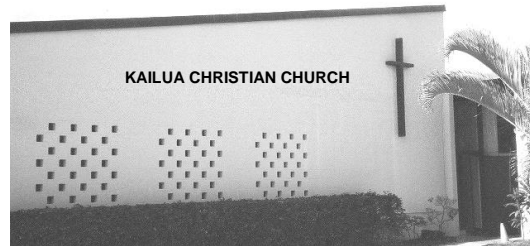


Waves of Faith

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“Do not be afraid; for see—I am bringing you good news of great joy for all the people...”

(Luke 2: 10)

I never learned her name, or the name of her daughter. Our encounter took place at the Dallas/Fort Worth Airport. It was 5:00 am so the immense airport was relatively empty. I was facing a long, four-hour layover before my connecting flight to Detroit, Michigan for a UCC Evangelism Conference, wondering why the travel agent had given me such an early flight out of Honolulu.

Far from my connecting gate, I chose a particularly empty place to sit down and eat. I was soon approached by an Asian woman who was sitting a few rows away. Her daughter remained seated.

Soon we were communicating, but without spoken words. Yikes! What was happening? I was half asleep and here was a woman and daughter without the ability to speak any English asking me for help! Sensing that somehow, somewhere God was in this encounter, I struggled to understand. Showing me her boarding pass, all she wanted to know was if she was in the right place for her next flight. Although no one else was around, she was indeed where she needed to be, and I indicated that by pointing to the gate number on her pass and then the gate number on the wall. She seemed satisfied, but her daughter was very agitated. She, the daughter, not only couldn't speak English, but it was obvious that she had a speech impediment as

she made noises to her mother and gestured with great agitation. My head swimming, I returned to my seat and finished the remaining bagel sandwich and coffee.

I then noticed that there was a message occasionally flashing on the wall near the woman's gate. I stood up, walked over and read that the flight had been relocated to another gate! I then did my best to explain this to the mother, who was hesitant to accept my correction, trusting in the numbers on her boarding pass. The daughter clearly agreed with me, however, and the two joined me in walking to the new gate. Once there an employee confirmed that they were in the right place.

Before leaving them, the mother motioned that she wanted something to drink and I accompanied her to a vending machine, helping her to buy a bottle of water. I motioned goodbye and left her, boarding the tram that took me to the opposite side of the airport where my connecting flight would be.

As I rode the tram I couldn't stop thinking of the two: Who were they and where were they going? They seemed so vulnerable. The mother had spoken only one English word to me and that was “Vietnam” as she pointed to herself. I had pointed to myself and said, “Hawaii”, but she didn't understand. I refrained from doing an impromptu hula dance. I became filled with a silly but burning need to go back and properly say goodbye, so I stayed on the tram until it came full circle to the place where I had boarded fifteen minutes earlier.

A few more people at the gate now, I walked up to the women and motioned that my plane was taking off. I said goodbye, waved, and smiled. The large, bright smile on the daughter's face as I walked away remains with me still, and I realize that is what I had returned for.

In that encounter I don't know if the women needed me or if I needed them, or both, but I thank God for such a simple and meaningful exchange, a connecting of very different human spirits with extremely different life experiences. Heading to my conference I wondered: Even without speaking the name of Jesus, was this an experience of evangelism? Did I evangelize or "good news" them, or did they evangelize or "good news" me, intentionally or unintentionally with the living presence of a vulnerable Christ that early morning? Surely God was there as a rather mundane exchange became something holy, something sacred to me.

Soon we will celebrate the coming of God into the world in the infant child of Jesus. Will we notice? Will we care? Will his coming catch us unexpected and by surprise? Will we respond positively? Will we be changed, transformed by the simple yet profound encounter at the manger in a way that reshapes and refocuses our day by day lives? God is coming, always coming to "good news" the world, to "good news" all of us. Praise be to God whose love and grace are truly boundless!

