

Christ the King Church

MISSION STATEMENT

“Christ the King Parish is to “Go and Make Disciples” by welcoming all into our community: growing as Holy Disciples in formation through prayer, fellowship, and witnessing to God’s people.

Epiphany of the Lord January 5th, 2025

PASTOR’S REFLECTION



Today’s solemnity is popularly known as “Three Kings.” The gospel speaks of wise men, sometimes called magi. It does not speak of kings; it does not say there were three. These details were added over the centuries by popular stories. The true name of today’s feast is “Epiphany of the Lord,” which means manifestation of Jesus to the world. The Gospel tells us that the magi had to travel. They had to travel to meet Jesus. This makes their story our own story. We too are travelers in this life. After seeing Jesus, they had to travel more and go home by another route. There is no moment in life when we may believe we have reached the end of the road. To accept Jesus in life is not a moment to say, “I am saved, I belong to Jesus. It is accepting Him as a companion on the road, making sure one does not get ahead of Him by jumping to human conclusions or lag behind and losing track of Him when there is a bend or choices.

The wise men asked questions along the way. Wise people ask questions. Mary had a question for the angel during the Annunciation. Jesus had questions for the teachers in the temple when He was twelve. A wise person wants to learn and to understand. Asking questions can be an opportunity for us to grow in wisdom. If we have questions about our faith, we should not worry. They are signs we want to grow in understanding. When our doubts or questions make us believe we are losing our faith, let us instead thank the Lord for these occasions and look for the answer. Maybe the Lord will answer them in prayer, or we have to ask the right person.

Father Efen A. Tomas, MS



Readings for Baptism of the Lord

1st Reading: Isaiah 42: 1-4, 6-7

Psalm 29

2nd Reading: Acts 10: 34-38

Gospel: Luke 3: 1516, 21-22

PRAY FOR THE SICK



Renee Amor, Feliza Asuncion, Fred Asuncion, Sr., Darlene Bascar, Joshua Bascar, Andrea Emilia Bernabey, Lokahi Bissen, Marlon Blando, Josefina Blando, Diosdado Canaveral, Robert Canha, Gustavo Caseres, Christen Chargualaf, Bertha Ching, Dolinda Cortez, Filemon Cortez, Colette Dang, James Fernandez, Mark Felipe, Mila Funtanilla, Daniel Ganancial, Jr., Mike Guerrero, Lawrence Hasoso, Lourdes Icat, Sandra Kanemitsu, Maria Lauweilig, Valentina Lindholm, Lisa Manglicmot, Mario Manglicmot, Melvin Manglicmot, Henry Martin, Ilihia Mata Kee-Chong, Mercedes Neri, Daniel Ornellas, Cayetana Paet, Epifania Paet, Ernest John Paet, Jimmy Gabriel Paet, Felicitas Pelino, Chaunsey Pinheiro, Tomas Pulido, Norma Romero, Heather Rubio, Jeffrey Ruffato, Kathy Sacapanio, Gary Sagayaga, Marina Sagayaga, Eleanor Sajolan, Simeon Salvador, Cru Silva, Crystal Silva, Joseph Silva, Francis Silva, Angelita “Lita” Soliven, Christine Souza, Espie Tavares, Mary Tom, Rose Marie Tomas, Javier Tongson, Jessica Tongson, Rowena Vallesteros, Norma Visitacion, Ron & De Wynne, Genealle Agatha Acoba Yanos.

Anyone wishing to submit names must call in every month. Your mass intention request must be submitted 10 days prior to you requested date.

QUESTION OF THE WEEK:

Who can I ask for help in my search for the Lord? How can I overcome doubt or disappointment when I experience them?

If a Loved One at home, wishes to do confession and receive communion, please call the office to set up an appointment for one of our Priest.

