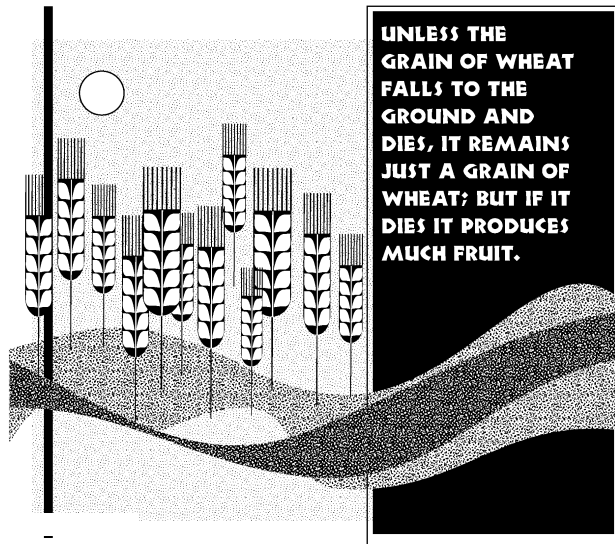


Fifth Sunday of Lent
March 22, 2015



Reflection on the Scriptures

Jesus told His hearers that the hour of His death was approaching. He observed: "I solemnly assure you, unless the grain of wheat falls to the earth and dies, it remains just a grain of wheat. But if it dies, it produces much fruit" ([John 12:24](#)). The burial of the seed in the soil is not its final end, but a time of transition. The life in the seed "dies," but this death leads to a different life that bears much fruit ([John 12:24](#)).

The Greek word translated "die" in [John 12:24](#) literally means to "die away." Each day, we must die away from our sins and desires. Even while receiving the Bread of Life, we still focus on dying away ([1 Corinthians 11:26](#)). We die to ourselves ([Luke 9:23](#)) and continually "carry about in our bodies the dying of Jesus" ([2 Corinthians 4:10](#)). The more we die away, the more the life of Jesus is revealed in us ([2 Corinthians 4:10](#)).

When Jesus was lifted up on the cross to die, He attracted all to Himself ([John 12:32](#)). His death gathered many together ([John 11:51-52](#)). How will it be at your death? For some of you, "the hour" of your death is coming soon ([John 12:23](#)). Will your death glorify God and attract many to Jesus? You can increase the glory God will receive at your death by daily "dying away" so as to allow His life to overshadow you. Die to yourself daily, lay down your life for Jesus, and prepare to bear an attractive and attracting harvest for the glory of God.

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Next Sunday's Readings

Sixth Sunday of Lent

First Reading: Isaiah 50:4-7
 Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24
 Second Reading: Philippians 2:6-11
 Holy Gospel: Mark 14:1 – 15:47

This Week's Mass Intentions

Saturday, 5:15 pm Kelli Buenconsejo, Health
 Sunday – 7:30 am +Nestor Oliva
 9:30 am pro populo
 6:00 pm +Raymond Moniz
 Monday, 6:30 am
 Tuesday, 6:30 am Faye Molina-Sagon, Birthday
 Lori Medina, Birthday
 Wednesday, 6:00 pm John Walpole, Healing
 Thursday, 6:30 am +Lourdes Torres
 Friday, 6:30 am +Marilou Henson

Remember in Prayer

Alvin Akiu, Jr.	Emma Joseph
Lawrence Alejado	Rnyaff Robert Joseph
Rose Aranita	Ashley Nawahine
Michael Bello	Eufrosina Olaso
Melvin Bonifacio	Celest Ortiz
Anna Buenaventura	Geoffrey Padilla
James David Cadiz	Gloria R. Padilla
Gilbert Ching	Grant Padilla
Bridida Dizon	Mary Pires
Emmie Arambulo Durado	Sky Racoma
Flora Franco	Charles Richelieu
Carmen Espiritu-Igawa	Bernie Serrano
Violeta Guieb	Jovina Tabangcura
Ryoko Hayashi	James Taeno
Joseph Hurst	Lani Test
Addison Joseph	

Please call or email the Parish Office if you would like us to pray for someone.

Weekly Stewardship

General Offering	\$	7,650.39
New Building Fund	\$	2,420.90
Other:	\$	868.00
Recycling	\$	
TOTAL:	\$	10,939.29
Adjustments	\$	
New Building Fund		
Balance:	\$	1,193,189.74

Please remember Resurrection of the Lord in your wills and trusts. Thank you for your generosity!