Join us for our annual Christmas Program/Drama during worship on Sunday, December 18 at 10:00 am, Christmas Eve Candlelight Worship on Saturday, December 24 at 7:00 pm, and then again for a special worship on Christmas Day, Sunday, December 25 at the usual 10:00 am hour.

May God always find us in unexpected places and at unexpected times! Merry Christmas!

—Pastor Tim †



NOTES FROM THE MODERATOR

Tonight I am watching the special on Gabrielle Giffords, the Arizona Congresswoman who along with others was senselessly shot. At the opening of the program her husband, Astronaut Mark Kelly spoke of his focus on her healing, wanting her to speak and to smile. He said, "Hope is a form of love;" and it was with hope and love that healing and restoration has come.

I think we have been given a similar gift of HOPE in the form of LOVE with the birth of Jesus Christ. Contemplate the entire message of Jesus' life – that of love – God's love for us in the ultimate sacrifice of giving up one's son for the good of the human race. How can knowing of God's unconditional love for us not provide us with HOPE? How closely these words relate to one another and how often we find the concepts of HOPE and LOVE providing us with the strength to move forward in the many challenges of life, bringing us healing and restoration.

At this Christmas season, I look to the miracle of Jesus' birth, the miracles we so often experience in our day to day lives and I feeling overwhelming gratitude for God's presence in my life. I know that "Hope is a form of love" so graciously shared with us by a loving God. I wish you HOPE and LOVE at this Christmas season!

—Joan Sakaba, Moderator †

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Merry Christmas from all of us!

FROM YOUR DEACONS



The Year 2011 seems to have whizzed by! Is it just me or do you feel the same way? We have so much going on at KCC and your Deacons have been busy learning their responsibilities and fulfilling their duties.

We still need to have a telephone or e-mail "tree" in every Undershepherd Group so prayer requests and other information can be easily relayed. The Sunday Fellowship Suppers in March were a great beginning to meet members of our Undershepherd groups but our hope was that each group would meet several times a year for fellowship, study or service. We hope to organize our groups better next year. Thank you for your patience and understanding!

The following DEACONS MINISTRIES need your help:: VISITATION, by phone or in person; PRAYING for specific needs; TELEPHONE TREE caller; MEAL CALENDAR provider; PRAYER with a partner; HOST/FACILITATE Under shepherd gathering; CHILDCARE provider in emergencies; TRANSPORTATION provider in emergencies; OUTREACH to needy; COMMUNION preparation. Call me if you want to sign up or if you have questions.

Have you been blessed in some way by the Deacons Ministry? Now is your chance to be a blessing to someone else. Definition of deacon is servant-helper-assistant. Be a servant in Jesus name. Join the Board of Deacons in 2012

With a hopeful heart,
—Myrtle Terada, Deacon †



RIVER OF LIFE OUTREACH

Thursday, Dec. 1, 2011

Keep us in prayer as we serve a meal and a message for our friends in downtown, Honolulu. May God use us in mighty ways to bless those whom he loves. Mahalo!



**PLEASE KEEP
IN YOUR PRAYERS**

~ Sincere Condolences to Stella Wakamatsu and family on the loss of her husband, Tadashi (Aku) Wakamatsu who passed away on Nov. 15 at Castle Memorial Hospital. Please join the family for a celebration of his life at Hawaiian Memorial Park in Kaneohe on Thursday, Dec. 1 at 9:30 a.m. visitation and 10:30 a.m. for service.

~ Please keep Marlene Lee and her children in your prayers as she tries to reunite her family.

~ Please keep in your prayers: Richard Esaki, Rev. Diane Weible, Rev. Larry Zdvoracek, Terry Arakaki, Richelle Nemoto, Sharon Nishihira, Myrtle Hine, Carmen Scott and her mom.

~ Please keep our long time friends, Randy and Gay Hongo in your prayers as Randy undergoes treatment for cancer.



