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Catholic Church
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MARIA LANAKILA CATHOLIC CHURCH AND SACRED HEARTS MISSION CHURCH

THE BEACONS OF THE CATHOLIC FAITH ON THE WEST SIDE OF MAUI

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MASS, CONFESSION & ADORATION SCHEDULES

MARIA LANAKILA CATHOLIC CHURCH

Monday - Friday: 7:00 AM
Tuesday: 6:00 PM (Spanish)
Saturday: 7:00 AM & 5:30 PM (Vigil)
Sunday: 7:00 AM / 10:30 AM
7:00 PM (Spanish)

Adoration

Every Friday after 7:00 AM
mass until 8:30 AM
and
Every First Friday after 7:00 AM
mass until 12:00 PM

Confession

Saturday at 4:30 PM or
by appointment

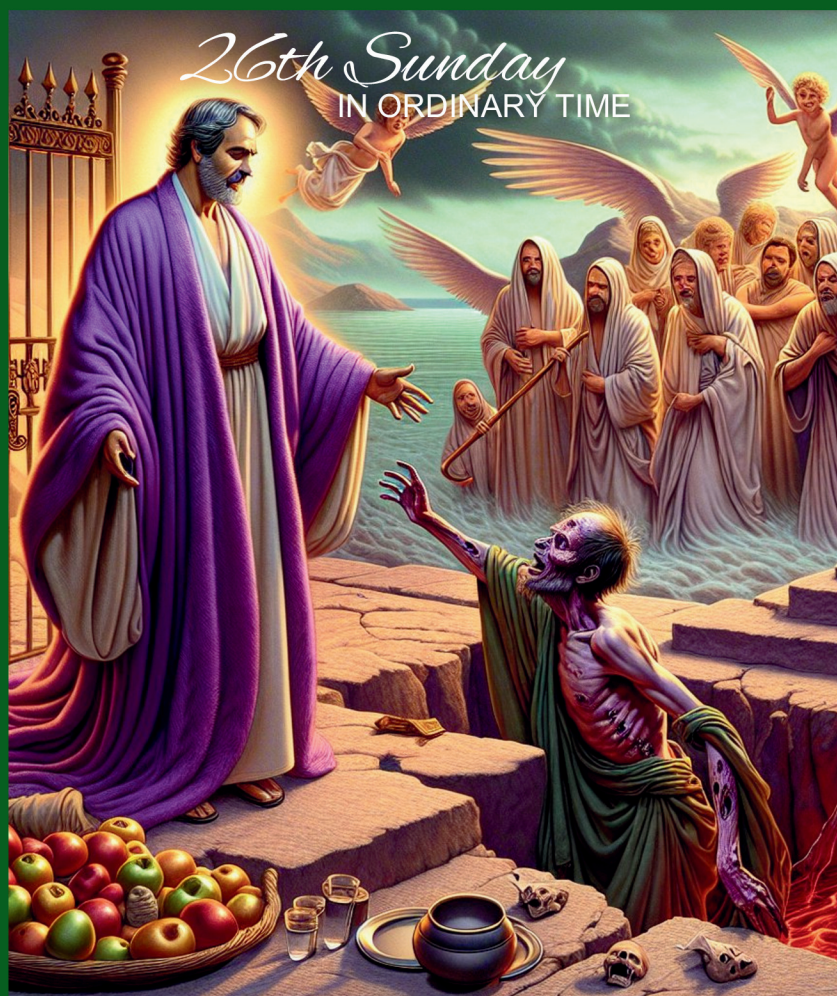
SACRED HEARTS MISSION CHURCH

Saturday: 4:00 PM
Sunday: 7:00 AM / 8:45 AM

Confession

Saturday at 3:30 PM or
by appointment

September 28, 2025



"If they will not listen to Moses and the prophets, neither will they be persuaded if someone should rise from the dead."

