

St. Columba's Church

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Christ the King Sunday with the
Commemoration of the Feast of the Holy Sovereigns
November 22, 2026

Holy Eucharist at 9:30 AM

Aloha! Welcome to St. Columba's*. We are glad you are here. We invite you to join as an active participant in the worship of God. This service is based on the Order for the Holy Eucharist: Rite Two in the* Book of Common Prayer *and* Enriching our Worship*. For ease of use, this leaflet contains the congregational portions of the liturgy and much of the service music. Hymn numbers refer to the* Hymnal 1982*. Lessons and Gospel texts are taken from the New Revised Standard Version of the Bible, following the Revised Common Lectionary.*

Please remember *to silence electronic devices. We do however welcome the sound of children in worship. Children are always welcome in worship at St. Columba's. In fact, they are active participants in the liturgy here. A great place for children to see, hear and participate in St. Columba's rich liturgy is right up front. Mahalo.*

All parish worship services *are livestreamed via video for our online congregation. By participating in this service you acknowledge that you may be visible on live broadcast or archived video. If you are uncomfortable about the possibility of appearing on video, please see an usher to be reseated in a more private area.*

Call to Worship *(Bell is rung)*

Welcome and Announcements

Hymn 494 "Crown Him with Many Crowns"

Opening Acclamation

Presider:	Blessed be the One, Holy, and Living God
People:	**Glory to God forever and ever. Amen.**
Presider	The Lord be with you.
People	**And also with you.**
Presider	E pule kakou *(Let us pray).*

The Collect for Purity

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Song of Praise "Glorify Thy Name" *see page 14*

The Collect of the Day

Presider The Lord be with you.
People **And also with you.**
Presider E pule kakou (*Let us pray)*: Almighty and everlasting God, whose will it is to restore all things in your well-beloved Son, the King of kings and Lord of lords: Mercifully grant that the peoples of the earth, divided and enslaved by sin, may be freed and brought together under his most gracious rule; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

The Collect for King Kamehameha IV and Queen Emma

O Sovereign God, who raised up (King) Kamehameha (IV) and (Queen) Emma to be rulers in Hawaii, and inspired and enabled them to be diligent in good works for the welfare of their people and the good of your Church: Receive our thanks for their witness to the Gospel; and grant that we, with them, may attain to the crown of glory that never fades away; through Jesus Christ our Savior and Redeemer, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Please be seated

A Reading from the book of the Prophet Ezekiel *(34:11-16, 20-24)*

Thus says the Lord God: I myself will search for my sheep, and will seek them out. As shepherds seek out their flocks when they are among their scattered sheep, so I will seek out my sheep. I will rescue them from all the places to which they have been scattered on a day of clouds and thick darkness. I will bring them out from the peoples and gather them from the countries, and will bring them into their own land; and I will feed them on the mountains of Israel, by the watercourses, and in all the inhabited parts of the land. I will feed them with good pasture, and the mountain heights of Israel shall be their pasture; there they shall lie down in good grazing land, and they shall feed on rich pasture on the mountains of Israel. I myself will be the shepherd of my sheep, and I will make them lie down, says the Lord God. I will seek the lost, and I will bring back the strayed, and I will bind up the injured, and I will strengthen the weak, but the fat and the strong I will destroy. I will feed them with justice.

Therefore, thus says the Lord God to them: I myself will judge between the fat sheep and the lean sheep. Because you pushed with flank and shoulder, and butted at all the weak animals with your horns until you scattered them far and wide, I will save my flock, and they shall no longer be ravaged; and I will judge between sheep and sheep.

I will set up over them one shepherd, my servant David, and he shall feed them: he shall feed them and be their shepherd. And I, the Lord, will be their God, and my servant David shall be prince among them; I, the Lord, have spoken.

Reader The Word of the Lord. *People* **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 100

1 Be joyful in the LORD, all you lands; *
serve the LORD with gladness
and come before his presence with a song.

2 Know this: The LORD himself is God; *
he himself has made us, and we are his;
we are his people and the sheep of his pasture.

