

THE JUBILEE PRAYER

Father in heaven, may the faith you have given us in your son, Jesus Christ, our brother and the flame of charity enkindled in our hearts by the Holy Spirit, reawaken in us the blessed hope for the coming of your Kingdom.

May your grace transform us into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel. May those seeds transform from within both humanity and the whole cosmos in the sure expectation of a new heaven and new earth, when, with the powers of Evil vanquished, your glory will shine eternally.

May the grace of the Jubilee reawaken in us, Pilgrims of Hope, a yearning for the treasures of heaven.

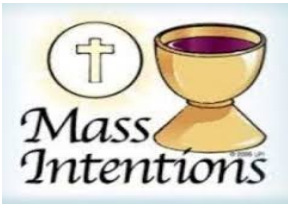
May that same grace spread the joy and peace of our Redeemer throughout the earth. To you our God, eternally blessed, be glory and praise for ever. Amen.



DIVINE MERCY PRAYER

EVERY FRIDAY AFTER MORNING MASS

KCIK 740 AM or online @ RELEVANTRADIO.COM



- Nathan Perreira—10/18
- Tom Kurnicki—10/21
- Isaac Gouveia—10/22
- Marie Nahalea—10/23
- Frank & Mary Estrella—10/25
- Donna Domingo—10/29
- Mike & Violet Pszyk—11/1
- Steve Groff—11/1
- Mikie Pszyk—11/1

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK BROTHERS & SISTERS

- James Gonzalez-Wesley
- Debbie Faborito
- Rachel Cravalho
- Robert Robello
- Melissa Prince
- Stanley Lee
- Fr. Chacko Muthoottil
- Winona Martinez
- Rachel Chong Kee
- Clarita Pimentel
- Helen Estrella
- Felicia Gonzalez
- JoAnn Potter
- Rosaline DeMello
- Gosha Jasowicz
- Annette Palamino
- Colette Alexander
- Bob Garza

PRAY WITH US



Join Us to Pray the Litany of St. Rita, Holy Rosary, and Guardian Angel Prayer Tuesday thru Friday after morning mass Saturday before Mass at 4:30pm Sunday at 8:00am



ST. RITA MINISTRIES

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CHURCH CLEANERS

HOSPITAL & HOMEBOUND

COMMUNITY OUTREACH

You are created by God to love Him, know Him and to serve Him.



ST. RITA CATHOLIC CHURCH 655 HAIKU RD., HAIKU, HAWAII 96708 ST. GABRIEL MISSION WAILUANUI, KEANAE



Our Parish COMMUNITY

October 26, 2025 Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time (C) Sirach 35:12-14, 16-18 / 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18 / Luke 18:9-14



Like the Rings of a Tree

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

For some, going to confession can bring a sense of relief—as if the slate has now been wiped clean; as if we have gotten a do-over with life or the past has been left behind as though it never happened. Our past, however, is always with us—the good and the bad, the joys and the sadness, the grace and the sin. There are no do-overs. We carry with us the marks of our lives simply because every experience, every kindness and cruelty, every moment of generosity and selfishness, all have made us into who are. We are much like a tree that adds a ring to its trunk each year. The ring always bears the marks of that year, whether it has been a year of rain or drought, whether insects have attacked, or whether Mother Nature has been kind. The tree always remembers and carries with it forever the rings of what life has been.

Our lives are the same. The story of the Pharisee and the tax collector tells this tale. Like the Pharisee, we have much good in our lives. We too have prayed and have been generous. We have been kind and honest and cared for the poor. We have tried to be faithful. The Pharisee's downfall was that he forgot about his sinfulness; he forgot he needed God's mercy. The tax collector, on the other hand, remembered his failings. Both were in need of God's love. Only the tax collector seemed to realize it.

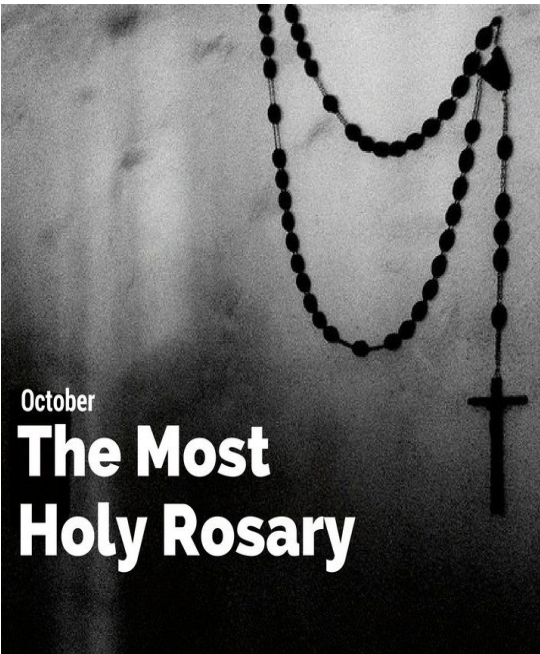
Reflect

How has my life been a mixture of sin and grace?



[Jesus said,] "Everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, and the one who humbles himself will be exalted."

