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#### **SUNDAY. MARCH 4**

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8:00AM	Worship Service	Sanctuary	
8:00AM	Koʻolau Kids Sunday School	Children's Ministry area	
8:00AM	Fireproofing Your Life	Makai 3	
8:00AM	Ruth	Boardroom	
8:00AM	Just Show Up	Makai 1 & 2	
9:30AM	Worship Service	Sanctuary	
9:30AM	Koʻolau Kids Sunday School	Children's Ministry area	
9:30AM	Sunday Youth Group	Youth Room	
9:30AM	Young Adults Community	Makai 3	
9:30AM	Essential Skills - Small Group Facilitation	Makai 1 & 2	
9:30AM	1 <sup>st</sup> Thessalonians	Boardroom	
10:30AM	OH-ZONE	Fellowship Hall	
11:00AM	GriefShare	Glass Classroom	
11:11AM	Worship Service	Sanctuary	
11:11AM	Koʻolau Kids Sunday School	Children's Ministry area	
2:00PM	Healing Service	Sanctuary	

#### **MONDAY, MARCH 5**

6:30PM	Young Adults (30's) Small Group	Kaimuki
7:00PM	Young Adults (20's) Small Group	Kaneohe

#### **TUESDAY. MARCH 6**

9:30AM	Mighty Moms	CM 4 <sup>th</sup> /5 <sup>th</sup> Classroom
6:30PM	DivorceCare	CM 4 <sup>th</sup> /5 <sup>th</sup> Classroom

#### WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7

6:00PM	Rooted Kick-Off	Sanctuary
6:00PM	Marriage Course	Fellowship Hall
6·30PM	ΔΙ ΡΗΔ	Hawaii Voice Loung

#### **THURSDAY, MARCH 8**

6:00PM	Samson Society (Men's Group)	CM 4 <sup>th</sup> /5 <sup>th</sup> Classroom
6:30PM	Young Adults Small Group	Roval Kunia, Waipahu

#### **FRIDAY, MARCH 9**

9:00AM	FPC Crafters	Kitchen
7:00PM	Moms In Prayer	Boardroom
7:00PM	Friday Youth Group (Middle & High Sch)	Youth Room

#### **SATURDAY, MARCH 10**

9:00AM	Visitation with Beebe's Family	Sanctuary
10:00AM	Beebe Freitas' Celebration of Life Service	Sanctuary

#### **IMPACT** LOCAL & GLOBAL MISSIONS

Contact Pastor Tim: tim@fpchawaii.org/ 808-532-1117

#### "READ FOR HEALTH" OUTREACH

March 31, Sat, 8am-1pm, Linapuni Elem Sch A Teacher's Heart, an outreach of First Prez, will be hosting a Read for Health event on Saturday, March 31st from 8am-1pm at Linapuni Elementary School in Kalihi. Volunteers will spend time helping to provide the children and family in the community with information and resources on healthy living. Even if you are unable to volunteer your time, please consider donating NEW toiletry items, especially children's soaps, shampoos, toothbrushes, toothpastes etc. Other toiletries, such as toilet paper, hand soap and liquid laundry detergent, are also highly desired. Please drop off donations with the Impact Team volunteers serving at the Compassion Tables on Sunday mornings, March 11th, 18th, and 25th. If you are interested in serving that day or have further questions, please email Lauren at ateachershearthawaii@gmail.com.

#### SERVE AT LAUNDRY LOVE

Sign up to serve in 2018! Laundry Love is part of our outreach to the houseless in Waimanalo. Once a month we partner with a local laundromat in Waimanalo and pay for the laundry expenses of our houseless friends. If you would like to serve in this ministry, we'll be glad to have you! Sign up at fpcimpact.org.



A Teacher's Heart co-founder Lauren Stein and mom Jody

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#### THANK YOU FOR YOUR KOKUA Please turn

off pagers and cell phones during worship, and please refrain from bringing food and beverages inside the Sanctuary. Also, we love babies, but if yours is crying, comfort him/her in the infant room to the side of the Sanctuary.

#### **PARKING**

Let's help the elderly and those with difficulty walking by leaving parking spaces closest to the Sanctuary available for them.