3 Enter his gates with thanksgiving;
go into his courts with praise; *
give thanks to him and call upon his Name.

4 For the LORD is good;
his mercy is everlasting; *
and his faithfulness endures from age to age.

A Reading from Paul's first Letter to the Ephesians *(1:15-23)*

I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, and for this reason I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power. God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

Reader The Word of the Lord. *People* **Thanks be to God.**

Hymn 691 "My Faith Looks Up to Thee"

Please stand. It is our custom to face the reader

The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew *(25:31-46)*

At the Announcement, all say **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Jesus said, "When the Son of Man comes in his glory, and all the angels with him, then he will sit on the throne of his glory. All the nations will be gathered before him, and he will separate people one from another as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats, and he will put the sheep at his right hand and the goats at the left. Then the king will say to those at his right hand, 'Come, you that are blessed by my Father, inherit the kingdom

prepared for you from the foundation of the world; for I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, I was naked and you gave me clothing, I was sick and you took care of me, I was in prison and you visited me.' Then the righteous will answer him, 'Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry and gave you food, or thirsty and gave you something to drink? And when was it that we saw you a stranger and welcomed you, or naked and gave you clothing? And when was it that we saw you sick or in prison and visited you?' And the king will answer them, 'Truly I tell you, just as you did it to one of the least of these who are members of my family, you did it to me.' Then he will say to those at his left hand, 'You that are accursed, depart from me into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels; for I was hungry and you gave me no food, I was thirsty and you gave me nothing to drink, I was a stranger and you did not welcome me, naked and you did not give me clothing, sick and in prison and you did not visit me.' Then they also will answer, 'Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry or thirsty or a stranger or naked or sick or in prison, and did not take care of you?' Then he will answer them, 'Truly I tell you, just as you did not do it to one of the least of these, you did not do it to me.' And these will go away into eternal punishment, but the righteous into eternal life."

The Reader says, The Gospel of the Lord. *All reply,* **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

Sermon — The Reverend Linda Lundgren

All who are able, please stand

The Nicene Creed

We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.
We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made,
of one Being with the Father.
Through him all things were made.
For us and for our salvation
he came down from heaven;
by the power of the Holy Spirit
he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary,
and was made man.
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;

he suffered death and was buried.
On the third day he rose again
in accordance with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.
We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father.
With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.
He has spoken through the Prophets.
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Prayers of the People for Christ the King Sunday

(After each prayer petition, the leader will say "Lord Your Spirit is with us" and the people respond, "Hear our Prayer".)

Leader Let us pray to our sovereign Lord, Christ the King, whose reign is justice, mercy, and peace.
Leader Almighty God, we pray for your Church throughout the world, that all Christians may proclaim the reign of Christ with boldness and humility. Strengthen bishops, priests, deacons, and all the baptized to serve you faithfully, and to bear witness to your kingdom of love. *Lord, in your mercy,*
Hear our prayer.

We pray for the leaders of nations and all in positions of authority, that they may govern people to seek the common good. *Lord, in your mercy,*
Hear our prayer.
Christ our King, you came to serve and not to be served. We pray for all who suffer from injustice, poverty, or violence. Comfort the afflicted, protect the vulnerable, and inspire us to work for the dignity of every human being. *Lord, in your mercy,*
Hear our prayer.

Lord of all, you reign over the earth and all that is in it. Teach us to cherish your creation, to steward its resources wisely, and to live in harmony with all living things. *Lord, in your mercy,*
Hear our prayer.

We lift before you all who are ill, lonely, grieving, or in any kind of trouble. Surround

them with your healing presence and grant them peace. (You may name those for whom we pray aloud or silently.) *Lord, in your mercy,*
Hear our prayer.

We remember those who have died, trusting in your promise that they now rest in your eternal kingdom. May we, with them, be gathered into your presence when our earthly pilgrimage is ended. *Lord, in your mercy,*
Hear our prayer.
Lord Jesus Christ, King of kings and Lord of lords, hear our prayers and make us faithful servants of your reign, until that day when you come in glory and all creation is made new. **Amen.**

And finally, we pray for ourselves:
O Lord Jesus Christ - stay beside us to defend us, within us to guide us - before us to lead us, behind us to guard us - and above us to bless us; that with you and in you, we may live and move and have our being, for ever and ever, Amen

Confession of Sin and Absolution

Presider: With sincere and repentant hearts, let us name our sins against Christ and one another.