~ Luke 16:31

SACRED HEARTS SCHOOL

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SHS Website



DAILY INTENTIONS AND TIMES

Monday, September 29

Feast of Saints Michael, Gabriel, & Raphael, Archangels

READINGS: Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14; Psalm 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 4-5; John 1:47-51

6:25am Rosary | 7:00am Mass

Tuesday, September 30

Memorial of Saint Jerome

READINGS: Zechariah 8:20-23; Psalm 87:1b-3, 4-5, 6-7; Luke 9:51-56

6:25am Rosary | 7:00am Mass

Wednesday, October 1

Memorial of Saint Thérèse of the Child Jesus

READINGS: Nehemiah 2:1-8; Psalm 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6; Luke 9:57-62

6:25am Rosary | 7:00am Mass

Thursday, October 2

Memorial of the Holy Guardian Angels

READINGS: Nehemiah 8:1-4a, 5-6, 7b-12; Psalm 19:8, 9, 10, 11; Matthew 18:1-5, 10

6:25am Rosary | 7:00am Mass

Friday, October 3

READINGS: Baruch 1:15-22; Psalm 79:1b-2, 3-5, 8, 9; Luke 10:13-16

6:25am Rosary | 7:00am Mass

Saturday, October 4

Memorial of Saint Francis of Assisi

READINGS: Baruch 4:5-12, 27-29; Psalm 69:33-35, 36-37; Luke 10:17-24

6:25am Rosary | 7:00am Mass

Remembering Our Loved Ones

+Charley Cobb, +Nick & Mary Provci, +Alice Provci, +Deceased members of the Provci, Avery, Luptak and Cobb families, +Mary Nguyen Tien Thien, +Losa Taufu, +Zacarias & Conchita Bucaneg, +Illuminada Manuel, +Lloyd Akiona, +Vicenta Tolio, +Roulie Andres, +Tom Croke, +Johnny Espiritu, +Dr. Vina Villanueva, +Lori Gomez Karinen, +Roel Malijana, +Louise Abihai, +Betty & Phil Fisher, +Mo Johnson, +Jim & Barbara Provci, +Nor Jaqua, +Sarah Jaqua, +Doreen Ellis, Mo Radcliff, +Helen Ziemann, +Melquiades & Mauricia Remocaldo

Special Intentions

Del Castillo family, Merlita & Jerome Andres, Martina Castillo, Rarogal family, Robert Storms, Sean Brown, Shekinah Bailey, Huelo Koula, Martin Tee, Members of the Tynan & Soares Families, Bill Murto, Scotti Ruhlman

Mass Intentions will be said on the Mass requested day

PARISH STAFF & MINISTRY LEADERS

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School Board Chairman - Alton DeGama, Jr

SPIRITUAL CORNER

PAROCHIAL VICAR'S MESSAGE

Fr. Peter Tauf A'Asau, MF

The main theme of this Sunday's readings is the warning that the selfish and extravagant use of God's blessings, like wealth, without sharing them with the poor and the needy is a serious sin deserving eternal punishment. Today's readings stress the Covenant responsibility of the rich for the poor, reminding us of the truth that wealth without active mercy for the poor is great wickedness. It warns us against making money the goal of our existence.

Amos, in the first reading, issues a powerful warning to those who seek wealth at the expense of the poor and who spend their time and their money on themselves alone. He prophesies that those rich and self-indulgent people will be punished by God with exile because they don't care for their poor and suffering brothers. The Responsorial Psalm (Ps 146) praises Yahweh, who cares for the poor. In the second reading, Paul admonishes Timothy and us to pursue virtue ("righteousness, devotion, faith, love, patience, and gentleness"); compete well for the faith; lay hold of eternal life; keep the commandment of love, and not wealth. In today's Gospel, Jesus gives us a warning, pointing to the destiny of the rich man who neglected his duty to show mercy to poor Lazarus. The rich man was punished, not for having riches, but for neglecting the Scriptures and what they taught on sharing his blessings with the poor.

We need to treat the unborn as our brother/sister Lazarus. The Lazarus of the 21st century is also our preborn brother and our preborn sister. These babies are brutally executed in their mother's wombs. Their cries for a chance to live are rejected 4400 times a day in our country. This Lazarus is the person torn apart and thrown away by abortion. The rich man was condemned for not treating Lazarus as his brother. We also will be condemned for our selfishness if we do not treat the preborn as our brother and sister. "Who am I to interfere with a woman's choice to abort?" I am a brother, a sister of that child in the womb! I am a human being who has enough decency to stand up and say "NO!" when I see another human being about to be killed. I am a person gifted with enough wisdom to realize that injustice to one human being is injustice to every human being, and that my own life is only as safe as the life of the preborn child. Finally, I am a follower of the One who said, "Whatsoever you do to the least of my brothers, you do to me."

Our choices here determine the kind of eternity we will have. It has been put this way: "Where we go hereafter depends on what we 'go after,' here!" Where we will arrive depends on what road we travel. We get what we choose, what we live for. We are shaping our moral character to fit forever in one of two places.

