Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish



Parish Mission Statement

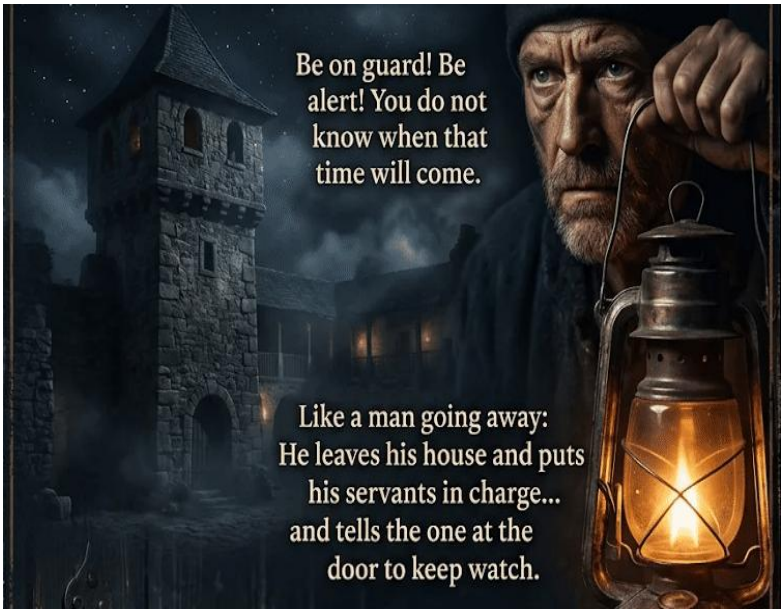
Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Parish is a faith-filled community for all cultures and ages dedicated to Building the Kingdom of God. We come closer to God by following Jesus Christ through His Word and the Sacraments. Through the Holy Spirit and with the intercession of our Blessed Mother, we provide a sense of belonging to all God's people through prayer, service, and the sharing of our gifts for the praise and glory of God.

1ST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

NOVEMBER 29, 2026







Liturgical Readings

Monday, November 30
Feast of Saint Andrew, Apostle
1st Reading: Romans 10:9-18
Gospel: Matthew 4:18-22

Tuesday, December 1
1st Week of Advent
1st Reading: Isaiah 11:1-10
Gospel: Luke 10:21-24

Wednesday, December 2
1st Week of Advent
1st Reading: Isaiah 25:6-10a
Gospel: Matthew 15:29-37

Thursday, December 3
Memorial of Saint Francis Xavier, Priest
1st Reading: Isaiah 26:1-6
Gospel: Matthew 7:21, 24-27

Friday, December 4
1st Week of Advent
1st Reading: Isaiah 29:17-24
Gospel: Matthew 9: 27-31

Saturday, December 5
1st Week of Advent
1st Reading: Isaiah 30:19-21, 23-26
Gospel: Matthew 9:35-10:1. 5a, 6-8

Next Sunday's Readings
December 6, 2026
2nd Sunday of Advent
1st Reading: Isaiah 40:1-5, 9-11
2nd Reading: 2 Peter 3:8-14
Gospel: Mark 1:1-8

◆ **Fr. Edmundo Naceno Barut**, Pastor ◆ **Fr. Preston "PJ" Castro**, Parochial Vicar
◆ **Eric Kim, Rey Dinulong, and Ronald Paglinawan (Ret.)** Deacons

91-1004 North Road, Ewa Beach, HI 96706 ☎808-689-8681 808-689-1954 www.olphewabeach.org olph@rcchawaii.org

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish

Office Hours: Monday-Friday, 9am-3pm Phone: (808) 689-8681
Weekends & Holidays: Closed
Fr. Edmundo Barut, *Pastor, ext. 102*
Fr. Preston "PJ" Castro, *Parochial Vicar, ext. 103*
Deacons: Eric Kim, Rey Dinulong, Ron Paglinawan *(Ret.), ext. 100*
Mela Kim, *Office Coordinator, ext. 101*
Receptionist/Secretary, ext. 100
Julia Torres, *Director of Religious Education, ext. 107*
Edwin Albano, *Accountant, ext. 104*
Hollie Arquette, *Janitor* & Lordy Luis, *Groundskeeper ext. 100*

Interested in joining a ministry or group? Please call the Church Office for more information and Point of Contact Person.
>< <>< >< <>< ><

