

**HONOLULU JAPANESE
SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH**

June 9, 2018

OUR MISSION

*"To Share God's amazing love
as we prepare all for the soon coming of Jesus."*

THE CHURCH AT STUDY

Superintendent: Pat Kay

"PREPARATION DAY"

Adult Bible Study: "AMERICA & BABYLON"

SMALL GROUP BIBLE STUDY CLASSES

Teruo Funai (left front alcove room)
Denis Mee-Lee (left middle, side)
Steve Asatani (left, front)

Alan Kay (right front alcove room)
Young Adults (right middle side)
Wayne Foulston (right, back)

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

TODAY

FELLOWSHIP DINNER EACH SABBATH - Members, please bring your favorite vegetarian dish with enough to share generously. Visitors are welcome to join us.

WALKING MOAI – 2:30 Church Parking Lot, Manoa Falls, weather permitting

SUNDAY

WOMEN'S EXERCISE CLASS - Kono Hall – 3:30-4:15 pm, *Child Care provided

THIS WEEK

SUN 10:30 am - "IT IS WRITTEN" – Channel 26

WED 10:30 am – "IMPROVING WITH AGE" ch 31, 32 & 33, Church Library

WED - MIDWEEK STUDY & PRAYER – Desire of Ages ch 84, "PEACE BE UNTO YOU"
Steven Daido Facilitator – Church Library

UPCOMING

NO ELDERS MEETING during the month of June

June 10-17 –HJSDA hosting FAMILY PROMISE

June 19 – Finance Committee at 6pm, Church Board at 7pm

June 23—Hawaiian Mission Academy Alumni Weekend

June 23—Religious Liberty Weekend

June 24 – Blue Zone Community Kick Off Day – see insert

June 30 – Communion

July 7 – Women's Ministry Special Event, "FACES OF HOPE" – 4:30- 6:00 pm

July 15-19 – Vacation Bible School

THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP

11:00 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.

WE GATHER AS FAMILY OF GOD

Welcome & Announcements

JoAnn Bocock, Presiding Elder

Prelude

WE PRAISE & ADORE HIM

Introit

Hymn of Praise

"Guide Me, O Thou Great Hegivag"

No. 538

Morning Prayer

JoAnn Bocock

WE GIVE IN GRATITUDE

Our Gifts to God

Brenden Bliss

TODAY'S OFFERING: Chaplaincy Ministry

Offertory

Keiki Story

Yumi Inae

WE LISTEN TO HIS WORD

Scripture

Hebrews 4: 14-16

Melody Ferguson

Special Music

Mark & Melody Ferguson

Sermon

Pastor Michael Brownfield

"Why Is It So Hard?"

WE RESPOND TO HIM

Closing Hymn

"Draw Me Nearer"

No. 306

Benediction

Pastor Michael Brownfield

PIANIST: Bren Chun

CHORISTER: Sarah Sulite

ORGANIST: Hugh Winn

SUNSET: June 9 – 7:13 pm

SUNSET: June 16 - 7:15 pm

Reach Out

The personal ministries of the HJSDA church family

ASIAN AID MINISTRIES – Our membership has provided financial, wool scarves, stamps, clothing to medical & educational ministries throughout Asia. See Denis Mee-Lee (Ongoing)

FAMILY PROMISE - Our church hosts several homeless families for seven nights, including sleepovers, dinner and breakfast. Contact: Cynthia Foulston or Kay Zane (One Week on a Quarterly Rotation)

HOMELESS SINGSPIRATION AFTERNOON - 2nd and last Saturdays of the month in the downtown area. For more info talk to Denis Mee-Lee

LANAI MINISTRY – Special support for ministry on the island of Lanai. Wayne and Cynthia Foulston

MEALS ON WHEELS – Volunteers from our congregation help visit and deliver daily hot meals to home shut-ins, disabled and the elderly. Contact: Lily Taketa

PRAYER MINISTRY – Submit a prayer request (prayer cards in pew or email pkay@alapaka.com) or meet for prayer with a prayer team member. Contact: Pat Kay, 391-6559 (Ongoing)

