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We have officially entered the autumn season and while the changes around us may not be as intense and dramatic as they are in other places, I do feel the days getting shorter and the nights getting cooler. and as I walk along the beach or head up the road to church and take in the West Maui Mountains, I feel a sense of anticipation and expectation. Maybe it's the election. Maybe it's wondering what life is going to be like when the tourists come back. Or maybe it's my knowing that something great and wonderful is on the horizon, something like the advent of the Christ child's arrival in our midst.



As pandemics, elections, economic insecurity, Black Fridays, and canned elevator Christmas music swirl around us, I ask that we remember the words in the Gospel of Luke that tell us that Mary pondered all these things in her heart (Luke 2:19).

What are you and I pondering these days? All the things I outlined above are, no doubt, on the list. At the same time, I hope that we are also pondering things like our families, our friendships our church, our relationship with God, and the fact that Jesus Christ came into our lives in human form and continues to live in our hearts to inform the way we live our lives. That is my hope and my prayer for this wonderful community. In the midst of pandemics, election anxiety, and worries about the economy; Because of all of you and being able to live on one of the most beautiful islands in the world, I am truly, truly blessed.

**Fr. Moki +**



Dear Fellow Good Shepherds,

As I write this I realize that this is the next to the last month of 2020. The close of a most memorable year is coming to an end and we have no idea of what lay ahead. Again, I try to guess what the month will bring and has brought. We will have brought back in-person worship in the Church on Sundays at 9am...we are continuing an outdoor Eucharist on Saturdays at 5pm and broadcast the virtual Sunday Liturgy of the Word starting now from 7am on. That said, pray that all will continue.



What is also continuing is the challenge grant to restore our Altar window. Many thanks for the generous gifts received so far and thanks in advance for those who are planning gifts in the future. This is a project that will take some time to complete so there will always be opportunities to contribute.

The tentative plan in the restoration process is to carefully remove the window panels, properly crate them and prepare to ship them to Munich, where they will be worked on at the original studio that created them in the early 20th century. In the meantime, the old wooden frame will be replaced with aluminum and fitted with a Plexiglass copy of the Good Shepherd until the restored original is returned. What has changed is that the German artisans will not be able to travel here and return as planned because of the restrictions brought on by Covid-19.

All of this will take time as well as money so you can see how it is an ongoing project. It also gives us the chance to raise the necessary funds in increments as it progresses. Please keep this in mind as any amount will be most gratefully appreciated.

November will soon turn into December and we can look forward to figuring out how we will festively celebrate the Holidays in new and wonderfully different ways.

God Bless you all,  
**K. Peter Lee, Senior Warden.**



### Colossians 2:6-7

As you therefore have received Christ Jesus the Lord, continue to live your lives in him, rooted and built up in him and established in the faith, just as you were taught, abounding in **THANKSGIVING**.

What does it mean to be rooted in Christ? Imagine a house plant with each leaf and flower receiving the nourishment it needs through the root system, up the stalk, and out to the very tips of the plant. So, too, every part of our lives can be nourished by Christ, bringing peace and calm amid anxiety, wisdom to handle financial and other pressures, and comfort in times of burden, grief, and sorrow.

And then, with an almost throw-away line, Paul adds that we are to be “abounding in **THANKSGIVING**.” We return to where we started these reflections – combating a culture that does not encourage thankfulness. Indeed, which spends billions of dollars very year to encourage discontentment. Recessions are difficult times, and there is pain and hardship for many, but we can

find nourishment and contentment by trusting God’s faithfulness. With God’s leading, we can come out stronger, as individuals and as a society.

**Pause for Reflection:** How might tough times bring you closer to God? Spend some time in prayer, turning your thoughts to God, in what areas of your life do you need God’s nourishment?

**Final Action:** Set aside time each day in prayer to be led to wise choices and right actions.

“GIVE THANKS WITH A GRATEFUL HEART  
...for the blessings of 2020 and our hopes for 2021.

Our Stewardship 2021 Campaign has begun. Everyone should have received a GSEC brochure and pledge card in the mail. We ask everyone to thankfully and prayerfully consider what Good Shepherd means to you and to our community, and pledge accordingly as you are able.

Ingathering of pledges will be November 22, 2020, Sunday.

Please help us continue living into God’s call to serve a world that longs for the Gospel in its midst.

