Celebrant & Preacher The Rev'd Luis Rodriguez **Eucharistic Ministers** Linda Sayegusa (7:30am) Kathy Otani (9:30 am) Lectors Mike Sen (7:30am) John Verghese (9:30 am)

Prayers Linda Sayegusa (7:30 am)

Rebecca Verghese (9:30 am)

Organist Willis Moore Altar Guild: Delia Moore, Lois Taylor Clarke, Marjorie

Grune, Gail & Bob Skillman, Jeff Taylor, Saro Verghese

Ushers: David Callies (7:30am)

Joel Verghese, Rich Miller (9:30 am)

NEXT SUNDAY

7: 30 am Sunday, July 23 **Eucharist** Seventh Sunday after Pentecost 9:30 am **Eucharist**

Celebrant & Preacher The Rev'd Luis Rodriguez **Eucharistic Ministers** Mike Sen (7:30am) Lila Johnson (9:30 am)

Lorraine Mau (7:30am) Lectors TBA (9:30 am)

Prayers Mike Sen (7:30 am)

Jeff Taylor (9:30 am) Willis Moore

Organist Altar Guild: Lorraine Mau, Rosemary Domecki, Kim Garner,

Carol Otani, Susan Pelowski, Liz Thompson

Ushers: Arne Phillips (7:30am)

Rich Miller, Mark Slovak (9:30 am)

Readings Next Week

Psalm 139:1-11, 22-23 Genesis 28:10-19a Romans 8:12-25 Matthew 13;24-30, 36-43



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E komo mai. Nou ka hale.

If you are visiting Holy Nativity for the first time, welcome. If you are a long time member, welcome home. We are an Episcopal/Anglican community glorifying and enjoying God's love, celebrating Christian life, providing education, encouraging spiritual growth, and sharing God's bounty.

This Week at Holy Nativity

Monday, July 17 William White, Bishop of Philadelphia, 1836	8:30am	Morning Prayer
Tuesday, July 18 Bartolomé de las Casas, Priest and Missionary, 1566	7:30am 6:00pm	Morning Prayer Vestry Meeting
Wednesday, July 19 Macrina, Monastic and Teacher, 379	8:30am 10:00am	Morning Prayer Eucharist
Thursday, July 20 Elizabeth Cadt Stanton, 1902, Amelia Bloomer, 1894, Sojourner Truth, 1883, Harriet Ross Tubman, 1913, Liberators and Prophetic Witnesses	8:30am 4:00pm	Morning Prayer Centering Prayer

Church Office Hours Monday - Thursday, 9 am- 1 pm

Thrift Store Hours Wednesday & Friday, 9am-3pm; Saturday, 9am-12noon

Summer Changes to Worship Schedule

As summer comes, many in our community are away, and so we are adjusting the serving rotations at the 9.30am Eucharist through August. There will be only one Eucharistic Minister and one Lector at each service. This will help alleviate pressure for those who are here to continue these crucial ministries.

Name Tags

As we continue to think about hospitality, all our members are encouraged to wear their names tags at our Sunday services. While many may feel we all know each other, this is not always the case and our wearing name tags can help us in connecting with one another (and sometimes saving a little embarrassment). Do you not have a name tag? Please get in touch with the office so one can be created.

Hosting Coffee Hour

What a blessing it is to complete our prayers in church and know that we can extend our time together over a cup of coffee and a pupu. Your participation in bringing this about is an important contribution for building the life of Holy Nativity. There is a Coffee Hour sign-up sheet on the main bulletin board outside. Thank you to Mark Slovak for hosting coffee hour this week.

Music/Choral Director

We are still in search for a Music/Choral Director to head up our music ministry and conduct our choir. Should you know anyone whom you think might be interested, or any leads we might follow up, please contact Fr. Luis at hncinterim@gmail.com

Sunday Ministers

Have you considered serving on Sunday mornings in some capacity? We need lectors, ushers and those able to lead the Prayers of the People. Some people may feel awkward about volunteering, but please see Fr. Luis if you feel called to this work. Serving God and God's people in these ways is a rewarding privilege. Consider if you are being called.

Music During the Summer

The choir is taking their well-deserved vocal rest. Special thanks are due to Lorraine Yamamoto and Lucia Bu for their musical offerings during the summer months. For the remainder of July, Willis Moore will substitute for Lorraine.

Welcome Willis Moore

Our substitute organist this month is Willis H A Moore. He is the spouse of Rev. Alison M Dingley, who was our supply priest last year. Willis has been an adjunct Professor of History and Political Science at Chaminade University since 1986, where he teaches US History and World Civilization. He also works for the College Board grading advanced placement exams. He is House Manager for TAG The Actors' Group, an elected member of the Downtown/Chinatown Neighborhood Board, a writer and musician. Since moving to Hawai'i in 1962, Moore served as organist for the University Avenue Baptist Church, for the Command Chapel at Fort Shafter, and for St Christopher's and St Luke's Episcopal Churches on O'ahu. He was organist/choir master for Temple Emanu-El from 1968-1990; and he served at St Paul's Episcopal/I.F.I. which meets on the Cathedral close. From 2006-2015, while Pastor Alison was serving three congregations in Eastern Oregon as Interim Priest, Moore played organ for St Paul's in The Dalles, for St Paul's in Klamath Falls, and for Church of the Redeemer in Pendleton, Oregon, during his visits with her. Thank you for joining us this month, Willis!

In Our Prayers This Week Remember those who have asked our prayers

Maya M.	Lora M.V.	Chuck M.	Rosalie T.	Coralie V.
Heather J.	George C.	Logan W.	Mark P.	Teresa B.
Ai T.	Carol O.	Mau family		

Art proceeds from spontaneous instinct like love does; and it must be cultivated like friendship

Raissa Maritain (1883-1960), French writer