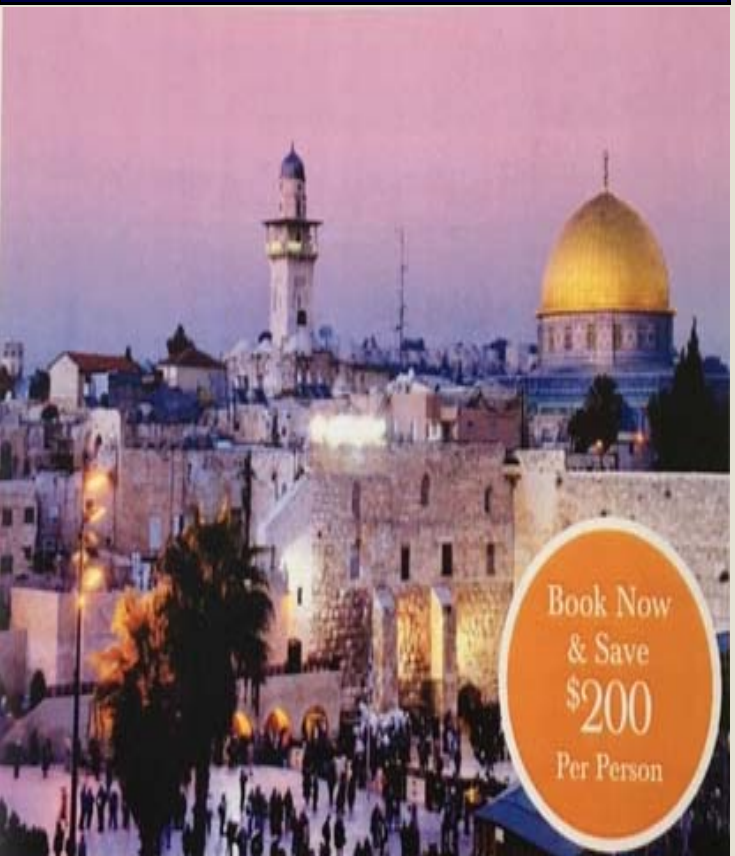


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The Good Shepherd

I am the Gate for the Sheep

John 10:7



Pastor's Corner Fr. Thomas Joseph, PHD



My dear Parishioners & Friends!

Because of the Gospel of today, this day is known as Good Shepherd Sunday. The image of God as the Shepherd of His Sheep (Israel) is abundant in the Old Testament. Psalm 23 starting with "The Lord is my Shepherd, There is nothing I shall want" is the favorite psalm for many, including me. Jesus saw himself as the Good Shepherd who lay down His life for His sheep. Jesus also talks about his sheep listening to him. Jesus is our Shepherd indeed. But the question is whether we listen to Him and follow Him. The question we need to ask ourselves is "Am I listening to Jesus and following Him or am I listening to the many worldly voices that are around us?"

In the Church the Pope, Bishops and priests are the Shepherds. They need to be shepherds after the heart of Jesus Himself. In the large picture anyone who has care of someone else is a shepherd. In that sense parents, teachers, doctors, nurses etc. are shepherds in their own right. We are all asked to care, love and sacrifice ourselves for the people who are entrusted to us.

This Sunday is also Vocations Sunday when we are asked to pray for more Vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life. We are asked to pray to the Lord of the harvest to send more laborers to the harvest.

With Prayers & Blessings!
Fr. Tom

Upcoming Events

MAY 4 - MAY 10, 2020

4th - MONDAY

6:00 AM Outreach - Hall
7:30 AM MASS
(Rectory Chapel)

5th - TUESDAY

7:30 AM MASS
(Rectory Chapel)
9:30 AM Food Pantry - Hall

6th - WEDNESDAY

7:30 AM MASS
(Rectory Chapel)
9:30 AM Food Pantry - Hall

7th - THURSDAY

6:00 AM Outreach - Hall
7:30 AM MASS
(Rectory Chapel)

8th - FRIDAY

7:30 AM MASS
(Rectory Chapel)
9:30 AM Food Pantry - Hall

9th - SATURDAY

7:30 AM MASS
(Rectory Chapel)