A vertical poster for a Thanksgiving service. The background is a warm, orange-toned collage of autumn leaves and trees. The text is arranged as follows:

- At the top, 'Join Us' is written in a large, elegant, black cursive script.
- Below that, 'THANKSGIVING' is written in large, bold, black, all-caps sans-serif font.
- Underneath, 'SERVICE' is written in a large, black, all-caps serif font.
- Next, 'TRINITY BY THE SEA, KIHEI' is written in a bold, black, all-caps serif font.
- Then, 'NOVEMBER 26, THURSDAY, 9:00AM' is written in a bold, black, all-caps serif font.
- Below that, 'THE REV. MOKI HINO, CELEBRANT' is written in a bold, black, all-caps serif font.
- At the bottom, a yellow banner contains the text 'A collection will be taken to benefit A Cup of Cold Water' in a bold, black, all-caps serif font.

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## A CUP OF COLD WATER UPDATE.....

1,000 mahalo's to all of you! Yes YOU. Past Volunteers, present volunteers and friends and but by the grace of God...future volunteers & friends! We welcome new volunteer and run leader in training Al Andrews a long time member of St. John's Episcopal Church Kula! Mahalo Al...we appreciate you!

Currently, only the Wednesday Central Maui Run is operating.

### ACCW STATS SEPTEMBER 2020

**SERVICE CONTACTS:** 370  
**Regular Wednesday MISSION RUNS** 5  
**Supply Run to other Organizations:** Salvation Army Kahului Ongoing as requested: Towels for the month of Sept. 2020. Ka Ohana Kitchen Ongoing/Sunday meal to go outreach/cases of bottled water ongoing (Deckers)  
**MILES DRIVEN** 62

### Distributed the following:

**CHILLED WATER** 370+  
**HYGIENE** 1,112  
**BASIC FIRST AID** 278  
**FOOD** 2,590 various items  
**CLOTHING** 592  
**BIBLES/DAILY BREAD** 5 bibles/22 ODB  
**P&J SANDWICHES:** Wailuku Hongwanji 50+  
Kahului Hongwanji 50+

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### **Snap Shot:**

Kahului Beach Road, makai, near Maui Beach Hotel. Wednesday Sept 30th. Hot & humid, no wind, scorching sun. (Deb Lynch, Al Andrews, Keku) : Frail, vanquished Caucasian male, 50s, sun burned, limping with some confusion and a younger male Hawaiian/Filipino/mix, late 20's...mind drifting, bearded with desperate eyes. Older male: "Why did you stop here? Will you come back?, I'll take anything, anything....Chilled cold water passed off first...guzzled by both men, .... more cold chilled water bottles given, pre packed simple foods & hygiene, more first aid tossed to the older man with ankle sores: Small talk from a distance, small hope, small effort, inch by inch, unspoken prayer, sad hearts, small "big" supply team toiling in a small little room faithful of few on a 7 year old journey in a 8 month old global pandemic, from a small "big": a church with a frail army of faithful Christians, Buddhists, friends of all sorts and makes.... workers in the vineyard of reality as we know it....,with a Very Very Big loving God.

"The importance of charity in the Christian moral life gives us the key to all other obligations of a Christian. The church must certainly have external laws and regulations. She must by all means make use of the organizational discipline, ritual and teaching authority. BUT WHEN WE FORGET THE PURPOSE OF ALL THESE THINGS, WHEN WE OVERLOOK their orientation to UNION WITH CHARITY, we get a very distorted idea of the church and of her life"....

.....Merton/Life and Holiness

### An Anglican Priest's pondering regarding the church and the pandemic:

I write this in love, I adore our church. I see it wilting before my eyes, failing to rise to the occasion, failing even to realize there is an occasion to rise to. It has become obsessed with process, terrified by risk....

.....The Rev. Canon Jeremy M Haselock/retired vice dean and precentor of the Norwich Cathedral, England Anglican Digest Summer AD 2020

**NOTE:** The Anglican Digest article reads like an old fashioned scolding to the Christians in the Epistle of St. Paul to the Galatians...or could we say a prophet's voice for 2020?... of course, a prophet's voice is never appreciated in his own backyard,,,, And may we humbly note: there are many many, many efforts, outreach and otherwise by both clergy & lay of our churches (the greater body of all makes, Buddhists. etc) and the faithful ARE doing in our Hawaii Diocese and many other churches and peoples ( monetary and other donations, feeding, outreach, showers, chow lines, community meals, PRAYER etc etc.) Thanks be to God. The article was specific to the Church of England. Digest it, ponder it, and take no offense. Use it to empower and revitalize your own walk, assess your own actions & efforts for humanity....with Resurrection power!

