

EVENT calendar

SUNDAY, MARCH 17

8:00AM	Worship Service	Sanctuary
8:00AM	Ko'olau Kids Sunday School	Children's Ministry area
9:30AM	Worship Service	Sanctuary
9:30AM	Ko'olau Kids Sunday School	Children's Ministry area
9:30AM	Youth Program (Grades 6-12)	Youth Room
9:30AM	Young Adults Community	Makai 3
9:30AM	Just Show Up	Makai 1
9:30AM	Finding His Fierce Love	Boardroom
9:30AM	Discipleship Essentials (women)	Fireside
9:30AM	Parenting Teens course	Makai 2
11:00AM	GriefShare	Glass Classroom
11:00AM	The Way of the Alongsider	Makai 1
11:00AM	Handbell Choir Rehearsal	Music Room
11:11AM	Worship Service	Sanctuary
11:11AM	Ko'olau Kids Sunday School	Children's Ministry area
12:15PM	Young Adults Connection Lunch	Fellowship Hall

MONDAY, MARCH 18

6:30PM	Young Adults (30's) Small Group	Kaimuki
6:30PM	Young Adults (Women 22+)	Kaka'ako
7:00PM	Young Adults (20's) Small Group	Kaneohe

TUESDAY, MARCH 19

9:30AM	Mighty Moms	CM 4 th /5 th Classroom
5:30PM	Dance Ministry	Glass Ballroom Alcove
6:30PM	DivorceCare	CM 4 th /5 th Classroom

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20

THURSDAY, MARCH 21 (CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED FOR HIM 2019)

FRIDAY, MARCH 22 (CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED FOR HIM 2019)

9:00AM	Crafts	Glass Classroom
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SATURDAY, MARCH 23

IMPACT LOCAL & GLOBAL MISSIONS

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

MISSION TRIP TO TANZANIA, AFRICA

Dates: July 16-25 (in-country)

First Prez mission partner Advocates for Africa's Children (AFAC) invites you to join them on a mission trip to the coast of Tanzania this summer. The team will work with at-risk children at the new AFAC Christian school. Approx cost of trip: \$1500 per person, which covers ground transportation, lodging, and meals. Cost DOES NOT include airfare, passport fee, visa fee, and personal travel expenses. Contact Heidi Lum if interested: (808) 391-9777 or heidi.lum@afachildren.org

SERVE AT LAUNDRY LOVE

Last Sat of the month, 12-5 pm, Waimanalo
Laundry Love is a monthly DIY outreach where we provide free laundry service to the houseless. Several volunteer positions are open. Whether it's loading quarters into washers, letting our Laundry Love friends know their dryer is done, helping to serve food, or giving a listening ear and an encouraging word, we would be glad to have you. Sign up at: <https://www.fpcimpact.org/laundry-love>.

BLESSING OF "REVIVE AND REFRESH"

March 31, Sun, 10:45 AM, FPC porte cochere (driveway outside of Main Lobby)

REVIVE AND REFRESH is a mobile hygiene center that provides a safe and comfortable hot shower and bathroom facility for the houseless in our community. This ministry, led by Danica and Craig Shoji and sponsored by First Prez, is already having a positive impact on the most vulnerable on our island. The shower trailer will be available to tour from 9 am-1 pm on March 31 at the circular driveway (porte cochere) outside the Main Lobby. Join us also for a prayer of blessing for the shower trailer and the ministry itself at 10:45 AM.

MEDIA RELEASE: Your image and voice may be used either for television, radio or on audio/visual products. Your presence constitutes your release of all rights.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR KOKUA Please turn off 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	Robert Andrews	Douglas Francis	Matthew McCarty	Paul Wiley
	Kevin Bullough	Orlando Fraser	William McGregor	Lenny Williams
	Jason Ellis	Michael Cacciapuoti	William Heron	Aaron Yoshimura
	Colton Goudy	Toby Caldwell	William Hollifield	John Zimmer
Family & Friends	Rudy Cardona	Phil Hollstein	Daniel Murphy	
1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd BN 3D Marines	Carli Carnes	Damon Hunt	Lee Nakasone	
Air Force Reserves	Richard Chappell	Andrew Hutchison	Rob Pederson	
48 th APS	John Cruz	Benjamin Ivansco	Charles Shelton	
	Sam Davis	Kainoa Luning	J. Tang	
	A. Diamond	S. Manglona	Natasia Upadahaya	
			Randy Villaver	



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NEWS weekly

FPC NEWS FOR MARCH 17-23, 2019

MARCH 24

TWO SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICES ONLY
8 AM and 10:30 AM

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8 am and 10:30 am only

Only two worship services next Sunday. Guest preacher: Mike Pilavachi. Guest worship leader: Tom Smith. Prayer for healing and encouragement will be held at the end of the service. Please invite others to come. See revised shuttle schedule on page 2.