FAITH FORMATION CLASSES

Classes resume on January 8 & 9, 2025 for Grades 1 to 12

Prayers for those in the Military Service Men/Women: Nolan Felipe, Ryan Gaoiran, Robert Garo, Talan Mortejo, Arturo Pedro, Luke Silva. Reilly Kanani



STEWARDSHIP REPORT	Dec 28 - Jan 1
Sunday Offertory	\$9,638
Christmas	\$835
New Years'	\$2,816
Adoration	\$253
All Souls	\$10
All Saints	\$10
Thanksgiving	\$61
Online Offertory	\$1,321
Occasional Offerings	\$850
Donation	\$1,446
Spanish Mass	\$749
Mass Intentions	\$1,030
Candles/Religious Article	\$1,896
Facility Maintenance	\$180
Maui Catholic Schools	\$140
Ohana In Christ	\$106
Food Pantry	\$300
Parking Pavement Donation	\$10,000
Religious Retirement Fund	\$57
Restitution	\$165
Rental Revenue	\$3,608
TOTAL	\$35,471

MAHALO FOR YOUR TALENT, TIME AND TREASURE

PARISH CALENDAR

SUNDAY, January 5, 2025 – Masses: 6am 8am, 10am, 6pm

12 Noon Hispanic Mass/Fellowship in the Hall

7:15pm Visayan Mass/Fellowship in the Hall

MONDAY, Jan 6

7am Morning Mass

6pm Hispanic Mass

6pm Service Commission/Hall

TUESDAY, Jan 7

7am Morning Mass

6pm Stewardship Committee/Hall

6:30pm PPC Meeting/Hall

WEDNESDAY, January 8

7am Morning Mass

6:30pm Faith Formation Grades 1-5

THURSDAY, Jan 9

7am Mass

6:30pm Faith Formation Gr 6-12

FRIDAY, January 10

7am Morning Mass

6:30PM Santo Nino Novena Mass



ALTAR SERVER GATHERING

JANUARY 12, 2025

Sunday at 11:15am – 12:30pm

St. Damien Room. Open to All Students in Grades 5-12.

Games, Teachings & Refreshments

Midnight Mass Dec 25, 2024 Mahalo to Paul Louelle Esquerra & Willa Esquerra & Baby Sedi Kainoa Esguerra For Being our Holy Family this year



Bread of Life,
ACTS OF SERVICE
2025 MAUI & LANAI VICARIATE STEWARDSHIP DAY

REGISTER HERE OR AT YOUR PARISH

STEWARDSHIP DAY SCHEDULE

- 8:00 AM MASS WITH BISHOP LARRY SILVA
- 9:00 AM REGISTRATION
- 9:15 AM WELCOMING / OPENING PRAYER
- 9:25 AM 1ST TALK: FR. POLI TY, SSS
TOPIC: FORMING US TO BE A CHURCH, A COMMUNITY OF GOD'S LOVE
- 10:10 AM BREAK
- 10:30 AM 2ND TALK: MR. & MRS. SATEGNA
TOPIC: THE IMPORTANCE OF THE EUCHARIST & STEWARDSHIP IN OUR FAITH JOURNEY
- 11:15 AM WRAP UP SESSION / Q & A
- 12:00 PM LUNCH & TABLE DISCUSSIONS
LUNCH WILL BE COVERED BY YOUR PARISH ONCE YOU REGISTER

GUEST SPEAKERS

FR. POLI TY, SSS
PASTOR
ST. JOSEPH CHURCH, HILO

TOM & DEBBIE SATEGNA
PARISHIONERS
MARQUETTE CONCEPTION CHURCH
KALIA

15TH FEB | ST. ANTHONY CATHOLIC CHURCH
1627 MILL STREET, WAILUKU

You may call the office for more information if you are unable to sign up through the QR code or register on the sign up sheet at the entrances of the church. Deadline to Register is February 8, 2025 or Call 808-877-6098

Domingo 5 de Enero del 2025.

