

Celebrant & Preacher The Rev'd Luis Rodriguez
Eucharistic Ministers Mike Sen (7:30am)
 Sandra Braham & Wyn Aubrey-Child (9:30 am)
Lectors Shauna Nakamura (7:30am)
 Wyn Aubrey-Child & Ed Moore (9:30 am)
Music Director Keane Ishii
Organist Lorraine Yamamoto
Altar Guild: Delia M, Lois C, Marjorie G, Skillmans, Jeff T, Saro V.
Ushers: David Callie & Arne Phillips (7:30am)
 Rich Miller & Mark Slovak (9:30 am)



THE BANYAN TREE

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 THE SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

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After the service, please join together on the lanai for fellowship.

NEXT SUNDAY

Sunday, April 30 7:30am **Eucharist**
Third Sunday 9:30am **Eucharist**
of Easter

Celebrant & Preacher The Rev'd Luis Rodriguez
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 Sandra Braham & Kathy Otani (9:30 am)
Lectors Mike Sen (7:30am)
 Jeff Taylor & Cindy Ramirez (9:30 am)
Music Director Keane Ishii
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Altar Guild Lorraine M, Rosemary D, Kim G, Carol O., Susan P.
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Readings Next Week

Acts 2:14a, 36-41 Psalm 16
 1 Peter 1:17-23 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, 24 April <i>Genocide Remembrance</i>	8:30am	Morning Prayer
Tuesday, 25 April <i>Saint Mark the Evangelist</i>	7:30am	Morning Prayer
Wednesday, 26 April <i>Robert Hunt, Priest and Chaplain at Jamestown, 1607</i>	8:30am	Morning Prayer
	10:00am	Eucharist
	10:45am	Study Course
	6:30pm	Study Course
Thursday, 27 April <i>Christina Rosetti, Poet, 1894</i>	8:30am	Morning Prayer
	4:00pm	Centering Prayer (Chapel)
	7:00pm	Choir Practice

Church Office Hours

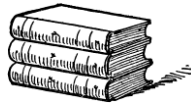
Monday-Thursday, 9am-1pm

Thrift Store Hours

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

Easter Study Course

Our new study course begins this Wednesday, April 26. Using Paula Gooder's book, *The Risen Experience: The Spirit Easter*, we will focus on accounts of the resurrection in the New Testament, not only in the Gospels but also in Acts and the Epistles. The course will be offered twice each of the days it meets – at 10:45am and at 6:30pm. We 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.



Sunday Banyan Tree

If you have not yet seen it, you are holding our new Sunday newsletter, *The Banyan Tree*. The hope is this weekly publication will be able to convey more information on 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

Prayer Tree

Our lovely Prayer Tree has been “adorned” with our prayers, concerns, and thanksgiving. Today these will be blessed at our 9:30am Eucharist, and afterwards buried in our garden as a sign of giving it to God in the hope that they will bear fruit in due season.

Partnering with Family Promise

Holy Nativity partners with an agency called *Family Promise* which assists homeless families to find housing. Our efforts at HNS are primarily that of providing funds to subsidize rental costs. If you have any questions or wish to help with this program, contact Wyn Aubrey-Child : (808) 366-1386.

New Office Hours

Please note the change in our office hours. The parish office will be open Mondays through Thursdays, 9am-1pm.

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 and is comprised of prayers, scriptures and silence. All are welcome. The weekly schedule will be posted regularly on the front page of this publication.

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. HNS is 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.

Manu-o-Kū

Manu-o-Kū, also known as "white tern", are one of the few native Hawaiian birds that can be seen in Honolulu. This is the only city in the United States where manu-o-kū nest, and only from Niu Valley to Sand Island. You are all cordially invited to the celebration of this unique seabird, to be held on Saturday May 20th, on the grounds of I'olani Palace. Contact Jody Smith for more details: (808) 352-1683

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.

Faith makes the world what it truly is, the creation of God.

*Gerhard Ebeling (1912-2001),
German-born, Lutheran theologian*