TODAY IS COMPASSION SUNDAY

Today, March 17th, is Compassion Sunday at First Prez! It's an annual observance when we encourage the congregation to consider sponsoring a child in need in another part of the world through the Christian nonprofit Compassion International. For just \$38 a month, you will be able to provide for life-changing opportunities for a child, like nourishing food, medical care, a mentoring and safe environment through a local church, and opportunities to hear the Gospel. Check out the info packets on the Sanctuary lanai after the worship service, and prayerfully consider sponsoring a child.

ALPHA

April 24-July 10, Wed, 6:30-8:45 pm, First Prez

Registration now open

The Alpha Course is a series of sessions exploring the Christian faith, where we feature a video teaching or a talk every week that looks at a different question about faith, followed by discussions in small groups. There's no obligation to say anything, and there's nothing you can't say. It's a safe place to ask questions and share your thoughts in a safe and non-judgmental setting. Register on Sunday mornings in the fellowship hall, or online at fpchawaii.org. Questions? Email jenny@fpchawaii.org

CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED

March 21-22, Thursday & Friday

The First Prez church office will be closed on March 21 and 22 as the church staff will be attending the HIM 2019 Conference at the Hawaii Convention Center. The office reopens on March 24, Sunday, at 7:30 AM.

40-DAY FAST

ongoing till April 20.
Details inside.

TODAY'S MESSAGE

"Falling Into Freedom"
Mark 14:66-72 | Pastor Tim Shaw

WELCOME TO FPC

WELCOME, VISITORS!

Glad that you're worshipping 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. Visit our ministry table in the Fellowship Hall. 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:

- Fresh Catch "Local Style"
- Buttermilk Fried Chicken
- Corned Beef and Cabbage
- Grilled Portobella Mushroom Sandwich

FINANCIAL REPORT (AS OF 02/28/19)

Annual Budget:	\$ 4,917,655
YTD Income:	\$ 455,656
YTD Expenses:	\$ 583,307
YTD Difference:	(-) \$ 127,651

Giving to support God's work is part of worship. You can give through the WEBSITE: fpchawaii.org; TEXT-TO-GIVE: text FPCHI to 77977; or through the church app: text FPCHI APP to 77977 to download the app. God bless you for your generosity!

BAPTISMS AT EASTER SERVICES

April 20, Sat, 4 PM

April 21, Sun, 7 AM, 9 AM, 11 AM

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

LIFE TRAINING

Walk-ins welcome.

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

9:30 AM CLASSES

Just Show Up	Makai 1
Young Adults	Makai 3
Finding His Fierce Love	Boardroom
Discipleship Essentials (women)	Fireside
Parenting Teens course	Makai 2

11 AM CLASSES

The Way of the Alongsider	Makai 1
GriefShare	Glass Classroom

GENERAL INFO

CHANCEL FLOWERS

Today's flowers were arranged by the First Prez Floral Team and given by Soon Jeong Kim: "In memory of a dear friend."



NEW: DISCIPLESHIP VIDEO SERIES

for personal study or group study

We have a new series of teaching videos featuring Pastor Steve Peich to deepen your understanding of discipleship and equip you with some practical ways on how to live as a follower of Jesus. Go to the First Prez website (fpchawaii.org) or to RightNow Media (righnowmedia.org) to watch the free videos and to access the study questions.

CARE MINISTRIES

CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP

Third Tuesdays, 7 pm, Boardroom

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

DIVORCECARE

Tuesdays, 6:30 pm, 4th/5th grade classroom

DivorceCare is a weekly seminar/support group that aims to help people heal from the hurt caused by divorce or separation. To register, email to divorcecure@fpchawaii.org

GRIEFSHARE

Sundays, 11 am, Glass Classroom

GriefShare is a 13-week support group aimed at helping those who have lost loved ones cope with the challenges of grief. To sign up for GriefShare, send an email to 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. Marianna@fpchawaii.org for details.

MINISTRIES

CHANCEL CHOIR

No Choir on March 31

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

Join us for fellowship and ringing! No music experience necessary. We plan to play for the worship services a few times a year. Becky Yoza: bellgoddess@yahoo.com or (303) 725-4334.

MEN'S MINISTRY

"Band of Brothers" Men's Group

No meeting on March 21 due to HIM Conf

Thursdays 6 pm, 4th & 5th grade classroom

One-hour weekly meetings for men to promote friendship, healing, and discipleship. Email steve@fpchawaii.org for more info.

