

THE POWER IN LITURGY

By Pastor Heather Hill



Liturgy is designed to welcome all into the presence of the Holy One. Unlike other forms of worship, entering the presence of God does not rely on creating the correct posture or pureness of heart. When a worshipper does not “feel” God’s presence, is when liturgy works its’ magic. The words and prayers of those around you usher you into the presence of the Holy to meet God when you do not have the words to say.

This is why I worship in a liturgical tradition. Why I lead others through repeatedly reciting the same words, day after day, month after month, year after year. There is a power in liturgy that provides us strength and encouragement to go on in life.

I invite you this month to reflect on the prayers we say together during worship. Read through the bulletin or look at the prayers in the Book of Common Prayer when it is not Sunday morning.

Where and when do you rely on the prayers of our ‘ohana to bring you into the presence of God? How do your prayers help others? Our liturgical prayers are designed to be said in community. How does our community enhance your prayers and how do our prayers enhance our community?

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Church Office Hours

Open Weekdays
9AM to 3PM

**Closed on Holidays*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

St. Clement's is turning 125 in 2023! If you would like to join brainstorming discussions for the celebratory event please let us know!

Stitched Together With Love, St. Clement's newly-formed knitting and crochet group, is meeting every second Saturday (5/14) at 11AM under the church porte cochere.

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

Mahalo to this month's Food Distribution bagging crew:
Terry Ledford, Sandy Souza and Beth Fincke.

Mark your calendars:
Sally McDermott's Memorial Service
will take place at the Parish of St. Clement
on Saturday, May 28 at 11AM

ZOOM SERVICE OUTLINE

SUNDAY

Worship at 8AM & 10:15AM

ID#: 854 4414 6891

Passcode: 1515

Adult Discussion at 9AM

ID#: 854 4414 6891

Passcode: 1515

Bible Study (RBTL) at 9AM

ID#: 661 508 747

Passcode: 1515

TUESDAY

Compline at 9PM

ID#: 823 5666 8373

Passcode: 1515

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

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Running Zoom Services on Sundays

Sunday morning services cannot continue to be hybrid without YOUR help! As we face new staffing transitions, we will need help on Sunday mornings to ensure that parishioners that join us from home can still participate; so we are asking for volunteers to log the church computer into Zoom before church services. Fear not: setting up Zoom on Sunday mornings is actually very simple! Essentially, all you will be doing is turning on the computer, logging into Zoom, and plugging it into the projector and camera. We will provide in-person walk-throughs as well as written instructions. If you are willing and able to help, please contact the church office by phone (808-955-7745) or by email (secretary@stclem.org).

THANK YOU, CATHY!

A Hui Hou, Cathy Overstreet!

Over the past twelve years, our parish 'ohana has come to know and love Cathy Overstreet. She moved back to Hawai'i to help look out for her parents, Fred and Jean Overstreet, who were also longtime members of St. Clement's. This month, we say a warm goodbye as she makes the move from Hawai'i to Las Vegas with her husband, Robert Fulmer. Cathy has been a longtime member of the St. Clement's Choir, and, more recently, a member of the Vestry. Sarah Palm will be stepping in to complete Cathy's Vestry term.



Pictured on the left, you'll see the St. Clement's Choir on Cathy's last Sunday here (Easter). From left to right, pictured is Brian Crow, Rich Lowe, Beth Fincke, Mary Carpenter, Cathy Overstreet, Soane Lino, Tau'eva Lino and Fred Harrison.

MONTHLY VESTRY BRIEF

An Outline of Vestry Actions in the Month of March and April

- The Vestry welcomed Sarah Palm to the Vestry. She will be completing Cathy Overstreet's term, which ends in January 2023.
- Jodi Yoshioka, the Head of St. Clement's School, presented the following information to the vestry:
 - Anticipating full enrollment
 - The students and staff are enjoying the use of their new covered space on the second floor of B-building.
- The Property Committee has taken the following actions:
 - Approved and began work on the security fence, which will run from the behind the Parish Hall and B-building
 - The school security lighting project has been completed. All the outdoor fixtures have been updated with LED lights on timers.
- Many of our community groups are returning to in-person meetings and the Vi and Paul Loo Parish House. This includes our AA groups, mental health support groups, and Tae Kwon Do.

