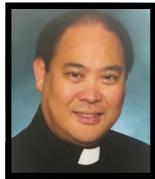


Mission Statement:
To feed the Lord's flock!

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.



Nick Brown
Pastor

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday thru Friday
8:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Closed:

All State, Federal Holidays, and Special Church Events

CHURCH SCHEDULE

Weekday Masses

Rosary - 7 a.m.
Monday to Thursday,
7:30 a.m.
Friday - No Mass

Weekend Masses

Saturday - 7:30 a.m.
Saturday - 4:00 p.m.
Sunday - 8:30 a.m.
Sunday - 11:30 a.m.
(Livestream)

CONFESIONS

Weekdays
(*by appointment only*)

Saturdays
3:00pm before mass
begins at 4:00pm

FOOD PANTRY

(HALL)

Tuesday and Friday
10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

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January 11, 2026

Baptism of the Lord



The **Feast of the Baptism of the Lord** falls on Sunday, January 11, 2026,

marking the end of the Christmas season, ushering in Ordinary Time and the beginning of Jesus' public ministry, a day when Christians remember their own baptism and Jesus' revelation as God's Son, with services focusing on spiritual renewal, justice, and following Christ's path of service.



Upcoming Events JAN 12 - 18, 2026

12 - MONDAY

7:00am - Rosary
7:25am - Mass

13 - TUESDAY

7:00am - Rosary
7:25am - Mass

Food Pantry: 10:00am - 11:30am

14 - WEDNESDAY

Our Lady of Perpetual Help

7:00am - Rosary
7:25am - Mass

10:00am - Funeral (Ursula Iwaida)

15 - THURSDAY

9:00am - Mass

16 - FRIDAY

No Mass

* No Food Pantry *

17 - SATURDAY

7:00am - Rosary
7:25am - Mass

8:00am - Church Cleaning

3:00pm - Confession

4:00pm - Mass

5:30pm - Brown Bag Bingo
Celebration

18 - SUNDAY

8:30am - Mass

11:30am - Praise & Worship
(Live-Stream)



Mass Attendance

Saturday, January 03

4pm Mass: Adults 107 / 4 Children

Sunday, January 04

8:30am Mass: Adults 73 / 13 Children
11:30am Mass: Adults 38 / 3 Children

Preaching the gospel is often dangerous work. Leaving one's homeland and adjusting to new cultures, governments and languages is difficult enough; but martyrdom caps all the other sacrifices.

In 1219, with the blessing of Saint Francis, Berard left Italy with Peter, Adjute, Accurs, Odo and Vitalis to preach in Morocco. En route in Spain, Vitalis became sick and commanded the other friars to continue their mission without him.

They tried preaching in Seville, then in Muslim hands, but made no converts. They went on to Morocco where they preached in the marketplace. The friars were immediately apprehended and ordered to leave the country; they refused. When they began preaching again, an exasperated sultan ordered them executed. After enduring severe beatings and declining various bribes to renounce their faith in Jesus Christ, the friars were beheaded by the sultan himself on January 16, 1220.

Saint Berard and Companions were the first Franciscan martyrs. When Francis heard of their deaths, he exclaimed, "Now I can truly say that I have five Friars Minor!" Their relics were brought to Portugal where they prompted a young Augustinian canon to join the Franciscans and set off for Morocco the next year. That young man was *Anthony of Padua*. These five martyrs were canonized in 1481.

Reflection

The deaths of Berard and his companions sparked a missionary vocation in Anthony of Padua and others. There have been many, many Franciscans who have responded to Francis' challenge. Proclaiming the gospel can be fatal, but that has not stopped the Franciscan men and women who even today risk their lives in many countries throughout the world. Saint Berard and Companions: Pray for us!



Monday, January 12

7:30am - Inez Souza Nobriega (H)
Walter & Winnie Lau (+)

Tuesday, January 13

7:30am - Charlotte Kawazoe (H)

Wednesday, January 14

7:30am - Sylvis Chock (H)

Thursday, January 15

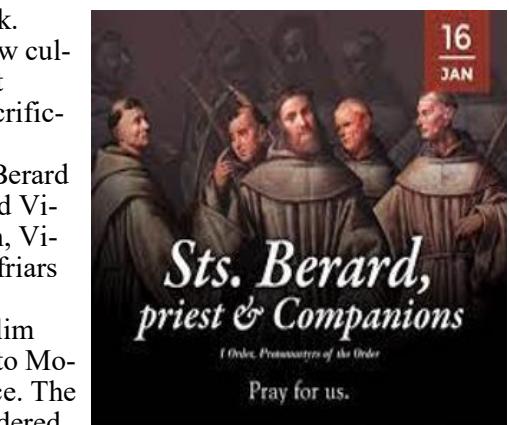
7:30am - Henry Chock (H)

Saturday, January 17

7:30am - Ka'aukai Akana-Youar (B)
4pm - Kenneth Sunada ()

Sunday, January 18

8:30am - Charlotte Kawazoe (H)
11:30am Mass for the People



Sts. Berard, priest & Companions

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Pray for us.