OLPH Ministries & Groups

LITURGICAL ACTIVITIES/MINISTRIES
Adoration w/ Benediction, Every First Friday, 7am & every Wednesday, 5pm (Ch)
Infant Baptism, 1st Saturday of Month, 1pm & 3rd Saturday of the Month,10am (Ch)
Combined Choir Practice, (to be announced)
Liturgy Committee Mtg, (to be announced)
Marian Devotions & Novena to the Holy Trinity, 1st Saturday of the month, 8:30am (Ch)
Rosary to Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Monday-Friday, 7:50am; Saturday, 6:50am (Ch)
Sacred Heart Society, 1st Sunday, 9:00am Mass (Ch)
Samoan Choir practice, (to be announced)

PARISH MAINTENANCE
Church and Grounds Cleaning, Every Saturday morning after the 7:00am Mass (Ch)
Parking Security (to be announced)
Repair & Maintenance Committee (as needed)

YOUTH MINISTRY
Life Teen (Grades 9-12) & Edge Ministry Sunday at 3pm (Church)

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES
OCIA-Adults every Wednesday, 5:30pm, Kinder Room
Religious Education Classes, PreK to High School every Sunday, 12:30pm (Church)

RELIGIOUS ORGANIZATIONS
Filipino Catholic Club, 1st Sunday - 8:15am (School Lanai)
Knights of Columbus, 1st Saturday - 9am (Conf. Rm 2)
Samoan Ministry (to be announced)

SOCIAL MINISTRIES
Bereavement Ministry
Food Distribution, last Saturday, 9:00am-11:00am (School ground)
Health Ministry, Blood Pressure Screening, every 3rd Sunday @ All Masses (Ch)
Non-Perishable Food Collection, every Saturday & Sunday, all Masses (Ch)
Respect Life Ministry (to be announced)
Seniors Exercise (low impact), every Thursday, 9:00am (Conf. Rm 2)

Parish Schedule this Week

SUNDAY, November 29, 2026
1st Sunday of Advent
7am, 9am, 11am & 5pm Masses - (Ch)

MONDAY, November 30, 2026
7:50am: Holy Rosary **(Ch)**
8:15am: Communion Service **(Ch)**

TUESDAY, December 1, 2026
7:50am: Holy Rosary **(Ch)**
8:15am: Communion Service **(Ch)**

WEDNESDAY, December 2, 2026
7:50am: Holy Rosary **(Ch)**
8:15am: Communion Service **(Ch)**
5:00pm: Holy Hour **(Ch)**

THURSDAY, December 3, 2026
7:50am: Holy Rosary (Ch)
8:15am: Communion Service **(Ch)**

FRIDAY, December 4, 2026
7:00am: Holy Hour **(Ch)**
7:50am: Holy Rosary **(Ch)**
11:00am: Funeral of Angelina Bautista
8:15am: 1st Friday Holy Mass **(Ch)**

SATURDAY, December 5, 2026
6:30am: Holy Rosary **(Ch)**
7:00am: Holy Mass **(Ch)**
11:00am: Funeral of Coca TeMoananui
5:00pm: Holy Mass/Anticipated **(Ch)**

SUNDAY, December 6, 2026
2nd Sunday of Advent
7am, 9am,11am & 5pm Masses (Ch)

Mahalo for Sharing Your Treasures
November 14- November 15, 2026

Offertory		
Sunday Envelope Offertory	$	2,784.00
Sunday Loose Offertory	$	2,453.00
Repair & Maintenance/*Mahele na Makana*	$	1,627.00
Offertory Total	**$**	**6,864.00**
Other Offertory		
Building Offertory	$	2,326.00
Contributions – WYD 2027	$	175.00
Custodial Funds – Catholic Campaign for Human Dev	$	70.00
Custodial Funds – Offerings for Mass Intentions	$	690.00
Funerals	$	500.00
LA/RE Congress Fund	$	24.00
Othr Holy Day & Special Day Offertory/Thanksgiving	$	7.00
Other Offertory Total	**$**	**3,792.00**
Parish SOFT Electronic Giving		
All Saints Day/All Souls Day	$	115.00
Building Offertory	$	2,060.00
Custodial Funds – Catholic Campaign for Human Dev	$	5.00
Online Offertory	$	4,794.50
Repair & Maintenance/*Mahele na Makana*	$	512.00
Parish Soft Total	**$**	**7,486.50**
Debit/Credit		
Building Offertory	$	20.00
Online Offertory	$	40.00
Debit/Credit Total	**$**	**60.00**
SUMMARY		
Offertory Total	$	6,864.00
Other Offertory Total	$	3,792.00
Parish Soft Total	$	7,486.50
Debit/Credit Card Total	$	60.00
Grand Total	**$**	**18,202.50**