TODAY'S READING

First Reading — Woe to the complacent, stretched comfortably on their couches!
(Amos 6:1a, 4-7)

Psalm — Praise the Lord, my soul!
(Psalm 146)

Second Reading — Pursue righteousness, devotion, faith, love, patience, and gentleness
(1 Timothy 6:11-16).

Gospel — There was a rich man who dined sumptuously each day. Lying at his door was a poor man named Lazarus (Luke 16:19-31).

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GROWING IN FAITH

◆ Saint of the Week: Feast of the Archangels (Michael, Gabriel, Raphael)

Protector (St. Michael), messenger (St. Gabriel), and healer (St. Raphael)—these three Archangels remind us that God sends heavenly help in times of need.

"Michael, defend us in battle; Gabriel, bring us God's word; Raphael, heal us in spirit and body."

◆ Mass 101: Why do we sit, stand, and kneel so much at Mass?

A: These postures express **different forms of worship**:

- *Sitting* for listening
- *Standing* in reverence and readiness
- *Kneeling* in adoration and humility, especial during the Consecration

~Catechism of the Catholic Church §§1153

◆ Catholic Q&A

Q: Is missing Sunday Mass a sin?

A: Yes, unless there's a serious reason (illness, caring for someone, no available Mass). Sunday is the **Lord's Day**, not just a good idea — it's a **commandment**.

"Keep holy the Sabbath day." ~ Exodus 20:8

RENGA ESPIRITUAL

Capellán de la Comunidad Hispana de P. Ornelo CherrezMaui

Hermanas y hermanos, la segunda lectura de este domingo nos invita a llevar "una vida de rectitud, piedad, fe, amor, paciencia y mansedumbre" tanto la primera lectura como el evangelio nos ofrece el contraste total: gente acostumbrada a la parranda, a gozarse la vida con pasión y con impulso, sin otro referente que su propio apetito de nuevas y más intensas experiencias y placeres.

La lógica del placer egoísta es sencilla: "atrapar el día." Gozar el hoy, pasarla bien ahora, no medir consecuencias para el futuro ni pararse a reflexionar en responsabilidades frente al pasado. Por contraste, estas son las palabras de san Pablo a Timoteo: "Lucha en el noble combate de la fe, conquistada la vida eterna a la que has sido llamado y de la que hiciste tan admirable profesión ante numerosos testigos." La lógica del placer inmediato excluye la lucha porque implica rendirse a cada solicitud de la concupiscencia. La solución sólo puede ser despertar la capacidad de lucha, de desafío, de grandeza, de santidad. El rostro del otro, el rostro del pobre, singularmente, es la exigencia más "objetiva" de bien que puede sentir el ser humano.

Viene al caso porque para el rico del evangelio Lázaro no existía. Era invisible, era parte de un paisaje; Lázaro no tenía rostro para el rico, y así el rico podía ser feliz y seguramente sentirse bueno. Es interesante en este orden de ideas que el nombre del rico no aparece por ninguna parte. Para él Lázaro no existía, pero ante Dios es Lázaro el que tiene nombre. Su historia y su dolor son preciosos ante los ojos de Dios, mientras que la comedia de placer del ricachón no tiene valor ni nombre en los cielos. Ante Dios, pues, tenemos rostro en cuanto tenemos necesidad. Los rasgos de nuestra necesidad son los rasgos de nuestro rostro en el Cielo. Un hipotético ser "carente de necesidades" es un ser carente de Dios y es irreconocible para-Dios, porque es un ser que niega su propia condición de dependencia creatural con el Dios único que a todos da el ser y lo conserva. Este tiempo de cuaresma, pues, nos invita con fuerza a reconocernos en la hondura de nuestras necesidades y carencias, como camino de encuentro con el Dios vivo.

Feliz y bendecida semana.

LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura — Ay de los complacidos. Sus juergas disolutas desaparecerán (Amós 8:1a, 4-7:)

Salmo — Alabemos al Señor, que viene a salvarnos (Salmo 146 [145]).

Segunda lectura — Compete bien por la fe. Guarda los mandamientos hasta que aparezca el Señor Jesús (1 Timoteo 6:11-16).

Evangelio — Recuerda que recibiste las cosas buenas durante tu vida; Lázaro recibió lo que era malo. Ahora Lázaro es consolado mientras que tú eres atormentado (Lucas 16:19-31).

