



Sacred Heart of Jesus & Mary at Waimea



# St. Theresa Parish

Established January 21, 1941  
P.O. Box 159, Kekaha, HI 96752



**Vision/Mission Statement**  
To make St. Theresa Parish a dynamic Christian community of worship & service

**St. Theresa School is closed until further notice.**

St. Theresa School at Kekaha



### Parish Directory:



**Pastor:** Rev. Edwin Conselva, M.S. 337-1784

**Deacon:** Deacon Jim Bostick, ret. 337-1124

**Parish Office**  
Mass Intentions/Marriage Convalidation / Hospital Communion/Sacraments  
Dee Young, Parish Secretary 337-1548  
(M-F, 8a-12p) [sttheresac@yahoo.com](mailto:sttheresac@yahoo.com)

**Sunday bulletin/HCH parish articles/website/PPC**  
Chantal Duarte 634-0403  
[chantal\\_duarte@yahoo.com](mailto:chantal_duarte@yahoo.com)

**Evangelization Commission:**  
-Religious Education Coordinator  
Mary Ann McMillen 639-7067  
-Baptism/Funeral/Wedding planning  
Call parish office at... 337-1548

**Social Services Commission:**  
-Parish Health Ministry  
Consa Pigao, Li'a Shigematsu, Ces Pablo and Lani Pasion.  
-Respect Life Ministry & WWME  
Andy & Nevis 651-7692 / 652-3723  
-Social Ministry  
Beverly Johnston 338-1725

**St. Theresa School**  
**Principal:** Ms. Wendy Castillo 337-1351  
(M-F 7 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.)  
Ursuline Munar (STS/HCH articles)  
[www.sttheresakauai.com](http://www.sttheresakauai.com)

## Fourth Sunday in Lent March 22, 2020 Laetare Sunday

*“Not as man sees does God see, because man sees the appearance, but the Lord looks into the heart.”*

1 Samuel 16:7

How often do we invest our time, talent, and treasure in creating an appearance that does not matter at all to God? We strive to impress with our clothing, home, career, possessions, car, and other marks of distinction. But none of these illusions of greatness will impress God. Instead, He will look into our hearts to see how much we loved Him, how much we loved others and how we showed that love by the way we used our time, talent, and treasure here on earth.

-Archdiocese of St. Louis



Jesus, healing the blind man

**NO MASSES THROUGH  
MARCH 31**  
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**Church will be open during these hours**

**St. Theresa Church - Kekaha**  
**Sunday: 8:30 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.**

**Weekdays: 6:30 a.m. – 7 a.m.**  
(M, T, W, Th & F)  
*subject to change*

**Saturday: 5 p.m. – 6 p.m.**

**Sacred Heart of Jesus & Mary Church (Waimea)**  
**Sunday: 7 a.m. – 8 a.m.**

**Confessions**  
**Sunday, March 22: 8:30 to 12 noon & 1 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.**

Please go to...  
[www.kekahacatholic.com](http://www.kekahacatholic.com)  
more information  
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God bless & protect everyone!

Aloha my dear brothers and sisters in Christ, Greetings of Peace!

I want to thank you all for your prayers, patience and concerns during this time of this pandemic; although Masses are canceled, I am trying my best to make the Church available for people to come in to pray. **It was brought to my attention that we should keep the Church open longer than our regular Mass schedule so, the hours listed to the left are what have been decided.**

I do not want the Church to be left unattended to prevent vandalism and anything being stolen, especially our new equipment; therefore, as the Pastor of our Parish, I am taking responsibility to sit in St. Theresa Church the whole day to watch over it. All I ask is if someone can relieve me for one hour, from 12noon-1:00pm, just so that at least I can take a lunch break.

**Since our Lenten Penance Service was canceled, I will be available this Sunday, March 22 at St. Theresa Church to hear confessions while the Church is open (except during lunch break).** Just approach me in Church. *Note:* Since we are not allowed to hear confession in our confession room during this pandemic, because it is too small of a confined area, I will be hearing confessions right outside of our Church near the candle area. And because we need to keep six feet apart, you may have to speak a little louder. Sorry for any inconvenience.

It was advised to watch Mass on EWTN (30, 408, 1408), or whatever channel that you can watch Mass. Also, Mass will be live streamed on Sunday at 9:00am from the Cathedral with Bishop Larry.

After this weekend, I will assess the situation and see if I need to make any adjustments on the time schedule.

**And please,** let us practice Social Distancing: avoid large gatherings; try to stay six feet apart; avoid physical contact; AND, always wash your hands.

God bless you all!  
Fr. Edwin

### STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

*God loves a cheerful giver!*

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Kekaha.: \$1,270.35  
Waimea: \$ 542.00  
Maintenance Fund: \$968  
Cross We Share: \$1,125  
Others: \$102  
(candles/flowers/Religious articles)

*God bless you for your generosity!*

### St. Theresa School Annual Carnival fundraiser

In light of the current public health safety situation, St. Theresa School will postpone our annual Carnival fundraiser until further notice. The health and safety of our community, especially our kupuna, is of utmost importance and we want to do all that we can to protect them.

Our carnival is a very important fundraiser for our school. Tickets will be honored at the rescheduled event. Thank you for your continued support!

† **Prayer Requests: Contact Emmaline Ihu via text msg. at 808-651-2609 or via E-mail at [ekihu@hawaii.rr.com](mailto:ekihu@hawaii.rr.com) and our 'Prayer Warriors' will pray for your special needs.**

