

# PARISH CALENDAR

Solemnity of the  
Most Holy Trinity

June 12, 2022

God immortal, three in One!

Saturday, June 11	..... 5:00 p.m.	Mass
Sunday, June 12	..... 7:00 a.m.	Mass
	..... 9:00 a.m.	Mass (Live Stream)
	..... 5:00 p.m.	Mass
Monday, June 13	..... 8:00 a.m.	Mass
	..... 9:30-11:00 a.m.	Food Pantry Open
Tuesday, June 14	..... 8:00 a.m.	Mass
Wednesday, June 15	..... 8:00 a.m.	Mass
	..... 9:30-11:00 a.m.	Food Pantry Open
Thursday, June 16	..... 8:00 a.m.	Mass
Friday, June 17	..... 8:00 a.m.	Communion Service
Saturday, June 18	..... 10:00-12 pm	<b>Confession - 87-1511 Nakii St.</b>
	..... 5:00 p.m.	Mass

## NEXT SUNDAY READINGS:

**Gen:14:18-20:** Melchizedek, king of Salem and priest of God Most High, brought bread and wine, blessing Abram and th creator

**1 Cor:11:23-26:** Paul wrote, "As often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the death of the Lord until he comes."

**Luke:9:11b-17:** Jesus took five loaves and two fish, raised his eyes to heaven, and blessed and broke them for his disciples to distribute.

**(Masks are optional but encouraged)**

**We continue to live streaming the Sunday Mass at 9:00 a.m. @ <https://www.stritananakuli.org/livestream> or [https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCepqtr\\_VuHL7R-MjmZpe7Cg/](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCepqtr_VuHL7R-MjmZpe7Cg/)**

## REFLECTING ON GOD'S WORD

It is not always easy to be family. Good parents, the old saying goes, give their children roots and wings, a sense of security and freedom to live their lives. But achieving such a balance is often accomplished only after years of working at it. Sometimes children feel smothered by their parents, that they are trying to control their lives; at other times, children feel neglected, that they are not important, even not loved.

The readings today remind us that God wishes us to know that we can find our roots in the divine love of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, and that we can also find our freedom there. Paul's words to the Romans pick up first on the purpose of the gift of the Spirit that we celebrated last Sunday. The Spirit has been given us to lead us more deeply into the mystery of God, into the love of God, so that we recognize that we are God's beloved children.

This same message is found in Moses' words to the people as they are about to enter into the Promised Land. Has anyone ever had a God like our God? Moses marvels. Has any God ever shown a people how dear they are by such signs and wonders as our God has shown us? Moses is moving them to know who they are as God's beloved family and to "fix in your heart, that the LORD is God . . . and that there is no other" (Deuteronomy 4:39).

But we are not to stay all curled up in the divine embrace. We have been sent forth to proclaim to others this good news, to "go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations" (Matthew 28:19). We do this when we allow the Spirit to lead us, to guide us in witnessing to God who is Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

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# ANNOUNCEMENTS

**WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER:** The love of God has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us." Invite God into your marriage. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experiences on: **June 24-26 East Hawaii/July 8-10 - Maui/ August 12-14 - Molokai/November 18-20 -Oahu:** Early registration is highly recommended. For more information visit our website at [www.hawaiiwwme.org](http://www.hawaiiwwme.org)

**WORD OF LIFE:** "In modern times, children in their mothers' wombs and those approaching the end of their lives are certainly among the "least of these" in our world's estimation. Practices such as abortion and assisted suicide tragically reject the truth that human life is always to be cherished and defended with loving concern. . . . Through the intercession of Our Lady of Guadalupe, may Our Lord grant us the grace to truly and courageously live his Gospel of life." " **USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities, "Live the Gospel of Life" NABRE © 2010 CCD. Used with permission**

## WEEKLY READINGS

**Jun 12 Sun: The Most Holy Trinity**

Prv8:22-31; Ps:8; Rom:5:1-5; Jn:16:12-15

**Jun 13 Mon: Saint Anthony of Padua, Priest and Doctor of the Church**

1 Kgs: 21:1-16; Ps:5:2-3ab, 4b-6a, 6b-7; Mt:5:38-42

**Jun 14 Tue: Ordinary Weekday**

1 Kgs:21:17-29; Ps:51:3-4, 5-6ab, 11 & 16; Mt:5:43-48

**Jun 15 Wed: Ordinary Weekday**

2 Kgs:2:1, 6-14; Ps:31:20, 21, 24; Mt:6:1-6, 16-18

**Jun 16 Thur: Ordinary Weekday**

Sir:48:1-14; Ps:97:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7; Mt:6:7-15

**Jun 17 Fri: Ordinary Weekday**

2 Kgs:11:1-4, 9-18, 20; Ps:132:11, 12, 13-14, 17-18; Mt:6:19-23

**Jun 18 Sat: Ordinary Weekday**

2 Chr:24:17-25; Ps:89:4-5, 29-30, 31-32, 33-34; Mt:6:24-34

## STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

### MAHALO FOR SHARING YOUR TREASURE

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## WISDOM'S ORDER

The disorder of our lives keeps us from peace. We race from one event to the next. Emergencies keep us from getting done the work we had planned to do. Our homes need a little more straightening. Our children need a little more attention. Our patience needs a little less demand.

It can be hard to appreciate the order of the world around us — the rhythm of the sun as it gently runs its course, the miracle of plants as they open with new life, the comfort of the wind as it cools and refreshes. The cycle of life and death, although it brings chaos to individual lives, is well ordered, and the world passes methodically from generation to generation.

That order is the wisdom of God. The wisdom of God speaks in the Book of Proverbs: "When the Lord established the heavens I was there." God's wisdom predates creation. God's wisdom assisted in creation. Creation works because of God's wisdom. God's wisdom continues to work around the world and within us.

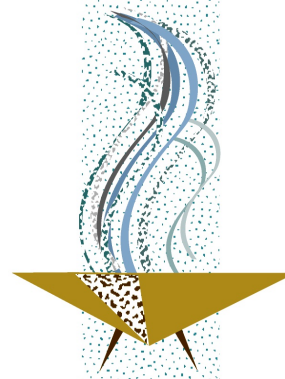
The disorder of our lives may keep us from sensing the wisdom of God, but wisdom is there. God created us in wisdom, ordered our bodies and gave us health, implanted within us a desire to know our creator, and nurtures us in our hunger for charity. Even when we are busy, even when we are unaware, God's wisdom is at work, keeping the pace of our hectic lives.

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