Lord Jesus, Judge of the nations:
We confess that we have not seen your face
among our neighbors in need.
We have not always shared our food with the hungry;
we have not offered clothes to the destitute
or shelter to the homeless.
We have not welcomed the stranger,
nor have we visited prisoners.
We have not paid attention to these,
your sisters and brothers,
and in our neglect we have failed to serve you.
Lord forgive us; open our eyes to recognize your beloved family,
and give us the blessing of sincere repentance
that we may know the joy of eternal life
with you and all the saints
in this world and in the world to come. Amen.

Presider My brothers and sisters, God seeks the lost sheep and feeds them with justice. Forgiven and freed, turn, then, and live in Christ our Lord, you are forgiven!

The Peace: Ke Aloha

Leader: ‘O ke aloha o ka Haku e mau ana me’oukou.
All: **A me ‘oe pu**
Leader: Ti Cappia ti Apo adda coma cadacayo
All: **Ken casta met kenca**
Presider: The Peace of the Lord be always with you.
All: **And also with you.**
(*Please greet each other in Christ’s name*.)

Offertory

Please remain seated during the offertory hymn

Hymn 686 “Come Thou Fount”

We believe in a generous God who has gifted us in many ways. As a response to that generous love, we are generous in supporting our church and those in need.
***If you use Venmo**, you are welcome to donate via Venmo, our username is @stjameshawaiiisland.*
***If you use Zelle,** you are welcome to donate through the app. The church email address is office@stjameshawaii.org*
***If you prefer to give online,** you may visit our safe, secure online site at stjameshawaiiorg.givingfire.com or via the QR code Bless you for your gift!*

All who are able, please stand and join in singing

The Doxology

Ho’onani i ka Makua mau, ke Keiki me ka ‘Uhane no,
Ke Akua mau ho’omaika’i pu, ko keia ao, ko kela ao. *(Hawaiian)*
Ti Ama ken Anac coma, Ken Espiritu ti liwliwa
Dayawen nga ipangrona, Ti langit ken ditoy daga. *(Ilocano)*
Praise God from whom all blessings flow,
Praise God all creatures here below.
Praise God above ye heavenly host,
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen. *(English)*

The Great Thanksgiving

Presider: The Lord be with you.
People: **And also with you**.
Presider: Lift up your hearts.
People: **We lift them to the Lord.**
Presider: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People: **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**
Presider: It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks

to you, Almighty God, Creator of heaven and earth. Because in the mystery of the Word made flesh, you have caused a new light to shine in our hearts, to give the knowledge of your glory in the face of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. And so this day we join with Saints and Angels in the chorus of praise that rings through eternity, lifting our voices to magnify you as we sing:

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might, *(sing 2x)*
heaven and earth are full, full of your glory
Hosanna in the highest *(sing 2x)*
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest. *(sing 2x)*

The Presider continues Blessed are you, gracious God, creator of the universe and giver of life. You formed us in your own image and called us to dwell in your infinite love.

Presider and People **You gave the world into our care that we might be your faithful stewards and show forth your bountiful grace. But we failed to honor your image in one another and in ourselves; we would not see your goodness in the world around us; and so we violated your creation, abused one another, and rejected your love. Yet you never ceased to care for us, and prepared the way of salvation for all people.**

Presider Through Abraham and Sarah you called us into covenant with you. You delivered us from slavery, sustained us in the wilderness, and raised up prophets to renew your promise of salvation.

Then, in the fullness of time, you sent your eternal Word, made mortal flesh in Jesus. Born into the human family, and dwelling among us, he revealed your glory. Giving himself freely to death on the cross, he triumphed over evil, opening the way of freedom and life.

On the night before he died for us, Our Savior Jesus Christ took bread, and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his friends, and said "Take, eat: This is my Body which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

As supper was ending, Jesus took the cup of wine, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said: "Drink this, all of you This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is poured out for you and for all for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:
Presider and People
Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

The Celebrant continues Remembering his death and resurrection, we now present to you from your creation this bread and this wine. By your Holy Spirit may they be for us the Body and Blood of our Savior Jesus Christ.