(La Epifanía del Señor)

Hermanas y hermanos, la epifanía debería ir precedida de aquello que decimos en el prefacio de la Santa Eucaristía: "¡levantemos el corazón!" Dios se manifiesta en Jesús: tal es el contenido maravilloso, inagotable, precioso sobre toda hermosura, de esta fiesta singular. Ahora pues que la Belleza Increada deja escuchar su voz, y somos convocados a gozarnos en la visión del Eterno, vengan a acompañarnos y sean guías nuestros: un corazón contemplativo, unos oídos capaces de escuchar y un corazón capaz de acoger.

Jesús entero podría llamarse como se llama esta fiesta: Epifanía. "Quien me ha visto a mí, ha visto al Padre", dijo él una vez a Felipe (Jn 14,9), y muchas veces a nosotros. Nos lo repite cada vez que sentimos lo que sintió Felipe: "Muéstranos al Padre, y eso nos basta" (Jn 14,8). ¿Has conocido la punzante inquietud que sienten los niños que nunca han conocido a su papá, especialmente cuando llegan a la juventud? ¿Has visto con qué ansiedad buscan ese rostro, esa referencia existencial, esa primera clave de lectura que sólo un papá puede darles? Algo así tiene el alma humana, algo incisivo, que nada puede apagar, algo que nos dice gritar con Felipe. "¡muéstranos al Padre!". La respuesta a este clamor, el descanso de esta zozobra es Jesús: ver a Jesús, reposar en Jesús. Él es nuestra epifanía.

Solemos imaginar lo más bello como más oneroso. Los perfumes delicados, los vestidos finos, las joyas fastuosas significan siempre precios inalcanzables, dinero a montones, costos imposibles. No es así con Jesús. El más bello es también el más humilde; el más santo es también el más cercano; el más sabio es también el más comprensible; el más puro es también

el más amigable y el más acogedor. Su grandeza no nos aplasta sino que nos levanta; su pureza no nos humilla sino que nos limpia. Eso es lo grande de esta Epifanía.

Jesús es el llamado de la belleza sin límites pero también de la humildad sin límites. Porque, en el fondo, la humildad es bella y la belleza es humilde. Un rostro hermoso y petulante puede halagar los sentidos, pero a precio de entristecer el alma, y eso en realidad no es hermosura. Sólo Jesús, en la dulce paz de su presencia sin escándalos, en la serena palabra de su corazón cargado de amor, puede manifestar al hombre esa belleza que no cansa, que no se repite, que siempre refresca.

Con la Bendita, Epifanía les deseo un-Feliz año 2025.



*Padre que estás en el
cielo,
la fe que nos has donado
en
tu Hijo, Jesucristo, nuestro
hermano,
y la llama de caridad
infundida en nuestros
corazones por el Espíritu
Santo,
despierten en nosotros la
bienaventurada esperanza
en la venida de tu Reino.
Tu gracia nos transforme
en dedicados cultivadores de las semillas del
Evangelio
que fermenten la humanidad y el cosmos,
en es espera confiada
de los cielos nuevos y de la tierra nueva,
cuando vencidos las fuerzas del mal,
se manifestará para siempre tu gloria.
La gracia del Jubileo
reavive en nosotros, Peregrinos de la
Esperanza,
el anhelo de los bienes celestiales
y derrame en el mundo eterno
la alegría y la paz
de nuestro Redentor.
A ti, Dios bendito eternamente,
sea la alabanza y la gloria por los siglos.*



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PASTOR: FR. EFREN A TOMAS, M.S. (808) 344-3290
ASSOCIATE PRIEST: FR. ANIL KOCHUTHAZHATH VARGHESE, M.S. (808) 398-8089
(calls taken during office hours only)
DEACONS: Dcn. KENNETH BISSEN, JR. & Dcn. CORNELIO PULIDO
MAUI HISPANIC MINISTRY: REV. ORNOLDO CHERREZ 808.879.4844 Ext. 33

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Friday | 9am – 3:30pm

BUSINESS/FINANCE MANAGER

Madelyne Pascua

ADMINISTRATIVE SECRETARY

Mildred Chargualaf

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLERK

Shirley Kusuno

**CHRIST THE KING
CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER
808.877.3587**

DIRECTOR:

Carole Arakawa

SCHOOL BOARD CHAIRPERSON

Rodney Ching

CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM

Baptism Classes are held on the 2nd Tuesday of every month at 6pm in the parish hall. Parents and main Godparents must attend these classes. Please call the parish office to register before attending classes.

