



# Holy Rosary Church

*A Century of Faithfulness through Mary's Fullness of Grace*

# GRACE

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**We are a welcoming Catholic community called by God to live out the message of Christ in love and service to all people.**

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## EVENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

**February 14, 2026, 6:00PM Inaugural Dinner** - Centennial Celebration after the 5:00PM Saturday anticipated mass presided by Fr. William Kunisch.

**February 18, 2026, 6:00PM** - Ash Wednesday

**February 20, 2026, 6:00PM** - Stations of the Cross

**February 21 & 22 Second Collection** - for the Catholic Relief Services

**March 21, 2026, 9:00AM - 1PM (Saturday)** - Parish Retreat with Fr. Larry Denis (St. Anthony Parochial Vicar). Please bring some food to share.

Please send your contributions for the bulletin to [s\\_almie@yahoo.com](mailto:s_almie@yahoo.com) or to [marycostales21@yahoo.com](mailto:marycostales21@yahoo.com)

Weekend mass: Saturday 5:00PM, Sunday 8:00AM. Weekday mass: 7:00AM except on Tuesday (Fr. Jose's day off) Confessions by appointment; contact the office or Fr. Macoy. Parish office hours: Monday, Wednesday 9AM-12N, Friday 9AM-2PM

## Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jesus said to his disciples: "Do not think that I have come to abolish the law or the prophets. I have come not to abolish but to fulfill. Amen, I say to you, until heaven and earth pass away, not the smallest letter or the smallest part of a letter will pass from the law, until all things have taken place.

Therefore, whoever breaks one of the least of these commandments and teaches others to do so will be called least in the kingdom of heaven. But whoever obeys and teaches these commandments will be called greatest in the kingdom of heaven. I tell you, unless your righteousness surpasses that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will not enter the kingdom of heaven.

- Matt 5:17-37

## Seek God's wisdom and follow his commandments.

As disciples, we strive to follow God's wisdom, and yet we are presented with so many other competing claims of "wisdom" in our world. Our readings today enlighten us on what God's wisdom is and what it is not. May Jesus' wise teachings in the Sermon on the Mount help us grow closer to God.

# THE BEST OF TIMES

## THERESA (ENOMOTO) KAPUNIAI HOLY ROSARY SCHOOL

This week's historical article features Theresa (Terry Enomoto) Kapuniai, whose family lived in Sunnyside, above Rainbow Park. Theresa and her family were longtime residents who attended Holy Rosary Church for many years.

Theresa was the 8th of 11 children of Toshi and Annie Enomoto, ALL of whom attended Holy Rosary School except for the youngest, Baby Bernadette, who passed away in 1965 at the age of 10. From oldest to youngest; Lawrence, Toshi Jr. Sr. Roselani, Rosemary, Stephen, Carole, Charles, Theresa, Thomas, Timothy and Bernadette.

Following are Theresa's recollections of the school and Paia community during that time as written almost exclusively in her own words.

Holy Rosary School was established and run by the Sisters of St. Joseph of Carondelet. Theresa's sibling, Sister Roselani, belongs to this Catholic congregation of women. (CSJ). Note: We will hear all about Sr. Roselani and the Carondelet Sisters in an upcoming article.

Lunches made by Mrs. Nakamura and the cafe ladies (best peach cobbler ever) were on. Playing outside was so fun. Tetherball, kickball, jump rope, jacks on the sidewalk, marbles for the boys plus just running the grassy lawn between the church and the school. "Don't go near the convent! Hahaha!"

Our classmate, Stevie DeCosta Franco's father, was the Maui Fire Department Chief. He would come in uniform, and talk to us about Fire Safety - Stop, Drop and Roll.

May Day was a favorite for me! We would dress up in aloha wear and honor the Blessed Mother Mary, singing and placing leis on her statue in the school courtyard. "Bring flowers of the rarest O Mary! We crown thee with blossoms today, Queen of the angels, Queen of the May."

Love of family in our Paia community was so very real. Helping one another was second nature. I miss those days, throughout Maui!

A famous line by Tiny Tim from Charles Dickens' A Christmas Carol: "God bless us, everyone."

Sharing this very OLD photo of my kindergarten class with teacher Adeline Pico. I'm in the front row, second from the left. Miss Pico made me want to go to school!



The second picture is 5th-6th grade year playing volleyball (skirt over our uniform). I'm on the left and Noreen Ilima Lane on the right standing in front of the makai side classroom building, Holy Rosary side. You can see part of the school building. We practiced at the Paia Gym with Mr. Sagon and had games there as well as at St Joseph Gym, St. Anthony and Christ the King outdoor courts.



This third photo is of my sisters and me. I'm on the left. Sr Roselani on the far right. Rosemary is next to me and Carole at the top of the stairs of the kitchen door of our house.



Fourth photo is Mike and Theresa (Enomoto) Kapuniai with our first great grandchild Mya Lynn (6 months) December 2025.



By Mary Beth Costales | February 9, 2026

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### INCOME SUMMARY 02/8/2026

Weekend Collection	\$1,324.00	Easter flowers	80.00
Building and Maintenance	85.00	Donation Box	67.00
Candles	218.00	Mosaic Sales	70.00
Agustine Educational Foundation	256.00	Centennial Celebration	4,680.00
<b>TOTAL DEPOSIT</b>		<b>\$6,780.00</b>	
<b>ONLINE GIVING</b>		<b>\$660.00</b>	