Presider and People **Grant that we who share these gifts may be filled with the Holy Spirit and live as Christ's Body in the world. Bring us into the everlasting heritage of your daughters and sons, that with blessed James, Columba, our patrons King Kamehameha IV and Queen Emma, Damien and Marianne of Moloka'i, the ever-blessed Virgin Mary, Gregorio Aglipay and all your saints, past, present, and yet to come, we may praise your Name for ever.**

Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, to you be honor, glory, and praise, for ever and ever. **AMEN.**

And now as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say:

Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy Name,
thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth,
as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.

The Breaking of the Bread

Presider breaks the consecrated Bread

Presider Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;
People Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

The Invitation

Presider The Gifts of God for the People of God.

Please make your way up the center aisle, returning to your pew/seat, via the side aisles. The bread is received with open palm. The wine, if desired, is received by either drinking from the chalice or dipping the wafer in the wine. If you do not wish to receive Communion but would like a blessing, indicate so by crossing your arms over your chest. Gluten-free wafers are available, please ask a priest at the communion rail.

This is the table, not of the Church but of Jesus Christ.
It is made ready for those who love God
and those who want to love God more.
So come, you who have much faith and you who have little,
You who have been here often
and you who have not been for a long time or never before,
You who have tried to follow and all of us who have failed.

These are the gifts of God for the People of God.
Come, not because the Church invites you;
It is Christ who invites you to be known and fed here.
Adapted from The Iona Community, Iona Abbey Worship Book,
(Glasgow, UK: Wild Goose Publications, 2001), 53.

Note: "If a person desires to receive the Sacrament, but, by reason of extreme sickness or physical disability, is unable to eat and drink the Bread and Wine, the Celebrant is to assure that person that all the benefits of Communion are received, even though the Sacrament is not received with the mouth." —The Book of Common Prayer (1979), p. 457

At the Communion

Musician's Choice

Please stand or kneel as you are able

After Communion, the Presider says, E pule kakou *(Let us pray):*

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now in to the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Blessing

Please stand as you are able

The Officiant offers the following blessing or one of their choosing.

