

St. Anthony of Padua

Catholic Church



STEWARDSHIP PARISH: HOSPITALITY | PRAYER | FORMATION | SERVICE

St. Anthony Church & School

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OFFICE HOURS

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

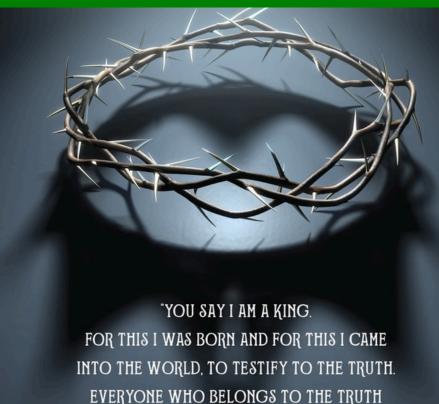
DEVOTIONS

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

1st & 3rd Fridays: 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm 2nd & 4th Wednesdays: 6:00 pm - 7:00pm

ST. ANTHONY CHURCH & SCHOOL CLERGY



John 18:37

LISTENS TO MY VOICE.

The Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

NOVEMBER 23, 2025

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 On behalf of my mom, Carol, my sister, Colleen, my brother-in-law, Rodney, and myself, we express our heartfelt gratitude for your prayers, generosity, and words of support following the passing of my dad, Larry Denis, Jr. Your kindness has been a source of comfort to us during this difficult time. I am especially grateful for your understanding and support while I was away a couple of weeks to be with my dad and family in his final days. Please know how deeply we appreciate the love and generosity you have shown to our family.



MAHALO NUI LOA!

FROM THE ST. ANTHONY CHURCH CRAFT CLUB!

It is with gratitude we extend our appreciation to our St. Anthony Church community for your donations and support at our recent **Christmas Craft & Bake Sale!** Because of your generous financial support, we were able to raise \$8,723 to help our Church with maintenance projects!

"Behind the scenes" ... money for craft supplies and ingredients were donated months before the Sale! On Friday ... jams, pickled onions, salsa and other preserves were dropped off and refrigerated for the weekend! And on Saturday and Sunday mornings ... freshly baked pies, cookies, cakes, bread pudding, cinnamon buns, Chinese pretzels and Asian sweet treats were donated along with dish gardens & plants! Finally on Sunday night ... the volunteers came to help pack up the unsold merchandise and clean up!

A special "Thank You" to the Na Lima Kokua (Helping Hands) Craft Club members for sharing their creative talents, for planning the Sale and for hosting our fellow parishioners after each of the masses!

There is a Hawaiian proverb that says:
'A'ohe hana nui ke alu 'ia" (No task is too big when shared by all).

Mahalo Nui Loa!



THANK YOU

Mahalo Nui Loa for Your Generosity!

Our St. Anthony Men's Ministry Food Drive on November 8 was a tremendous success thanks to you, our compassionate parishioners and community partners.

Together, we collected 3 full pallets — totaling **2,303 pounds**of food — to support individuals and families in need across
Maui. Your kindness, prayers, and willingness to share from the heart truly make a difference.

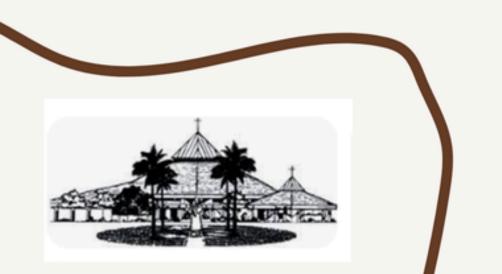
A special mahalo to the men of BRIC – Brothers Resilient in Christ for their dedication, hard work, and servant leadership in coordinating this effort.

May God bless you abundantly for your generosity and aloha.

Celebrate with our St. Anthony School Chana

Mass of Thanksgiving

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 8:15 AM











Every year, our St. Anthony 'ohana has the opportunity to share God's blessings with those in our community who are most in need. This Thanksgiving, we invite you to support M.E.O.'s BEST Program and Koinonia Project, both serving men and women who have recently been released from incarceration and are working hard to rebuild their lives. Your generosity helps provide hope, dignity, and a fresh start. Please consider donating from the list of needed items below.

Bring your unwrapped gifts to Thanksgiving Day Mass.

Mahalo for being a blessing to others!