To give electronically to Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish in Ewa Beach via ParishSOFT, use this QR code >>>

Thank you for your Stewardship



ACKNOWLEDGMENT:
Thanks for the clipart used on the cover page of this Parish Bulletin taken from **TheWordThisWeek.NET**

Points of Reflection

- Even as Isaiah pleads to God to come down to earth, he laments the sinfulness of the world. Not even he is exempt: "all of us have become like unclean people" (Isaiah 64:5). The word *unclean* may remind us of lepers in ancient times, who shouted that word to warn others that they were approaching. We know what Jesus did for lepers. He healed them, he restored them to the community, he made them clean. As we are all sinners, we are all unclean as well. Therefore, we shout, "Come, Lord Jesus!" Come and make us clean!
- Saint Paul, writing to the Corinthians to further teach them about the Lord, in whose name they had recently been baptized, is much more hopeful. He asserts that Jesus will keep them beyond reproach as they wait for the Lord's second coming. How? It is through the grace of God, the grace that brought Jesus here in the first place. It is that grace we receive unconditionally that shows the extraordinary love and mercy God has for us all.
- "Be alert!" Jesus commands his disciples (Mark 13:33). With the instant communication available in the twenty-first century, this should be simple and feel perfectly normal. After all, most of us now are used to regularly getting emergency alerts, amber alerts, severe weather alerts, and breaking news alerts on our phones. We are alert! Unfortunately, in waiting for our phones to buzz or vibrate, we lose our alertness to what's happening right in front of us. Remember, Jesus can come to us in many ways and most of them do not involve mountains quaking or the heavens rending. May we be alert to the desperate plea of the person in need, the unexpected stranger at the door, or the opportunity to give someone something that means little to you but everything to them, for Jesus is incarnate in the world in many different ways. "Watch!" (Mark 13:37).

Question of the Week

- Over these next four weeks, how will I remain alert for Jesus' coming into my life?

<>< ><> <>< ><>

From PASTORAL PATTERNS. Copyright © 2025 World Library Publications, a division of GIA Publications, Inc., 7404 South Mason Avenue, Chicago, IL 60638

STEWARDSHIP QUOTES:

- Give your time, talent, and treasure until you feel good about your gift, and you have done something worthwhile for God and His people.
- "How can I repay the Lord for all the great good done for me?" (Psalm 116:12)

Legacy Sunday --- Beginning Your Legacy Journey

"Where your treasure is, there also will your heart be."
--- Matthew 6:21

How is Legacy Sunday different from the other times the Church asks parishioners for donations?

Unlike an Annual Appeal or Capital Campaign or a regular parish collection, Legacy Sunday is not to "ask and give now." Legacy Sunday encourages parishioners to plan for their own legacy and consider future gifts through their estate plans.

Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal

If you're still considering making a donation, it's not too late.
To participate and make your gift:

- Complete a pledge form. *(Available at the church entrance or parish office).* It can be a one-time or a recurring gift
- Or you can scan the QR Code here >
- Or visit the web: **Appeal.CatholicHawaii.org**.

Be sure that your gift is designated to Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish in Ewa Beach. *Your donation supports the vital ministries of our Church across our Islands. Thank you for your prayerful support and generosity!*

OLPH Parish Info

Sunday Masses
7am, 9am, 11am & 5pm

Anticipated Mass
Saturday, 5pm

Weekday Daily Masses
Mon-Fri, 8:15am
Saturday, 7am

Holy Rosary
Monday to Sunday preceding the daily and Sunday Masses

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Sat, 4pm-4:30pm or by appointment

Adoration with Benediction
Every First Friday at 7am
Every Wednesday at 5pm

Please Call the Office First

Getting Married?
Wedding preparations begin at least 6 months PRIOR to the actual wedding.

Funeral Arrangements?
Call WHEN you meet with the mortuary to make funeral arrangements.

