



NCC News

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A Weekly Newsletter of Nu'uaniu Congregational Church



Preparing for Ash Wednesday



To prepare for the Ash Wednesday service, NCC has the tradition of burning the palms from the previous Palm Sunday, on the Sunday before Ash Wednesday. Immediately after worship, we will burn the 2019 palms on the stream-side of the sanctuary. If you forgot to bring your palm cross, don't worry. We have extra crosses in the basket by the door.

Ash Wednesday Service – February 26

The Lenten/Easter season begins with Ash Wednesday on **February 26**. The imposition of ashes service will begin at 6:00 p.m. in the choir room. Please join us. All are welcome!



Recycling Reminder

Just a reminder that we recycle only containers that has the HI-5 label on it. We are unable to recycle other plastic or glass containers. Please rinse and keep the labels on the containers. The recycling center will not take containers without labels. Mahalo!

Altar Flower Chart

Want to celebrate a special occasion or honor a loved one? Why not do it with a floral arrangement for the sanctuary. Sign up on the flower chart or call the church office. The following dates are open:
March 15, 22, 29, April 5, 26, May 3, 17, 31, June 14 July 12, 19, October 4, 18, November 15, 22, December 13.

Gearing Up for Green Day VII



There are less than 50 days before Ulu Wai Ministry's **Green Day VII** happens on **April 18, 2020**, from 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. All proceeds will go to Ulu Wai's Missions Ministry which supports God's love and care for the hungry and needy, for the earth, for our community, and for the next generation.

We know you faithful resourceful members and friends have already started to put aside the following items. Start bringing them to church on the designated dates below:

1. **On Sundays ... March 1st, March 8th, and March 15th bring:**
 - a. clean plastic gallon size (or smaller) garden pots
 - b. Tillandsia type small air plants to church. Leave them outside under the blue pew nearest the office.
2. **In April bring:**
 - a. Rummage Sale items: new to gently used kitchen and household items such as utensils, pots 'n pans, books, toys, small working appliances, electronic devices, personal use items etc. but **NO CLOTHING OR SHOES**. Place them on the mauka end of Kosasa Hall.
 - b. One gallon – five gallon size containers which can hold water for water garden plants
 - c. Clean, gently used shopping bags for our customers to take home their goodies
 - d. Potted Plants should be put outside in the back of Kosasa Hall
 - e. Water plants and grasses
 - f. Red wiggler worms (April 12th)

Waterless carwash tickets are now being sold for Green Day VII. Your car will be vacuumed too! Get them from any Missions Committee member. Green Day chairperson Becky Kanenaka can direct you to a member who has tickets.

In order to make Green Day VII happen, we will need volunteers to work as cashiers, security people, workers and watchers in different areas. Please lend a hand and sign up with Becky to come and help make it a success.