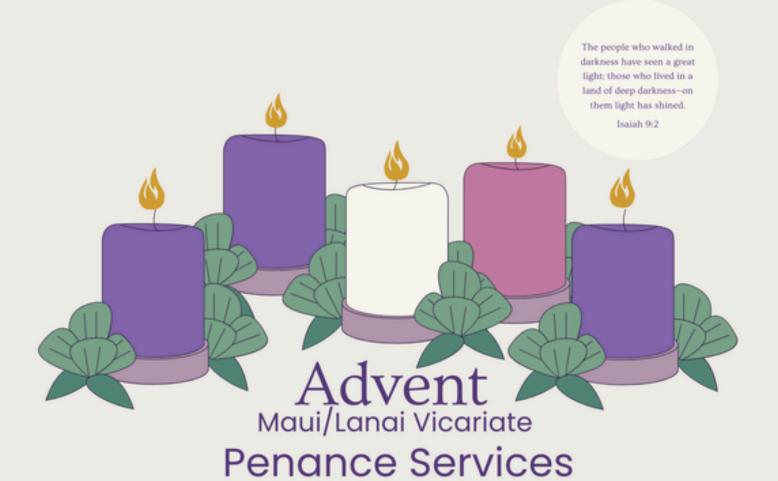
DONATION NEEDS LIST



- toiletries & hygiene products (travel size)
- backpack lightweight
- rubber slippers
- watch (inexpensive digital)
- · athletic shoes (black) size 7-9 women
- athletic shoes black size 9-11 men
- · work shoes (steel toe) size 9-12 men
- belt (adjustable) 36-42
- rain poncho
- · ultralight mini sleeping bag
- · hooded windbreaker L-XXL
- F work pants cargo/jeans 34-40
- womens tights black L-XXL
- v-neck t-shirt packs L-XL

- · water flasks (refillable water bottles)
- tarps
- · small flashlights with batteries
- · gift cards target or walmart
- t-shirts crew neck multi pack any color (Hanes)
 M, L, XL, XXL
- underwear multi pack (men and women) S-XL
- · feminine hygiene products
- · hair brush
- · scented body spray Men / Women





As we enter this holy season of Advent, we prepare our hearts for the coming of the Lord by seeking renewal, peace, and a clear conscience. One of the most meaningful ways to ready ourselves is through the Sacrament of Reconciliation. The following dates have been set for our Vicariate Advent Penance Services at our parish communities. We invite all parishioners to come, encounter God's mercy, and make room in their hearts for the joy of Christ's birth.

December 2, Tuesday, St. Joseph, Makawao, 6 pm
December 4, Thursday, Christ the King, Kahului, 6 pm
December 4, Thursday, St. Mary, Hana 5 pm
December 9, Tuesday, Holy Rosary, Paia, 6 pm
December 10, Wednesday, Holy Ghost, Kula, 5:30 pm
December 10, Wednesday, St. Theresa, Kihei, 6 pm
December 10, Wednesday, Sacred Hearts, Lanai, 6 pm
December 11, Thursday, St. Anthony, Wailuku, 6 pm
December 15, Monday, St. Ann, Waihe'e, 6 pm
December 16, Tuesday, St. Rita, Haiku, 6 pm
December 17, Wednesday, Maria Lanakila, Lahaina, 6:30 pm



As the season goes on, I've been thinking a lot about gratitude - not the big, fancy kind, but the everyday moments we sometimes miss. With busy days—school, work, activities, and all the little things we juggle—it's easy to miss the small moments that bring joy. But those little moments are often the ones that matter most.

Gratitude gives us a chance to pause, notice, and appreciate. We see it every day in our school community: students helping friends, teachers going the extra mile, parents and parishioners lending a hand, and staff making sure our campus feels safe and welcoming. These every day acts of kindness are what make our community so special.

At home, notice the blessings around you. A simple "thank you," pointing out someone's effort, or reflecting on one good thing from the day can help all of us grow in kindness and gratitude.

To the parishioners of St. Anthony Church, thank you for all the ways you support our children, families and school - often quietly behind the scenes. We notice, and we appreciate you. We are truly blessed to share this journey with you.



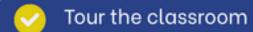
KINDERGARTEN

OPEN HOUSE

Committed to serving mind, body, and spirit in a CHRIST-CENTERED. challenging academic environment.



3:30pm -4:30pm in the Kindergarten Classroom



- Meet the teacher
- Review curriculum and Scholarship information
- Ask questions



For more info:

808-244-4190 ext. 2283





BREAKING OPEN THE WORD

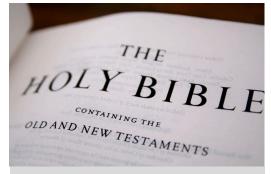
The Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe - Gospel Reflection

Readings: 2 Samuel 5:1-3. Psalm 122:1-2, 3-4, 4-5. Colossians 1:12-20. Luke 23:35-43.

