

November 19, 2017 Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

All Good Gifts

Everyone has been given some gift or gifts by God. What differentiates us is the degree to which we use those gifts so they flourish and become of even greater use to those around us.

Living and Praying with the Word

Generous God, you bless us in many ways. Help me to multiply your gifts to me in your service as a sign of my gratitude. Where fear holds me back, give me courage and freedom to move ahead.

Weekly Calendar of Events

Monday, Nov. 20

CH, 6:30am – Mass

Café, 4:30pm – Enhanced Fitness

CH, 6:00pm – Spanish Mass

Rectory, 6:00pm – Lay Marianist Meeting

Tuesday, Nov. 21

CH, 6:30am – Mass

MTG, 8:30am/6pm – Bible Study-Walking to Eternity

CH, 5:00pm – Blue Army

Wednesday, Nov. 22

CH, 6:30am – Mass

MTG, 8:30am/6pm – Bible Study-Revelation

Café, 4:30pm – Enhanced Fitness

CH, 5:00pm – Mother of Perpetual Help

CC, 6:30pm – Choir Practice (Denis)

Thursday, Nov. 23

Happy Thanksgiving - Church Office Closed

CC, 8:00am – Thanksgiving Mass

Friday, Nov. 24

Church Office Closed

CH, 6:30am – Mass

CC, 8:30pm – Prayer Service for David Buddy Nobriga

Saturday, Nov. 25

CH, 7:00am – Mass

CC, 12:00pm – Funeral Mass for David Buddy Nobriga

CH, 4:00pm – Confession

CC, 5:00pm – Mass

Sunday, Nov. 26

NO RELIGIOUS ED CLASSES

CC, 7:00am – Mass

CC, 9:00am – Mass (Baptism)

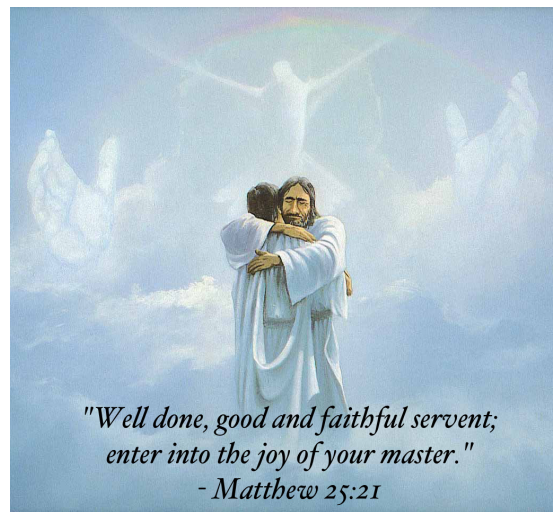
MTG, 10:00am – Choir Practice (Rosie)

CH, 3:00pm – Divine Mercy

CC, 5:00pm – Mass

CHURCH CLEANERS:

Group 2 – Leona Duarte



Sunday's Collection

Collection:	\$ 9,229.00
Poor:	\$ 308.00
Candles:	\$ 333.50

Ministry Schedule for November 25/26

Eucharistic Ministers

5:00pm – (H) Celebrant, Yvonne, Catherine, Joy

7:00am – (H) Celebrant, Lolita, Gilbert, Jo-Ann

9:00am - (H) Celebrant, Elizabeth, Jackie, Anne D.

5:00pm - (H) Celebrant, Fely, Anne S., Chiree

Lectors and Acolytes

5:00pm	Pauline Avelino	Katherine Swor Michael Fuentes
7:00am	Don Edwina	Ray Allen Lomboy Ariel Lomboy, Jr.
9:00am	Juliette Tony	Nathan Rabara Aristotle Aurelio
5:00pm	Ortaine Irene	Charles Tamayo Bailey Ota

Pray for the Sick

Hospital: Troy Young

Homebound/Sick: Marylou Schenk, Cecilia Davis, Shirley Ann Ferreira, Kerri Ann Franco-Phillips, Sharon Abrew, Candy Santos, Desiree Phillips, Fr. Joseph Hartzler, S.M., John Kaauwai, Blanche Macadangdang, Noelani Nakoa-Wise, Jojo Apo, Myrtle Hussey, Luana Kamakahi, Mary Ann Doria, Antone Medeiros, Mary Kalehuawehe, Norma Arzaga, Constance Arzaga, Josefina Donia, Donnie Tablan, Lucy Salomon, Kamaile-Ann Paet, Criselda Cabanilla, Dominador "Chuco" Giron, Carol Higgins Kaaloo, Ines Bulger, Maddyx Wong, Diane DeYoung, Laura Medeiros, Donald Dang, Justina Guansing, Raymond Rivera, Kiyoko Komatsu, Susie Mendes, Blossom Vierra, Edward Kahakauwila, Alvin "Rex" Ornellas, William Gusman, Trina Kalanikau, Paul Vargas Sr., Arnold Sanchez, Kimberly DeLima

