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# 2023: CELEBRATING THE 125th ANNIVERSARY OF THE PARISH OF ST. CLEMENT

We will be taking some trips down memory lane as we take glimpses into the past.



Who are these people and why are they dressed like this in our church?

- A. The Feast of Lights
- B. A Hallowe'en party
- C. A religious themed Mardi Gras party
- D. Young candidates for ordination

# Ke 'Alemanaka

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#### **Church Office Hours**

Open Weekdays 9AM to 4:30PM

\*Closed on Holidays

# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Thank you to the Family Ministry for their lively tableaus during the ceremoy of Lesson and Carols.

See pictures on page 8.

Our food distribution program is still open to receiving donations of canned soup, corned beef, pork and beans, chili with meat, corn, and Vienna sausage.

Mahalo to December's Food Distribution crew: Holo Stender, Beth Fincke, Ann Ogilvie, Kathleen Norris, Matthew Chapman, and Annette Kirkpatrick.

### **ZOOM SERVICE OUTLINE**

#### SUNDAY

#### Worship at 8AM & 10:15AM

ID#: 854 4414 6891 Passcode: 1515

#### Adult Discussion at 9AM

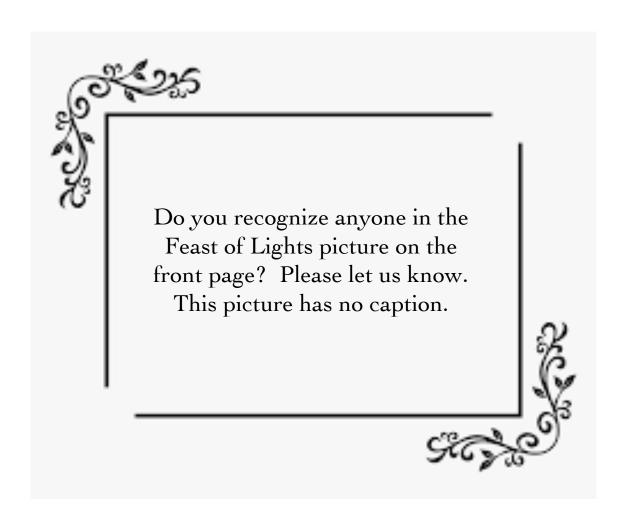
Meetings are in person at the Parish House.

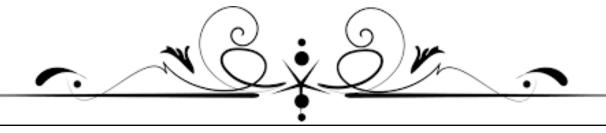
Bible Study (RBTL) at 9AM

ID#: 661 508 747 Passcode: 1515 You can join any service with your phone! Just call this number: 1 (669) 900-6833 Then enter the meeting ID and passcode when prompted.

If you picked A, you would be correct! Back in the 1950's the Young People's Fellowship put on a Feast of Lights Celebration annually at Epiphany. In hymns, biblical and secular texts, and portrayal of important people, it told the story of the spread of the light of Christianity from the birth of the Christ Child to the founding of the Parish of St. Clement in 1898. It was a journey of over 2,000 years and halfway around the world, involving apostles, saints, missionaries, bishops, two queens, and a king.

Let us celebrate our history, and continue to be Christ's light in our corner of the world.





# January 2023

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## ANNUAL MEETING Sunday, January 29, 2023

We will gather for church service at 9:00 A.M. and then go to the Parish House for the Annual Meeting and brunch. We will be electing a Junior Warden, three new Vestry members, and six delegates for the Diocesan Convention. Nominations are now open for those positions. Please let the church's office if you would like to run for one of these positions or received permission to nominate someone.

Sunday School will be at 9:00 a.m, and during the Annual Meeting, child care will be available.

BISHOP'S VISIT
Sunday, January 15, 2023

The Right Reverend Robert L. Fitzpatrick will be preaching at the 8:00 a.m and 10:15 a.m. services. There will be an "Ask the Bishop" time between both services for parishioners to speak with the Bishop.

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# PUNAHOU CARNIVAL PARKING FUNDRAISER

Friday, February 3, and Saturday, February 4

Punahou School is returning to its pre-Covid open to the public carnival. We need volunteers! As we did last year, people will be parking their own cars and will take their own keys. To make the parking magic happen, we will need two coordinators and more volunteers to help. This is a great chance to spend time with fellow parishioners, and there will be lots of delicious food to enjoy. Sign-up sheets will be available in the church, or please contact the office.

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# MISSING MINUTES MYSTERY

The vestry minutes from 1939-1941 are missing from the church files. These are the years when the new church was being built. If anyone has information on where the papers might be, please notify the church office.

