



Calvary by the Sea Lutheran Church

“Sharing the Blessing of God’s Grace with Aloha”

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Saturday Sunset Worship

August 13, 2016 at 6:30 pm

RINGING OF THE BELL

GREETING, *Kahu Tim*

GATHERING SONG 561 *standing*

“Joyous Light of Heavenly Glory”

CONFESSION OF SIN, *Kahu Tim*

KAHU: Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God,
abounding in steadfast love toward us,
healing the sick and raising the dead,
showering us with every good gift.

ALL: Amen.

KAHU: Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

Silence is kept for reflection.

Just and gracious God,

ALL: we come to you asking for help, for healing, and to confess our sin.

There are holes in our hearts we cannot mend. There are problems in
our lives we cannot solve.

We have hurt others and ourselves with our actions.

Forgive us, O God. Show us your mercy.

Bind up our wounds, and free us to love ourselves

and others, for the sake of Jesus Christ, our Savior.

Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

PRAYER OF THE DAY *standing*

ALL: O God, judge eternal, you love justice and hate oppression, and you call us to
share your zeal for truth. Give us courage to take our stand with all victims of
bloodshed and greed, and, following your servants and prophets, to look to the
pioneer and perfecter of our faith, your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.
Amen.

GREETING OF GUESTS *and* SHARING OF ALOHA *standing*

KAHU: May God's aloha be with you.

ALL: **And also with you.**

FIRST READING

Jeremiah 23: 23–29

SECOND READING

Hebrews 11: 29—12: 2

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION 512 *standing*

“... Good Soil”

GOSPEL *standing*

Luke 12: 49–56

KAHU: The Gospel of the Lord.

ALL: **Praise to you, O Christ.**

SERMON, *Kahu Tim*

“REFINED FAITH”

SERMON HYMN 593 *standing*

“Drawn to the Light”

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH, page 127 *standing*

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH *standing*

KAHU: Rooted in Christ and rising to serve, let us pray for the church, the world, and all those in need.

A brief silence.

God near to us, increase your people's passion to share how Christ transforms lives. Raise up prophets in your church, Lord, to interpret the word and the world today. In your mercy,

ALL: **hear our prayer, *Aloha ke Akua*** (God is love; love is God).

KAHU: *Renewing God*, we pray for scorched places that need rain, those recovering from disaster, and those needing balance. In your mercy,

ALL: **hear our prayer, *Aloha ke Akua*.**

KAHU: *God of power*, administer justice. Pour your spirit of compassion and mercy into those who hold the lives of others in their hands. We pray for all who are persecuted or imprisoned for their beliefs. In your mercy,

ALL: **hear our prayer, *Aloha ke Akua*.**

KAHU: *Compassionate God*, save us from being overwhelmed by addictions, medical conditions, competition, and fear. Comfort all in need in body, mind, or spirit. In your mercy,

ALL: **hear our prayer, *Aloha ke Akua*.**

KAHU: Give wisdom to our community, Lord. Help us discern your will for our life and ministry together, even when it may divide or challenge us. In your mercy,

ALL: **hear our prayer, *Aloha ke Akua*.**

W.H.A.L.E., a time of thanks for answered prayer and prayer requests.

KAHU: We thank you, O God, for the great cloud of witnesses that surrounds us. Gather us with all the saints around your throne on the last day. In your mercy,

ALL: hear our prayer, Aloha ke Akua.

KAHU: We lift our prayers to you, O God, trusting your promise to hear us; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

ALL: Amen.

PREPARATION OF THE GIFTS, Tom

“Blessed Assurance”

DOXOLOGY *standing*

“Ho‘onani i ka Makua Mau”

OFFERING PRAYER *standing*

HOLY COMMUNION HYMN 471 *standing*

“Let Us Break Bread”

GREAT THANKSGIVING *standing*

KAHU: The Lord be with you.

ALL: And also with you.

KAHU: Lift up your hearts.

ALL: We lift them to the Lord.

KAHU: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

ALL: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

KAHU: In the night in which he was betrayed our Lord Jesus Christ took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples saying: “Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.” In a similar manner, after supper, Jesus took the cup, gave thanks and gave it for all to drink, saying: “This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.”

THE LORD'S PRAYER, page 134 (left) *in unison*

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION *seated*

SENDING HYMN 596 *standing*

“My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less”

BENEDICTION AND SENDING, Kahu Tim

KAHU: The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord's face shine upon you with grace and mercy.
The Lord look upon you with favor
and + give you peace.

ALL: Amen.

KAHU: Go in peace. Proclaim the good news.

ALL: Thanks be to God.

UPCOMING EVENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Blessing of the Backpacks:** **Sunday, August 28, 2016 7:30 and 10:00 a.m. service.**
As the new school year begins, let us take time to bless all Students charging towards the beautiful thing called KNOWLEDGE! Also, the installation of Calvary's new Sunday School director/teacher, Kelly Holden will take place at the 7:30 & 10:00 a.m. service.
Calvary has been blessed!
- **Book of the Month:** The book for August is "Land Sharks: #HonoluluLaw, #Triathletes & a #Tvtstar" by Katharine Nohr, a novel by a local author who will be joining us for our next meeting at Assagio's, Koko Marina at 6:00pm on **Thursday, August 25, 2016.**
For more information please contact Cindi John at 225-8240.
- **Calvary by the Sea Sunday School:** Sunday School, for ages 3-12, begins on **Sunday, September 4th, 2016.** Classes will be held in Ohana Lani from 10:10-11:10am.
Register your child TODAY! Visit: <https://goo.gl/forms/CleTM4Zbwg58NUaH2>.
- **Children's Choir:** Calvary by the Sea is offering a Children's Choir program for ages 3-6 years old. The choir is directed by Ina Young. Rehearsals are held on Wednesday's from 2:45-3:15pm in Hale Aloha. The first rehearsal will be **Wednesday, September 7.**
- **Confirmation:** The 2016-2017 Confirmation Scheduled is now available! Please visit the Calvary by the Sea website for more information. First Confirmation class will be held **Wednesday, September 14 at 6:00pm in the Loft.** For questions or to register your confirmand, please contact the church office at 377-5477 or cbts@calvarybythesea.org.
- **Exploring Spaceship Earth with Danny Catt:** This FREE presentation is an enlightening photographic journey around the planet with wildlife ecologist, education, world traveler, and award-winning photographer Danny Catt. His photographs have been most recently published in the Globe and Mail, New York Daily News and TIME magazines. Join Danny on **Wednesday, August 31 at 7:00pm** in the Calvary by the Sea Sanctuary.
- **Sacred Moves:** **Monday's from 6-7:30pm** in Hale Aloha. September 19 to December 5. A total of 10 classes. FREE and open to ages 7-adult. For more information, please contact Lisa Kimsey at 256-5508 or smartydancehawaii@gmail.com
- **Saturday Sunset Worship:** Calvary by the Sea Lutheran Church offers a weekly Saturday Evening Bible Study and Worship Service. **Saturday, August 20, 2016.** Bible Study at 5:00 p.m. in the Loft. Sunset Worship at 6:30 p.m. in the oceanfront Sanctuary.
- **Stephen Ministers:** The next Stephen Ministry Supervision meeting will be held on **Tuesday, August 16, 2016** from 6:00-7:00 p.m. in the Loft.