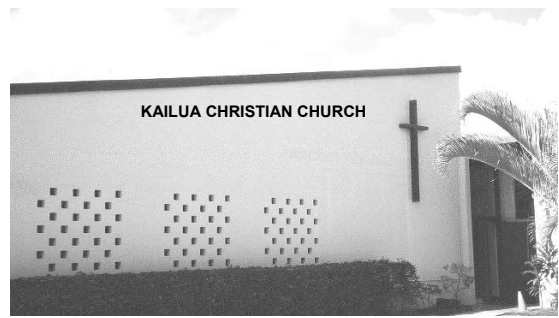


# Waves of Faith

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## “Letting Go of the Old.... Welcoming the New!”

Our family and some friends enjoyed “**Honolulu City Lights**” on the evening of December 19th. Ramona Maeshiro who works in the Budget and Fiscal Services, Purchasing Division (City & County of Honolulu) told me to be sure to look for their display at Honolulu Hale. When we found the crates (see photo), her department had won “*2nd Place in Best in Show*” category. She said, “*it was the youngins from her division who came up with the crate idea....they bring fresh, new ideas and liveliness to our work.*” It was years since they won an award and this sparked an idea in me for the newsletter. (Her family which includes husband Robert and their daughters Madison and Mikayla who have faithfully attended KCC during the past year)

Earlier that day, I read about the last episode of **Star Wars: The Rise of Skywalker** that was supposed to go out with a bang, capping the series of nine films that began in 1977. Instead, it fizzled. The cause was attributed to this: “*the fixation on the past obliterates any chance for the new stuff to breathe.*” (Honolulu Star-Advertiser 12/19/19, page 5) This is the opposite of how to win an award for the annual City Light competition. There has to be a way of respectfully letting go of the past in order to allow the new to take its place.

As Kailua Christian Church UCC begins the new year of 2020, I’m reminded of the importance of letting the old go, in order to wel-

come the new. “*The days are coming, saying the Lord, when I will establish a new covenant...not like the covenant I made with their ancestors ...I will put my laws in their minds and write them on their hearts.*” Hebrews 8: 8 - 10. We are reminded of the old covenant written on tablets of stone. Yet, we honor the past by remembering what was done but along the way, we have to “*let go and welcome the new.*”

On Sunday, December 15th, Ava Watanabe was confirmed while Gary Morita re-affirmed his faith in Jesus Christ. It was inspiring to see both Ava and Gary join the membership of our church. (see photos) As we read their perspectives on KCC, it has some of this spirit of letting go of the past and welcoming what is the future. Let us open our minds and hearts to those who bring fresh ideas and a new way of seeing and doing things.

Aloha,  
Pastor Chris



Here's the display of crates that Mona Maeshiro's division won. Each crate featured some part of Hawaii with its different cultures like Tomo Ame Candy (Japanese), Mini yellow Custard Pie (Chinese), etc.

**A VERY HAPPY NEW YEAR TO YOU ALL!**



## MODERATOR'S MESSAGE

*“But when, the Spirit of truth, comes, he will guide you into all truth. He will not speak of his own; he will speak only what he hears, and he will tell you what is yet to come.”*  
*John 16:13*

Happy New Year! There is always excitement with the start of a new year.

2020 starts off with the Pastoral Search Committee (PSC) patiently awaiting the review of the Hawaii Conference UCC to accept KCC's abbreviated version of the Local Church Profile (LCP). The LCP starts the process of receiving resumes from potential pastors for a church. Once the Hawaii Conference accepts an LCP, they post the open pastoral position on the national website for all pastors to view. As resumes are received with interest in KCC, they are forwarded to the PSC to review. This is when the committee will be very busy scrutinizing and praying about the candidates to determine if there is someone among the applicants that they feel God is calling for KCC. Please pray for the PSC committee as well as the Hawaii Conference as they continue this most important work for all of us at KCC. A big “Thank You” is due all of our committee members for their hard work in getting us to this point.