LUKE 18:14



October

The Most Holy Rosary

October dedicated to the Holy Rosary

The purpose of the Rosary is to help us meditate on the great mysteries of our salvation. Every time we pray the Our Father we are reminded that Jesus' Father is the Initiator of salvation. Praying the Hail Mary reminds us that we are joining with Mary in contemplating these mysteries.

The constant repetition of prayer creates an atmosphere of contemplation. The traditional fifteen Mysteries of the Rosary were finalized by the sixteenth century. The mysteries are grouped into sets: the Joyful Mysteries, the Sorrowful Mysteries, the Glorious Mysteries, and in 2002, Pope John Paul II announced the new Luminous Mysteries.

TUESDAY THROUGH FRIDAY AFTER MORNING MASS, SATURDAY BEFORE MASS AT 4:30 PM AND SUNDAY BEFORE MASS AT 8:00 AM

Happy Birthday Father Paul **POTLUCK THIS SUNDAY AFTER MASS, EVERYONE IS INVITED.**



We thank you for your spiritual leadership and for being a guiding light to our parish. May your day be filled with joy and God's abundant grace!



Schedule for upcoming Sundays:

10/26 POTLUCK FOR FR. PAUL'S BIRTHDAY GATHERING
11/2 CLASS FOR YOUTH GROUP (THANKSGIVING)
11/9 CLASS FOR CHILDREN
11/16 CLASS FOR CHILDREN
11/23 NO CLASS (THANKSGIVING BREAK)
11/30 CLASS FOR FAMILY (ADVENT)
12/7 CLASS FOR CHILDREN

If you have any questions, please see Rita Bauldry.



MONDAY

October 27
Weekday

Rom 8:12-17

Lk 13:10-17

TUESDAY

October 28

Sts. Simon and
Jude, Apostles

Eph 2:19-22

Lk 6:12-16

WEDNESDAY

October 29

Weekday

Rom 8:26-30

Lk 13:22-30

THURSDAY

October 30

Weekday

Rom 8:31b-39

Lk 13:31-35

FRIDAY

October 31

Weekday

Rom 9:1-5

Lk 14:1-6

SATURDAY

November 1

All Saints

Rv 7:2-4, 9-14

1 Jn 3:1-3

Mt 5:1-12a

SUNDAY

November 2

Commemoration
of All the Faithful
Departed

(All Souls' Day)

Wis 3:1-9

Rom 5:5-11 or

Rom 6:3-9

Jn 6:37-40

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Humble Stewardship



"...for whoever exalts himself will be humbled, and the one who humbles himself will be exalted." LUKE 18:14

Pride and ego are the root causes of most of our sins. Thinking your time is so valuable or your talent is better than anyone else or your money gives you status is another way of making those things "gods" before God. Pride is the opposite of humility. Remember **Stewardship**. All that we have and all that we are is a gift from God. We should be humbled by God's incredible generosity and be grateful for all we have been given. Ultimately, gratitude leads us to humility.

St. Rita	INCOME October 19, 2025	St. Gabriel
\$1,698.00 \$175.00	Collections Online	\$50.00
\$157.00	Candles	
\$50.00	Repairs & Maint.	\$160.00
\$175.00	Mass Intentions	
\$50.00	Shepherd's Care	\$20.00
\$696.00	Mission Sunday	
\$120.00	All Souls Day	
\$23.10	Recycling	
\$200.00	Thrift Store	
\$3,344.10	Mahalo for your generosity! TOTAL	\$230.00

All Saints & All Souls Day

NOVEMBER 1ST AND 2ND

This year we would like to display in front of the altar framed pictures 5 inches x 7 inches or smaller of your loved ones who passed away and need our prayers. Pictures will be displayed for the month of November and are due in by this Sunday, October 26th.

All Saints Day Mass will be celebrated on November 1st at 7 am. **All Souls Day** Masses - November 1st at 5 pm & November 2nd at 8:30 am.



This week's second collection:
Loan Repayment
Next week's second collection:
Shepherd's Care

St. Rita's Thrift Store

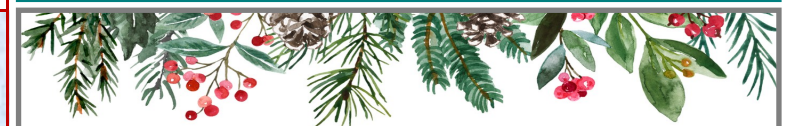
Hours of operation
Tuesday 8am—12pm
Sunday 9:45am—12pm



**CLOTHES, HOME DÉCOR,
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**STORE WILL BE CLOSED STARTING SUNDAY
10/26/25 UNTIL SUNDAY 11/9/25 AND
WILL REOPEN ON TUESDAY 11/11/25.**

**WE ARE NOT ACCEPTING DONATIONS AT
THIS TIME EXCEPT FOR CHRISTMAS ITEMS.**



ST. RITA CHURCH ANNUAL CHRISTMAS SALE

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 8
8AM-1PM**



**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 9
9:45AM - 12PM**

655 HAIKU ROAD, HAIKU HI 96708



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