



Please join us for fellowship & refreshments after the service in the Parish Hall.



Children's activity bags are in the back of the church.
Please return them at the end of the service! Mahalo!

Our Nursery is down the sidewalk, and right at the second hallway;
Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (ages 3 1/2-6 years) meets
down the walkway, in Room 102 (3rd classroom on the right);
and Godly Play (Grades 1-6) meets in Room 101 (1st classroom on the right).
An usher will be glad to show you the way.

Transforming Generosity: For those who have pledged, thanks for your generosity and love of St. C's. If you have not yet pledged, there is still plenty of time to do so. Our St. Christopher ohana is counting on all of us to help with our ministries. Extra pledge cards are in the pew racks and on the back table by the organ. So far, we have received 31 pledges totaling \$93,104. Preston and Hal have given great testimonies about generosity and pledging. Thank you for ALL who help St. C's be all that she can be. You and your gifts are valued tremendously. Thank you! You are also encouraged to give of your time and talent and will find ways to do that in our "Get Involved" brochure.

Thanks to all who came out for the work day on November 3rd! Our campus continues to look better and better and we shout out a big mahalo to all who play a role in caring for our sacred space.

All Saints' Sunday: We will celebrate All Saints' this Sunday, November 4th. You are invited to bring pictures of loved ones who have died, and to sign the Remembrance Book, listing names of those who have died. The names will be read at the worship service.

Special Catechesis Class on November 4 and 11: Family Promise will be using Room 102 this Sunday and next, so the 3-6 year-olds will meet in the sanctuary (worship space) at 9 am and take a sanctuary tour today (the 4th) and a sacristy tour on the 11th.

We will celebrate the Feast Day of Queen Liliukalani next week, November 11th.

On Sunday, November 18th, we will have Ingathering and Blessing of the Pledges.

On Sunday, November 25th, we will celebrate Christ the King and the Feast Day of King Kamehameha and Queen Emma.

To prepare for Presiding Bishop Michael Curry's March visit: we are encouraged to read the Gospel of Matthew. Bishop Fitzpatrick has prepared a study guide, which is available at episcopalhawaii.org.

Vestry Highlights: The Vestry met on October 25th, at 7 pm, in the Library. Highlights include:

- 1.The budget committee (Hal Barnes, Linda Bruckner, and Kathy Winston) are working on a 2019 budget that will be reviewed and finalized by the vestry on January 10th.
- 2.Deacon Preston and Mother Giovan will meet with the youth at the Rectory on Sunday night, October 28.
- 3.Deacon Preston is also working with the acolytes.
- 4.The Care of Property head has created a document that reviews possibilities with respect to our property at 69 N. Kainalu. It will be distributed in advance, and the congregation will be invited to gather after each service on November 18 and 25, both to hear about options the Vestry is considering, and to offer any ideas they may have.
- 4.We noted that Lessons and Carols are December 16 at 5 pm, and also received news that the State Hospital is not able to come to our traditional Christmas Dinner this year.
- 5.In lieu of the Christmas dinner, we will have a Hospitality Potluck on Sunday, December 2, from 5 to 8 pm at Karen Gifford's house. Recent-comers will receive a special invitation.

Parish Cycle of Prayer

Jay and Penny Sonoda, Larry and Jean Stamey, John and Evangeline Stefan, and their ohana.

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