

**Why Did Jesus Die?** • Jn 3:16, Col 1:19-20, 1 Pet 2:24

Pastor Jonathan Steeper

**1. God Loves Us**

*"For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life." - Jn 3:16*

In the midst of our sin

He rescues us from judgement and hell

He gives us eternal life

**2. To Bring Peace Through His Blood**

*"For God was pleased to have all his fullness dwell in him, and through him to reconcile to himself all things, whether things on earth or things in heaven, by making peace through his blood, shed on the cross." - Col 1:19-20*

Forgave all our sins

Cancelled the record of debt

Disarmed the powers of evil

**3. So That We Might Live Righteously**

*"He himself bore our sins" in his body on the cross, so that we might die to sins and live for righteousness; "by his wounds you have been healed."*  
~ 1 Peter 2:24

To have daily victory over the power of sin

To live the right way in freedom

To bring healing to our wounds

Save the date!

October 8 – October 31, 2017

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- Oct 1**      **Communion Sunday Today** - 1st Sundays  
S.P.A.M. Collection of non-perishable foods -Welcome Ctr.
- Oct 10**    **R.O.M.E.O. Men's Lunch Fellowship (next week)**  
11:30am in the Welcome Center every 2nd Tuesday
- Oct 14**    **Saturday Work Morning** 8:30-11:30am Meet by the Gym
- Oct 21**    **Women's Retreat "Forgiveness" - SATURDAY** 8:30am-3pm  
Includes Continental Breakfast & Lunch \$15
- Oct 30**    **24 Hour Prayer on the 30th** 6am to 6am the next day  
Join our church's **24 Hours of Prayer on the 30th** through 2017.  
**Oct 30-Mon, Nov 30-Thurs, Dec 30-Sat in the Chapel**  
Sign up for an hour of prayer online via our website under the tab  
Calendar ->Upcoming Events at kalihionion.org & fill every spot!
- Oct 31**    **HARVEST CELEBRATION 5 - 8:00 PM**  
Be a part of the fantastic outreach to share treats, games,  
dinner, crafts and the love of God with our community.

Happening Weekly

- PRAYER:** Mondays-7pm, Saturday-6am in the Chapel,  
Sundays-5:30am in the Sanctuary & 6am in Prayer Room
- DANCE:** Hula - Mondays, 6pm; Keiki Hula - Tuesdays, 5pm
- FITNESS:** Men's Weightlifting - M,W,F, 4:30pm in the Weightroom  
Wahine Fitness - Tuesdays, 6pm in the Gym  
Ohana VOLLEYBALL - Wednesdays, 6:30pm-Gym w/shoes
- WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP:** Wednesdays, 9am in the Welcome Center
- JOY FELLOWSHIP FOR SENIORS:** Thursdays, 9am in the Welcome Center
- MANNA MINISTRY & FOOD BAG BLESSING:** Thursdays, 10am, Sanctuary
- SATURDAY MEN'S BIBLE STUDY:** 8- 9am in the Welcome Center



KALIHI UNION CHURCH

loving God, loving people

OCTOBER 1, 2017



Is there more to life than this

Alpha

TODAY'S MESSAGE

*"Why Did Jesus Die?"*

*John 3:16, Colossians 1:19-20, 1 Peter 2:24*

**Pastor Jonathan Steeper**

*Kalihi Union Church is a multicultural community, celebrating our diversity as an expression of the good news of Jesus Christ.*

## Aloha & Welcome

Welcome to Kalihi Union Church! Glad you could join us as we worship our almighty Savior, Jesus Christ.

## Worship

Ps. 46:7 says, "The Lord Almighty is with us; the God of Jacob is our fortress."

## Hear the Word of God

"By His wounds, we are healed."

Today's Scripture Reading: **Isaiah 53:1-6**

## Giving to God and Each Other

**Tithes and Offerings:** Lord, we give you the first and the very best of what you have given to us. Thank you for blessing us!

**Friendship Bridge:** Please pass the clipboard along your row and get to know the people sitting near you. We welcome visitors to leave some contact information as we'd love to get to know you and for you to get to know us.

### 10:45 AM Service ONLY

Children, ages 3 1/2 years through grade 5 are invited to "Kids Under Christ" after the Children's Moment. Pray for them as they go out.

## Celebrating the Lord Jesus at His Table

For those who are followers of Jesus Christ, we invite you to partake in the elements of Communion. If anyone would like prayer, anointing for healing, or a blessing, pastors will be available to pray with you near the front sides of the sanctuary.