This Week @ Resurrection

Monday (March 23):

Rosary, Marian Chapel, 6 a.m.
Communion Service, 6:30 a.m.
Lenten Parish Mission, 7 p.m.

Tuesday (March 24):

Rosary, Marian Chapel, 6 a.m.
Mass, 6:30 a.m.
Lenten Parish Mission, 7 p.m.

Wednesday (March 25):

Lenten Midweek Mass, 6 p.m.
Lenten Penance Service, 7 p.m.

Thursday (March 26):

Rosary, Marian Chapel, 6 a.m.
Mass, 6:30 a.m.
TMIY, Lanai, 7 p.m.
RCIA, Conference Rm., 7 p.m.

Friday (March 27):

Rosary, Marian Chapel, 6 a.m.
Mass, 6:30 a.m.
Confessions, 6:30 p.m.
Lenten Fish Fry, 6 p.m.
Living Stations of the Cross, 7 p.m.

Saturday (March 28):

Sunday (March 29): Palm Sunday

Children's Faith Formation, 11:30 a.m.

Announcements

PARISH LENTEN MISSION: Fr. Ricky Manalo, CSP will be our Mission Speaker this Lent, March 23-25 at 7:00 PM in the Worship Area. The theme of this year's mission is **Becoming the Body of Christ: A Eucharistic Spirituality**. Please plan to join us for these 3 nights of inspiring presentations, music, and prayer.

DAILY MASS SCHEDULE CHANGE: Because of the interest in having a Wednesday evening Mass during Lent, we will continue to do so after Easter. It was also recommended that we start at 6:15 PM to accommodate those coming from town. So after Easter, the Wednesday evening Mass will be at 6:15 PM. There will be no morning Mass.

COMMUNAL PENANCE SERVICE: Our Lenten Communal Penance Service will be this Wednesday, March 25, at 7:00 PM. There will be several priest confessors here for the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Fr. Manalo will be the homilist. All are encouraged to attend.

LENTEN FISH FRY & LIVING STATIONS OF THE CROSS: Join us this Friday for our annual Lenten Fish Fry at 6:00 PM followed by the Youth Ministry's Living Stations of the Cross. There is no cost for the fish fry, but sign up to bring a dish on the lanai after Mass today!

WOULD YOUR FAMILY LIKE TO BRING UP THE BREAD/WINE AT MASS? Families are encouraged to sign up at the Welcome Kiosk to present the gifts of bread and wine for the Eucharist at Mass. Families bringing up the gifts will be asked to sit in designated seats (front of the Narthex) for identification by the ushers and to proceed to the back of the church when the Offering begins.

HOLY WEEK REHEARSALS: A rehearsal for **Holy Thursday and Good Friday** liturgies will be held on Wednesday, April 1 at 6:00 PM and 7:00 PM respectively. Altar Servers and Lectors should plan to attend. A rehearsal for the **Easter Vigil** will be on Saturday, April 4 at 1:00 PM. Altar Servers, Lectors, and RCIA Elect and Candidates should be present.

ROL GOLF CLUB...is in full swing this 2015 season. We continue to invite all fellow parishioners and guests on the last Sunday of each month. This month, the ROL Golf Club is scheduled play the Royal Kunia Golf Course, Sunday March 29th at 10:00 AM. Come join the team. All are welcome. Remember, we start with prayer, then fellowship, fun, and occasional birdies. Call 389-2416 for more information.

ONLINE GIVING...is now available on the parish website: www.resurrectionhawaii.org. Just click on the Online Giving icon and it will take you to the ROL page for Our Sunday Visitor, our online giving vendor. It only takes a few minutes to create an account with a credit or debit card, and then to make you giving selections. It's a great way to manage your financial stewardship to the parish and to earn miles and other credit card rewards. If you have questions, call Karen in the Parish Office, 676-4700.

THE WELCOME KIOSK: Please visit our Welcome Kiosk after Mass on the lanai if you are new and would like to register, RSVP for events, volunteer for ministry, or for more information about our parish activities!

LENTEN MIDWEEK MASS: Try making weekday Mass part of your routine during Lent. We will have a special Midweek Mass at 6:00 PM each Wednesday in Lent. There will be no morning Mass on Wednesdays.

NCYC FUNDRAISERS: This weekend (March 21-22) our pilgrims will have Aunty Liz' Shoyu Chicken plates available for sale after the 5:15 p.m. Mass on Saturday and the 7:30 and 9:30 Masses on Sunday. Plates include rice and a vegetable for \$5.00 a plate. Come a get it while supplies last! Thank you so much for your continued support.