#### FOR THE HEARING IMPAIRED

To help you listen to today's worship service better, borrow one of our assistive listening devices available at the sound booth in the Sanctuary.

### **DEPLOYED MILITARY PRAYER LIST**

Do you know people in the military who have been deployed? Write down their names on the Aloha Form along with their military branch, their location and their relation to you. We'd like to keep them in prayer on a regular basis. Call 532-1115. If any of these on our list has returned home, please notify us.

First Prez Members & Regular Attenders Nigel Gonzaga Ryan Stanchfield

Family & Friends 1st, 2nd, 3rd BN 3D Marines Air Force Reserves 48th APS

**Robert Andrews** 

Kevin Bullough Michael Cacciapuoti Toby Caldwell Rudy Cardona Carli Carnes Richard Chappell John Cruz Sam Davis A. Diamond

**Douglas Francis** 

Orlando Fraser

William Heron William Hollifeld Phil Hollstein Damon Hunt Andrew Hutchison Benjamin Ivansco S. Manglona William McGregor Daniel Murphy Lee Nakasone

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#### **HEALING SERVICE**

March 4, TODAY, 2 pm, Sanctuary

If you're wanting prayers for physical or emotional healing, come to today's Healing Service. Expect a time of quiet worship of our Lord, a message of hope, and an extended time of private prayer with compassionate prayer warriors. Come and bring a friend.

#### **ALPHA**

March 7-May 16, Wed, 6:30-8:30 pm, Hawaii Voice Lounge: 808 Sheridan St, HNL 96814

ALPHA is a series of interactive sessions that freely explore the basics of the Christian faith. No pressure, no stress, no judgment. It's a safe place to ask questions. Listen, learn, discuss, and discover. Register online at fpchawaii.org, or in the Fellowship Hall this morning.

#### MARRIAGE COURSE

This is a seven-week course that provides practical support in strengthening marriages, whether you're newly married or have been married for a while. The Marriage Course will help you and your spouse understand each other's needs,

communicate more effectively, and grow closer to each other. Register online for

the course at fpchawaii.org.

#### **BAPTISMS AT EASTER SERVICES**

March 31, Sat, 4 PM April 1, Sun, 7AM, 9AM, 11AM

Invite friends, family, neighbors, and co-workers to our worship services celebrating the risen Jesus on Easter weekend! There will be songs, music, and an inspiring message of hope from Pastor Dan Chun that will all point toward the love Jesus offers to all people. There will be baptisms for adults, youth, and children who want to be baptized for the first time, or who want to re-affirm their baptismal vows, during the services. Add the Easter services to your calendar, and start thinking of who you can invite to come with you.



**ENGAGE MORE WITH GOD through the** new (and free) First Prez app. See page 2 for details.

# WELCOME TO FPC

#### **WELCOME, VISITORS!**

Glad that you're worshiping the Lord with us today! Drop by the Hospitality table at the Sanctuary entrance and pick up your coupons for a free CD of one of our worship services (including today's) and a complimentary espresso drink. Redeem it at our HeBREWS Coffee Bar in the Fellowship Hall, where you'll also find various ministry tables. Thanks for visiting, and we hope you stick 6! Stick around for at least six Sundays to see if First Prez is the right fit for you.

#### **KO'OLAU KITCHEN**

Is located by the Fellowship Hall. It's a place for good food and an opportunity to get to know other people in the church.

Today's specials:

- Beef Stew
- Chicken Cacciatore
- Cheese Ravioli
- Ham and Swiss Cubana Sandwich
- Cream of Mushroom Soup

## FINANCIAL REPORT (AS OF 1/31/18)

Annual Budget: \$3,984,853
YTD Income: \$209,775
YTD Expenses: \$238,137
YTD Difference: (-)\$28,362

For your convenience, online donations can now be made at www.fpchawaii.org or the First Prez mobile app. Please indicate in your check or on your online donation if you're giving to the capital campaign fund.

#### LIFE TRAINING

Life Training classes are meant to deepen our relationship with the Lord.

