how does my baptism with Christ empower me to live in a way that pleases God?

## Questions of the Week

- 1 Whom do you know from humble beginnings who have earned your respect because they have shown themselves to be people of great integrity?
- 2 Often people feel the need to show off, puff themselves up, or otherwise prove their worthiness to feel good about themselves. If everyone were able to believe that they are beloved and that God is pleased with them, how might that change things?

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# Prayer Intentions

## FOR OUR DECEASED

+ Norma Arzaga + Pancho Delos Santos

## PRAYERS FOR HEALING

Eva Ambrose	Roxanne Corniel	Ruthie Shimabukuro
Beverly Boteilho	Rich Ross	Michelle Santos
Gwen Boteilho	Kevin McCowan	Rob Aguilar
Norma Visitacion	Michael Victorino	Kent Benker
Genevieve DeLima	Russell Takiguchi	Joseph Kong
Corazon Dongon	Winona Martinez	Helen Amoral
Nancy Beaverson	Melanie Phillips Wong	Alison Kunishige
Kurt Galatro	Keoni Catugal	Bertha Ching
Rosie Gomes	Nancy Vorhies	Robert Mondoy
Dee Wynne	Lisa Among	Diana Ledward
Leonilda Caires	Melissa Namauu	David Wilson
	Melissa Langer	Mahina Martin

**\*\* Please call the parish office to add or remove names from Prayers for Healing. \*\***

MASS INTENTIONS are read during Prayers of the Faithful at the 7:00 am Mass - Monday through Saturday only. Please request Mass intentions through the parish office.

## THIS WEEK'S PARISH CALENDAR

**Sunday, January 11, 2026**

**The Baptism of the Lord**

7:00 am: Mass

8:00 am: Sacramental Prep Formation / Cafeteria

9:30 am: Mass

5:00 pm: Mass

**2nd Collection: Maintenance**

**Monday, January 12, 2026**

6:30 am: Holy Rosary

7:00 am: Mass

4:00 pm: Put away Christmas Decorations / Church

4:00 pm: Sacred Gestures Women Practice

5:00 pm: Sacred Gestures Youth Practice

**Tuesday, January 13, 2026**

6:30 am: Holy Rosary

7:00 am: Mass

8:00 am: Breaking Open the Word/Deacon Borges Room

6:00 pm: Youth Night / Cafeteria

**Wednesday, January 14, 2026**

6:30 am: Holy Rosary

7:00 am: Mass

9:00 am: + Norma Arzaga - Funeral Visitation & Mass

6:00 pm - 7:00 pm: Adoration (EPIC Holy Hour)

**Thursday, January 15, 2026**

6:30 am: Holy Rosary

7:00 am: Mass

10:00 am: Maui/Lanai Vicariate Meeting/SAS Flex Center

**Friday, January 16, 2026**

6:30 am: Holy Rosary

7:00 am: Mass

6:00 pm - 7:00 pm: Adoration / No Confessions

**(NOTE SPECIAL START TIME)**

**Saturday, January 17, 2026**

6:30 am: Holy Rosary

7:00 am: Mass

3:30 pm: Confessions

5:00 pm: Sunday Anticipated Mass

**2nd Collection: Debt Reduction**



## Announcements

- Attention Ministry Leaders, Co-Leaders, Pastoral Council & Finance Council Members: You should have received an invitation about our **Leadership Gathering on Monday, February 9, 2026 at 6:00pm** in the Church. Please RSVP to the Church Office.

