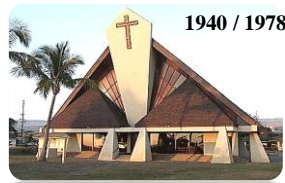




Sacred Heart of Jesus & Mary at Waimea

# 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



## Pray for our brothers and sisters on Maui

**Parish Directory:**  
**Past**  
Rev. Edwin D. Conselva, MS 808-337-1784



**Deacons:**  
Rev. Dcn. Bambi Emayo 808-645-1740  
Rev. Dcn. Jim Bostick, ret. 808-337-1124

**Parish Office**  
Mass Intentions/Marriage Convalidation / Hospital Communion/Baptism/Funerals/Weddings  
Dee Young, Parish Secretary 808-337-1548 (M-F, 8a-12p) sttheresac@yahoo.com

**PPC:** Raynette Newall  
**Sunday bulletin/HCH articles/website/Worship**  
Chantal Duarte 808-634-0403  
chantal\_duarte@yahoo.com

**Evangelization Commission:**  
-Director of Religious Education  
-Sr. Gloria Camitan, O.P. 808-337-1548  
-OCIA/Clarissa Emayo 808-651-9725

**Social Services Commission:**  
-Parish Health Ministry – on hold  
-Respect Life  
Contact parish office at 808-337-1548  
-Agency on Elderly Affairs 808-241-4470

**St. Theresa School**  
**Principal:**  
Ms. Wendy Castillo 808-337-1351  
M-Th 7:30 a.m. – 3 p.m.  
[www.sttheresakauai.com](http://www.sttheresakauai.com)

## 20<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME AUGUST 20, 2023

*“For the gifts and the call of God are irrevocable.”*

- ROMANS 11:29

God has a special mission in mind for each of us. He has given us the gifts we need to accomplish that mission. We are called to be good stewards by using those gifts to do the work that He has planned for each of us. If we deny our gifts or fail to use them as God calls us to use them, then some part of His work will be left undone. Each of us has a part in God’s salvation plan.

Archdiocese of St. Louis

## WHAT ARE YOUR GIFTS?

†  
**St. Theresa Church - Kekaha**

**Sunday:** 7:45 a.m. Rosary  
8:30 a.m. Mass

**Saturday:** 5 p.m. Vigil Mass  
**Weekdays:** M-Th 6:30 a.m. Mass

**STS Mass to begins on August 11 w/Mass at 8:10 a.m. / All are welcome!**

**First Friday Holy Hour – 6-7 p.m.** with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament & Benediction at STC

**First Saturday Devotion to the BVM at 8 a.m.** at Sacred Heart of Jesus & Mary Church, Waimea

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

**Confessions**  
Please call the parish office at 337-1548 to schedule an appt.

**PARISH WEBSITE**  
[www.kekahacatholic.com](http://www.kekahacatholic.com)

## WORD OF LIFE – AUGUST 20, 2023

“God’s love—individual, real, unchanging—is the true source of our worth, identity, and dignity. It really is not a question of who we are, but rather *whose* we are. Because His love will never change, nothing can reduce our God-given dignity, and nothing can diminish the immeasurable worth of our lives.”

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities “How to Build a Culture of Life”

## ~ FCC BAKE SALE NEXT SUNDAY ~

### STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

† Mahalo for your generosity †

#### Donations / Offerings

Kekaha: \$1,488.30  
Waimea: \$1,124.00

Catholic Charities HI: \$64  
Catholic Relief Svcs: \$  
Cross We Share: \$250  
Maintenance Fund: \$25  
Others (candles): \$80



*God bless you!*

**Offerings may be mailed to:**  
**P.O. Box 159**  
**Kekaha, HI 96752**

### † OHANA IN CHRIST †

We thank all our parishioners that participated in the 2022-2023 Ohana in Christ campaign.

Our parish donated 132% of the goal that was set by the Diocese.

Our stewardship of treasure helps our parish priests and deacons, youth and young adult ministries, and those most in need.

God’s blessings on each of you! No matter what you gave, it contributed to our exceeding our goal!

*Ohana in Christ is an ongoing annual campaign.*  
Envelopes are available as you enter Church.

### MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

- † **Faith Formation:** Classes to resume in the fall.
- † **Religious Education:** Registration has started! Contact Sr. Gloria Camitan, OP at the parish office at 808-337-1548
- † **OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults) /** Please call or text Clarissa Emayo at 808-651-9725 for info / classes to resume in the fall.
- † **Rosary & Novena to OLPH –** Wednesdays at 6 p.m. at St. Theresa Church
- † **Prayer Requests:** Contact Martina Hildorfer via text msg. at 808-635-3189 or via E-mail at [hildorf@hawaii.edu](mailto:hildorf@hawaii.edu) and our ‘Prayer Warriors’ will pray for your special needs. *God hears and answers our prayers!*
- † **Online Masses:** [www.catholichawaii.org](http://www.catholichawaii.org)