**Peace Deb & ACCW team**

**Keku's writing selections/snapshot**

## THOSE WHO SERVE CHRIST IN HIS CHURCH

**5:00 PM Saturday:** In-Person Holy Communion  
Office Courtyard (If it rains, we will meet in the sanctuary)  
Social distancing and facial masks will be required

**7:00 AM Sunday:** Virtual Liturgy of the Word  
Zoom, YouTube and/or Facebook

**9:00 AM Sunday:** In-Person Holy Communion  
Church Sanctuary  
Social distancing and facial masks will be required

	November 1 All Saints	November 8 Pentecost 23	November 15 Queen Liliuokalani	November 22 Holy Sovereigns	November 29 Advent 1
<b>Celebrant</b>	Moki Hino	Moki Hino	Moki Hino	Moki Hino	Moki Hino
<b>Lectors (Virtual)</b>	Chancellor Brown Mark Sitts	Eugenia Sitts Marie Paul	Estrelita Lampitoc Louise Aloy	Sannah Evangelista Jeanne Abe	Youth
<b>Intercessor (Virtual)</b>	Les Totah	Maureen VanDenburgh	Cora Brown	K. Peter Lee	Maggie Evangelista
<b>Sunday Responder (9am in person)</b>	Les Totah	Maureen VanDenburgh	Sannah Evangelista	K. Peter Lee	Jacob Akana
<b>Flower Altar Guild</b>	Louise Aloy	Daryl Atay	Louise Aloy	Daryl Atay	NO FLOWERS
<b>Altar Guild Po'o</b>	Marie Paul	Marie Paul	Marie Paul	Needed	Needed
<b>Ohana Kitchen</b>	Tean 3 Louise Aloy	Akana Ohana	Ka Ohana O Kamai Lei Sickels	Rotary Club of Maui Heather Mueller	Team 7 Bayer Company

	December 6 Advent 2	December 13 Advent 3	December 20 Advent 4	December 27 Christmas 1
<b>Celebrant</b>	Moki Hino	Moki Hino	Moki Hino	Moki Hino
<b>Lectors (Virtual)</b>	Maysie Tam Meren Kuzara	Maggie Evangelista Gil Keith-Agaran	Mark Sitts Eugenia Sitts	Youth
<b>Intercessor (Virtual)</b>	John Decker	Chancellor Brown	Marie Paul	Cora Brown
<b>Sunday Responder (9am in person)</b>	Natasha Lau	Louise Aloy	Chancellor Brown	Jordan Akana
<b>Flower Altar Guild</b>	NO FLOWERS	NO FLOWERS	NO FLOWERS	Christmas Flowers
<b>Altar Guild Po'o</b>	Marie Paul	Marie Paul	Marie Paul	Marie Paul
<b>Ohana Kitchen</b>	Baldwin High School Shannon Alueta	Team 8 Sannah Evangelista	Team 9 GSEC Youth	4ever Family & Friends Daryl Atay



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# HAPPY THANKSGIVING!





*Congratulations to those celebrating their special day !*

*November*

Alexander Caoile	11/02
Joseph Kuzara	11/03
Nathaniel Idica	11/05
Alex Yago	11/06
Editha Acidera	11/10
Lydia Coloma	11/12
Eliza Agpoon	11/15
Nolly Yagin	11/15
Purification Adzuara	11/16
Julita Bumanglag	11/16
Silvestre Batulayan	11/20
Betty Idica	11/21
Natasha Lau	11/21
Jimmuel Pascua	11/26
Nestor Jr. Manuel	11/29
Brittney Latayada	11/29
Florence Cuaresma	11/30