## Special Thanks

Scripture Reading - Jean & Lillian Miyazawa

Family Prayer - Dennis Kawamura, Rod Urbano

## Altar Flowers

Thank you to Serene Chew for blessing us with today's beautiful flower arrangement in loving memory of her mom, Lily Chew.

## Today's Worship & Ministry

Communion in all Services Today

7:15 am Early Morning Worship

9:00 am Sunday School for all ages

Japanese Worship Service, Chapel

10:45 am Family Worship Service

Kids Under Christ (ages 3 1/2 through grade 5)

**LUNCH in the GYM TODAY** @ 12:15pm after the 10:45 AM service

On the menu today: **Miso Chicken by Craig Terada**

Clean up today: **Barbara Ching's Class** Next week: *Pastor Jon's Class*

## Sunday School Classes at 9:00 am

- **Preschool**, Ages 3-4, Room B3
- **Grades K-2**, Rooms B1-B2
- **Grades 3-6**, A Building downstairs
- **Grades 7-12**, A Building upstairs

## "HOW TO FIND GOD, PART 2" ADULT CLASSES

List of teachers & locations:

- Barbara Ching, Library
- Pastor Jonathan Steeper & Marilyn Okumura, Gym
- Mike Dredla, B4-5
- Frances Fukumitsu & Alan Nakamura, Welcome Center #2
- Jerry Chang, Neilson Chun & Geoffrey Lau, B6
- Steve Kawamura, Duane Chang & Greg Young (**Men**), Gym 1
- Robin Makapagal & Sara Tompkison (**Senior Women**), Prayer Room

## Nursery Care during the Family Worship Service

- From 6 weeks - 2 yrs, Nursery \*Drop off from 10:30am.

## Ho'olohe Pono Update

We encourage you to read the letter that was mailed out and made available Sundays on the lanai, which lays out the exciting new building developments planned for our campus. We ask that you submit any questions, comments or input in writing by Tuesday, Oct. 10 to the church office or Charlotte Kawazoe at [ctkawazoe@gmail.com](mailto:ctkawazoe@gmail.com). Thank you for taking time to do this.

## What's Happening

### STILL TIME to JOIN ALPHA!

It's dinner, fun, a video, & it's a discussion with no pressure. Perfect casual place to meet Jesus! Check out the listing on the church lanai.

### BE PART OF HARVEST CELEBRATION Oct 31 Tues

Sign up on the lanai to help with this fantastic outreach to bring the love of Jesus to our community.

Help with crafts, food, games, greeting, setup or cleanup, & donations of treats and prizes!

**Thanks to your generosity** and the hard work of Joy Fellowship & Sandy Oshiro's Crafters 4 Christ, we sent **over 500** cards to share CHRISTmas in South East Asia. (They hoped for 260!)

## Community Life

### Happy Birthday Blessings to you!

**October 1** - Ann Horiuchi, George Kuroda, Rudy Pacarro  
**2** - Scot Sterenberg **3** - Pat Soong, Eric Yuasa **5** - John Makilan  
**6** - Sepe Ochoa, Hugh Yamashiro, Eric Yoneda **7** - Lisa-Ann Ching

### Happy Anniversary to you!

**October 1** - Franklin & Robin Yogi, **4** - Nancy & Yoshio Nakamura  
**6** - Jonathan & Jamie Turney

## Prayer

### Japanese Fellowship Pastor Search

Please pray for the Japanese Fellowship as they continue to search for a new Pastor to shepherd their congregation in 2018. The members on the search committee are as follows: Willy Ginoza (Elder), Pastor Jonathan Steeper, Dennis Santo (Elder), Pastor Yoshi, Yokichi Suzuki, Toshiko Tamura, Mayumi Trimble, Kaoru Ekimoto, Kuniko Kino, and Keiko Fukuda.

### "Forgiveness" a Saturday WOMEN'S RETREAT Oct 21 8:30am - 3pm

**Just 2 weeks more to sign up on the Lanai.** Forgiving is hard! Join your sisters and hear Gloria Chapman (whose husband murdered John Lennon) and Mel & Gene Yukumoto. \$15 includes lunch & breakfast.

## OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE:

**KITCHEN HELP, PLEASE... 7:30-9 am**  
Your help is really needed at this time in the gym kitchen on Sundays Please contact Dottie Chong to lend a hand.

**DECORATIONS TEAM...** Calling all crafters to Tuesdays from 9-2:30pm in Gym-4. Help transform our campus for Christmas! Contact: Chicky Yuen