The new year also welcomes new leaders and new roles for some of them. We now have a Christian Education chair - Aaron Tanaka. This is very exciting as we have been without a chair for a while. Aaron will be planning a prayer gathering and possibly a Bible study on Sunday mornings in 2020. Be on the lookout for future announcements. If you feel called to teach a Sunday school class or start up a King's Company program, please see Aaron or inform our leaders of your interest.

For those members and friends who have not been able to attend services or meetings in December, here are some of the events that took place:

December 1<sup>st</sup> – Informational meeting on the 2020 budget with a presentation by trustee Dennis Fong – this was an informative meeting with explanations of where we are and how things have been

trending for KCC over the past few years. Thank you to Dennis and the other trustees for their hard work in putting together the budget. Thanks also to all the committee chairs that worked hard on their respective committee budgets.

December 8<sup>th</sup> – a congregational meeting was held – the 2020 budget as approved by Council was approved by the congregation. The list of candidates serving new terms as leaders of KCC was also voted on and approved.

December 15<sup>th</sup> – we welcomed 2 new members at KCC – Dr. Gary Morita and Ava Watanabe. This was an exciting time as Dr. Gary and Ava became our 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> new members for 2019. Praise the Lord (PTL) that they felt called to attend our new membership class led by Pastor Chris and become members of KCC. God is at work in their lives and blessed all of us with their commitment to KCC.

December 22<sup>nd</sup> – Christmas play entitled “A Christmas to Believe In!” - thank you to June Tom, worship chair, for finding this play and organizing it. Also thank you to all the participants in the play. It was an enjoyable time to hear the story of the birth of Christ

December 24<sup>th</sup> – Christmas Eve Service led by Pastor Chris Eng

December 29<sup>th</sup> – we released the leaders that fulfilled their terms and welcomed the new and returning leaders for new terms that begin in 2020. PTL! A special thank you to Deacon chair Myrtle Terada for her years of service as a leader at KCC. She finished her term in 2019 and will be taking well deserved time off. As we all know, Myrtle has given so much of her energy and time to KCC over the years. Please make time to thank her for all of her service.

These are some of the highlights of the goings on at KCC during December 2019. Of course, I should mention that Pastor Chris has presented us with inspiring and self-reflective sermons too. Thank you, Pastor Chris, for blessing us with your gifts and inspired words.

If you haven't been here in a while, I encourage you to visit us and be with your fellow members

and friends in 2020. You will find that there are exciting things going on at KCC and that God is with us. Praise to God!

Love in Christ,  
Dean



## DEACONS MESSAGE

### **TIME – Past, Present, and Future**



As 2019 comes to a close and 2020 begins, our minds are absorbed with the passing of time. A year has come and gone. Another year is upon us. Will we use our time any differently in 2020 than we did in 2019?

The start of a new year is an ideal time to reflect on the past, take account of our Christian walk, and consider the direction God may want to lead us in the coming days. Set aside some time to pause and evaluate your spiritual condition (ask for help from the Holy Spirit) as we seek God's presence.

We should also take time at the beginning of the year to look forward, and to commit our lives into God's hands. Only God knows what the new year will bring—but when we know Christ we can face the future with confidence, because we know we belong to Him. Commit this coming year—and your whole life—to Jesus Christ. You can depend on God's promise: "Never will I leave you; never will I forsake you" (Hebrews 13:5).

Consider the preciousness of our time. Time is precious because: 1) it is very short; 2) we are uncertain of its continuance; 3) when it is gone, we can't get it back; and 4) a happy or miserable eternity depends on it.