JOYFUL ANNOUNCEMENT

Melvin and June Tom would like to announce the marriage of their son, Brenton to Ortencia Morales on Nov. 19. The ceremony took place at Waialae Beach Park with Pastor Tim officiating. The couple will make their home in New York City, where Ortencia has started work as the Assistant Financial Manager for the Four Seasons Manhattan. Brenton and Ortencia met in Lanai City where they both worked for the Four Seasons hotels there. We wish the couple God's blessings for a happy future together.



CHRISTMAS
Joy It was wonderful to have Ray, Judy, Amanda and Abigail Uehara share their work with Wycliffe Bible Translators. Please keep them in your prayers.



Merry Christmas



A SHORT NOTE FROM THE MUSIC GUY!

As we move into the Christmas holidays, there is always a feeling of excitement and anticipation

of the wonders of the season. It brings back great memories that can only be recalled through our eyes as a child. Some of us lose that child like anticipation while others seem to never lose it. In other words, some never grow up! I'd like to think I'm in that category. (Christy will verify that!) Anyway...I have found that music is one of those wonderful gifts from God that tend to keep us young at heart. Good old Christmas carols and hymns have a magical way of taking us back to moments in our lives that are filled with the sights, sounds and smells that warm our hearts and create smiles that are as electrifying as the brightest lights on our family tree. I hope and pray that this year's Christmas program will let you drift back to your fondest memories of Christmas and fill you with the warmth of Jesus Christ who made this all possible. And may those memories stay with you throughout the year, keeping the smile upon your face and the warmth within your heart. Merry Christmas to you all!

Choir Practices will be held on Wed. Dec. 7, Sun., Dec. 11, and Wed. Dec. 14 at 6:30 p.m. Please be at 9 a.m. dress rehearsal on Sat. Dec. 17 and at 8 a.m. on Sunday, Dec. 18 for our 2011 Christmas Program. Mahalo!

CHRISTMAS EVE AND CHRISTMAS DAY WORSHIP

Be sure and join us for our annual Christmas Eve Candlelight Worship service on Saturday, December 24 beginning at 7:00 pm. Christmas carols will be interspersed with scripture readings as we experience the wonder and warmth of the birth of our savior. The next morning, Christmas Day falls on a Sunday this year and we will meet again for worship at our regularly scheduled hour of 10:00 am. However, this December 25 worship will be different than usual,

filled with songs as several people share special Christmas memories throughout the service in lieu of a single sermon. In this way we hope to experience the wonder and joy of Jesus' birth together.



Christmas Open House

The ohana of Kailua Christian Church is invited to attend a Christmas Open House at Pastors Diane and Tim's home on Sunday, Dec. 11 from 2-4 pm. (45-119 Namoku St. Kaneohe). This will be a fun and relaxed time of fellowship which we hope all of you can be a part of. Of course there will be snacks and perhaps we will sing a Christmas song or two (or three) together.



CHRISTMAS LUNCHEON
Thursday, Dec. 15

You are invited to attend this annual luncheon from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Mid Pacific Country Club. To make your reservation, please see Dot Suzuki by Dec. 4.



2012 Church Directory welcomes your updates. Please inform the office of any changes that you may have. Special Note: If you would like to include your cell and/or e-mail address in the new directory, please direct that information to the office at your earliest convenience. Mahalo!





**KCC YOUTH
EVENTS**

- ▶ Sunday, Dec. 11, Youth sort recycles behind kitchen and Youth Meeting until 12 Noon. We will be preparing a Christmas surprise for our congregation.
- ▶ Sunday, Dec. 18, Youth will sell KCC T-shirts until 12 Noon.
- ▶ Tuesday, Dec. 20, Youth Christmas Party. Bring your Secret Friend Gift (\$10). We will meet at 3:30 p.m. at KCC to ride in van to the Nakamatsu's home. We will go Christmas caroling to neighbors then return for some fun games and our first course to begin our Progressive Dinner! Next, we will go to the Hagmann's home for more food and fun. We will return to KCC at 8:30 p.m.