# SUNDAY SCHOOL SNAPSHOTS





Sunday School's students in tableau during the Ceremony of Lessons and Carols.



Sunday School students putting chrismons on the tree.











To Our Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

The Week of Prayer for Christian Unity has been observed for more than 100 years, working toward the fulfillment of Jesus' prayer at the Last Supper "that they all may be one." Each year, an international group organized through the World Council of Churches and the Vatican's Pontifical Council for Promoting Christian Unity prepares text material for the week based on a theme. This year's theme is "Do good; seek justice" (cf. Isaiah 1:17).

We hope to gather once again in January 2023 to pray together. Like years past, we do this knowing that our world is fractured, filled with injustices and inequalities that bring more divisions among the people of God. This year we are called to be open to God's presence in all our encounters with each other and to pray together for peace and justice in the world.

I would like to invite YOU AND YOUR COMMUNITY to join us and other Christians for a Taize Prayer around the Cross, an hour of simple music, Scripture, and prayer. Clergy may wear robe/alb and white stole, if desired.

Date: Wednesday, January 18, 2023

Time: 7:00 p.m.

The Roman Catholic

Church of the State

of Hawaii is

extending an

invitation to all

Christians for their

the Cross Event on

Taize Prayer around

Wednesday, 1/18/23.

We are also sharing

information for the

upcoming events

hosted by Camp

Mokule'ia in 2023.

Place: Newman Center/Holy Spirit Parish at the University of Hawaii (UH), Manoa

1941 East West Road Honolulu, HI 96822-2321

(Free parking is available at St. Francis School, 2707 Pamoa Road, Honolulu. Please contact the

Newman Administrative Assistant at manager@newmanhawaii.org for a parking pass.)

Please RSVP by January 11, 2023 through the Office of Worship, Diocese of Honolulu, at 808-585-3342 or email your response to alguerrero@rcchawaii.org

We hope to see you there. May the Lord bless you always!

Sincerely yours in Christ,

+ Larry Silva Most Reverend Larry Silva

Bishop of Honolulu

# **Upcoming Events:**

**Diocesan Youth Ministry Retreat** 

February 3-5, 2022

Easter Ohana Stay-Cay Weekend

April 7-9, 2022

**Easter Sunrise Service** 

April 9, 2022 7:00 a.m

Mother's Day Ohana Stay-Cay Weekend

May 12-14, 2022



68-729 Farrington Hwy, Waialua, HI 96791 campmokuleia.org (808) 637-6241

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# **SCHOOL SNAPSHOTS**

A view into the school days at St. Clement's



Students of St. Clement's School donated bags of toiletries for those in need for their annual Joy of Giving Drive.



Students in our After School Program enjoyed showing off the snowflakes they created with pipe cleaners and beads.



Students in C2 enjoyed playing on the newest playground equipment that was installed over the Thanksgiving holiday.



Special visitors (Elsa, Spiderman, Santa's Elf, Rudolph) stopped by Chapel to wish our students a very Merry Christmas! Students enjoyed singing and dancing with our special guests for the day.



The Preschool's 4 grade level all dressed in their pajamas for Pajama Day.



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# **MONTHLY PARISH BRIEF**

#### **School News**

- The School held their first in person Christmas Program on Friday, Deember 16, 2022.
- The students made their annual donation of toiletries, which were handed in our Food Distribution bags on Saturday, December 17, 2022.
- On January 3, 2023, the School will host orientation and tours.

#### **Search Committee News**

 The Search Committee met via Zoom on December 5, and then worked offline on the Parish Profile. A draft of the Parish Profile was sent to Canon Sandy Graham on December 14, 2022.

#### Parish News

- The Vestry has called the Reverend Carol Arney to be our long term supply priest.
- We will be getting a new amplifier for the church's sound system.
- The Bishop will be visiting on Sunday, January 15, 2023.
- The Annual Meeting will be held on Sunday, January 29, 2023.

#### News frorm Our Extended Ohana

Grace Phillips has moved to SanDiego and said, "Thanks for the wonderful memories."

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Return Service Requested

Office Open 8:30AM to 40PM

> Adult Discussion 9AM

Bible Study 9AM

Holy Eucharist 8AM and 10:15AM

MONDAY

SUNDAY

JANUARY AT A GLANCE



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TUESDAY	Office Open 8:30AM to 4PM	

FRIDAY	Office Open 8:30AM to 4PM	Кūрипа Вох (1/20) 12PM to 1PM	
THURSDAY	Office Open 8:30AM to 4PM	Farmers Market 4:30PM to 7PM	

SPECIAL EVENTS	ANNUAL MEETING 1/29 at 10AM	OFFICE CLOSED 1/2, New Year's Day 1/17, Martin Luther King Jr. Day
SATURDAY		Third Sat. (121) Food Distribution 10:00AM to 12:00PM