

Newman Center Holy Spirit Parish



Aloha! Welcome!

Aloha! E Komo Mail

We welcome you to your new spiritual home and are delighted to have you join our parish community!

At Newman Center - Holy Spirit Parish, we know that we are all individual parts of the mystical Body of Christ. Working together, we find great joy in doing God's work here on earth. We invite and encourage you to join us as we pray, work and fellowship together.

Please contact the Parish Office to register. Welcome!

Office Hours:

Monday - Friday: 9:00am to 5:00pm
(except Holidays)
Newman Center may remain open till evening programs conclude

Saturday and Sunday:
Open during Mass times and for activities as needed.

Liturgical Schedule

Daily Mass (Monday-Thursday)	12:10PM
Sunday Mass	5:00PM
(Saturday Evening Anticipated)	9:00AM
	11:00AM
(Student -led Mass)	5:00PM
Sacrament of Reconciliation (Saturday)	3:45PM—4:30PM
Tuesday OR Thursday during Adoration	

Pastoral Team

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FAST - PRAY - GIVE

SUNDAY, MARCH 22, 2026

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

I AM

THE RESURRECTION
AND THE LIFE.

— JOHN 11:25 —

From the desk of the Pastor

Next week we will celebrate Palm Sunday or Passion Sunday as Jesus triumphantly enters Jerusalem when the people welcome Jesus as the Messiah. However, as we know this triumphant response by the people was short-lived, because by Friday, they crucify our Lord by hanging on the cross. In our lives we need to be to always praise Jesus as our Messiah as Our Lord and Savior and avoid sin, because when we sin, we hurt our relationship with God and in away turn our backs on Jesus as the people in Jerusalem did then. Let's always live a life that glorifies God.

Have a blessed week!

Sincerely in Christ,

Fr. Kurt Meyer



Sacramental Information

Reconciliation

Saturday 3:45PM—4:30PM

Baptism

By Request

Please contact the parish office at least one month before the date desired for the Baptism.

Funerals

At Need

Funerals and the Rite of Christian Burial are made in conjunction with the Mortuary of your choosing. Please contact the Parish Office prior to finalizing a date with the mortuary.

Holy Matrimony

By Request

Couples need to contact the parish office at least eight months prior to your desired wedding date to begin the marriage preparation required by the Diocese of Honolulu.

Holy Orders—Religious Life

By Call

Is God calling you to the Priesthood, Diaconate, or Religious Life? God doesn't call the qualified. He qualifies the called. Call us today to setup a discussion with our Pastor where you can continue discerning God's call.

Holy Communion

Ongoing

Programs are available for those who have not yet received their First Eucharist. Please contact our Parish Office for more information.

Confirmation

Ongoing

Programs are available for those who have not yet received the Sacrament of Confirmation. Please contact our Parish Office for more information.

Anointing of the Sick

By Request

If you or someone you know are in need of receiving the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick, please call our parish office to schedule

Order of Christian Initiation for Adults

Ongoing

If you or someone you know are have not yet been baptized and are interested in becoming a member of the Catholic Faith, please call our parish office to learn more about the OCIA,

Our Mission

We are the Catholic Center and Campus Ministry at the University of Hawaii, and under the Catholic Diocese of Honolulu, serving parishioners, staff, faculty, and students alike that stimulates critical thinking and dialogue about issues that challenge Christian living and commits to a living faith that practices and promotes justice.

We are a spirit-filled and welcoming community that proclaims and celebrates the Good News through liturgy, the sacraments, faith sharing, outreach, and social action. As the Roman Catholic Community of the University of Hawaii, we offer opportunities for life-long faith development to all who choose to join us. We invite the contribution of gifts in stewardship and evangelism, and challenge one another in the same manner that Jesus challenges us: to love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind and to love your neighbor as yourself. Come journey with us!

Stewardship of Time, Talent and Treasure

STEWARDSHIP PRAYER

Generous and Loving Creator, you have called us to Malama i ka Makana (Cherish the Gift).

As disciples of your Son, we ask that your Spirit open our minds and hearts to more deeply appreciate your countless blessings. Increase your transforming spirit within us, so as to nurture our call to stewardship as a way of life marked always by faith-filled prayer, service to others and generous giving. With the kokua of St. Marianne and St. Damien, teach us to be good stewards so we may return a hundred-fold the makana entrusted to us.

We pray this through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Tithes and Offerings:

03/14/2026-03/15/2026	\$2,311.00
Online	
03/13/2026-03/19/2026	\$1,717.00

May we continue to receive God's gifts gratefully, manage them responsibly, and share them joyfully. Mahalo for your generosity!