Youth Buzz

The month of November was a time of harvest . . . We thank God for His steadfast provision of blessings to our KCC Ohana. In response to God's goodness to each of us, our congregation generously gave school supplies, clothing, shoes, toothbrushes and small toys to Samaritan's Purse – Operation Christmas Child. On Saturday, Nov. 5, nine youth filled 40 shoeboxes at the Hagmann's home from 4:00-6:30 p.m. Our Youth Group would like to sincerely thank Aunty Molly for spearheading this special mission and for the pizza dinner and desserts! We had a total of 46 shoeboxes plus \$322 in cash donations collected to cover \$7 per shoebox for shipping costs.

Many thanks to the youth who helped portray the seriousness and purpose of Mission 1 through their skits displaying Hunger, Poverty, Discrimination & Oppression. The results of our KCC participation in the national UCC Mission 1 campaign were: Neighbors In Need Offering collected \$672 as of Nov. 13th; and 415 Canned Food collected from our generous KCC congregation.

Many thanks to Kammy for delivering the canned foods to the St. Anthony's Food Bank.

Saturday, Nov. 19 was our annual fundraiser from Matson called, Ka Ipu 'Aina. We had 11 youth and 6 adults come to beautify Sherwoods Beach. We express our warmest Mahalo and Appreciation to Uncle Bryan for this awesome opportunity. Thank-you to Pastor Tim, Nathan Nemoto, Barney and Diane Pilla for coming to chaperone and help with cleaning Sherwoods Beach.

Nine youth and 2 adults went to Glow-in-the-dark mini putt after Hanging of the Greens on Sunday, November 20. Thank-you Uncle Curtis for driving our van!

On Sunday, Dec. 18, the youth will be selling a new KCC t-shirt. An estimated number of sizes were purchased and will be on sale for \$10 each on a first come first served basis. If we run out of your size, we will special order more in batches of a dozen! Proceeds will help fund the supplies needed to make new picnic tables and benches for our KCC visitors and members to enjoy for many years to come.

May we all know how greatly blessed and loved we are as children of the King!

In Christ's Love and Service,

--Lia Lau, Youth Servant ✝

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**NA ANELA SUPPORT GROUP**

Na Anela would like to thank Mr. Harry Arakaki, Biologist and President of Organa Agriculture Hawaii, Inc. who shared some interesting information that help in better choices for our health.



**KCC PLAYGROU**



The past month in November the Play Group kids learned about The Good Samaritan. They heard the story through our Play Group puppet, Mr. Turtle and from different story books. They also made Good

(Bronwyn Whisenant) Samaritan First Aid kits of their own.

Being a Good Samaritan means to be a good neighbor and help in any way they can. The kids made their own Good Neighbor Goodie bags and were told to give them away to a neighbor or someone who has been nice and helped them. Each bag had Country Bears Good Neighbor Cake, the recipe and a tea bag.

The story was very cute that went along with it. It taught the kids that they can help in different ways besides someone always being hurt.

When I think about this Bible story and what it means to love your neighbor I can't help but be thankful for the opportunity to minister to these families and how much I love being around all those kids and their great families. I'm looking forward to the month of December and all the fun that goes into hearing about the Birth of Jesus our Lord and Savior.

**Country Bear's Good Neighbor Cake**

- 4 c. Apples, peeled and thinly sliced
- 1/2 c. Sugar
- 1 tsp. Cinnamon
- 1/2 c. chopped Walnuts
- 1 c. Flour
- 3/4 c. Sugar
- 3/4 tsp. Baking powder
- 1/4 tsp. Salt
- 1 Egg, well beaten
- 3 tsp. Water
- 1/3 c. Evaporated Milk
- 1/2 c. Melted Butter, cooled

Preheat oven to 325°. Place apples in a 9"round, well buttered baking dish. Sprinkle 1/2 cup sugar and cinnamon over the apples. Next sprinkle the walnuts over the apples. In a mixing bowl sift together the flour, 3/4 cup sugar, baking powder and salt. Set aside. In another bow, combine the egg, water, evaporated milk, and melted butter. Add the egg mixture all at once to the flour mixture. Mix until smooth. Poor the batter over the apples. Bake for about 1 hour (or until golden). Enjoy Country Bear's Good Neighbor Cake with a friend!

