

**Fifth Sunday of Lent**  
**March 13, 2016**



**Reflection on the Scriptures**

"Jesus went out to the Mount of Olives." —John 8:1  
 Jesus customarily went to the Mount of Olives (Luke 22:39). On it is the Garden of Gethsemani where Jesus suffered His terrible agony (see Matthew 26:30, 36). Zechariah prophesied that at the end of the world the Lord's "feet shall rest upon the Mount of Olives, which is opposite Jerusalem to the east. The Mount of Olives shall be cleft in two...and half of the mountain shall move to the north and half of it to the south" (Zechariah 14:4). The Mount of Olives has been and will be of great importance in God's plan.

On the Mount of Olives, Jesus:

- repeatedly cried out in agony, "Abba" (Mark 14:36),
- prayed to His Father: "Not My will but Thine be done" (Matthew 26:39, our translation),
- asked three apostles and all of us to watch and pray one hour with Him (Matthew 26:40), and
- "prayed with all the greater intensity, and His sweat became like drops of blood falling to the ground" (Luke 22:44).

After Jesus prayed on the Mount of Olives, He:

- "bent down and started tracing on the ground with His finger" when asked about condemning an adulteress (John 8:6),
- said: "Let the man among you who has no sin be the first to cast a stone at her" (John 8:7), and
- said: "Nor do I condemn you. You may go. But from now on, avoid this sin (John 8:11).

All the words and actions of Jesus related to the Mount of Olives go together. Jesus could not forgive the adulteress without suffering for her sins in His agony and crucifixion. Ask the Holy Spirit to teach you about all that has happened and will happen because of the Mount of Olives.

**Next Sunday's Readings**

**Passion (Palm) Sunday**

First Reading: Isaiiah 50:4-7  
 Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 22:8-9, 17-20, 23-24  
 Second Reading: Philippians 2:6-11  
 Holy Gospel: Luke 22:14—23:56

**This Week's Mass Intentions**

Saturday, 5:15 pm	+Rogelio Buenavista +Father Jojo Junio
Sunday – 7:30 am	+Maria Baguio
9:30 am	Pro Populo
6:00 pm	+Barbara Trena
Monday, 6:30 am	
Tuesday, 6:30 am	
Wednesday, 6:30 am	
Thursday, 6:30 am	
Friday, 6:30 am	+Stanley Dusan +David Barut

**Remember in Prayer**

Lawrence Alejado	Emma Josphe
Char Ancheta	Rnyaff Robert Josphe
Aiden Ancheta	Cathy Llanos
Rose Aranita	Jeff Kwock
Melvin Bonifacio	Ashley Nawahine
Anna Buenaventura	Eufrosina Olaso
John Campbell	Geoffrey Padilla
Gilbert Ching	Gloria R. Padilla
Bridida Dizon	Grant Padilla
Emmie Arambulo Durado	Mary Pires
Flora Franco	Sky Racoma
Carmen Espiritu-Igawa	Patricia Ramos
Rose Fernandez	Charles Richelieu
Juan Ferrer	Bernie Serrano
Bronson Fuller-Solidum	Jovina Tabangcura
Violeta Guieb	James Taeno
Joseph Hurst	Lani Test
Addison Josphe	Ida Villamor

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

**Weekly Stewardship**

<b>General Offering</b>	\$	<b>5,829.55</b>
<b>New Building Fund</b>	\$	<b>1,909.00</b>
<b>Other:</b>	\$	<b>1,864.00</b>
<b>TOTAL:</b>	\$	<b>9,602.55</b>
<b>Online-General</b>	\$	<b>1,717.00</b>
<b>Online-Building</b>	\$	<b>512.50</b>
<b>Online-Capitol Campaign</b>	\$	<b>90.00</b>

**New Building Fund amounts will be shown once a month.**

**Please remember Resurrection of the Lord Church in your will or trust!**

## This Week @ Resurrection

### Monday (March 14):

Rosary, Marian Chapel, 6 a.m.  
Communion Service, 6:30 a.m.  
Family Rosary, 7 p.m.  
Mercy: For Living, For Life!, 7 p.m.

### Tuesday (March 15):

Rosary, Marian Chapel, 6 a.m.  
Mass, 6:30 a.m.  
Mercy: For Living, For Life!, 7 p.m.  
Knights of Columbus General Meeting, 7 p.m.