## UPCOMING ADORATION

**Wednesday,  
January 14<sup>th</sup> - 6 - 7pm**

**Friday,  
January 16<sup>th</sup> - 6 - 7pm  
(NO Confessions - NOTE  
SPECIAL START TIME)**

**Wednesday,  
January 28<sup>th</sup> - 6 - 7pm**

**Friday,  
February 6<sup>th</sup> - 5 - 7pm  
(with Confessions)**

**Adoration is held on the 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Friday and 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday**



# Stewardship of Treasure

St. Anthony Church  
December 28th, 2025

**Weekend  
after  
Christmas**

## Offertory Collections/Unrestricted Donations

Sunday Offerings	\$	13,023.00
On-Line Offerings	\$	2,009.20
Christmas	\$	22,324.00
Simbangabi	\$	4,149.00
Baptisms	\$	200.00
Envelope Donations	\$	20.00
Funerals	\$	500.00
Donations	\$	1,100.00
Candles	\$	755.00
Operating Income Subtotal	\$	44,080.20

## \* Second Collections/Custodial Collections/Restricted Donations

Annual Appeal Ohana In Christ	\$	1,153.00
Building & Maintenance	\$	189.00
Chapel Renovation Donations	\$	71.00
Debt Reduction	\$	2,606.00
LED Screens Donation	\$	45.00
Mass Intentions	\$	40.00
Maui Catholic Schools	\$	52.00
Poor Fund	\$	256.00
Reimbursement	\$	509.58
Retirement Fund for Religious	\$	35.00
*Restricted Income Subtotal	\$	4,956.58

Total Income Collected\$ 49,036.78

\* Restricted Donations to be applied to a specific use. These funds are not to be used towards general operating expenses unless instructed by the donor.



# The WISDOM of the SAINTS

## 365 Days of Inspiration

Each week, we post seven inspirational quotes from various saints for you to meditate and pray upon daily.

### **JANUARY 11 - FEMININITY**

"You, who have the Kingdom of Heaven, are not a poor little woman, but a queen."

*Saint Jordan of Saxony*

### **JANUARY 12 - PARENTING**

"If you want to bring happiness to the whole world, go home and love your family."

*Saint Teresa of Calcutta*

### **JANUARY 13 - WORK**

"The first end I propose in our daily work is to do the will of God.  
Secondly, to do it in the manner He wills it.  
Thirdly, to do it because it is His will."

*Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton*

### **JANUARY 14 - MARRIAGE**

"It takes three to make love, not two:  
You, your spouse, and God.  
Without God, people only succeed in bringing out the worst in one another.  
Lovers who have nothing else to do but love each other soon find there is nothing else. Without a central loyalty, life is unfinished."

*Blessed Fulton Sheen*

### **JANUARY 15 - TRUE STRENGTH**

"Learn to be stronger in spirit than in your muscles. If you are, you will be real apostles of faith in God."

*Blessed Pier Giorgio Frassati*

### **JANUARY 16 - WEALTH**

"Your wealth is measured by the lack of your needs, not by the abundance of your possessions."

*Saint Charbel Makhlouf*

### **JANUARY 17 - SACRIFICE**

"Good is never accomplished except at the cost of those who do it. Truth never breaks through except through the sacrifice of those who spread it."

*Saint John Henry Newman*

## Stewardship of Treasure

St. Anthony Church

January 4, 2026

### *Offertory Collections/Unrestricted Donations*

Sunday Offerings	\$ 11,665.00
On-Line Offerings	\$ 2,873.40
Ash Wednesday	\$ 5.00
Candles	\$ 562.00
Christmas	\$ 684.00
Church Donations	\$ 2,750.00
Easter	\$ 4.00
Envelope Fee	\$ 1,703.00
New Years	\$ 1,309.00
Other Income - Refund	

Operating Income Subtotal \$ 21,555.40

### *\* Second Collections/Custodial Collections/Restricted Donations*

Augustine Educational Foundation	\$ 5.00
Annual Appeal Ohana In Christ	\$ 943.00
Building & Maintenance	\$ 575.00
Chapel Renovation Donations	\$ 1,255.00
Church in Latin America	\$ 5.00
Debt Reduction	\$ 16.25
Mass Intentions	\$ 360.00
Maui Catholic Schools	\$ 1,790.00
Maui Disaster Relief	\$ 4,323.00
Poor Fund	\$ 703.20