Upcoming Second Collections:

April 2 Rice Bowl

Giving Made Easy

Giving online is safe and easy using our secured online platform, by visiting WeShare at:

newmanhawaii.weshareonline.org

Thank you, for your continued support of our parish as we strive to meet the needs of our faith community!



Nourishing Our Faith

Prayer On the Go

<https://pray-as-you-go.org/>
<https://www.sacredspace.ie/>

Daily Scripture and Reflections:

<https://www.dailyscripture.net/daily-meditation/>

Contemplative Prayer (via Zoom)

Monday Nights at 6:30 pm. 30 minutes of silence, followed by Scripture and Sharing. For more information, contact Cheryl Treiber-Kawaoka 808-227-5162

Prayer Corner

This column in our bulletin are for those in our community who are sick and those who recently died. To add someone (with their permission) or yourself to the prayer list for the sick or someone on the In Memoriam list, please contact the office.

Please remember the sick and homebound in our community. Pray that they may find comfort and healing, especially:



Kristi Dinell
Denise Esposito
Vernon Chock

Shirley Chock
Daniel Barr
Sandra Ching



In remembrance, let us pray for all who have died, that they may rejoice with the Risen Lord, especially our recently deceased:

Joseph Anthony Cammalleri & Geraldine Halbur



The Word of the Lord Weekly

Readings for the week of March 22, 2026

Sunday: Ez 37:12-14/Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8
Rom 8:8-11/Jn 11:1-45
Monday: Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62
Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6/Jn 8:1-11
Tuesday: Nm 21:4-9/Ps 102:2-3, 16-18, 19-21/Jn 8:21-30
Wednesday: Is 7:10-14; 8:10/Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 11
Heb 10:4-10/Lk 1:26-38
Thursday: Gn 17:3-9/Ps 105:4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Jn 8:51-59
Friday: J er 20:10-13/Ps 18:2-3a, 3bc-4, 5-6, 7
Jn 10:31-42
Saturday: Ez 37:21-28/Jr 31:10, 11-12abcd, 13/Jn 11:45-56
Next Sunday: Mt 21:1-11/Ps 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24
Is 50:4-7/Phil 2:6-11/Mt 26:14-27:66

Observances for the week of March 22, 2026

Monday: St. Turibius of Mogrovejo, Bishop
Wednesday: The Annunciation of the Lord

Around the Parish

Newman Center-Holy Spirit Parish

SPRING

Beautification Day

Bring your family and friends as we help to prepare our space for Holy Week and the Easter Triduum.

Saturday, March 28
9am - 1pm

Refreshments and lunch will be provided!

EASTER LILY DONATIONS

In preparation for the celebration of the Resurrection of the Lord, we are looking for lily donations for our art & environment. If you would like to donate, please bring lilies by Wednesday of Holy Week. Mahalo!



LENTEN BLESSING BAG PROJECT

DUE MARCH 31

WE ARE SEEKING DONATIONS OF:

Toiletries: toothbrush, toothpaste, floss, soap, comb, feminine hygiene products, deodorant

Necessities: gallon size Ziploc bags, band-aids, baby wipes, hand sanitizer, small washcloth, slippers

Non-perishable items: energy bars, trail mix, gum, instant oatmeal

Mahalo FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

NEWMAN CENTER HOLY SPIRIT PARISH CAMPUS MINISTRY

Holy Week 2026

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Palm Sunday
of the Lord's
Passion
(March 28-29)

5:00 PM
(Saturday)
9:00 AM Mass
11:00 AM Mass
5:00 PM Mass

Wednesday of
Holy Week
(April 1)

7:00 PM
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Holy Thursday
Mass of the
Lord's Supper
(April 2)

7:00 PM Mass

Good Friday
of the Lord's
Passion
(April 3)

12:10PM Stations of the
Cross

1:00 PM Good
Friday Liturgy

7:00 PM Good
Friday Liturgy

The Easter
Vigil in the
Holy Night
(April 4)

7:00 PM Mass

Easter Sunday
of the
Resurrection of
the Lord
(April 5)

9:00 AM Mass
11:00 AM Mass
5:00 PM Mass

Come and journey through the Passion, Death, and Resurrection of our Lord



Several of our campus ministry students went to Damien Memorial School to promote Campus Ministry at the Newman Center with the seniors. They also talked about college and faith life at Newman.

Seniors were able to ask questions about Newman and life as a college student at UH Mānoa.