May 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>1</p> <p>Eid al-Fitr</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:00 AM Holy Eucharist 9:00 AM Adult Discussion 9:00 AM RBTL 10:00 AM Sunday School 10:15 AM Holy Eucharist 2:30 PM Tongan Church <p>HAPPY BIRTHDAY TAHMI BRODHEAD</p>	<p>2</p> <p>Eid al-Fitr</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:00 AM SCS Chapel 1:00 PM Parish Staff Mtg. 5:15 PM NAMI Book Club 5:30 PM Tae Kwan Do 7:30 PM AI-Anon <p>HAPPY BIRTHDAY VANA LEE</p>	<p>3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 5:00 PM Labyrinth Open 9:00 PM Compline <p>HAPPY BIRTHDAY ELISE NAKATSUJI</p>	<p>4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:00 AM SCS Chapel 5:00 PM Na 'Ohana Meeting 5:30 PM Tae Kwan Do 6:00 PM EfM 	<p>5</p> <p>Cinco de Mayo</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 4:30 PM Farmers Market <p>HAPPY BIRTHDAY SAMANTHA CHAPMAN ZOE CHAPMAN</p>	<p>6</p> <p>Clergy Sabbath</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:00 PM Strivers for Sobriety 	<p>7</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:00 AM Altar Guild 10:00 AM Compassionate Friends 6:30 PM Tongan Choir Rehearsal
<p>8</p> <p>Mother's Day</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:00 AM Holy Eucharist 9:00 AM Adult Discussion 9:00 AM RBTL 10:00 AM Sunday School 10:15 AM Holy Eucharist 1:00 PM Prayer Chain Mtg. 2:30 PM Tongan Church 	<p>9</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:00 AM SCS Chapel 1:00 PM Parish Staff Mtg. 5:15 PM NAMI Book Club 5:30 PM Tae Kwan Do 7:30 PM AI-Anon 	<p>10</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 5:00 PM Property Committee Mtg. 9:00 PM Compline 	<p>11</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:00 AM SCS Chapel 5:30 PM Tae Kwan Do 6:00 PM EfM 	<p>12</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 4:30 PM Farmers Market <p>HAPPY BIRTHDAY JANE ANDERSON</p>	<p>13</p> <p>Clergy Sabbath</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:00 PM Strivers for Sobriety 	<p>14</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:30 AM RYSE Meeting 9:00 AM Altar Guild 11:00 AM Knitting Group 2:00 PM Movie Night 6:30 PM Tongan Choir Rehearsal
<p>15</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:00 AM Holy Eucharist 9:00 AM Adult Discussion 9:00 AM RBTL 10:00 AM Sunday School 10:15 AM Holy Eucharist 2:30 PM Tongan Church <p>HAPPY BIRTHDAY WALTON SHIM</p>	<p>16</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:00 AM SCS Chapel 1:00 PM Parish Staff Mtg. 5:30 PM NAMI WOW 5:30 PM Tae Kwan Do 7:30 PM AI-Anon 	<p>17</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 5:00 PM SCS Board Mtg. 9:00 PM Compline 	<p>18</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:00 AM SCS Chapel 5:30 PM Tae Kwan Do 6:00 PM EfM <p>HAPPY BIRTHDAY CHRISTINA MARKEVITCH DOROTHY SEKI JESSICA STACK</p>	<p>19</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 4:30 PM Farmers Market 	<p>20</p> <p>Clergy Sabbath</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 12:00 PM Kūpuna Box 8:00 PM Strivers for Sobriety <p>HAPPY BIRTHDAY HELEN GARY HELENA ISHIDA</p>	<p>21</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:00 AM Altar Guild 10:30 AM Food Distribution 2:00 PM USH Cooking 6:30 PM Tongan Choir Rehearsal
<p>22</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:00 AM Holy Eucharist 9:00 AM Adult Discussion 9:00 AM RBTL 10:00 AM Sunday School 10:15 AM Holy Eucharist 2:30 PM Tongan Church <p>HAPPY BIRTHDAY LISA BUTO SOANE LINO, JR.</p>	<p>23</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:00 AM SCS Chapel 1:00 PM Parish Staff Mtg. 5:15 PM NAMI Book Club 5:30 PM Tae Kwan Do 7:30 PM AI-Anon <p>HAPPY BIRTHDAY BELLA GRACE HARPER</p>	<p>24</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 6:00 PM Vestry Meeting 9:00 PM Compline <p>HAPPY BIRTHDAY DANA ANDERSON</p>	<p>25</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 7:00 AM Graduation 11:00 AM Yo! House Cooking 5:30 PM Tae Kwan Do 6:00 PM EfM <p>HAPPY BIRTHDAY TYLER WONG</p>	<p>26</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 4:30 PM Farmers Market 	<p>27</p> <p>Clergy Sabbath</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:00 PM Strivers for Sobriety 	<p>28</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9:00 AM Altar Guild 11:00 AM McDermott Funeral 6:30 PM Tongan Choir Rehearsal <p>HAPPY BIRTHDAY LESLIE ISAKI</p>
<p>29</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8:00 AM Holy Eucharist 9:00 AM Adult Discussion 9:00 AM RBTL 10:00 AM Sunday School 10:15 AM Holy Eucharist 2:30 PM Tongan Church 	<p>30</p> <p>Memorial Day</p> <p>Office Closed</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 5:15 PM NAMI Book Club 5:30 PM Tae Kwan Do 7:30 PM AI-Anon 	<p>31</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 7:00 AM SCS Intercession Begins 9:00 PM Compline 				