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CRECIENDO EN FE

◆ Santo de la Semana: Fiesta de los Arcángeles (Miguel, Gabriel, Rafael)

Protector (San Miguel), mensajero (San Gabriel) y sanador (San Rafael): estos tres Arcángeles nos recuerdan que Dios envía ayuda celestial en momentos de necesidad.

"Miguel, defiéndenos en la batalla; Gabriel, tráenos la palabra de Dios; Rafael, sánanos en espíritu y cuerpo".

◆ Misa 101: ¿Por qué nos sentamos, nos ponemos de pie y nos arrodillamos tanto en la misa?

R: Estas posturas expresan diferentes formas de adoración:

- Sentarse para escuchar
- De pie en reverencia y disposición
- De rodillas en adoración y humildad, especialmente durante la Consagración

~~Catecismo de la Iglesia Católica §§1153

◆ Católica Preguntas y Respuestas

P: ¿Es pecado faltar a la misa dominical?

R: Sí, a menos que haya una razón seria (enfermedad, cuidar a alguien, no hay misa disponible). El domingo es el Día del Señor, no solo una buena idea: es un mandamiento.

"Santificarás el día de reposo." ~ Éxodo 20:8

PARISH CORNER



STEWARDSHIP

Managing God's Gifts To Us

26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"My child, remember that you received what was good during your lifetime while Lazarus likewise received what was bad; but now he is comforted here, whereas you are tormented. Moreover, between us and you a great chasm is established..." ~ Luke 16:25-26

When God created the world, He declared that it was good and He gave it to all mankind for us to enjoy. However, over the years we have created a chasm between those who have great gifts and those who do not. In today's Gospel we see that with our own **Stewardship** we must bridge that gap between those who have much and those who have little, or we may find ourselves on the wrong side of the chasm in the next life.



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September 13 & 14, 2025

1st Collection MLC & SHM:	\$ 6,452.00
2 nd Collection MLC & SHM:	\$ 2,520.00
Hispanic Mass:	\$ 364.00
Miscellaneous:	\$ 3,343.50

Next Week Second Collection:

NONE

Please remember Maria Lanakila Catholic Church in your will.

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FAITH FORMATION

YOUTH MINISTRY

(High School Grades 9–12)

Our parish Youth Ministry welcomes all teens to gather for faith, fellowship, and community. We meet **every Tuesday from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.**, and on the **last Thursday of each month** at Maria Lanakila Conference Room. Join us for prayer, activities, and growing together in Christ.

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

(18 - 39 years old)

Young adults of our parish are invited to gather for prayer, fellowship, and faith-sharing. We meet every **Tuesday from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.** at Maria Lanakila Conference Room. Come and grow in community with fellow young adults as we journey together in faith.

Please call the rectory at (808) 661-0552 or e-mail at secretary@marialanakila.org

BIBLE CLUB

Throughout our lives, we encounter many difficulties, challenges, misfortunes, and sorrows. Amid these circumstances, we often seek a profound sense of inner peace. All our daily struggles and hardships have increased and brought to light the deep-seated desire for emotional and spiritual healing that exists in our community today. Regular reading and reflection on the Word of God, along with participation in the Sacraments, can result in the spiritual and emotional healing that many of us are searching for.



We cordially invite you to join our Bible Club on **Saturdays following the 7:00 a.m. mass at Maria Lanakila Church** for coffee, a light snack, and fellowship before we begin. Following the reading of a specific Bible passage, we engage in a discussion exploring its significance in our lives. This safe, nurturing, and supportive environment enables us to openly share our struggles, grief, challenges, and joys.

All are warmly welcomed

Maria Lanakila
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM

WE WELCOME YOU & YOUR 'OHANA TO KA'ANAPALI AT SACRED HEARTS SCHOOL
2530 KEKAA DRIVE

Programs:
Religion Instructions, K - 8th Grade
Children's Liturgy of the Word
Adult Faith Formation
Family Fellowship
Religious Education Mass

Schedule: BEGINNING SUNDAY, AUGUST 10, 2025
9:00 AM-10:00 AM Religion Instructions, K - 8th grade
9:15 AM-10:00 AM Adult Faith Formation Workshop
(Franciscan University: Forming Faith at Home Track)
10:30 AM-11:30 AM Mass with Children's Liturgy of the Word at Maria Lanakila church

The last Sunday of the month ONLY
10:30 AM-11:30 AM Religious Education Mass

Objective:
To evangelize children and their families through Catechesis, the Holy Liturgy, and Parish Events for the flourishing of their Catholic faith and the deepening of their relationship with Jesus.

