

Celebrant & Preacher
Eucharistic Ministers

The Rev'd Luis Rodriguez
Linda Sayegusa (7:30am)
Lila Johnson & Kathy Otani (9:30 am)

Lectors

Lorraine Mau (7:30am)
Justin Donahue & Natalie Okeson (9:30 am)

Music Director

Keane Ishii

Organist

Lorraine Yamamoto

Altar Guild:

Team #1

Ushers:

Mike Sen, Austin Nakoa (7:30am)
Ed Moore, Justin Donahue (9:30 am)



THE BANYAN TREE

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EASTER DAY

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*After the service, please join together on the lanai for fellowship,
refreshments, and, of course, our Easter Egg Hunt.*

NEXT SUNDAY

Sunday, April 23

7:30am

Eucharist

Second Sunday
of Easter

9:30am

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Team #2

Ushers:

David Callies, Arne Phillips (7:30am)
Rich Miller, Mark Slovak (9:30 am)

Coffee Hour

Chandi Hinrichs

Readings Next Week

Acts 2:14a, 22-32
1 Peter 1:3-9

Psalm 16
John 20:19-31

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, 17 April

Office Closed

Easter Monday

8:00am

School Eucharist

Tuesday, 18 April

7:30am

Morning Prayer

Easter Tuesday

6:00pm

Vestry Meeting

Wednesday, 19 April

8:30am

Morning Prayer

Easter Wednesday

10:00am

Eucharist

Thursday, 20 April

8:30am

Morning Prayer

Easter Thursday

4:00pm

Centering Prayer

(Chapel)

7:00pm

Choir Practice

Church Office Hours

Tuesday-Thursday, 9am-1pm

Thrift Store Hours

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

Sunday Banyan Tree

Welcome to the first edition of our new Sunday bulletin, *The Banyan Tree*. The hope is this weekly publication will be able to convey more information of what is going on in our parish community.

Do you want something included? Be sure to email the office at **hncparish@gmail.com** with a two or three sentence announcement. Submission deadline: Wednesdays at 5 pm

Easter Egg Hunt Today

Join us directly after the 9.30am service for our Easter egg hunt, refreshments, and fellowship. Whether you are a long-time member or a visitor, join us as we continue our Easter celebration.



Special Thanks to Our School's PTO

Special thanks are to HNS's Parent Teacher Organization for all its work over the last week in preparing for our Easter Egg Hunt, and the beautiful banners on Nenu Place and Kalaniana'ole Hwy.

Partnering with Family Promise

Holy Nativity partners with an agency called *Family Promise* which assists homeless families to find housing. Our efforts at HNC are primarily that of providing funds to subsidize rental costs. There is an opportunity to contribute to this work today during coffee hour. If you have any questions or wish to help with this program, contact Wyn Aubrey-Child on (808) 366-1386.

School Easter Eucharist

Tomorrow, March 17, is our school's Easter Eucharist. This year, it has been crafted by our 4th Grade class. It begins at 8am in the main church, and everyone is invited.

Morning Prayer

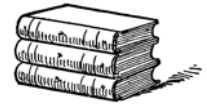
Morning Prayer is being said most weekday mornings in the Church. This 30-minute service is part of the Church's ancient round of prayer and praise, is comprised of prayers, scriptures and silence. All are welcome. The weekly schedule will be posted regularly on the front page of this publication.

New Office Hours

Please note the change in our office hours. The parish office will be open Mondays through Thursdays, 9am-1pm. One exception will be this coming week when it will be closed Monday.

Easter Study Course

Next Wednesday, April 26, begins our new study course. Using Paula Gooder's book, *The Risen Experience: The Spirit Easter*, we will be focusing on accounts of the resurrection in the New Testament, not only in the Gospels but also in Acts and the Epistles. The course will offered twice each of the days it meets – at 10:45am and at 6:30pm. Each time it will meet in the Meeting Room on the north side of our campus. If you do not yet have a copy of the book, please call the office. If you have any other questions, see Fr. Luis.



Krispy Kreme Doughnut Sale



In the past year our parish school has been raising awareness about skin cancer, and other damaging results of the sun's rays. They are working to build a shade over the playground, and are looking to raise money through the sale of Krispy Kreme Donuts. The cost is \$15.00, and the deadline is April 21st. The donuts will be delivered at the school's Lei Day celebrations on Friday, April 28th. Sign-up sheets to order a box of donuts for yourself are outside.

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.	Frank Y.	Marianne W.	Poukihi A.

The message of Easter is that God's new world has been unveiled in Jesus Christ and that you're now invited to belong to it.

*N. T. Wright (b. 1948),
Anglican theologian*