STEWARDSHIP

Managing God's Gifts To Us

JANUARY 03 - 04, 2026

Weekly Collections	\$ 2,223.42
Repairs & Maint	885.00
Mass Intentions	0.00
Candles	35.00
Solemity Mother of God	1,297.00
Property & Liability	20.00
Total:	\$ 4,495.42

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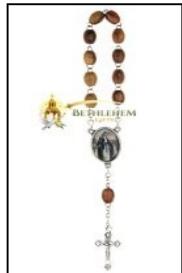
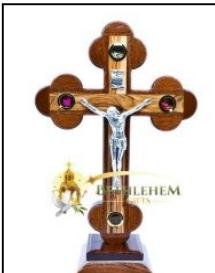
Dec 29 - Jan 2 \$ 80.00

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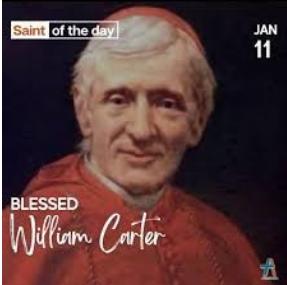


BETHLEHEM
GIFTS

Saturday, January 24 & Sunday, January 25
in the Parish Hall Of St Pius X Church



Blessed William Carter
January 11



Born in London, William Carter entered the printing business at an early age. For many years he served as apprentice to well-known Catholic printers, one of whom served a prison sentence for persisting in the Catholic faith. William himself served time in prison following his arrest for “printing lewd [i.e., Catholic] pamphlets” as well as possessing books upholding Catholicism.

But even more, he offended public officials by publishing works that aimed to keep Catholics firm in their faith. Officials who searched his house found various vestments and suspect books, and even managed to extract information from William’s distraught wife.

Over the next 18 months, Blessed William Carter remained in prison, suffering torture and learning of his wife’s death.

He was eventually charged with printing and publishing the *Treatise of Schisme*, which allegedly incited violence by Catholics and which was said to have been written by a traitor and addressed to traitors. While William calmly placed his trust in God, the jury met for only 15 minutes before reaching a verdict of guilty. Blessed William Carter, who made his final confession to a priest who was being tried alongside him, was hanged, drawn, and quartered the following day: January 11, 1584. He was beatified in 1987.

Reflection

It didn’t pay to be Catholic in Elizabeth I’s realm. In an age when religious diversity did not yet seem possible, it was high treason, and practicing the faith was dangerous. William gave his life for his efforts to encourage his brothers and sisters to keep up the struggle. These days, our brothers and sisters also need encouragement—not because their lives are at risk, but because many other factors besiege their faith. They look to us.



Devotion to Our Mother of Perpetual Help

**Novena @ 6:50AM
every Wednesday**

Rosary @ 7:00AM Weekdays



**Readings for
the Week**

Jan 12 - 18, 2026

Monday, January 01 **Saint 1st
Week in Ordinary Time**

1 Samuel 1:1-8
Mark 1:14-20

Tuesday, January 13
**St Hilary, Bishop and
Doctor of the Church**

1 Samuel 1:9-20
1 Samuel 2:1, 4-5, 6-7, 8abcd
Mark 1:21-28

Wednesday, January 14
1st Week in Ordinary Time

1 Samuel 3:1-10, 19-20
Mark 1:40-45

Thursday, January 15
1st Week in Ordinary Time

1 Samuel 8:4-7, 10-22a
Mark 2:1-2

Friday, January 16
1st Week in Ordinary Time

1 Samuel 8:4-7, 10-22a
Mark 2:1-12

Saturday, January 17
Saint Anthony, Abbot

1 Samuel 9:1-4, 17-19; 10-1a
Mark 2:13-17

Sunday, January 18
2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Isaiah 49:3, 5-6
1 Corinthians 1:1-3
John 1:29-34

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PRAYER INTENTION

For prayer with the Word of God.

Let us pray that praying with the Word of God be nourishment for our lives and a source of hope in our communities, helping us to build a more fraternal and missionary Church.



Por la oración con la Palabra de Dios.

Oremos para que la oración con la Palabra de Dios sea alimento en nuestras vidas y fuente de esperanza en nuestras comunidades, ayudándonos a construir una Iglesia más fraternal y misionera.





You shall love the LORD your GOD with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength.
Mk 12:30

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The Baptism of the Lord



The Baptism of the Lord Jesus is the great event celebrated by the Eastern Churches on the feast of Epiphany because it is the occasion of the first public revelation of all the Three Persons in the Holy Trinity, and the official revelation of Jesus as the Son of God to the world by God the Father. It is also an event described by all four Gospels, and it marks the beginning of Jesus' public ministry. The liturgical season of Christmas comes to a conclusion this Sunday with the celebration of the Baptism of the Lord.

PRAYER

Eternal Father, who at the baptism of Jesus revealed Him to be Your Son, anointing Him with the Holy Spirit: grant that we may be faithful to our call as Children of God, listening to you, guided by Your Spirit, to fulfil our unique and definite purpose.

Amen.

Prayers for Baptism of the Lord



Gracious God, in Jesus Christ, baptized by John in the Jordan, you came to share our life and deliver us from sin and death. As we are baptized with water pour out your Holy Spirit upon us to make us your beloved children; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Collect:

Almighty and ever-living God, who when Christ had been baptized in the River Jordan, and ask the Holy Spirit descended upon him, solemnly declared him your beloved Son, grant that your children by adoption, reborn of water and the Holy Spirit, may always be well pleasing to you. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever.

**Jesus is Baptized
by John**

YouTube https://youtu.be/9_dr9njVzKM

THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

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Baptism of the Lord



Eternal Father, you have given us your only-begotten Son to take our nature upon him, and revealed him to us at his baptism in the River Jordan, grant that we, who have been born again of water and the Holy Spirit, and made your children by adoption and grace, may daily be renewed by your Holy Spirit, through Jesus Christ, our Saviour,

who is alive with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and forever.
Amen.

Baptism of Jesus

YouTube <https://youtu.be/6dNGyfMpehw>

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The Baptism of the Lord - Gospel Reflection

YouTube <https://youtu.be/SYjKBGO0FS0>

"The Baptism Of The Lord"

YouTube https://youtu.be/zkHBxPz_TpY

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