#### 8:00 am

Fireproofing Your Life	(Makai 3)
Ruth	(Boardroom)
Just Show Up	(Makai 1 & 2)

#### 9:30 am

Young Adults Community (Makai 3)
Essential Skills for Small Group Facilitation
(Makai 1 & 2)

1<sup>st</sup> Thessalonians (Boardroom)

#### **GENERAL INFO**

#### **CHANCEL FLOWERS**

Today's flowers were arranged by the First Prez Floral Team and given by Lucille Wong and Family: "In loving memory of Danny Wong's 96<sup>th</sup> birthday and to the glory of God."

## **CELEBRATION OF LIFE FOR BEEBE FREITAS**

March 10, Sat, 10 am, Sanctuary

Everyone is welcome to the Celebration of Life Service for our dear and remarkable organist Beebe Freitas this Saturday, March 10th, at First Prez. If possible, please carpool with friends because we're expecting a full parking lot.



## **40-DAY FAST**Ongoing till March 31

The First Prez church ohana is on a 40-day fast, a period when we purposefully skip a meal, food item, beverage, or activity that, if we skip it, will remind us to pray, read the Bible, and be more aware of God's presence in our lives, preparing our hearts for the Easter season.

#### **DOWNLOAD THE NEW FIRST PREZ APP**

We have a new app that will help you engage more with the Lord and the life of the church. It's easy to download it onto your mobile device:

- Text FPCHI APP to 77977
- Follow the instructions, and voila! You'll have the new First Prez app on your phone.
- It shows up as a blue icon with a cross labeled "My Church."
- If you have the old First Prez app, please delete it.

#### **HIM CONFERENCE**

March 15-17, HI Convention Center

Hawaiian Islands Ministries (HIM) holds its annual Christian equipping conference in March. Tickets available at him2018.org.

#### **CARE MINISTRIES**

#### **CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP**

First Thursday of the month, 7 pm, FPC Boardroom

Encouragement for those involved in an aspect of caregiving. Email: gary@ thecaregiverfoundation.org

#### **DIVORCECARE**

Tues, 6:30 pm, 4th/5th gr room

DivorceCare is a weekly seminar/support group that will help you heal from the hurt caused by separation or divorce. Register by email: divorcecare@fpchawaii.org

#### **GRIEFSHARE**

Sun, 11 am, Glass Classroom

GriefShare is a support group for those grieving the loss of a loved one. Register by email: griefshare@fpchawaii.org

#### STEPHEN MINISTRY

Offers Christ-centered, one-on-one weekly care and support for regular attendees of First Prez who are hurting from a crisis or loss. For more info, email marianna@fpchawaii.org

#### **MINISTRIES**

#### **ALPHA**

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#### **CHANCEL CHOIR**

Rehearsals: Thurs, 7 pm, Music Room

If you're gifted in singing, come and serve the Lord on Sundays through our choir. Call Mary Hicks for more info at 271-1153.

#### **DANCE MINISTRY**

Tuesdays, 5:30 pm, Glass Classroom

If you want to be part of the dance ministry, contact Ann at alohaannwalk@gmail.com/808-383-8634.

#### **HANDBELL CHOIR**

Rehearsals: Sun, 11 am, Music Room

New bell ringers are welcome to our Handbell Choir, now under the direction of Becky Yoza. Just show up for rehearsals.

## MEN'S MINISTRY Samson Society (Men's Group)

Thursdays, 6 pm, 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> grade classroom One-hour weekly meetings for men meant to promote friendship, healing, and discipleship.

#### **MIGHTY MOMS**

Tues, 9:30 am, 4th & 5th grade room

Mighty Moms is a Bible study and fellowship group for moms with young kids. Free childcare. Contact alohamightymoms@gmail.com for info.

## PGA (PRESBYTERIAN GOLF ADVENTURES)

April 21, Sat, 7 AM tee time, Coral Creek Course

We meet monthly for a great time of golf and fellowship. It's a mission fundraiser too! Sign up with Warren Patrick: wpatrick55@gmail.com. The March 10th tournament at the Waikele Course has been cancelled.