I have a brief recommendation as a prelude to homily preparation for this Solemnity. Before you even begin to pray over the readings for Christ the King, go to a very private, solitary place and remain quiet for several minutes to recite the name slowly and aloud: Our Lord Jesus Christ. Ironically, the ubiquity and familiarity of Christ's name in liturgical ministry and preaching may have drained the sacred potency out of Christ's "name claim" on us as disciples. But that name can never tire us - ever. It is worth repeating the name of Jesus throughout this week under a variety of circumstances to grant the Lord possession of everything we do.

When we do approach the readings for this Solemnity, the best preparation we can make for our preaching is to prayerfully invite Christ into our heart of hearts. As a familiar hymn reminds us: "There let Him subdue all that is not holy, all that is not true" (At the Name of Jesus," based on Philippians 2:10-11). Indeed, this proclamation of Christ's kingship remains at our very core as baptized Christians and priests. The responsorial psalm rings as an invitation to worship the One who invites us to the intimacy of prayerful encounter to lead the liturgical assembly as the worshipful Body of Christ: "Let us go rejoicing to the house of the Lord." Psalm 122 asks the community of faith to acknowledge the priority of God's place in their lives, to understand where Christ has made His dwelling and to make that space our priority. Consider that the Lord leads as a shepherd in this chorus of rejoicing: the Great Shepherd leading one of His shepherds, now one with the Lord in praise and thanksgiving as He teaches His

We come rejoicing, not because of the Lord's coercive, regal power, but as a Servant who "delivered us from the power of darkness," as the Letter to the Colossians says. Although the fulness of God resided in Christ, He made peace "by the blood of His cross." The mocking jabs by rulers of His age proved prophetic: "He saved others. Let Him save Himself if He is the Chosen One, the Christ of God." Yes, He did save others. But His kingship is not for this age, but the age to come. Jesus' fateful dialogue with the "good thief" unfolds the extent of the Lord's compassion and self-gift, which comes from love and remembrance. The kingdom comes from the Lord's desire not to be over His subjects, but to be a Divine Lover who takes refuge in our hearts, which we have opened to Him. This is the new kingdom of Christ the King, where the king serves His people.



"Have you no fear of God, for you are subject to the same condemnation?"

Luke 23:40

Prayer with Scripture

How do I hold my use of power in check for the sake of the people?

Can I take time throughout the week to surrender to the Lord what is rightly His?

How do I model servant leadership when it comes to preaching?

THIS WEEK'S MASS READINGS

Monday, November 24 1st Reading: Daniel 1:1-6, 8-20 Gospel: Luke 21:1-4

Tuesday, November 25 1st Reading: Daniel 2:31-45 Gospel: Luke 21:5-11

Wednesday, November 26 1st Reading: Daniel 5:1-6, 13-0 14, 16-17, 23-28 Gospel: Luke 21:12-19

Thursday, November 27 Thanksgiving 1st Reading: Sirach 50:22-24

2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 1:3-9

Gospel: Luke 17:11-19

Friday, November 28 1st Reading: Daniel 7:2–14 Gospel: Luke 21:29–33

Saturday, November 29 1st Reading: Daniel 7:15-27 Gospel: Luke 21:34-36 Next Sunday's Readings Sunday, November 30 First Sunday of Advent

1st Reading: Isaiah 2:1-5 2nd Reading: Romans 13:11-14 Gospel: Matthew 24:37-44



FOR OUR DECEASED

+ Francis Taomoto

PRAYERS FOR HEALING

Everyone struggling with effects of Maui Wildfires

Eva Ambrose Beverly Boteilho Gwen Boteilho Norma Visitacion Genevieve DeLima Corazon Dongon Nancy Beaverson Kurt Galatro Rosie Gomes

Kevin McCowan Michael Victorino Russell Takiquchi Winona Martinez Sister Roselani Enomoto Melanie Phillips Wong Keoni Catugal Nancy Vorhies Lisa Among Melissa Namauu Leonilda Caires Melissa Langer

Sister Sara Sanders Kent Benker Joseph Kong Helen Amoral Alison Kunishige Bertha Ching Robert Mondoy Monroe Bradley Diana Ledward David Wilson Benita Ventura