Homebound Ministry
Inform the parish office with the name, address and phone number of the person who would like to receive Communion at home.

Planning a Baptism
Call BEFORE making any baptism celebration plans

Mahalo to Our Thanksgiving Outreach Volunteers!

On Saturday, November 21st, **OLPH** and **Ko'olina Outreach** came together with over 40 dedicated volunteers to prepare and distribute **200 hot Thanksgiving meals** to neighbors in need across our community.

A special thank you to the **Knights of Columbus**—including visiting councils from **St. Joseph**, **Our Lady of Good Counsel**, **Resurrection of the Lord**, and **Our Lady of La Salette**—for managing traffic safety, unloading, plate assembly, and deliveries to local parks and beaches. We are also deeply grateful to our **OLPH ministries** for keeping the food assembly line running smoothly. Thank you for living out the Gospel and caring for our brothers and sisters in need this holiday season!







GK Galo Camacho, DD George Leong, DGK Cam Datanagan and DW Mike Akana



CATHOLIC CHURCH IN HAWAI'I ACCE 2027
Bicentennial 1827–2027



The Conference is for Catholic educators, aka teachers in a Catholic school, catechists, priests, religious, liturgical ministers, lay leaders. Dates are January 28 to 30, 2027 at Sacred Hearts Academy. Please consider attending the Conference. I just registered and found out registration fee is FREE. Here's the link to register:

Forming Disciples Together: A Conference for Catholic Educators, Catechetical Ministers and the Faithful Registration

ADVENT PENANCE SERVICE
Leeward Vicariate

4 December 2026, *Friday, 7:00 PM*
- **Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish, Ewa Beach**

7 December 2026, *Monday, 6:30 PM*
- St. Joseph Parish, Waipahu

9 December 2026, *Wednesday, 7:00 PM*
- Immaculate Conception Parish, Ewa

10 December 2026, *Thursday, 7:00 PM*
- St. Jude Parish, Makakilo-Kapolei

11 December 2026, Friday, 7:00 PM
- *Sacred Heart Parish, Waianae*

14 December 2026, Monday, 7:00 PM
- *St. Rita Parish, Nanakuli*

SIMBANG GABI SCHEDULE

15 December 2026, *Tuesday, 7:00 PM*
Presider**: Fr. Preston "PJ" Castro**
16 December 2026, *Wednesday, 7:00 PM*
Presider: **Fr. Kurt Meyer**
17 December 2026, *Thursday, 7:00 PM*
Presider: **Fr. Leonard Tubana**
18 December 2026, *Friday, 7:00 PM*
Presider: **Fr. Siegfred Dosdos**
19 December 2026, *Saturday, 5:00 PM*
Presider**: Fr. Preston "PJ" Castro**
20 December 2026, *Sunday, 5:00 PM*
Presider: **Fr. Ed Barut**
21 December 2026, *Monday, 7:00 PM*
Presider: **Fr. Pascual Abaya**
22 December 2026, *Tuesday, 7:00 PM*
Presider**: Fr. Alfred Guerrero**
23 December 2026, *Wednesday, 7:00 PM*
Presider: **Fr. Ed Barut**

Support our young people from the parish who will be joining the World Youth Day in South Korea on 31 July – 10 August 2027

MASS INTENTIONS

We pray for those who have gone before us. May their souls and all souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. We also offer prayers for healing, thanksgiving or for whatever intentions one might need to offer during the sacrifice of the Mass.

Saturday, November 28, 2026

5:00pm: *Missa Pro Populo*

Sunday, November 29, 2026

7am: +Danilo Duclayan

9am: +Demetrio Campogan

11am: +Marcelino R. Duclayan, +Jerry Omakanim, +Rosano John B. Aurelio, +Ernesto Pasig, +Gloria V. Eligio, +poor souls in purgatory, +Charles Kealoha Hermann, +Magdalena Pasion, +Efigenia G. Aguilar

Thanksgiving: Pasig Family, Chris Espiritu

5pm: ***Birthday:*** Landon Tupper



Monday, November 30, 2026
8:15am: Communion Service

Tuesday, December 1, 2026
8:15am: Communion Service

Wednesday, December 2, 2026
8:15am: Communion Service

Thursday, December 3, 2026
8:15am: Communion Service

Friday, December 4, 2026
8:15am: First Friday Mass with Holy Hour at 7:00am

Saturday, December 5, 2026
7:00am: +Marina Udan

Mass Intention Prayer Angels For Christmas

Remember your loved ones this Christmas with a Mass Intention. Each intention will come with a handmade Angel Ornament to place on the Christmas Trees that will adorn our church this year.