(Please call the church office if there are any changes)

The church office will be closed on Thursday & Friday, November 23 & 24 in observance of the Thanksgiving holiday. The office will reopen on Monday, November 27th. Have a wonderful weekend.



FAMILY ADVENT TRADITION

St. Anthony Filipino Catholic Club will be selling Advent Wreaths after Masses next week. Hand decorated wreaths with candles and Advent prayer cards are available for \$25.

Boxes of four candles can be purchased for \$10 a set. Funds raised will help support our parish and school.

We are thankful for the support of our parish families. Monies earned from this year's fundraisers have helped the Women's Prison Ministry, Youth Ministry, and other parish and school needs. We have also encouraged faith formation and family time with our movie nights and prayerful opportunities with rosaries, adoration and Misa de Gallo. You are welcome to join us at future events and for our monthly meetings on the first Sunday at 10:30am in the Deacon Borges Meeting Room. For more information contact Avelino Ollero at 276-1869.

THANKSGIVING SERVICE



Please join us in celebration of Thanksgiving at our Thanksgiving Mass on **Thursday, November 23rd, at 8:00am.** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God for all the blessings He has bestowed upon us for He knows exactly what we need.



SHARING CHRISTMAS JOY!

Christmas time is here again and as parishioners we remember our needy by the joyful giving of gifts. **Next weekend the "Giving Tree" will be up at the entrance of the church.**

Please take a tag from the tree so that the next time you shop you will remember someone who is in need, whether a child or adult. Wrap your gift and indicate on the tag if it's for an adult, child (boy or girl), age, size (if clothing) and place it under the tree. **The deadline to bring your gifts in is the weekend of December 16-17. All gifts will be shared with Catholic Charities and Ka Hale A Ke Ola Homeless Resource Center.** Let each gift be a sign of the love Jesus shares with all of us. God bless all of you for your generosity.

PRAY FOR THE REPOSE OF THE SOULS

Cheryl Lani Suguitan † (8 yr. anniversary)

Primitiva Fillazar † (19 yr. anniversary)

Frank & Mary Pires †

Curammeng, Palacay, Laguatan, Lapitan &

Tabing Family †

IN REMEMBRANCE

St. Anthony Church and School has lost a dear friend and long time parishioner and supporter **David "Buddy" Nobriga.** He passed away on Wednesday, November 8th on Oahu. Buddy was truly a prime example of practicing stewardship. He had been a life long contributor to St. Anthony School, helping in many fundraisers. He also helped at the Church Christmas Bazaar with donations of meat and his famous Roselani Ice Cream. He was a faithful believer in Christ as we would always see his presence at church. Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him. May he rest in peace.

Funeral services will be at St. Anthony Church:

Friday, November 24, 2017,

Visitation 6:00-8:30pm

Prayer Service at 8:30pm

Saturday, November 25, 2017

Visitation 8:30am-12:00pm

Mass 12:00pm

Burial at Maui Memorial Park 2:00pm

LIVING CATHOLIC IN THE 808: THERE IS NO MORAL NEUTRALITY

St. Augustine teaches that we can never be morally neutral, either we are growing in virtue or falling into vice. We never have the luxury of simply being in some neutral, holding state. There's no moral neutrality. Either we are growing in virtue or sliding into virtue's opposite. That's true for all of life. A thing is either growing or it's regressing.

If we are not actively advocating for justice and the poor, it is inevitable that at a point we will, with completely sincere hearts, downplay the issues of poverty, racism, inequality, and injustice. And so we need to be alert not just to our conscious attitudes but to what we are actually doing.

Similarly, within any circle of friends, either we are talking about ways that we can more effectively lessen the gaps between rich and poor or we are talking, however unconsciously, about the need to defend the gaps that presently exist. One kind of conversation is stretching our hearts; the other is narrowing them.

As Bryan Stevenson puts it in *Just Mercy*, "The true measure of our character is how we treat the poor, the disfavored, the accused, the incarcerated, and the condemned. We are all implicated when we allow other people to be mistreated."

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