



# St. Pius—X Catholic Church, Manoa

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April 30, 2023

### Mission Statement:

*“Pascendi Dominici Gregis!” (To feed the Lord’s flock!)*

### Vision:

*In the spirit of our Patron St. Pius X, we, the Catholic community of St. Pius X Manoa aspire to live the happy and good witnessing of the Gospel through our Faith, Service, and Praise.*

## May Crowning

A number of traditions link the month of May to Mary. King Alfonso-X of Castille (Spain) in the thirteenth century wrote in his *Cantigas de Santa Maria* about the special honoring of Mary during specific dates in May. Eventually, the entire month was filled with special observances and devotions to Mary including placing a crown of flowers. Emperor Ferdinand (The Husband of Empress Isabela of Castille) would remember his diseased wife’s devotion to the Virgin Mary by continuing her devotion of decorating the altar of the Blessed Mother during the month of May. Later, this devotion was extended to the Spanish colonies as Flores de Mayo. (Flowers of May Festival) An incident of the stealing of the crown of the Virgin Mary in Rome (Salus Romani Populi) prompted Pope Gregory XVI in 1837 to temporarily place crown of flowers on the “Holy Ikon” of the Blessed Mother until a replacement crown was fixed on top of the Image of the Madonna of Rome. The Pope’s act of reverence was imitated and spread to many Catholic countries after.



A huge effigies made of various flowers of “La Virgen de las Flores “ in Valencia Spain during the flower festival.



Fr. Norlito Concepcion, OSA

Administrator

### CHURCH SCHEDULE

#### OFFICE HOURS

*Tuesday and Friday*

**9:30 a.m.—12:00 p.m.**

*Closed: All State & Federal Holidays*

#### WEEKDAY MASS

Monday to Saturday

7:30 a.m.

#### WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday, 4:00 p.m.

Sunday, 8:30 a.m.

Sunday, 11:30 a.m.

#### CONFESSIONS

*Weekdays (by appointment only)*

*Saturdays (After 5:00 PM mass)*

*1st Wednesday After 7:30 am Mass*

#### ADORATION AND BENEDICTION

First Friday 8:00 a.m.

#### FOOD PANTRY

*Wednesday, Friday*

10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

First Friday Devotion 7:30a.m.

First Saturday Devotion 7:30a.m.

First Wednesday devotion 7:30a.m.

Saturday For the Virgin Mary 7:30a.m.



## Healing Mass

April 30, 2023

10:15a.m. Rosary & Divine Mercy

11 a.m. Praise & Worship

11:30 a.m. **Mass**

Fr. Norlito Concepcion (celebrant)

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**LIVE Facebook Live-streamed - Diocese of Honolulu Evangelization TaskForce**

### Religious Education Class

Religious Education and for all Children’s Class in preparation of the reception of the Sacraments of Baptism for children, Confirmation, and First Holy Communion after Sunday 8:30am mass. Parents wanting their children to receive the sacraments of Christian initiations can register at the parish office during office hours. You may also download the registration form on our parish website:

<https://stpiusxmanoa.com/pdf-Forms.php>

**St. Pius-X Church Manoa is looking for a part-time bookkeeper and secretary. Those interested, please apply online at: <https://www.catholichawaii.org/about-us/careers/>**



**Upcoming Events**

*(including Mass Intentions)*

**MAY 01 - 08**

**1st - MONDAY**

*Feast of St. Joseph the Worker*

7:30 am Mass

**2nd - TUESDAY**

7:30 am Mass

**3rd - WEDNESDAY**

*Sts. Philip & James the Lesser*

7:30 am Mass

**Devotion Mother of Perpetual Help**

*(Confession after Mass)*

10:00 am Food Pantry

**4th - THURSDAY**

*National Prayer Day*

7:00 am Mass

**5th - FRIDAY**

*St. Pius V*

7:30 am Mass

**Devotion and Benediction after mass**

10:00 am Food Pantry

**6th - SATURDAY**

7:30 am Mass

*Martha Ohtani (+)*

8:00 am Church Cleaning

4:00 pm Mass

*Darlene Gaud (B)*

**7th - SUNDAY**

*Fifth Sunday of Easter*

8:30 am Mass

*Patsy & George Arakaki (+)*

*Vernon Vierra (+)*

11:30 am Midday Mass

*Rachel Yew (H)*

*Song Suk Kim (+)*

**Live-Stream**

**(+) Eternal Repose/(SI) Special Intentions/  
(B) Birthdays/(H) Health**



**Marian Apparition Name Changed!**

The National Shrine of Our Lady of Good Help in Wisconsin, USA, announced yesterday that Our Lady of Good Help will now be called Our Lady of Champion, following "a notification coming from the Holy See's Dicastery for Divine Worship confirming the ability to celebrate an annual solemnity on the grounds of the shrine under the title 'Our Lady of Champion' every October 9." The Blessed Virgin Mary appeared to Adele Brise in 1859. The apparition was formally approved on December 8, 2010, by Bishop David L. Ricken, becoming the first Marian apparition approved by the Catholic Church in the United States.

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**A Holy Naval Officer**

Venerable Egidije Bulesic

Today is the death anniversary of the Ven. Egidije Bulesic. He was a Croatian-Italian Franciscan lay tertiary. He became a naval officer after being drafted and following that became an engineering technician who made detailed technical drawings. He was noted among his colleagues for his enthusiasm in addition to his pious nature. He got sick with tuberculosis but still found time to serve those who were sick like him in the sanatorium.

**OFFERING COLLECTION**

April 22- 23, 2023

Weekly Collection	\$ 1200.00
Building Fund	40.00
Candles	17.00
Rice Bowl	188.49
Food Pantry	50.00

**TOTAL: \$ 1495.49**

*On line Giving: April 17-21: \$ 1585.50*

**Devotion to Our Mother of Perpetual Help**

✠ First Wednesday Novena / 7AM

🕯 Weekly Prayers / 7AM

🕯 Holy Mass / Every Wednesdays 7:30AM



**Mass Attendance**

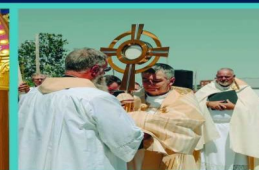
4:00pm Saturday, April 22 : 86 Adults / 3 Children

8:30am Sunday, April 23      11:30am Sunday, April 23

45 Adults / 4 Children

31 Adults / 3 Children

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**STRENGTHENING the CHURCH AT HOME**



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