Each angel comes with a Memorial tag on which you can place the name of your beloved deceased family member or friend. A $10 donation is requested for each intention.

The angels come in GOLD or SILVER and will be used to decorate our trees beginning December 15th. They will remain hanging from first day of Simbang Gabi until the Christmas season ends. You will then be able to claim your ornament to take home.

Intentions will be taken after all weekend Masses beginning November 21st through December 13th. All proceeds will benefit our beloved OLPH Church.



Funerals

- Funeral of **Angelina P. Bautista** on 4 December 2026, Friday at 11:00 AM here in OLPH. Burial at 1:30 PM in Mililani.
- Funeral of **Coca TeMoananui** on 5 December 2026, Saturday, at 11:00 AM here in OLPH.
- Prayer Service and Burial of **Demetrio Campogan** on Monday, December 7, 2026, at 10 AM; Mililani Mauka Chapel. Burial to follow at 11 AM.
- Prayer Service and Burial of **Patricia O'Connell**, on Thursday, December 17 at 11:30 AM, Valley of the Temples. Burial to follow at 2pm, Hawaii State Veteran's Cemetery.

Eternal rest grant unto them O, Lord
And let perpetual light shine upon the. May they rest in peace. Amen.

FOOD PANTRY

Please bring in your donations of

CAKE MIX/PANCAKE MIX

Thank you for your generosity!

We also accept other non-perishable food items.
Your donation of gently used paper GROCERY bags and plastic bags are greatly appreciated.



MASTER PLAN UPDATE

The Diocese continues the rollout of the new financial system to the parishes along with gradual report updates. Progress continues across several fronts; Slab on Grade (SOG) Pours, interior wall framing, RTU AC units & 2 smaller package units installed, and Data Com room completed with power.

Glu Lam Beam sanding & staining is complete as well as roof sheathing, roofing and fireproofing. Fire sprinklers, HVAC ducting is complete with the exception for exterior ducting from AC units. This will be followed by the rough-in of lighting, audio visual speakers, and cameras.

The raised Sanctuary concrete pour is being scheduled with forms in place. This pour will be more complex with stairs and recessed sections to accommodate tile.

DensGlass/Flashings around the metal stud light gauge framing for the clerestory windows has commenced along with the installation of unisex restroom drywall. The restroom ceilings will be insulated & closed.

Pews, celebrant chairs, prie-dieu, podium, and ambry are scheduled to arrive and installed in the October/November time frame.

Interior work has commenced with the placement of light fixtures, speakers, and cameras followed by insulation and drywall installation in the ceiling. Exterior & site work will run from August thru November.

>>>>>

The tables are the right side summarize the capital & liturgical campaign progress and financial status.

Capital Campaign Update As Of 4/30/26			
Capital Campaign Pledged Amount*	$	3,190,996.86	100%
Written Off	$	771,152.59	24.17%
Net Pledged Amount	$	2,419,844.27	75.83%
Total Collected	$	2,419,844.27	75.83%
Less: Campaign Fees	$	17,031.90	
Withdrawals**	$	2,413,247.74	
Cash Received After Cut-off	$	-	
Account Balance		0	
Pledge Balance	$	-	0.00%
*Includes Non-Pledge Gifts			

Building Fund		
Beginning Balance 4/1/26	$	336,018.04
Deposits	$	11,800.00
Withdrawals**	$	230,128.90
Interest Reinvested	$	298.82
Total Building Fund	$	117,987.96
Building Fund & Campaign Totals	**$**	**626,244.20**
**		
Project Management, Topographical, Geotechnical, Infiltration,		
& Hazmat Surveys. Capital Campaign & Architectural Design		
Permitting & Construction Startup. Liturgical Furnishings		

Liturgical Furnishings Campaign Update 4/30/26			
Furnishings Campaign Pledged Amount*	$	1,002,852.22	100%
Written Off	$	59,564.45	5.94%
Net Pledged Amount	$	943,287.77	94.06%
Total Collected	$	867,808.04	86.53%
Less: Campaign Fees	$	7,374.44	
Withdrawals**	$	343,223.42	
Cash Received After Cut-off			
Account Balance	$	508,256.24	
Pledge Balance	$	75,479.73	7.53%
*Includes Non-Pledge Gifts			

Pictures to inspire you as you see the construction of the new church . . .