WEDDINGS

Couples are to begin the process of personal interviews and Marriage Preparation Programs with the priest/deacon at least six (6) months before the desired wedding date. Please call the office for an interview.

CONFESSIONS

Confessions are heard on Saturdays from 3:30 – 4:00pm, or you may call the parish office to schedule an appointment.

FUNERALS

Please call the parish office before making plans with the mortuary.

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP – Lucy Peros

Contact Lucy Peros:

lucyperos@yahoo.com

CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 5pm

Sunday: 6am, 8am, 10am & 6pm

Hispanic Mass: 12noon

First Sunday of the Month: Visayan Mass 7:30pm

WEEKDAY MASS

Monday through Friday: 7am

HOLY DAY MASS

7am & 6:30pm

WEEKDAY MORNING PRAYERS

Divine Mercy Chaplet: Monday-Friday after morning mass

Monday, Tuesday, Friday -Rosary at 6:30am

Wednesday: Our Lady of Perpetual Help at 6:30 am

Thursday: Our Lady of La Salette at 6:30 am

First Friday: 6am Holy Hour for Vocations

12 Noon - 6pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

MINISTRY & ORGANIZATION

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Chairperson: Dionie Cabias

Vice Chairperson: Juliet Calpo

Secretary: Kat Virgino-Ortogero

WORSHIP COMMISSION

Chair: Carol Ursua, Co-Chair: Ester Felipe

Extraordinary Ministers

Ushers/Usherette Ministry

Lector Ministry

Music Ministry

Altar Server Ministry

EVANGELIZATION COMMISSION

Sr. Angela Laurenzo/Safe Environment

Faith Formation/Confirmation

Grades 1- 8, High School

Pre-Jordan/Pre Cana/OCIA

Fr. Anil Varghese/Adult Communion & Confirmation

Couples for Christ: Dec Torricer

Deacon Cornelio Pulido, Our Lady of Manaog

Deacon Kenneth L. Bissen, Jr., Prayer Group

Men & Women of the Cross- Dr. Gloria Rongcal

TEMPORALITIES/FINANCE COMMISSION

Building & Grounds

Finance Committee – Rose Inamasu

Parish Annual Bazaar

Stewardship Committee: Dionie Cabias



SERVICE COMMISSION

Chair: Fr. Anil Kochuthazhath Varghese, MS
Co-Chair: Valdyn Sakai

Bereavement Committee

Documentation & Publishing

Food Pantry

Grief Support

Homebound Ministry

Ministry to Persons in Care Facility

Outreach Networking Ministry

Respect Life

Social Media Ministry

Spiritual & Mental Health Ministry

Deacon Kenneth L. Bissen Jr. & Dr. Charmaine Bissen

YOUTH & YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

Father Anil Varghese, MS

ORGANIZATIONS

Assumpta Choir – Richard Gaoiran

Cancer Ministry - Dionie Cabias

CTK Filipino Catholic – Merlina Valdez

CTK Marian Choir - Paul Pigao

Hispanic Community – Pepe Vega

Knights of Columbus – Leo Agcolico

PASIFIKA EHU (Micronesian Community)– Al Saimon

Sacred Hearts Society

Santo Nino Club of Maui-Theresa Malapira

Sisters of St. Joseph of Carondelet & Ohana

St. Peter Chanel Choir (Sangato Petelo Sanele)

Tongan Community – Noa Siusa