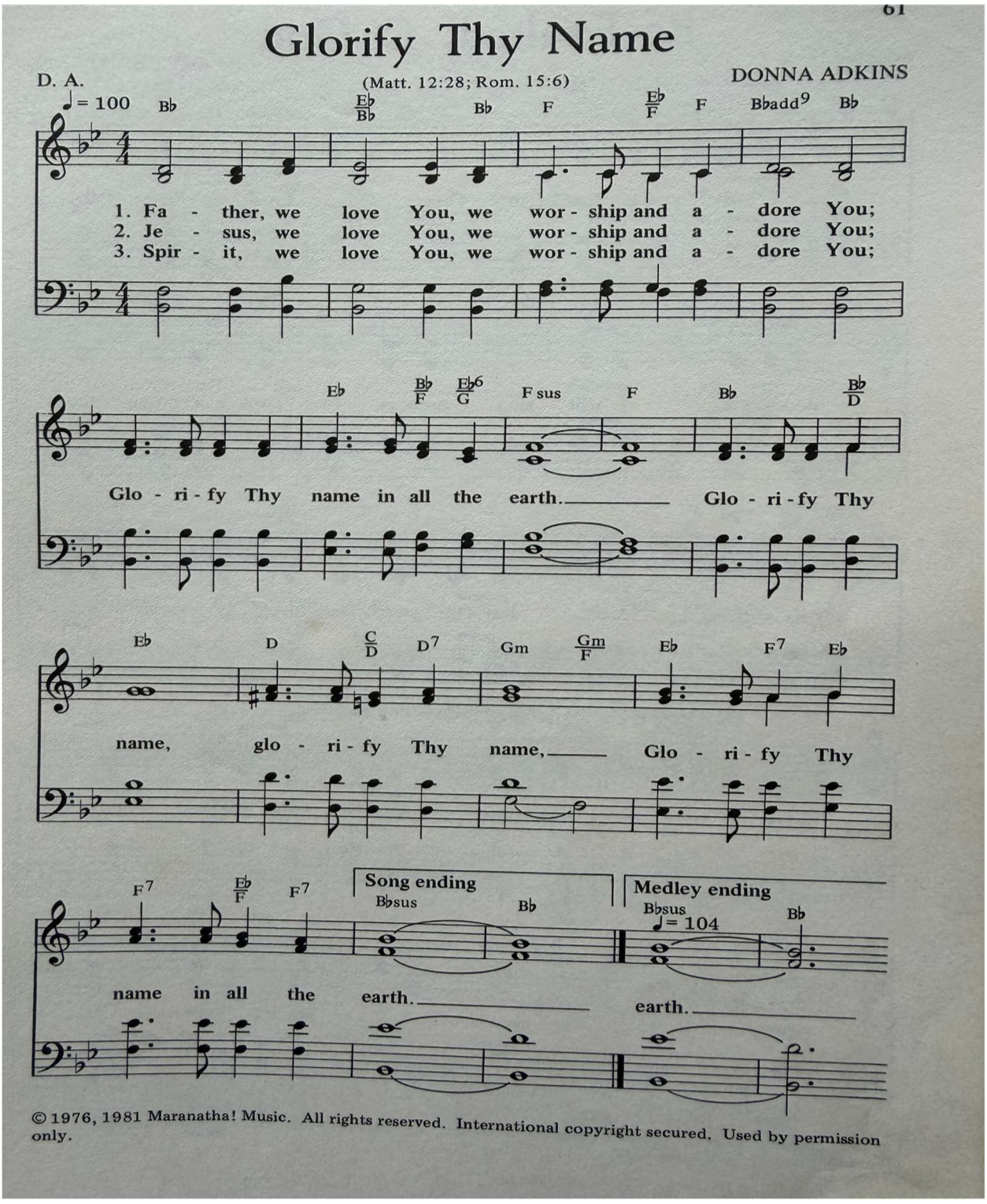
May Christ our King, who reigns from the cross with mercy and truth, give you courage to forgive, strength to serve, and hearts open to the needs of others. And may the blessing of God Almighty, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit be with you and remain with you this day and always. **Amene.**

Comissioning of this week's Prayer List Minister

Hymn 450 "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name"

The Dismissal

Presider Let us go forth in the name of Christ. Alleluia! Alleluia!
People **Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!**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Glorify Thy Name
D. A.
(Matt. 12:28; Rom. 15:6)
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1. Fa - ther, we love You, we wor - ship and a - dore You;
2. Je - sus, we love You, we wor - ship and a - dore You;
3. Spir - it, we love You, we wor - ship and a - dore You;
Glo - ri - fy Thy name in all the earth. Glo - ri - fy Thy
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Song ending
Medley ending
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name in all the earth.
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Come Journey with Us This Advent at St. Columba's!

This Advent, we invite you to gather with us at St. Columba's as we continue our journey with Jesus through The Chosen, Season 6. We'll meet on **Mondays, November 30 and December 7, 14, and 21**. Whether you've watched every episode or have never seen a single one, **you are warmly welcome!** We'll begin each evening at **5 PM with a light potluck dinner**, followed by the film at **5:30 PM** and a time for conversation and reflection afterward. We'll be pau by 7 PM. Come enjoy good food, warm fellowship, and the opportunity to deepen our faith together during this holy season of waiting and preparation. Bring a friend. There's always room at the table! **All are welcome!**

St. James' PRESENTS

Saturday DECEMBER 5

COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS Bazaar

FREE HOT CHOCOLATE



FOOD TRUCK & CHILI DOGS





- Holiday bake sale & wreaths
- Christmas Thrift Shop
- Silent auction & gift shop with Hawaiiana, art, handicrafts, local jams & honey, unique items, dining gift cards & more
- Pet toys and treats
- Waimea Country School rummage sale

Benefits the Community Meal, Annunciation Food Pantry and HIHS Pet Food Pantry.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 5th – 9 AM-1 PM

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