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JUNE 15, 2025

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY (SOLEMNITY)



MASS SCHEDULE

Monday - Friday: 6:30 a.m.

& 12:00 p.m.

Saturday: 7:00 a.m.

& 12:00 p.m.

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 p.m.

(Fulfills Sunday Obligation)

Sunday: 8:00 a.m.,

10:00 a.m., 12:00 p.m.

& 5:00 p.m.

(unless noted in the bulletin)

RECONCILIATION

Wednesday by appointment

Saturday at 4:00 p.m. located at

old Cathedral Catholic Academy

(unless noted in the bulletin)

Devotions

First Friday

Adoration/Benediction

at 10:00 a.m.

First Saturday

Adoration after 7:00 a.m. Mass

(unless noted in the bulletin)

PARISH OFFICE

MONDAY through FRIDAY

8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Closed on holidays

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This week's Readings: Proverbs 8:22-31; Psalm 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9;
Romans 5:1-5; Alleluia: Revelation 1:8; John 16:12-15

Next week's Readings: Genesis 14:18-20; Psalm 110:1, 2, 3, 4;
1 Corinthians 11:23-26; Sequence: Lauda Sion; Alleluia: John 6:51; Luke 9:11b-17

"ENCOUNTERING THE MYSTERY OF THE HOLY TRINITY IN OUR LIVES"

Beloved Pilgrims of Hope,

Greetings of peace, love, joy, and hope!

On this solemn and joyous feast of the Holy Trinity, we are invited to gaze upon the mystery of God, one in Substance, Three Divine Persons: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. This profound reality has captivated theologians, mystics, and faithful believers throughout history, offering a glimpse into the boundless love and communion within God's very nature.

Many great thinkers have sought to unravel the mystery of the Trinity, contemplating its meaning and significance. And yet, in its depth, it remains beyond complete human comprehension. Rather than a puzzle to be solved, the Trinity is a truth to be encountered, a mystery that unfolds in the history of salvation and, most importantly, in our daily relationship with God. Through Jesus Christ, we are given insight into the Father's love and the Spirit's guidance, forming the foundation of our faith and understanding.

This Sunday, the Gospel of John speaks openly of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, revealing their unity and distinct roles in the work of salvation. Jesus proclaims that all that the Father has is given to Him, and in turn, He bestows upon us the Spirit, who leads us into divine truth. Here, we see not only the intimate relationship within the Trinity but also God's invitation for us to be drawn into this dynamic of love.

Jesus makes clear that the relationship among Father, Son, and Spirit is alive and active, a relationship that reflects how God chooses to relate to us. Though theologians and scholars offer profound insights into this mystery, the heart of our faith goes beyond mere intellectual understanding. Instead, it calls us to ask deeper, more personal questions: Who is God in my life? How do I nurture my relationship with Him?

We are constantly reminded that God is love and that He forgives, sustains, and calls us to Himself. But how do we discern this love? How do we respond to His presence? And how does our relationship with God shape the way we interact with others? Take a moment and ponder these questions and find the answers in prayer and humility.

As we celebrate the Solemnity of the Holy Trinity, may we open our hearts to God's grace, allowing Him to enlighten and draw us ever closer to His divine communion. May the mystery of the Trinity not be an obstacle but an invitation, an entry into the depth of God's love, calling us to unity, faith, peace, and hope.

Your fellow pilgrim in hope,

Fr. Pascual Abaya IV



IN THE NAME
OF THE FATHER,
& OF THE SON,
& OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

Matthew 28:19

CHURCH'S CALENDAR THIS WEEK

Sunday, June 15, 2025

Most Holy Trinity (Solemnity)

Masses at 8:00am/10:00am/12:00pm/5:00pm

Mass at the School, 1728 Nuuanu Ave.

Monday, June 16, 2025

Monday of the 11th Week in Ordinary Time

Masses at 6:30am & 12:00pm, 1155 Fort Street

Tuesday, June 17, 2025

Tuesday of the 11th Week in Ordinary Time

Masses at 6:30am & 12:00pm, 1155 Fort Street

Wednesday, June 18, 2025

Wednesday of the 11th Week in Ordinary Time

Sacrament of Reconciliation by Appointment only

Please call Office to make an appointment

Masses at 6:30am & 12:00pm, 1155 Fort Street

Thursday, June 19, 2025 - **Juneteenth Holiday**

Thursday of the 11th Week in Ordinary Time

Mass at 12:00pm - Offices closed

Friday, June 20, 2025

Friday of the 11th Week in Ordinary Time

Masses at 6:30am & 12:00pm, 1155 Fort Street

Saturday, June 21, 2025

Memorial of St. Aloysius Gonzaga

Sacrament of Reconciliation at the former

Cathedral Catholic Academy,

1728 Nuuanu Avenue at 4:00pm

Vigil Mass at 5:00pm at the School

Sunday, June 22, 2025

Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ (Solemnity)

Masses at 8:00am/10:00am/12:00pm/5:00pm

Mass at the School, 1728 Nuuanu Ave.

