



October 22, 2016 For The Twenty Third Sunday after Pentecost

Today's Hymns

Processional Hymn	<i>Hymnal 680 (v.1-3)</i>
Sequence Hymn	<i>Worship Booklet p. 3</i>
Offertory Hymn	<i>Hymnal 656 (v.1&2)</i>

The Collect

Almighty and everlasting God, increase in us the gifts of faith, hope, and charity; and, that we may obtain what you promise, make us love what you command; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

The Old Testament

Jeremiah 14:7-10,19-22

Although our iniquities testify against us, act, O Lord, for your name's sake; our apostasies indeed are many, and we have sinned against you. O hope of Israel, its savior in time of trouble, why should you be like a stranger in the land, like a traveler turning aside for the night? Why should you be like someone confused, like a mighty warrior who cannot give help? Yet you, O Lord, are in the midst of us, and we are called by your name; do not forsake us! Thus says the Lord concerning this people: Truly they have loved to wander, they have not restrained their feet; therefore the Lord does not accept them, now he will remember their iniquity and punish their sins. Have you completely rejected Judah? Does your heart loathe Zion? Why have you struck us down so that there is no healing for us?

We look for peace, but find no good; for a time of healing, but there is terror instead. We acknowledge our wickedness, O Lord, the iniquity of our ancestors, for we have sinned against you. Do not spurn us, for your name's sake; do not dishonor your glorious throne; remember and do not break your covenant with us. Can any idols of the nations bring rain? Or can the heavens give showers? Is it not you, O Lord our God? We set our hope on you, for it is you who do all this.

The Psalm

Psalm 84:1-6

1 How dear to me is your dwelling, O LORD of hosts! *

My soul has a desire and longing for the courts of the LORD; my heart and my flesh rejoice in the living God.

2 The sparrow has found her a house and the swallow a nest where she may lay her young; *

by the side of your altars, O LORD of hosts, my King and my God.

3 Happy are they who dwell in your house! *
they will always be praising you.

4 Happy are the people whose strength is in you! *
whose hearts are set on the pilgrims' way.

5 Those who go through the desolate valley will find it a place of springs, *
for the early rains have covered it with pools of water.

6 They will climb from height to height, *
and the God of gods will reveal himself in Zion.

2 Timothy 4:6-8,16-18

As for me, I am already being poured out as a libation, and the time of my departure has come. I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. From now on there is reserved for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give me on that day, and not only to me but also to all who have longed for his appearing. At my first defense no one came to my support, but all deserted me. May it not be counted against them! But the Lord stood by me and gave me strength, so that through me the message might be fully proclaimed and all the Gentiles might hear it. So I was rescued from the lion's mouth. The Lord will rescue me from every evil attack and save me for his heavenly kingdom. To him be the glory forever and ever. Amen.

Luke 18:9-14

Jesus told his parable to some who trusted in themselves that they were righteous and regarded others with contempt: "Two men went up to the temple to pray, one a Pharisee and the other a tax collector. The Pharisee, standing by himself, was praying thus, 'God, I thank you that I am not like other people: thieves, rogues, adulterers, or even like this tax collector. I fast twice a week; I give a tenth of all my income.' But the tax collector, standing far off, would not even look up to heaven, but was beating his breast and saying, 'God, be merciful to me, a sinner!' I tell you, this man went down to his home justified rather than the other; for all who exalt themselves will be humbled, but all who humble themselves will be exalted."



Weekly Announcements

Good Samaritan Episcopal Church, 1801 Tenth Avenue, Honolulu, HI 96816
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Good Samaritan is an open and inclusive community, all are welcome.

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Please hold the following people in your prayers

Comfort and heal all those who suffer in body, mind, or spirit; especially **Janine** LeGrand, **K.K. Miyake** & Family, **Laura** Edelbaum, **Paddy** Griggs, **William** Harada, **Helen** Ezaki, **Bob & Atsuko** Kato, **Nappy & Nancy** Napu'unoa and everyone affected by **Hurricane Matthew**.

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: **Licensed Clergy:** **The Rev. Alberto** P. Alarcon (Priest) & Mrs. Emelina Alarcon; **The Rev. Dwight** Brown (Priest) & Mrs. Catherine Brown; **The Rev. Dale** Burke (Priest); **The Rev. Bruce** Craft (Priest); **The Rev. Linda** Lundgren (Priest) & Mr. Robert Lundgren; **The Rev. Diane** Martinson (Priest); **The Rev. David** Moore (Priest) & Mrs. Sarah Moore; **The Rev. Robert** W. Nelson (Priest); **The Rev. Mary** Tudela (Priest) & Mr. Thomas Aguina; **The Rev. Keith** Wolter (Priest).

Our Bishop's Committee: **Deb** Nishihira, **Nappy** Napu'unoa, **Connie** Kaneshiro, **Myrtle** Kaneshiro, **Lori** Chun, **Les** Hata, **Margaret** Kitamura, **Harvey** Oakes, and **Jessica** Lum.