SCHOOL SNAPSHOTS

A School Day at St. Clement's



B3 sat outside the church to show off the flowers they brought for our Flowering of the Cross Ceremony.



In celebration of the Easter bunny, the students of St. Clement's School got to enjoy a bunny petting zoo sponsored by their parent-teacher association, Na 'Ohana.



A student in B2 donated canned goods to our Easter Canned Food Drive held on April 6.



A student in C3 celebrated Earth Day on Friday, April 22 by planting seeds.



The students in B1 are learning about recycling. A student is making new paper by using used scraps of old paper.

PARISH SNAPSHOTS

A Month in Review



Kids Activities at Camp Mokule'ia



Swimming & Kayaking at Mokule'ia



Ginny LaPierre on the Zipline



Maundy Thursday Vigil



Flowering of the Cross



Easter Sunday
at St. Clement's



MAY AT A GLANCE

SUNDAY	MONDAY
<p>Holy Eucharist 8AM and 10:15AM</p> <p>Adult Discussion 9AM</p> <p>Bible Study 9AM</p>	<p>Office Open 9AM to 3PM</p>
TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
<p>Office Open 9AM to 3PM</p>	<p>Office Open 9AM to 3PM</p> <p>Assistance Available 10AM to 12PM</p>
THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<p>Office Open 9AM to 3PM</p> <p>Farmers Market 4:30PM to 7PM</p>	<p>Office Open 9AM to 3PM</p> <p>Kūpuna Box (5/20) 12PM to 1PM</p>
SATURDAY	SPECIAL EVENTS
<p>Third Sat. (5/21) Food Distribution 10:00AM to 12:00PM</p>	<p>MCDERMOTT FUNERAL May 28 at 11AM</p> <p>MEMORIAL DAY May 30 Office Closed</p>