\*Restricted Income Subtotal \$ 9,975.45

Total Income Collected \$ 31,530.85

*\* Restricted Donations to be applied to a specific use. These funds are not to be used towards general operating expenses unless instructed by the donor.*

**Mass Count for January 1, 2026:  
211 Adults & 8 Children**

## **MASS COUNTS January 3 & 4, 2026**

<u>Mass</u>	<u>Adults</u>	<u>Children</u>
Saturday, 5:00 PM Mass	190	10
Sunday, 7:00 AM Mass	231	14
Sunday, 9:30 AM Mass	265	51
Sunday, 5:00 PM Mass	180	30
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>866</b>	<b>105</b>

## WAYS TO GIVE AND SUPPORT YOUR CHURCH



**DROP OFF** your donation at church when you come to Mass or at the parish office during office hours (M-F: 8 am-5 pm).



**DONATE ONLINE AT:**  
[www.stanthonymaui.org](http://www.stanthonymaui.org)



**MAIL YOUR DONATION TO:** 10  
1627 Mill Street, Wailuku, HI 96793



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**ST. ANTHONY SCHOOL IS A MINISTRY OF  
ST. ANTHONY CHURCH**

## GENERAL CHURCH INFORMATION

**NEW PARISHIONERS: WELCOME!**  
Please register in the parish office or on our parish website.

**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:** Complete the Baptismal Registration Form online or contact Diane Jacinto at the Church Office - 808-244-4148. Baptisms are held on the last weekend of the month (no Baptisms during Lent and the month of December).

**SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY:** Contact the office at least one year before your wedding to schedule marriage preparation sessions.

**ANointing OF THE SICK AT THE HOSPITAL:** Ask the patient's nurse to contact the Hospital Chaplain who will call a Catholic priest. He will respond.

**ANointing OF THE SICK OUTSIDE OF THE HOSPITAL / HOSPICE:** Call the parish office at 808-244-4148. Listen to the prompts carefully after office hours.

**HOLY COMMUNION FOR THE SICK & HOMEBOUND:** Call the parish office. We will make arrangements to have the Body of Christ brought to your family member.

**FUNERALS:** Contact our parish office **before** making funeral arrangements with the mortuary. Father and our Bereavement and Music Ministries will assist your family.

**MASS INTENTIONS:** Mass Intentions are confirmed in the parish office one week before the requested date. Mass Intentions are read only Monday through Saturday at the 7:00 AM Mass.

**HOUSE BLESSINGS:** Contact the parish office to make arrangements for Father or Deacon to bless your home.

**BLESSING OF CARS & RELIGIOUS ARTICLES:** Cars are blessed after Mass. To bless religious articles, approach Father after any Mass.

**OCIA - ORIGINAL ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION (to become Catholic):**  
Contact Tanya Barbero: 808-244-4148 or tbarbero@rcchawaii.org

**CATHOLIC CHARITIES HAWAII - MAUI:**  
65 South Kane Street, Kahului HI 96732, 808-873-4673

## PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We, the St. Anthony of Padua Church, participate in the mission of the Diocese of Honolulu to bring Christ to the world.

We are a community of faith that lives and promotes a vibrant family spirit in Catholic spirituality and service to the people of God on Maui.

## SCHOOL MISSION STATEMENT

St. Anthony School is a Catholic, Marianist-sponsored Preschool - 12th Grade school where all are welcomed in the spirit of aloha. We are committed to serving mind, body, and spirit in a CHRIST-CENTERED, challenging academic environment that inspires each student to be their individual best for the world.

## SCHOOL VISION STATEMENT

We envision St. Anthony School as a thriving, top school of choice where our students reach their full potential and make a positive, meaningful contribution to our campus, our community and our world.

## MINISTRY LEADERS

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**Church Cleaning**  
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