P.G.A. GOLF MINISTRY

April 6, Sat, 7 am, Coral Creek

Our next outing will be at Coral Creek Golf Course. Email wpatrick55@gmail.com to sign up. This ministry helps benefit FPC missions.

MIGHTY MOMS

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

Mighty Moms is a Bible study and fellowship group for moms with young kids. We're learning the inductive method using the book Teach Me Your Ways by Kay Arthur, to help you improve your personal Bible study. Free childcare. Contact alohamightymoms@fpchawaii.org for more information.

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. Contact: sherri@fpchawaii.org.

RED CARPET MINISTRY

Join us in creating a friendly and welcoming environment for everyone who comes to our church. Be an usher, greeter, shuttle van driver, parking volunteer, or a barista. Contact Sherri Shephard: sherri@fpchawaii.org

SMALL GROUPS

For information on Small Groups, visit the website at www.fpchawaii.org, or contact Pastor Tim Shaw at tim@fpchawaii.org

WOMEN'S CONNECTION

Every 2nd & 4th Sundays, 9:30-11:15 am, Fellowship Hall

If you're looking for opportunities for fellowship, refreshment, and prayer with other women at First Prez, join us at Women's Connection. Stop by our corner in the Fellowship Hall, near HeBREWS Coffee Bar. Women of all ages welcome. Email steve@fpchawaii.org for more info.

VINTAGE a ministry for senior adults

Every 2nd Sunday, 11 am, Mauka Room

A discussion time for our senior adults to share their thoughts about the Sunday's message. Sermon discussion questions provided. No need to register. Email marianna@fpchawaii.org for more info.

YOUNG ADULTS

If you're a young adult, join us in one of these gatherings. Email jeff@fpchawaii.org for more info.

SUNDAYS

- 9:15 am Meet-up, First Prez HeBREWS Coffee Bar
- 9:30 am Small Group (Makai Room 3)
- 11:11 am Attend worship service; sit mauka side of Sanctuary
- 12:30 PM Connection Lunch right outside Ko'olau Kitchen

MONDAYS

- 6:30 PM Small group (30's), Kaimuki
- 6:30 PM Women's small group (22 and up), Kaka'ako
- 7 PM College-aged small group (18-22 yrs old), Kaneohe

THURSDAYS

6:30 PM Small group, Kaimuki

"COMEDY OF LOVE" MARRIAGE CONFERENCE

May 16, Thurs, 6-9 pm, and May 17, Fri, 8:30 am-12:30 pm, First Prez

First Prez is hosting a Christian marriage conference in partnership with the 3rd Battalion of the 3rd Marines at Kaneohe Bay. "Comedy of Love" is a comedic learning experience where couples will laugh and be entertained while discovering the keys to a successful relationship. And this one in particular is for the Marines and their significant others. First Prez needs lots of help in welcoming our military couples. Please help! Sign up online at fpchawaii.org. Email Jeff: jeff@fpchawaii.org

FAMILIES

For more info about our Ohana Ministry, email karen@fpchawaii.org

PARENTING TEENS COURSE

Sun, 9:30-11 am, Makai 2

(except on first Sun of the month)

For every type of parenting situation. Based on Christian principles but designed for everyone. Facilitators: Sam and Karen Lee. No registration required.

YOUTH

Find out all upcoming events by visiting our website (youthfpchawaii.org) or Instagram: @youthfpchawaii

SUNDAY PROGRAM (6th-12th grades)

9:30 am, Youth Rooms

FRIDAY YOUTH GROUP (6th-12th grades)

7-9:30 pm, Youth Rooms

CHILDREN

SUNDAY SCHOOL PROGRAM

Candi 440-6572 / candi@fpchawaii.org

NURSERY (3 MO-20 MO)

Our message to babies this month: "You are wonderfully made by God. He made your eyes, your nose, your feet, and your hands. You are wonderful!"

TODDLER AND PRESCHOOL

Keiki will learn that they are wonderfully made by God, in His image. God made our bodies and that makes us all so valuable.

ELEMENTARY (K-5TH GRADE)

God is one of a kind. He has no beginning and no end. Everything He has created is unique, including people. Every person is an original reflection of God in how they love, care for others, imagine, create, and solve problems. Jesus lived this out in the way He loved people, and helped them feel like they had value no matter who they were or what they had done. We can love and help people this way too.



KO'OLAU SUMMER JAM 2019 "ROAR"

June 10-15 Mon-Fri, First Prez

Ko'olau Summer JAM is 5 mornings of fun and adventure for kids entering 1st to 6th grades. This year's theme is "ROAR," where kids will explore God's goodness and celebrate a ferocious faith that powers them through this wild life. Registration will start soon! In the meantime, join our decorations team who will paint, cut, glue, and set up. Email Candi, if you're interested: candi@fpchawaii.org