The FILCOM Vision Center
Dr. Calvin Alonzo, Optometrist

(808) 677-7222
WAIPAHU – The Filipino Community Center
94-428 Mokuola St., Ste 102

(808) 847-7222
HONOLULU – Kuakini Physician's Tower
405 N. Kuakini St., Ste 605

Filipino Speaking Doctor and Staff

Most Insurances Accepted

Same Day & Walk-In Appts Available



Armas Financial Services

I can help with your:

- **Medicare Advantage Plans**
- **Prescription Drug Plans**
- **Medicare Supplemental Plans**
- **Dental Plans & Vision Plans**
- **Life Insurance & Final Expense**

NO-Cost Consultation with NO Obligation to Enroll



Angie Armas
808-382-6290
8am - 5pm
94-210 Pupukahi St. Ste. 203, Waipahu

Shafer's Roofing
Cont. Lic. #BC-32095 • Fully Insured & Bonded

- Photovoltaic
- Residential Re-roofing
- Rain Gutters
- Roof Vents
- Roof Gardens
- Skylights
- Solar Shingles
- Solar Fans
- Service & Maintenance Programs
- Long Term/Extended Warranties
- Flexible Financing



Bernadette Shafer Robins
President & RME Since 2000



In Loving Memory of Sam Shafer

Discount for Seniors & Parish Members
Residential • Commercial • New Construction
Proudly serving Hawaii for over 30 years
www.shafersroofing.com
(808) 688-9082 • FREE ESTIMATES!

Professional Image
PRINTING • COPYING • GRAPHICS
Making Hawaii Look Good In Print

- Color Copies
- B/W Copies
- Bindery/Finishing
- Litigation Copying
- Document Scanning
- Offset Printing
- Mounting, Laminating
- Oversize B/W & Color
- Graphic Design
- CD, DVD, USB Duplication
- U.S. Postal Service Partner

KAPOLEI MARKETPLACE • 590 FARRINGTON HWY
MON THRU FRI: 8AM-7PM • SAT: 9AM-4PM
TEL: (808) 674-8388
KAPOLEI@PROIMAGEHAWAII.COM

Funeral Photo & Video Services
"Preserve memories of the love shared, the stories told, & the legacy of loved ones."

Photography ♥ Videography
Memorial Slideshow ♥ Drone
★Earn rewards for referrals
•$150 for every successful photo AND video referral.
•$100 for every successful photo OR video referral.
*Rewards require a minimum 4-hour booking."



Jerome Adarna Jr.
(808)342-7508
Jerome@visionaryviewsllc.com
Visionary Views LLC Media Services
www.visionaryviewsllc.com/funeral

WORSHIP, LIVE, LEARN, OR WORK IN WAIPAHU?

Call and make an appointment to visit our caring, friendly staff at our Waipahu Community Office and become a member!

Building Better Financial Futures

Phone: **677-6206**
94-226 Leoku St., #4, Waipahu, HI
www.mvfcu.coop



MATANUSKA VALLEY FEDERAL CREDIT UNION
HAWAII ALASKA
Federally insured by NCUA

Alissa F. Jose
Assistant Office Manager
Email: josea@mvfcu.coop

MILL TOWN DENTAL CLINIC

DR. MARILOU CABALO CABABAT



OUR SERVICES :

- Family & Cosmetic Dentistry
- White Fillings, Same Day Crowns
- Digital Dental Office
- Metal Free Dentures
- Implants
- Invisalign

(808) 678-8300
Located at the
Filipino Community Center** in **Waipahu

OFFICE HOURS
Mon, Tue, Thurs, Fri
8am-12pm and 1pm-5pm
Closed Wednesday
Weekend Appointments Available

- Most Insurances Accepted, Including Devoted Plans
- Payment Options Available
- No Insurance, No Problem! Ask about our New Patient Special!

This bulletin is made possible by your advertisers at ***no cost*** to the church. Please consider advertising and support the advertisers whenever possible.
Call **808-674-8388** for advertising space.