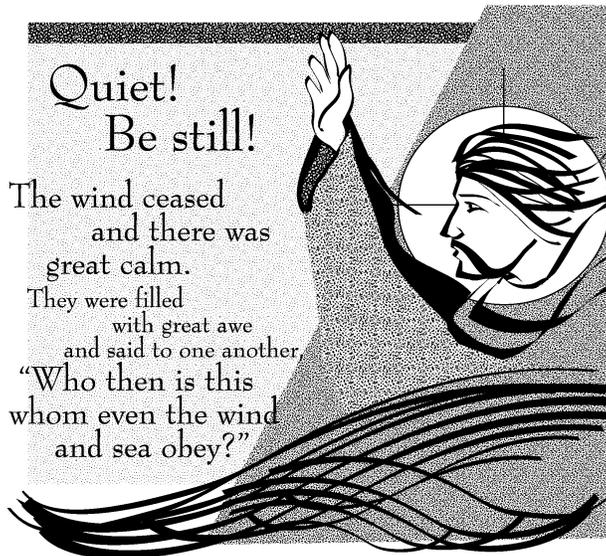


**Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time
June 21, 2015**



Reflection on the Scriptures

How can we fight fear with faith? Jesus' sleeping presence on the storm-tossed sea reveals the sleeping faith of his disciples. They feared for their lives even though their Lord and Master was with them in the boat. They were asleep to Christ while he was present to them in their hour of need. The Lord is ever present to us. And in our time of testing he asks the same question: *Why are you afraid? Have you no faith?* Do you recognize the Lord's presence with you, especially when you meet the storms of adversity, sorrow, and temptation? Whenever we encounter trouble, the Lord is there with the same reassuring message: *"It is I, do not be afraid."*

What are the characteristics of faith and how can we grow in it? Faith is an entirely free gift that God makes to us. Believing is only possible by grace and the help of the Holy Spirit, who moves the heart and who opens the eyes of the mind to understand and accept the truth which God has revealed to us. Faith enables us to relate to God rightly and confidently, with trust and reliance, by believing and adhering to his word, because he is utterly reliable and trustworthy. If we want to live, grow, and persevere in faith, then it must be nourished with the word of God.

Fear does not need to cripple us from taking right action or rob us of our trust and reliance on God. Courage working with faith enables us to embrace God's word of truth and love with confidence and to act on it with firm hope in God's promises. The love of God strengthens us in our faith and trust in him and enables us to act with justice and kindness towards our neighbor even in the face of opposition or harm. Do you allow the love of Christ to rule in your heart and mind, and to move your will to choose what is good in accordance with his will?

"Lord Jesus, increase my faith in your redeeming love and power that I may always recognize your abiding presence with me. And give me courage to do your will in all circumstances."

Excerpt from rc.net/wcc/readings

Next Sunday's Readings

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Wisdom 1:13-15; 2:23-24
 Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 30:2, 4-6, 11-13
 Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 8:7, 9, 13-15
 Holy Gospel: Mark 5:21-43

This Week's Mass Intentions

Monday, 6:30 am
 Tuesday, 6:30 am
 Wednesday, 6:00 pm Richard Medina, Birthday
 Thursday, 6:30 am
 Friday, 6:30 am +Dennis Lee
 Saturday, 5:15 pm +Mary Cabras
 +Mel Europa
 Sunday – 7:30 am Luz & Czardas Medina, Wedding
 Anniversary
 pro populo
 9:30 am
 6:00 pm

Remember in Prayer

Alvin Akiu, Jr.	Addison Jospheh
Lawrence Alejado	Emma Jospheh
Char Ancheta	Rnyaff Robert Jospheh
Aiden Ancheta	Ashley Nawahine
Rose Aranita	Eufrosina Olaso
Michael Bello	Celest Ortiz
Melvin Bonifacio	Geoffrey Padilla
Anna Buenventura	Gloria R. Padilla
James David Cadiz	Grant Padilla
Gilbert Ching	Mary Pires
Bridida Dizon	Sky Racoma
Emmie Arambulo Durado	Charles Richelieu
Flora Franco	Sharon Seifert
Carmen Espiritu-Igawa	Bernie Serrano
Violeta Guieb	Jovina Tabangcura
Joseph Hurst	James Taeno
	Lani Test

Please call or email the Parish Office if you would like us to pray for someone.

Weekly Stewardship

General Offering	\$	6,102.73
New Building Fund	\$	2,100.01
Other:	\$	1,261.49
Recycling		
TOTAL:	\$	9,464.23
Online Giving	\$	
Building Fund Online	\$	
New Building Fund		
Balance:	\$	1,228,963.30

Please remember Resurrection of the Lord in your wills and trusts. Thank you for your generosity!

This Week @ Resurrection

Monday (June 22):

Rosary, Marian Chapel, 6 a.m.
Communion Service, 6:30 a.m.