--April Jessee, Play Group Leader †

**Happy Birthday!**

- Kathy Uyechi-Gomes
- Eddi Ferodowill
- Lani Bartholomew
- Myra Yamada
- Royce Kojiro
- Jean Miyagi
- Myrtle Terada
- Shawn Eberlein
- Paul Grable
- Brandon Gerber
- Norman Noguchi
- Molly Hagmann
- Sandra Siu
- Grant Jessee
- Jackie Ostiles
- Jennifer Yoshimura



- Pat Oyama
- Lauren Shiroma
- Kiyooko Sproat
- Alaka`i Todd

**Happy Anniversary!**

- John & Mildred Sakamoto
- Dean & Maureen Wakuzawa
- Ken & Natsuko Matsushima
- Walter & Ruth Masuno
- Howard & Saeko Yoshida



**Happy Birthday  
Precious Jesus!**



**TRUSTEES NEWS**

**KCC Workday**

Mahalo to the twenty seven awesome helpers who attended our last event and also thanks go out to those who couldn't attend but provided some delicious food to compliment the great lunch we had that day! We got some needed repairs done along with the ongoing dusting, cleaning and painting. Helpers as young as 5 and as old as mid 80's found a way to serve that day. It was truly a fun and satisfying time for all. "Well done good and faithful servants....."

--KCC Trustees †

**End-of-Year Contributions**

Thank you for your generous contributions throughout this year 2011. The leaders are very appreciative of your faithfulness in supporting the ministries of KCC.

As we approach the end of the year, please remember that your contributions that are to be credited to this year must come in to the church office, given to the Treasurer or Trustee, or mailed and postmarked by December 31. Even the check is dated in December, if it is received after January 1, it will be credited to the following year. Similarly, if the check is postdated for January and received in December, it will be credited to the following year.

Please review the annual Giving Statement of your contributions which you should receive by the end of January. Please inform the Treasurer or the Trustees of any discrepancies as soon as possible. To ensure the tax deductibility of your church contributions, please do not file your income tax return until you receive your annual Giving Statement. Documentation of cash donations in offering envelopes will be kept only until the end of April.

Again mahalo for your heartfelt contributions to the ministries of Kailua Christian Church (UCC)!

—S. Yoshida, Treasurer †

**Congregational Meeting**  
**Sunday, December 4**

Join us after worship to vote on the proposed budget. All members are encouraged to attend this important meeting. We will vote on the 2012 budget and officers along with an extension of agreement of facility use by the Chuukese Congregational Church of Christ.

Please keep our officers and leaders in your prayers throughout this process. Please pray for God's leading as we seek to honor him as the family of God at KCC.

**Our Slate of Officer Nominees**  
(As of Nov. 27, 2011)

- Clerk:** Diane Pilla
- Sunday School Superintendent:** \_\_\_\_\_
- Deacons:** Bryan Gomes, \_\_\_\_\_
- Trustees:** Vernon Pang, Roy Yamauchi, and Shane Soma
- Missions Chairperson:** Chris Nakamatsu



**KCC SUNDAY WORSHIP**  
**ATTENDANCE**

| Date: | Adults | Children (under 12) | Visitors |
|-------|--------|---------------------|----------|
| 11/06 | 100    | 06                  | 00       |
| 11/13 | 95     | 05                  | 03       |
| 11/20 | 109    | 08                  | 01       |
| 11/27 | 110    | 14                  | 05       |

Our Worship ministry welcomes your support to the various opportunities to serve as ushers, worship leader, audio/visuals, and acolytes. See June for more information on these ministries.