SCRIPTURE

One of the greatest gifts of the Christian faith is the dogma of the triune God — God is three (tri) in one (une). The Christian God — Father, Son, and Holy Spirit — is relational. How amazing and wonderfully mysterious at the same time! The readings for this solemnity speak of all aspects of the Holy Trinity.

In the First Reading, we hear of the work of the Creator God, the Lord who established the heavens and the earth. We hear of the wisdom of God, an expression of God's Holy Spirit, at work even before the creation of the world. In the Second Reading, we hear of Jesus Christ through whom we have been justified and been offered peace with God. Paul also tells us of the Holy Spirit through whom the love of God has been poured into our hearts. In the Gospel reading, we hear of the Spirit of truth who will come to teach us even more about God, leading us into a deeper relationship with the Father through Jesus.

Human beings were created as part of God's plan to be in relationship with him from the beginning. We today are still part of the plan. May our relationships with each other reflect the relationships of the divine persons of the Trinity.

SHARING FAITH

Many spiritual teachers tell us that human beings at their core search for wholeness. A deeper relationship with the triune God and one another can fulfill that longing. What does that mean for you?

Which images of the Trinity are familiar to you? Which are meaningful to you?

Toward what new pathways might the Spirit of wisdom be leading you?

LIVING THE LITURGY

Explore with a group the many aspects of the Trinity and the many images for God. Brainstorm a list. Use the Scripture, liturgical music, or prayers to help think of the possibilities. With the group, talk about the images that are undeveloped for each of the divine persons. Discuss how you might each deepen or enrich a new image.

The First Reading speaks of the delight and playfulness of God. As we approach summer think about how you might use this season to find God in playful activity.

Taking care of the earth and all God has given us is one way to honor God. Decide one new way that you can begin to care for God's creation (recycle, use less plastic bottles, walk rather than drive). Try to get your family, neighborhood, or parish to make changes.

REFLECTION

I found delight in the human race (Proverbs 8:31)



ICSC STEWARDSHIP PRAYER (JUNE)

Mission statement:

The mission of the **International Catholic Stewardship Council** is to foster an environment in which stewardship is understood. Throughout the Catholic Church.

Heavenly Father,

As we dedicate this month of
June
to the Sacred Heart of Jesus,
we ask you to grant to us
compassionate hearts;
hearts rich with your love,
embraced by your compassion.

Grant us generous hearts:
hearts that never count the
cost;
hearts that seek to serve
and not be served.

Grant us hearts that love peace:
hearts that promote truth and
justice,
transform hatred and anger,
and
seek unity and reconciliation.

Grant us hearts of a steward:
hearts that are filled with
gratitude,
eager to share, and
long to give back to you.

Grant us hearts filled with your
Spirit:
hearts open to conversion,
filled with hope, and
on fire with your Word.

We pray this in Jesus' name.

Amen

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!

June 2 - 8, 2025

Offertory Collection

Sunday	\$ 2,868.00
Weekday	\$ 745.81
Other Feasts, Solemnities, Holy Day	\$ 20.00
Online Giving	\$ 1,564.34
Total Offertory	\$ 5,198.15

Other Collection

Repairs & Maintenance	\$ 00.00
Diocesan Collection	\$ 168.98
Special Collection (Intentions, etc.)	\$ 100.00
Other Collection (Gallery, etc.)	\$ 179.00
Total	\$ 5,646.13

Visiting the Cathedral?

Forgot your envelopes? No envelopes?

Scan our QR Code to make a one-time donation

Mahalo for your support!



'OHANA IN CHRIST ANNUAL APPEAL

Help support the Cathedral Basilica and our many Catholic ministries and services by contributing to the **2024-2025 'Ohana In Christ Appeal**. **We collected \$35,350.00 of \$36,671 and we are at 96% of our goal.** Catholic Church in Hawaii has many dimensions and continues to make significant impact in the communities we serve. Your generous gift will especially help support numerous ministries and services at our parishes, schools and beyond - as well as our Parish Priests and Deacons, Youth and Young Adult Ministry and those most in need. Mahalo for your generous Stewardship of Treasure. All gifts are important and appreciated. Please give online at **CatholicHawaii.org**. Or scan the **QR code on the top** with your phone. For more information on how you can give or please call the office at 808-536-7036. Thank you for your generosity!

SAINT FOR THE WEEK

My child, it is indeed the Voice of God you have heard. He has given you a great grace in thus calling you into His one true Church. While you live, never cease to thank Him and bless Him for it.

St. John Francis Regis, (1597 - 1640), Patron of Social Workers, Feast Day June 16