**4:00 PM MASS - Church
Live-streamed**

10th - SUNDAY

8:30 AM MASS
(Church)

Diocesan Evangelization TaskForce

Vigil MASS

Facebook Live-streamed
Diocese of Honolulu Evangelization TaskForce

May 2, 2020
4 p.m. (Hawaii Time)
Fr. Tom Joseph
St. Pius X Catholic Church, Manoa

Charismatic Praise & Worship
3:30 p.m. - led by Dominic Olaso

To join the Facebook Live-stream, click on this link:
<https://www.facebook.com/Diocese-of-Honolulu-Evangelization-TaskForce-110141233723287/videos/>

Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

8:30 am - Sun, May 3
Cecillia Segravas +

7:30 am - Mon. May 4
Pro Populo
(For all Parishioners)

7:30 am - Tues, May 5
Fr. George - H & H

4:00 pm - Sat., May 9
Pro Populo
(for all Parishioners)

MASS INTENTIONS

The best way to remember our dearly departed is by praying for them. And the best prayer we can offer is the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. Masses can be offered for health and healing, in thanksgiving, for birthday blessings, etc. So we encourage you to walk into the parish office and register.

A donation of \$10.00 per Mass is requested.

Please make checks payable to:

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Mahalo!**



OFFERING COLLECTION RECEIVED April 25 & 26, 2020

Total Collection.....	\$ 490.00
Building Fund.....	\$ 425.00
Easter.....	\$ 90.00
Rice Bowl.....	\$ 160.00
Good Friday/Holy Land. ..	\$ 15.00

Total:..... \$ 1180.00
Online Giving.....\$ 105.00
(April 20 - 24)

Please mail in your contributions
or try on-line giving.



Sunday Reflection

"The shepherd calls his own sheep by name."

Good Shepherd Sunday often brings bucolic scenes to mind. Picture a well-groomed shepherd, crook in hand, seated peacefully in lush, green pastures, surrounded by docile sheep. It's beautiful, isn't it?

But such an image falls short on two counts. First, shepherd and flock are often dirty and decidedly *not* peaceful. Second, Jesus called himself a "shepherd" as a rebuke to the Jewish leaders who had just rejected him and cast out a man he had cured of blindness. A true shepherd, Jesus told them, knows his sheep well and leads them with care. And Jesus, the *good* shepherd, goes so far that he "lays down his life for the sheep".

We can read Jesus' words here as a course correction for his opponents, but we can learn something for ourselves as well. For we are all shepherds for God's people in one way or another. We are all called to care for his people by following in Jesus' footsteps. Our "flock" may include our children, our parents, or our catechism class. We may be quiet shepherds welcoming a new family at church or mentoring a coworker. But no matter who is in our flock, we need to remember that the sheep belong to Jesus and not to us. He treasures each one of them and wants us to reflect his own love and self-sacrifice.

So ask yourself, "How well do I know my sheep? Do I know the names of my coworkers or fellow parishioners? Do I know the challenges my loved ones are facing?" Sometimes we are so busy with our own affairs that we overlook the hurt, weariness, or fear in someone right next to us. But following Jesus' example, we can set aside our concerns, "call them by name," and listen to their needs. Perhaps we can even lead them to a place of peace. That's one small way to be a shepherd for God's sheep.

"Jesus, help me to lay down my life for your sheep today."

(Taken from *The Word Among Us*)



Readings for the Week

Sunday, May 3

Fourth Sunday of Easter
Acts 2:14a, 36-41
1 Peter 2:20b-25
John 10:1-10

Monday, May 4

Acts 11:1-18
John 10:11-18

Tuesday, May 5

Acts 11:19-26
John 10:22-30

Wednesday, May 6

Acts 12:24-13:5a
John 12:44-50

Thursday, May 7

Acts 13:13-25
John 13:16-20

Friday, May 8

Acts 13:26-33
John 14:1-6

Saturday, May 9

Acts 13:44-52
John 14:7-14

Sunday, May 10

Fifth Sunday of Easter
Acts 6:1-7
1 Peter 2:4-9
John 14:1-12