**Update KCC Transitional Housing Ministry**

Prayer request : Please keep in prayer Marlene Lee, former guest in TH unit who moved to Kapolei in hopes of developing a Zumba exercise program to support her family. It has been a very difficult undertaking. Her children are with her mother in California, temporarily, until her situation improves. Pray for Marlene and her children to be reunited soon.

Sit Down Zumba: Thank you for your response to a demonstration of Sit Down Zumba which is being considered for Saturday, January 14. Watch for definite date and time to share with friends who may prefer this type of Zumba.

TH unit clean up: Many thanks to energetic worker bees, Bianca Tamura, Blanche Keahi, and Kammy Grable who cleaned the apartment in readiness for for our next guest. The storage corner was also cleared of unnecessary material, shared with The Salvation Army by way of “Kammy’s Transport Service”. More thanks to Myrtle and Lowell Terada and Jenny Lee for the final touches to our revised, revived drapery system.

**WELCOME: Edda Mai Johnson**



Pastor Tim and Deacon, Myrtle Terada share a special moment during the reception of new member Edda Mai Johnson on Nov. 27. Edda Mai is the mother of three adult children and has been a teacher for 30 years. It is a pleasure to welcome her into the KCC family.

**2011 CHRISTMAS PROGRAM**

Sunday, December 18, 2011  
10:00 a.m.  
“KCC Christmas Carol”

Join us for our modern take on Charles Dicken’s “A Christmas Carol” featuring the adult and children’s Christmas choir and actors of all ages. Invite your family and friends to this special time of worship.



**A Different Kind Of Christmas**

Sometimes Christmas is just overwhelming, it seems,  
As we rush around buying up stuff.  
We spend without end, and we rack up those bills,  
But it feels like it's never enough.  
So this Christmas, let's all take a different approach:  
Let's try to be more in accord  
With God's Christmas gift, the best one of all--  
Our sweet Jesus, our Savior, our Lord.  
We'll be gentle and patient, and loving and kind,  
And we'll keep our priorities straight;  
The gifts of the Spirit, the gifts of the heart  
Are the ones that we'll all celebrate.  
And our stress will decrease, and we'll feel more at peace,  
As we decorate, package, and trim;  
Our new Christmas will be a pure joy and delight,  
As we try to be much more like Him.



**A very blessed Christmas to all!**

25-Sun. Happy Birthday Jesus! Christmas Service at 10 a.m. No Sunday School.  
 26-Mon. Christmas Holiday observed. Office closed.

**JAN.**

01-Sun. Happy New Year! Communion.  
 02-Mon. Holiday observed. Office is closed.

**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

| December 2011 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
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|               |    |    |    | 1  | 2  | 3  |
| 4             | 5  | 6  | 7  | 8  | 9  | 10 |
| 11            | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 |
| 18            | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 |
| 25            | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 |



**WORSHIP ASSISTANTS**

**WORSHIP LEADER**

John Halloran

**AUDIO**

Jane Shiroma  
 Jane Masuno

**USHERS/GREETER**

Nancy Arakaki &  
 Alice Esaki

Deacons: Ruth Uyechi &  
 Diane Lee Pilla

**VISUAL**

Saeko Yoshida  
 Diane Weible  
 Diane Lee Pilla

**LIGHTS & SCREEN**

June Tom  
**ACOLYTES**  
 Emily Pang & Cera Soma

**PIANO & ORGAN**

Natsuko Oda and Faith Pang

**DRUMS**

Dan Jessee

**PRAISE SINGERS**

Bud & Christy Clark, Pastor Tim, Sarah, and Rebecca Weible

**CHILD CARE**

**Carol Soma, Coordinator**

04 – Shane & Carol Soma  
 11 – Pat Chinn, Chris Nakamatsu  
 18 – Christmas program, no nursery  
 25 – Shane & Carol Soma