Tuesday (June 23):

Rosary, Marian Chapel, 6 a.m.
Mass, 6:30 a.m.

Wednesday (June 24):

Rosary, Marian Chapel, 6 a.m.
Mass, 6:30 a.m.
Parish Choir, Worship Area, 7 p.m.

Thursday (June 25):

Rosary, Marian Chapel, 6 a.m.
Mass, 6:30 a.m.

Friday (June 26):

Rosary, Marian Chapel, 6 a.m.
Mass, 6:30 a.m.

Saturday (June 27):

Sunday (June 28):

ROL Golf Club

Reflection

Ordinary Time is not "Ordinary" By: Kristina M. DeNeve, Adult Faith Formation Coordinator, Diocese of Honolulu

Much of our church calendar is called "Ordinary Time," which stands for any time that is not another liturgical season, namely Advent, Christmas, Lent and Easter. To speak of any Sunday, or of any day, as being "ordinary" is a misnomer. Or at least it should be. Why? Because today, this day, is the only day that exists. And every day is meant to be infused with God. Indeed, St. Paul says as much in today's 2nd reading, "Whoever is in Christ is a new creation: the old things have passed away; behold, new things have come." 2 Cor 5:17

To help me remember this, I like to think of Ordinary Time as actually being Pentecost Time. At Pentecost, the disciples received the Holy Spirit. Because of our Baptism we too have the Holy Spirit. We died to ourselves and live in the newness of Christ.

Like the disciples in today's Gospel, even if we think we know Jesus, even if we think we know our faith, Jesus will still astonish us. That is because every day can be a day of Pentecost. Ordinary does not have to be "ordinary."

Announcements

SUMMER OFFICE HOURS: Please note the Parish Office is open Monday through Friday, 8 am – 12 Noon during the summer.

HOMEBOUND & UNABLE TO ATTEND MASS? If you have a loved one who is homebound due to illness or age and unable to attend Sunday Mass, please email Fr. William at frwilliam@hawaii.rr.com with the name and address of the person. One of our Homebound Ministers will be happy to bring them Holy Communion.

THE WELCOME KIOSK: Please visit our Welcome Kiosk after Mass on the lanai if you are new and would like to register, RSVP for events, volunteer for ministry, or for more information about our parish activities!

ROL WEBSITE: You can visit our website to access information about upcoming events, to register, make a prayer request, to make a gift, view our baptism, wedding, and funeral guidelines, to see the daily readings, find resources for preparing for Confession, and information about opportunities to serve! It's www.resurrectionhawaii.org.

ONLINE GIVING...is now available on the parish website: www.resurrectionhawaii.org. Just click on the Online Giving icon and it will take you to the ROL page for Our Sunday Visitor, our online giving vendor. It only takes a few minutes to create an account with a credit or debit card, and then to make your giving selections. It's a great way to manage your financial stewardship to the parish and to earn miles and other credit card rewards. If you have questions, call the Parish Office, 676-4700.

LIGHTHOUSE DINNER SERVING will be on Sunday, June 28th. If you would like to help with the dinner, please see the sign up board on the Lanai after Mass. Thank you for your continued support.

ROL GOLF CLUB: All parishioners and guests are invited to golf on the last Sunday of each month. This month of June, the ROL Golf Club is scheduled to play at Prince on June 28th. Come join the team. We are filled this month but check again in July. Remember, we start with prayer, then fellowship, fun, and occasional birdies. Call 389-2416 for more information.

INFANT BAPTISM PARENT CLASS: The next Infant Baptism Parent Class will be on Tuesday, July 7 at 7:00 PM in the Conference Room. Please bring a copy of the baby's birth certificate and the completed Godparent forms. Infant Baptism will be celebrated on Sunday, July 12th at 2:00 PM.

ANNUAL PARISH PICNIC: Join us on Saturday, July 18th at Nimitz Beach (at Barber's Point) for our Parish Picnic. There will be one grilled food and drinks provided, games for kids and adults, and great fellowship. Please bring a dish to share and your own lawn chair, and of course, sunscreen! Hope to see you there!

ROL'S NEW 5 YEAR PASTORAL PLAN: Our Pastoral Council is developing a Pastoral Plan to guide our mission and ministry as a parish for the next 5 years. We need your input. We will be having a **Town Hall meeting on Saturday, August 8th** and we would like you to participate. If you are interested and can attend on that date, [please sign up on the lanai after Mass today.](#)

USHERS NEEDED: We are looking for men and women to help as Ushers at our weekend Masses. Responsibilities include: Greeting visitors with aloha, assisting those with special needs, taking up the collection, and cleaning up the church after each Mass. Ideally, we need at least 8 people for each Mass. If you can help us, please sign up at the Welcome Kiosk after Mass

WE NEED YOUR HELP: After each Mass, please return the Orders of Worship to the Ushers and make sure to pick up any papers around your seat. It helps to keep our church clean and neat for the next Mass. Mahalo.