



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

August 15, Golf Tournament - The golf tournament committee thanks all of you for all your support!

August 22, Saturday, 9:00 AM - Mass of Thanksgiving with Bishop Michael Castori at St. Theresa Church, Kihei. Breakfast bentos in the parish hall.

September 5 & 6, Second Collection - The Catholic University of America

Holy Rosary Church Legacy Tiles Project: Check with James or John to purchase tiles for the project.

Weekend Mass: Saturday 5:00PM, Sunday 8:00AM. Weekday mass: 7:00 AM 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.

Please send your contributions for the bulletin to s_almie@yahoo.com or to marycostales21@yahoo.com.

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

At that time, Jesus withdrew to the region of Tyre and Sidon. And behold, a Canaanite woman of that district came and called out, "Have pity on me, Lord, Son of David! My daughter is tormented by a demon." But Jesus did not say a word in answer to her. Jesus' disciples came and asked him, "Send her away, for she keeps calling out after us." He said in reply, "I was sent only to the lost sheep of the house of Israel." But the woman came and did Jesus homage, saying, "Lord, help me." He said in reply, "It is not right to take the food of the children and throw it to the dogs." She said, "Please, Lord, for even the dogs eat the scraps that fall from the table of their masters." Then Jesus said to her in reply, "O woman, great is your faith! Let it be done for you as you wish." And the woman's daughter was healed from that hour.

(Full text: Matthew 15:21-28, uscgb.org)

O God, let all the nations praise you!

Christ's words in today's Gospel are puzzling and can seem unfair. Why does it seem that he initially rejects the woman's request to heal her daughter because she is not Jewish? And did Jesus know she would be persistent in her request? Regardless, Jesus is impressed with her great faith and it provides him a "teachable moment" because he heals the woman's daughter, showing that the kingdom of God is indeed for all people. (FAITH Catholic Subscriptions, 2026)

A CENTURY OF GRACE, A COMMUNITY OF FAITH: HOLY ROSARY'S CENTENNIAL JOURNEY CONTINUES

by Almie Lonzaga

As Holy Rosary Church reaches the halfway point of our **Centennial Celebration**, we pause with grateful hearts to reflect on God's faithfulness and the unwavering support of our parish family. Our year-long observance commemorates 100 years since the groundbreaking of our present church on February 14, 1926, and culminates with the centennial of the dedication of the church and altar on February 20, 1927.

Guided by our centennial theme, **"A Century of Faithfulness through Mary's Fullness of Grace,"** we have celebrated not only our rich history but also the vibrant faith community that continues to flourish today. Over the past several months, parishioners, former parish families, and friends of Holy Rosary have come together for memorable events that have strengthened our bonds and renewed our appreciation for those who built and sustained this parish for a century.

One of the highlights of our centennial year was the **3rd Annual Holy Rosary Golf Tournament** held on **August 15, 2026**, at The Dunes at Maui Lani. The tournament was a tremendous success and reflected the generosity, enthusiasm, and spirit of fellowship that define our parish community. Parishioners, sponsors, volunteers, donors, golfers, and supporters came together to make the event both enjoyable and fruitful for the parish. Their commitment and willingness to give of their time, talents, and resources continue to demonstrate the strength of our Holy Rosary ohana.

We extend our heartfelt mahalo to everyone who has contributed to our centennial events. Whether through sponsorships, donations, volunteer service, attendance, prayers, or words of encouragement, every act of support has helped make this milestone celebration possible. The success of our events throughout the year is a testament to the dedication and love of our parishioners and friends. We are deeply grateful for the many hands and hearts that continue to work together in service of our parish mission.

As we look ahead, excitement continues to build toward the grand culmination of our Centennial Celebration on February 20, 2027. On this historic day, we will commemorate the Feast of the Dedication of the Altar, marking one hundred years since the church was solemnly dedicated. Following the anticipated Mass, the parish will gather for a special centennial dinner celebration on church grounds, bringing together generations of families and friends to give thanks for God's blessings over the past century.

This occasion will be especially meaningful as we celebrate during the early ministry of our newly appointed shepherd, **Bishop Michael Thomas Tupou Castori, S.J.** His leadership marks a hopeful new chapter for the Diocese of Honolulu and adds special significance to our centennial year.

As we journey through the remainder of this historic celebration, let us continue to honor our past, celebrate our present, and embrace our future with faith and hope. May Our Lady of the Rosary continue to intercede for us and guide Holy Rosary Church into its second century of service to God and the people of Maui.

Mahalo nui loa to everyone who has helped make our Centennial Celebration a blessing. Together, we continue building upon a legacy of faith that will inspire generations to come.



INCOME SUMMARY

Weekend Collection	\$1191.00
Candles	206.00
Donation Box	70.00

TOTAL DEPOSIT
ONLINE GIVING

08/9/2026

Building Fund	220.00
Legacy Tiles	1400.00

\$3087.00
\$70.00