THE SUNSHINE BAND –Members young and old, sharing singing and joy to the patients of the Maluhia Hospital Facility. Contact: Denny Uechi (Third Sabbath of the month)

WOMEN'S MINISTRY – Providing opportunities for women to get connected with each other and with God, and encouraging each other in their daily walk with Jesus. Contact: Debbie Brownfield

PREACHING SCHEDULE

- June 9 – Pastor Michael Brownfield
- June 16 – Pastor Michael Brownfield
- June 23 – Pastor Michael Brownfield

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THANK YOU FOR EATING ONLY IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL AND LANAI AREAS.

Your help is greatly appreciated. *The Church Board*

CHANGE IN VISITING HOURS FOR JOHN MOFFITT - Visitation hours are now between 1pm-5pm **Monday, Wednesday** and **Sunday only**. You may make an appointment with the care home to see John the day before you intend to visit him. Call 888-6522

PRAYER REQUESTS

NEW PRAYER REQUESTS

- Prayers of condolence and comfort for the family Shinsei Hokama, founder of the East-West Language School and many mission projects in Southern California
- Healing prayers for an HJSDA member coming to terms with a difficult diagnosis and faithfully seeking God's will and purpose in it
- Earnest prayers for a member of our church who is struggling with management of personal finances

ONGOING PRAYER REQUESTS

- Healing and encouragement for Lily Taketa, Roger Nada, Lynn Miller, Peter Ah-Ching, Lily Taketa's friend Myo, Lori Heu, John Miller Jr, Henny Saraswati's father, Jane Kono, Krapovs' nephew Daniel, Sita Shore, Lynne Waihee, and John Moffitt
- Spiritual strength and consolation in Christ for the Lilio, Obata, Akana and Takemoto families, grieving the loss of loved ones
- Continued protection and spiritual guidance for Titus, Malachi, Carissa, Lana, Angela, E.J., and our youth everywhere as we commit them to the Father's care
- Wisdom and inspiration for leaders in the development of the proposed community center at HJSDA, and strong vision for service and support among our members

REMINDERS

- Sabbath morning prayer, 8:30 a.m., in the Mothers Room (please join us!)
- Wednesday evening prayer & study, 7:00 p.m., in the Library (May 23: *Desire of Ages*, Chapter 82)
- **PRAYER REQUEST CARDS** are in the pews. Prayer Request box located at the Sanctuary entrance

CHURCH FAMILY FINANCES

TITHE REPORT

Our tithe for April was \$36,494. Total year-to-date is \$131,781, about \$1,995 less than last year at this time. Thank you for your faithfulness in returning the sacred tithe, which supports the pastors and leaders in the Hawaii Conference and beyond. Hawaii Goal: 4% increase per year.

CHURCH BUDGET

April Income: \$8,019. Needed Monthly: \$10,706. Short for 2018: \$6,882.

Dear Church Family,

When my wife and I arrived three years ago, our church leadership told me there were two projects they wanted to finish--the Kono Hall Upstairs Renovation for ministry workers, and an Audio-Visual Upgrade to include multi-media capability (projectors, screens, cameras, etc. for improved visual/hearing).

We have been working on these as rapidly as possible, with gratitude to our volunteer laborers. Now the time has come to invite you to help finish these projects.

*The church board has asked me to itemize the current giving needs for these projects as well as funds in our church that are in need of donations. **When you give, please specify the fund and item you are contributing to. Thank you.***

Pastor Michael Brownfield

AV PROJECT

4 Powered Stage Monitors for Stage, Piano, and Organ	\$ 2,000
Multiple Microphones for choir, speaker, and wireless (Our mics are old and sound quality is poor)	\$ 3,500
HDMI Mixer for computer & projector images; remote	\$ 2,000

FUNDS IN THE RED

AV Multi-Media Project (two projectors, screens, site work)	-\$20,000
Family Promise	-\$ 1,450
Camp Homelani (donations beyond this will help subsidize our Church Retreat for those who cannot afford it)	-\$ 1,133
Kono Hall Apartment Renovation	-\$ 4,798