** 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, November 23, 2025

Feast of Christ the King

7:00 am: Mass 9:30 am: Mass 5:00 pm: Mass

2nd Collection: Debt Reduction

Monday, November 24, 2025

6:30 am: Holy Rosary 7:00 am: Mass

Tuesday, November 25, 2025

6:30 am: Holy Rosary

7:00 am: Mass

8:30 am: Bible Study / Borges Room 6:00 pm: Bible Study / Hale Ho'okipa

Wednesday, November 26, 2025

6:30 am: Holy Rosary 8:15 am: Mass w/Parish & School 11:00 am: SAS Early Dismissal

Thursday, November 27, 2025

SCHOOL & CHURCH OFFICES ARE CLOSED

6:30 am: Holy Rosary 8:00 am: Mass

Friday, November 28, 2025 SCHOOL & CHURCH OFFICES ARE CLOSED

6:30 am: Holy Rosary

7:00 am: Mass

Saturday, November 29, 2025

6:30 am: Holy Rosary

7:00 am: Mass

3:30 pm: Confessions

5:00 pm: Sunday Anticipated Mass 2nd Collection: 'Ohana in Christ

<u>Announcements</u>

- There will be no **Adoration** on Wednesday, November 26. Happy Thanksgiving!
- Come and give thanks to God for the many blessings in your life at our Thanksgiving Day Mass at 8:00am.
- Handbooks for **Homebound Ministers** are available in the Sacristy.



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.

NOVEMBER 23 - FASTING

"When a man begins to fast, he straightaway yearns in his mind to enter into conversation with God."

Saint Isaac the Syrian

NOVEMBER 24 - FAITH

"It is good that faith should precede reason, lest we seem to demand reasons from our Lord God in the same way that we might demand them of a man. How unworthy it would be to believe the human testimonies of another, and not believe the utterances of God Himself!"

Saint Ambrose of Milan

NOVEMBER 25 - HOPE

"Those whose hearts are enlarged by confidence in God run swiftly on the path of perfection. They not only run, they fly – because, having placed all their hope in the Lord, they are no longer weak as they once were. They become strong with the strength of God, which is given to all who put their trust in Him.

Saint Alphonsus Liguori

NOVEMBER 26 - PEACE

"Without any doubt, there is a desire in all hearts for peace. But how foolish is he who seeks this peace apart from God. For if God be driven out, justice is banished. Once justice fails, all hope of peace is lost."

Saint Pope Pius X

NOVEMBER 27 - PEACE

"Who except God can give you peace? Has the world ever been able to satisfy the heart?"

Saint Gerard Majella

NOVEMBER 28 - PRAYER

"Prayer is the root, the fountain, the mother of a thousand blessings."

Saint John Chrysostom

NOVEMBER 29 - TRUSTING GOD

"Act and God will act." Saint Joan of Arc

Stewardship of Treasure

St. Anthony Church November 16th, 2025

Offertory Collections/Unrestricted Donations

Sunday Offerings		\$ 10,211.11
On-Line Offerings		\$ 1,326.60
All Souls Day		\$ 190.00
Thanksgiving		\$ 50.00
Christmas		\$ 50.00
Donations		\$ 2,055.00
Candles		\$ 701.00
	Operating Income Subtotal	\$ 14,583.71

* Second Collections/Custodial Collections/Restricted Donations

Annual Appeal Ohana In Christ	\$	193.00
Building & Maintenance	\$	8,990.00
Catholic Campaign for Human Developmen	t \$	3,280.65
Debt Reduction	\$	5.00
LED Screens Donation	\$	20.00
Mass Intentions	\$	150.00
Maui Catholic Schools	\$	221.50
Maui Korean Community	\$	50.00
Poor Fund	\$	277.00
Reimbursement	\$	399.72
*Restricted Income Subto	otal \$	13,586.87

Total Income Collected \$

* 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 November 15 & 16, 2025

<u>Mass</u>	<u>Adults</u>	<u>Children</u>
Saturday, 5:00 PM Mass	195	5
Sunday, 7:00 AM Mass	222	10
Sunday, 9:30 AM Mass	247	29
Sunday, 5:00 PM Mass	195	26
TOTAL	859	70

3 WAYS TO GIVE AND SUPPORT US



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).







CHURCH & SCHOOL INFORMATION

SCHOOL DIRECTORY 808-244-4190



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Mikaela Bega **Social Media Coordinator** mhbega@sasmaui.org

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 HAWAI'I - 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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Sister Eva Mesina has asked to be relieved ** Church Cleaning

** Contact the Church office if you are able to help.

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