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REGISTER NOW



The Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA) is a process by which the Catechumens (not baptized), Candidates (baptized but not part of the Catholic Church), Sponsors (mentor/prayer partner), Team, and Community, journey together. It is a journey of faith through which an awakening of faith and a growth of faith (conversion) takes place. Although we are on the journey together, each one of us has a different, unique, path and length of time it takes. This journey is taken in stages and lasts as long as it needs to last.

The Period of Evangelization and Precatechumenate

This is a time of asking, reflecting, and exploring. "Where is God in my life?" "How has God been working in my life?" "What does God desire for me?" We reflect on who God has sent us to help us on our journey. This period helps us focus on how God is working in us.

All are welcome!

When: Saturday, October 4, 2025

Time: 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

Where: Rectory Conference Room

If you or someone you know is interested in beginning this faith journey, we encourage you to contact the parish office at **(808) 661-0552** or e-mail secretary@marialanakila.org for more information.

ANNOUNCEMENT

You're invited

to a special evening of prayer as we honor
Our Lady of Victory on her feast day.

Multicultural Rosary Prayer

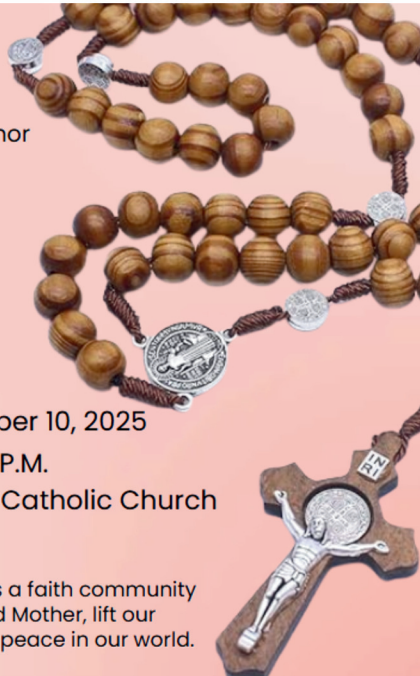


Friday, October 10, 2025

6:00 P.M.

at Maria Lanakila Catholic Church

Let us come together as a faith community
to honor our Blessed Mother, lift our
intentions, and pray for peace in our world.



Potluck to follow a
combined celebration
of Fr. Peter's priestly
anniversary (10/02) &
birthday (10/08)



SCHOOL CORNER



SUBSTITUTE TEACHER OPPORTUNITY

**ARE YOU READY TO STEP INTO THE EXCITING
WORLD OF EDUCATION FOR A DAY (OR MORE)?
WE NEED A DYNAMIC SUBSTITUTE TEACHER WHO
BELIEVES LEARNING SHOULD BE FUN AND ENGAGING!**

WHAT WE'RE LOOKING FOR:
EXPERIENCE WORKING WITH STUDENTS (BUT DON'T WORRY,
EVEN IF YOU'RE NEW, WE'D LOVE TO MEET YOU!)

ENTHUSIASM FOR TEACHING AND WORKING WITH STUDENTS.

ABILITY TO THINK ON YOUR FEET AND ADAPT TO DIFFERENT CLASSROOM ENVIRONMENTS.

A POSITIVE ATTITUDE AND A LOVE FOR FUN-LEARNING EXPERIENCES!

WHAT YOU'LL DO:
FOLLOW LESSON PLANS WHILE ADDING YOUR OWN FLAIR.

KEEP THE CLASSROOM RUNNING SMOOTHLY WHILE ENSURING A SAFE AND POSITIVE LEARNING
ENVIRONMENT.

BE THE FRIENDLY FACE THAT STUDENTS CAN LOOK FORWARD TO IN THE TEACHER'S ABSENCE.

PERKS OF THE JOB:
FLEXIBLE SCHEDULE - WORK WHEN YOU WANT!

BE A HERO FOR A DAY (OR A FEW!) IN OUR STUDENTS' EYES.

OPPORTUNITIES TO GAIN VALUABLE EXPERIENCE IN A SUPPORTIVE SCHOOL ENVIRONMENT.

THE CHANCE TO INSPIRE YOUNG MINDS AND MAKE LASTING MEMORIES.

**IF YOU'RE UP FOR A FUN CHALLENGE AND WANT TO MAKE A POSITIVE
IMPACT, WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU!**

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