**FLOWERS**

04 – Lowell & Myrtle Terada  
 11 – Walter & Ruth Masuno  
 18 – Worship  
 25 – Worship

**PARKING**

Terry Arakaki  
 Bryan Gomes  
 Walter Yeda  
 Liloa Hagmann

**KING'S COMPANY**

Christmas Program Practice

**SUNDAY COFFEE HOUR**



**DEC.**

01-Thurs. River of Life Outreach/Dinner. Playgroup will meet Thurs. at 9 a.m. through Dec. 15.  
 02- Fri. Playgroup will meet Fridays at 9 a.m. through Dec. 16.  
 04-Sun. Sunday School for children through high school, Dec. 4 and 11. Communion Sunday. Congregational Mtg. to vote on budget for 2012 and new officers. No Choir Practice. Four C Church to worship from 1 to 4 p.m. each Sun. through the month.  
 07-Wed. Choir Practice, 6:30 p.m. Bible Study on Job, 9:00 a.m.  
 10-Sat. Men's Group, 8:00 a.m.  
 11-Sun. Weible Open House, 2 to 4 p.m.  
 12-Mon. Four C Meeting, 6:30 p.m.  
 14-Wed. Conclude Bible Study on Job, 9 a.m. Christmas Program practice w/ choir.  
 15-Thurs. Christmas Luncheon at Mid Pac. Council Meeting, 7:00 p.m.  
 17-Sat. Christmas Program dress rehearsal, 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. for everyone.  
 18-Sun. Christmas Program. Newsletter deadline for Jan. edition. Deacons Meeting.  
 19-Mon. Staff Luncheon, 11 a.m.  
 20-Tues. Youth Christmas Party, 4 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. at the Nakamatsus/Hagmanns.  
 24-Sat. Christmas Eve Service, 7:00 p.m.

After the worship service, please join the fellowship in Rooms 3 & 4 for some light refreshments.



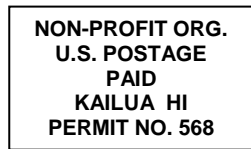
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Sunday School (Pre-K through Grade 12 only)
8:45 a.m.
Worship Service: 10:00 a.m.

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WEDNESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY

Dec. 7 & Dec. 14
9:00 a.m.



Return service requested

SCRIPTURE READINGS



- 04 - Isaiah 40:1-11 & Mark 1:1-8
11 - Psalm 126 & Luke 1:46b-55
18 - Luke 1:26-38
25 - John 1:1-14

SUNDAY, DEC. 4

Second Sunday in Advent

- ~ Communion Sunday
~ Congregational Meeting to vote on 2012 budget and new officers.

FOR DECEMBER

Wed. Dec. 7, 6:30 p.m.
Sun., Dec. 11, after worship
Wed. Dec. 14 at 6:30 p.m.
Saturday, Dec. 17, 9:00 a.m. dress rehearsal
Sunday, Dec. 18, 8:00 a.m. Christmas Program.



MEN'S GROUP

Saturday, Dec. 10 - 8:00 a.m.
All men are welcome to join us for fellowship.



CHRISTMAS HIGHLIGHTS
YOU'RE INVITED!



Christmas Open House
at the Weibles
Sunday, Dec. 11
2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Christmas Luncheon
at Mid Pacific
Country Club

Thursday, Dec. 15
11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
(Reservations due Dec. 4)



2011 CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

Sunday, Dec. 18
10:00 a.m.
KCC's 'CHRISTMAS CAROL 2011'



7:00 p.m.

Christmas Eve
Candlelight Service
Saturday, Dec. 24, 2011

Christmas Day Service
Sunday, Dec. 25, 2011



10:00 a.m.  
Come celebrate Jesus!

Worship in song  
and praise!