### Wednesday (March 16):

Rosary, Marian Chapel, 6 a.m.  
Mass, 6:30 a.m.  
Lenten Penance Service, 7 p.m.

### Thursday (March 17):

Rosary, Marian Chapel, 6 a.m.  
Mass, 6:30 a.m.  
Catholic Women, 7 p.m.  
TMLY Men's group, 7 p.m.

### Friday (March 18):

Rosary, Marian Chapel, 6 a.m.  
Mass, 6:30 a.m.  
ROL Annual Lenten Fish Fry, 5 p.m.  
YM's Living Stations of the Cross, 7 p.m.

### Saturday (March 19):

### Sunday (March 20): *Palm Sunday*

## Announcements

**PARISH LENTEN MISSION:** Paulist Father Steven Bell, CSP will give our Lenten Mission this year on the theme, **Mercy: For Living, For Life** on Monday and Tuesday, March 14 & 15 at 7:00 PM in the Worship Area. All parishioners are encouraged to attend this two evening retreat.

**ONLINE GIVING:** Consider giving online. It only takes a few minutes to set up your account and you can schedule your gifts to be made using a credit or debit card. It is an easy and secure way to give. At the end of the year, you will also have an accurate record of your charitable contributions to the parish. Visit our website [www.resurrectionhawaii.org](http://www.resurrectionhawaii.org) and look for the icon to be connected to Our Sunday Visitor's online giving portal.

**RECONCILIATION & STATIONS OF THE CROSS:** The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be available each Friday in Lent at 6:30 PM followed by the Stations of the Cross at 7:00 PM in the Worship Area.

### VICARIATE PENANCE SERVICES:

March 14, 7:00 PM	St. Michael, Waiialua
March 15, 7:00 PM	Our Lady of Sorrows, Wahiawa
March 16, 7:00 PM	Resurrection of the Lord, Waipio

**LENTEN FISH FRY & LIVING STATIONS OF THE CROSS:** Join us on Friday, March 18 for our annual Lenten Fish Fry & Potluck followed by the Living Stations of the Cross presented by our Youth Ministry. It's a potluck so please sign up to bring a dish to share on the lanai after Mass.

**CHRISM MASS:** All the Faithful are invited to join Bishop Silva for the Chrism Mass on Thursday, March 17 at 7:00 PM at the Co-Cathedral of St. Theresa, Honolulu. Joe and Terry Nawahine will be our parish representatives and receiving the holy oils for our community.

**LENTEN PENANCE SERVICE:** Our Lenten Penance Service will be on Wednesday, March 16 at 7:00 PM. Fr. Steven Bell will be the guest presider and homilist. Several priest-confessors will be available for confessions.

**HOLY WEEK REHEARSALS:** For Altar Servers and Lectors only:

For Palm Sunday Liturgies (All Masses)	Saturday, March 19, 11 AM
For Holy Thursday	Wednesday, March 23, 6:30 PM
For Good Friday (Both Liturgies)	Wednesday, March 23, 7:00 PM
For Easter Vigil	Saturday, March 26, 1:00 PM

**PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION:** Palm and olive branches will be available before each Mass, but parishioners are also encouraged to bring their own from home to be blessed to make sure we have enough for everyone. Mahalo.

**CRS RICE BOWLS:** During the season of Lent, remember to use your CRS Rice Bowls to collect your change. They can be returned to the church with your monetary donations on Holy Thursday. All proceeds will go to Catholic Relief Services.

**YEAR OF MERCY PILGRIMAGE:** ROL is hosting a pilgrimage to the Cathedral Basilica of Our Lady of Peace, downtown Honolulu, on Saturday, April 2. We will leave from ROL at 9:15 AM. The day will include walking through the Holy Door, Morning Prayer with the relics of Sts. Damien & Marianne, a tour of the Cathedral Basilica, a visit to the Daughters of St. Paul Bookstore, the Noon Mass, and lunch at Mandalay Restaurant. Please bring money for lunch. To RSVP for the pilgrimage, please visit the Welcome Kiosk after Mass or call the Parish Office.

**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!

**LIGHTHOUSE DINNER SERVING** will be on Sunday, March 27th. If you are would like to help with the dinner, please see the sign up board on the Lanai after Mass. Thank you for your continued support.