Our Altar Guild: **Pat** Lum (Coordinator), **Myrtle** Kaneshiro, **Faye** Hee, **Jessica** Lum, **Jan** Motoshige, **Taylor** Omuro, **Chris** Omuro, **Melissa** Morinishi, **Deb** Nishihira, and **Betsy** Hata.

Announcements

Hikari Church Newsletter: If you would like an article or photo to be considered for inclusion in our monthly church newsletter, email it to: "goodsamhawaii@yahoo.com" with the subject heading "for Hikari". Any photo submitted should

include a caption. Deadline for November issue: 10/24/16

House rental: Deb has shown the house to prospective renters and we have found a family to rent it pending the Bishop's Committee approval. If approved, Malcolm Hee and family will moving in by December 1st!

Kitchen rental: Deb met with a chef and his wife that are interested in renting the preschool building kitchen. Deb will be working with them and the diocese on a possible lease agreement. A partnership with this chef may help us with future fundraising and ministry ideas.

October 23: Interfaith Alliance 14th Annual Awards Celebration Dinner. Honpa Hongwanji Hawaii Bestuin Social Hall from 5:30 to 8:00 pm. The featured speaker will be Senator Suzanne Chun Oakland. This year's theme, "It's Not My Problem: Taking Responsibility in an Irresponsible World," examines the importance of learning personal and social responsibility. There is no charge for dinner, but space is limited and reservations are required. Online reservations may be placed at <http://www.interfaithalliancehawaii.org>, or call 599-8628.

October 28: Halloween Spooktacular Celebration at Epiphany Church on Friday, Oct 28 from 5-7pm. The people of Epiphany would like to invite Good Samaritan to join them at their second annual **Halloween Spooktacular Celebration**. Together with Boy Scout Troop 82, they invite the toddlers and parents at Cole Academy to stop in for treats, games, organ demonstration and walk through a "spooky, fun house. The event itself is from 5-7 pm but they are inviting us to join in the fun of preparing for this event as well. In preparation, they will be putting up Halloween decorations, putting together the "spooky house," make treats and setting up the refreshment table.

Once the children arrive, the focus will be on getting to know one another, so guests will be greeted as they arrive, the children will be helped to make nametags, they will be walked to the games and spooky house, and escorted to the sanctuary if they want to see the organ and just be present. Wear costume if you would like. You will not be asked to do more than you would enjoy doing, because the purpose of this event is to get to know one another and above all, to have fun!

October 28 & 29: Convention XLVIII, The Cathedral of St. Andrew
 Good Samaritan Delegates attending:
 Faye Hee
 Deb Nishihira
 Nappy Napu'unoa

Looking ahead...

November 20: Service invite at Epiphany Church on Sunday, Nov 20 at 8:30am. The people of Epiphany also invite us to worship with them again at the **Feast of the Holy Sovereigns**. They will be commemorating King Kamehameha IV and Queen Emma. Mary Sueoka will be offering a Reflection on the Word, and hula will also be offered in Response to the Word. There will be a potluck brunch following. In addition to our usual worship on Saturday evening, they hope you will add this special celebration to your calendars in November.

January 14: Bishop's announcement - Ordination of Annalise Marie Castro Having received the consent of the Standing Committee, I hereby inform the Diocese of Hawai'i that on Saturday, January 14th, 2017, at 10:00 AM, it is my intention, God and the People willing, to ordain Annalise Marie Castro, to the Presbyterate in the Cathedral of St. Andrew, 229 Queen Emma Square, Honolulu (O'ahu).

IHS Every Last Thursday of the Month— St. Mary's Moili'ili Outreach Center - Feeding those less fortunate - Cook and serve lunch, 9:00 am. Any help is welcome—Observe the difference this program is making in our community! Questions? Call Jan at 349-6435.

Tri-church Bible Study every Wednesday at St. Mary's Episcopal Church—10:00 am to 11:30 am (Led by Michael Kim of St. Luke's.)

Thank you to Kahu Irene Tanabe for being our supply clergy today!

Upcoming services:
 Oct. 29: Rev. Alex Geston

BIRTHDAYS

Audrey Case (Oct. 28)

Thank You to Our Worship Team!	
OCTOBER 15, 2016	
Supply Clergy:	The Rev. Irene Tanabe
Organist	Sumi Mizushima
Altar Guild:	Melissa Morinishi Chris Omuro
Eucharistic Minister:	Deb Nishihira
Acolytes:	Gavin Nishihira
Lector:	Nappy Napu'unoa
Alms Bearer:	Pat Lum
Counters:	Chris Omuro Pat Lum

Ministries	
Flowers:	Nishihira
Watering:	Nappy Napu'unoa
Refreshments:	Paul & Connie Kaneshiro

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