*happy birthday*

11/27 Gloria & Erminio Dela Cruz

*happy Anniversary*









**CeleBRATE**



<b>Head of the Church</b>	- Our Lord Jesus Christ
<b>Bishop</b>	- The Rt. Rev. Robert Fitzpatrick
<b>Priest-in-Charge</b>	- The Rev. Robert Moki Hino
<b>Sr. Warden</b>	- K. Peter Lee
<b>Jr. Warden</b>	- Louise Aloy
<b>Vestry 2020</b>	- Christine Batulayan - Sannah Evangelista - Natasha Lau
<b>Vestry 2021</b>	- Michelle Akana - Shelley Riebling - Maureen VanDenburgh
<b>Vestry 2022</b>	- John Decker - Brian Shuster
<b>Vestry Clerk</b>	- Shelley Riebling
<b>Delegates</b>	- John Decker - Jeanne Abe - Marie Paul - K. Peter Lee - Shelley Riebling - Maureen VanDenburg
<b>Treasurer</b>	- Edward Evangelista
<b>Acolyte Master</b>	- Pacifico Evangelista
<b>Queen Emma Athletic Club</b>	- Lawrence Kauhaahaa
<b>ECW Chair</b>	- Louise Aloy
<b>ECW Secretary</b>	- Marie Paul
<b>ECW Treasurer</b>	- Cora Brown
<b>Music Director</b>	- Ferdinand Cajigal
<b>Parish Secretary</b>	- Cora Brown
<b>Bookkeeper</b>	- Lani Scott
<b>Building/Ground</b>	- Louise Aloy
<b>Finance</b>	- K. Peter Lee
<b>Fundraising</b>	- Sannah Evangelista
<b>Property Management Committee</b>	- Shelley Riebling - Pacifico Evangelista
<b>Worship</b>	- Pacifico Evangelista
<b>Youth/Young Adults</b>	- Natasha Lau
<b>Youth Council Pres.</b>	- Kathleen Taroma
<b>Youth Council VP</b>	- Rylan Cajigal-Evans
<b>Youth Council Sec.</b>	- Isaiah Lampitoc
<b>High School Rep.</b>	- Shandi Agpoon
<b>Middle School Rep.</b>	-

\*THE DEADLINE FOR THE SHEPHERD STAFF NEWSLETTER ARTICLES & INFORMATION IS DUE ON THE 10TH OF EVERY MONTH.

September Finance Report	Actual for month	Budget for month	Actual YTD	Budget YTD
Plate Offerings	\$1796.00	\$2666.00	\$16,879.00	\$24,002.00
Pledge Offerings	\$11,451.00	\$9583.00	\$76,059.00	\$86,251.00
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>\$29,881.00</b>	<b>\$36,148.00</b>	<b>\$302,548.00</b>	<b>\$335,406.00</b>
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$30,962.00</b>	<b>\$43,823.00</b>	<b>\$195,488.00</b>	<b>\$320,131.00</b>

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>1 ALL SAINTS' SUNDAY</b> 7:00am Liturgy of the Word (online) 9:00am Holy Eucharist 12:00pm Ka Ohana Kitchen 	2	<b>3 ELECTION DAY</b> 9:00am Pastoral Care  Parish office closed	4 7:00pm Compline by Youth & Young Adults on Facebook	5 9:00am Staff mtg 12:00pm Women's Bible Study via Zoom	6	7 8:30am Worship mtg 5:00pm Holy Eucharist
<b>8</b> 7:00am Liturgy of the Word (online) 9:00am Holy Eucharist 12:00pm Ka Ohana Kitchen	9	10 8:30am Pastoral Care mtg	11 VETERANS DAY 3:00pm Property Management 7:00pm Compline by Youth & Young Adults on Facebook 	12 9:00am Staff mtg 12:00pm Women's Bible Study via Zoom 4:00pm Finance meeting	13	14 5:00pm Holy Eucharist
<b>15 QUEEN LIL'UOKALANI</b> 7:00am Liturgy of the Word (online) 9:00am Holy Eucharist 12:00pm Ka Ohana Kitchen 	16	17 5:30pm Vestry meeting via Zoom	18 7:00pm Compline by Youth & Young Adults on Facebook	19 9:00am Staff mtg 12:00pm Women's Bible Study via Zoom	20	21 5:00pm Holy Eucharist
<b>22 HOLY SOVEREIGNS'</b> 7:00am Liturgy of the Word (online) 9:00am Holy Eucharist 12:00pm Ka Ohana Kitchen 	23	24	25 7:00pm Compline by Youth & Young Adults on Facebook	26 THANKSGIVING 9:00am Holy Eucharist @ Trinity By-the-Sea  Parish office closed	27	28 5:00pm Holy Eucharist
<b>29</b> 7:00am Liturgy of the Word (online) 9:00am Holy Eucharist 12:00pm Ka Ohana Kitchen	30	<b>NOVEMBER</b>				

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