#### **PRAYER MINISTRY**

If you need prayer, go to the front of the stage in the Sanctuary after worship services. If you'd rather submit a prayer request, please use the purple prayer form in the green Aloha folder in your row.

#### **RED CARPET MINISTRY**

Join us in creating a friendly and welcoming environment for everyone who come to our church. Be an usher, greeter, shuttle van driver, parking volunteer, or a barista. If you're naturally friendly, this will be a good fit! Contact Sherri Shephard: sherri@fpchawaii.org

#### ROOTED MARCH 7-MAY 16 Kick-off meeting: March 7, Wed, 6 pm, Sanctuary

Rooted is an 11-week small-group experience that connects people to God, His church, and their purpose. It is a simple, proven method that teaches people what it means to be a disciple of Jesus, built on faith's foundational elements such as worship, community, service, generosity, prayer and studying God's word. Rooted kicks off March 7, Wednesday, 6 pm at First Prez. Registration is now closed. The next ROOTED Course starts in May.

#### **SMALL GROUPS**

For information on Small Groups, visit the website at www.fpchawaii.org, or contact Jenny Sung at jenny@fpchawaiii.org

#### **WOMEN'S MINISTRY**

The mission of our Women's Ministry is to draw women of all ages to a closer relationship with Jesus through God's word, prayer, fellowship, and service.

#### YOUNG ADULTS

#### YOUNG ADULT COMMUNITY

Sundays, 9:30 am, Makai 3

If you're a young adult in your 20's or 30's, join us in exploring some of life's most important questions.

#### **SMALL GROUP (20'S)**

Thursdays, 6:30 pm in Royal Kunia (Waipahu)

Contact Lauren Stein for more info: proverbs312013@gmail.com.

#### SMALL GROUP (COLLEGE-AGED/20's) Mondays, 7 pm, 46-288 Auna St., Kaneohe

Contact Cindy and Kyon Yi for more info: theyiclan@gmail.com or 808-892-0701.

Recent high school graduates welcome!

#### SMALL GROUP (30'S) Mondays, 6:30 pm, Kaimuki

Contact Carolyn for more info: c\_ grossnickle@hotmail.com/808-375-2199

#### **FAMILIES**

## OH-ZONE (OHANA ZONE) First Sunday of the month, 10:30 am12:30 pm, Fellowship Hall

All families with young kids are invited to hang out and connect with other First Prez families at the OH-ZONE (the Ohana Zone). It's a kid-friendly environment with activities and extra space where your kids can be kids. FREE HOTDOGS and snacks!



# FAMILY FUSION March 2, Fri, 6-8:30 pm in the Children's Ministry Area

This is a time for First Prez families of all types and sizes to hang out, eat a potluck meal together, and have fun. No need to RSVP, just show up. Contact Jeremy for more info: jeremykblim@gmail.com. Family Fusion happens every first Friday night of the month, so plan on joining us.

#### YOUTH

Matt Yamamoto: matty@fpchawaii.org
Find out all upcoming events by visiting
our website: youthfpchawaii.org

#### **SUNDAY PROGRAM**

9:30 am, Youth Rooms

Middle School (6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup>) High School (9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>)

FRIDAY YOUTH GROUP 7-9:30 pm, Youth Room

#### **CHILDREN**

SUNDAY SCHOOL PROGRAM
Candi 440-6572 / candi@fpchawaii.org

#### NURSERY (3 MO-20 MO)

Our message to babies this month: "Jesus wants you to follow Him. You can follow Him and be His friend forever. I am so thankful for Jesus!"

#### **TODDLER AND PRESCHOOL**

The keiki will be "Gone Fishin" this month learning how to be fishers of men and hearing that they can follow Jesus! They will prepare to celebrate the biggest act of love ever known to man: Easter. We want them to be ready to say yes when they hear Jesus say, "Follow me."

#### ELEMENTARY (K-5<sup>TH</sup> GRADE)

This month the elementary keiki will hear about when Jesus died and then rose from the dead, paying the price for everything that was wrong and unfair in this world. Because of Jesus, we can have peace. We don't have to get even. Instead, we can reflect the character of Christ by caring for others and making peace.

