

KAHU KORNER



A Message from Kahu

WHAT'S GOING ON?

I've been reading all kinds of news articles for the past year and have been getting really uncomfortable. The latest news is the massive amount of mass shootings, from elementary school kids to supermarket patrons and more. I read about the pro-abortionists and the pro-life people. I read about the police brutality and people killed. I read about the impending recession due to many factors, including the war in Ukraine. I read about the volatile stock market. I read about San Francisco kicking their district attorney out of office because his ideology didn't make sense for them. I read about kids being hooked on video games and mobile app social media, men hooked on fantasy sports and women hooked on Instagram silliness videos to pass the time.

Then I go outside and find myself cringing during my morning commute to work because there are a bunch of drivers speeding, bobbing and weaving their way through heavy traffic with no sense of value to their lives and the lives of the other drivers.

And of course, the current owner of the "C" word that we have been contending with for over two years. Instead of being a community that comes together to help everyone, we have turned into an "it's all about me" kind of people. How did we get so far away from our core values?

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It reminds me of the song by Pete Seeger called, Where Have All The Flowers Gone.

Where have all the flowers gone?
Long time passing
Where have all the flowers gone?
Long time ago
Where have all the flowers gone?
The girls have picked them every one
Oh, when will you ever learn?
Oh, when will you ever learn?

We are destined to repeat history if we don't take heed and learn from it. We have to learn how to be a community again where I need you and you need me and the world needs us. Do we dare imagine a world at peace with itself? Only if God is at the center of everything.

Lord allow me to learn Your ways so that I may exemplify Your character to those I am asked to love, beginning with myself and extending outwards. May this be my daily prayer.

Amen

Kahu Makuakane

HAPPY
FATHER'S
DAY

HELP WITH OHANA FOOD TENT



Aloha Kawaiah'o
Ohana,

I would like to ask if anyone is interested in helping in providing food service at our ohana tent immediately following the worship service?

It can be every week or twice a month or once a month. We are asking for small food donations for the after-service function. It can be anything from pastries to cookies to sandwiches for up to 50 people.

Or if you would prefer to make a donation please do so here and select "Kahu's Fund".

Mahalo,

Kahu Kenneth
Makuakane

ALWAYS CHOOSE TO TRUST IN GOD

Pray for Each Other

We ask for your prayers this week June 19, 2022.

We ask for the healing of our nation. As we pray once again for those who have been lost by gun violence, may our petitions lead us to action, that we will be vessels of change and peace. We ask that you guide and govern our public officials and all of our people to make this world a safer place for all children. We ask these prayers in Jesus' name. Amen.

Continue to pray for Auntie Mona Joy, Uncle Ben Lum and Char Izuka and lift our prayers to Auntie Abbie Nery who has entered the heavenly kingdom.

Mr. Charles "Charlie" McAuliffe, that his lungs heal and become stronger. We pray for Mrs. Jennifer Sagan Michel, that her cancer goes into remission. We continue to pray for Mililani Byers, Ann Ishikawa, for Kapela Wong, for auntie Keala Kaimimoku, for Michael Auto Antolin, for auntie Claudette DeGarcia, and for auntie Ruby Donlin

Other family and friends who an use our prayer; *the Kia'āina Ohana, the Leloy 'Ohana, Rasor 'Ohana, Elton Goo, Naliko Keli'ihō'omalū, Nancy Chaplick, Lionel Quindaca, Keith Kalani Akana, Leila Nagamine, Pat Warren, Ka'eo Kealoha-Lindsey, Kahu and Mama Kahu Kaina, Mela Kealoha-Lindsey and 'Ohana.*

Those serving in the armed forces: *Justin Honda, Lokahi Kanahele, Craig Lapilio, Kala'e Leong, Keoki Leong, Patrick Ma'ae and Keelan Domingo.*

Bible Reading Plan

JUNE 19 - JUNE 25, 2022

SUNDAY: ISAIAH 18-22

MONDAY: ISAIAH 23-27

TUESDAY: 2 KINGS 18:1-8; 1-8; 2
CHRONICALES 29-31; PSALM 48

WEDNESDAY: HOSEA 1-7

THURSDAY: HOSEA 8-14

FRIDAY: ISAIAH 28-30

SATURDAY: ISAIAH 31-34



Mahalo to the Newark Boys Choir from New Jersey



Mahalo to the Honor Choir USA for their visit to Kawaiaha'o



Friday Night Youth Night Movie last weekend at the gym



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Last Sunday this painting, by artist Leohone (seated) was blessed by Kahu Ken Makuakane. It depicts Queen Ka'ahumanu -- favorite wife of Kamehameha I -- standing in the left foreground, with Kahuna Nui Hewahewa standing by the American flag and Kahili. They were both instrumental in abolishing the ancient kapu system in 1819 following the death of Kamehameha I. At the highest level of the steps, Kahu John P. C. Makuakāne, stands listening to his son in the foreground, Kenneth Makuakāne -- present-day Kahu of Kawaiaha'o Church in Honolulu.