God calls us to be disciplined in the use of our time. We have much difficulty managing our time and often feel that there aren't enough hours in the day to accomplish everything that needs to be done. We feel pressure, because in this fast-paced society we have so much to do. But if we want to be Christ-like, we need set priorities and to be disciplined in our use of time because the way we use our time is the heart of a disciplined spiritual life. In John 17:4 Jesus says that he finished the work that God gave

Him to do. From this verse it is apparent that Jesus lived His life in a disciplined manner, completing his assignment from God.

The Bible counsels that we need to place our focus on that which is eternal as opposed to the fleeting pleasures of this passing world. Accordingly, we should move forward with diligence and divine purpose as the courses of our lives progress toward God's ultimate goal. Time spent with God and getting to know Him, through reading His Word and prayer, is never wasted. Time spent building up the body of Christ and loving others with God's love (Hebrews 10:24–25; John 13:34–35; 1 John 3:17–18) is time well spent. Time invested in sharing the gospel so that others will come to know salvation in Jesus bears eternal fruit (Matthew 28:18–20). We should live as if each minute counts—because it really does.

Even the elderly and the disabled can have time to do the Lord's work. Maybe they can't do a lot physically, but they can still do the most important thing of all. They can pray! Intercessory prayer is perhaps the greatest weapon the church possesses, and someone who is bed-ridden can engage in that great work.

Our earthly sojourn is significantly shorter than we are inclined to think. As David so aptly points out, "You have made my days a mere handbreadth; the span of my years is as nothing before you. Each man's life is but a breath" (Psalm 39:4–5). The apostle James echoes this: "You are a mist that appears for a little while and then vanishes" (James 4:14). Indeed, our time on earth is fleeting—in fact, it is infinitesimally small compared to eternity. To live as God would have us live, it is essential we make the best possible use of our allotted time.

There is no doubt that the responsibilities and pressures of this world vie for our attention. The myriad of things pulling us in different directions makes it easy for our time to get swallowed up in mundane, lesser matters. Those endeavors that have eternal value, then, often get pushed aside. To avoid losing focus, we need to prioritize and set goals. Additionally, to whatever extent possible, we need to delegate. Recall how Moses' father-in-law Jethro wisely taught him to delegate some of his heavy work load (Exodus 18:13–22).

Regarding our work ethic, we remember that God did all of His work in six days and rested on the seventh. This ratio of work to rest sheds light on our Creator's expectations relative to our own work ethic. Indeed, Proverbs 6:10–11 reveals the Lord's disdain for slothful behavior: "A little sleep, a little slumber, a little folding of the hands to rest—and poverty will come on you like a bandit" (see also Proverbs 12:24; 13:4; 18:9; 20:4; 21:25; 26:14). Furthermore, the Parable of the Talents (Matthew 25:14–30) illustrates the tragedy of wasted opportunity as well as the importance of laboring faithfully until the Lord comes. We should work diligently in our earthly employment, but our "work" is not limited to that which we do for monetary gain. In fact, our primary focus in all that we do should be the glory of God (Colossians 3:17). Colossians 3:23–24 says, "Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord, not for human masters, since you know that you will receive an inheritance from the Lord as a reward. It is the Lord Christ you are serving." Jesus spoke of storing up treasures in heaven (Matthew 6:19–21). We are not to work ourselves to exhaustion in the pursuit of earthly wealth (John 6:27). Rather, we are to give our best to everything to which God has called us. In all our endeavors—our relationships, our labors, our studies, serving others, the administrative details of our lives, caring for the health of our bodies, recreation, etc.—our primary focus is God. It is He who has entrusted us with this time on earth, and He is the One who directs how we spend it.

It should be noted that **rest** is a legitimate and needed use of time. We cannot neglect spending time with God, both in private and corporately. We are absolutely called to invest time in relationships with others and work hard in the things of life. But we also cannot neglect the refreshment He gives us through times of rest. Rest is not wasted time; it is refreshment that prepares us to make better use of time. It also reminds us that it is ultimately God who is in control and who provides for our every need. As we seek to manage our time well, we are wise to schedule regular times of rest.

Most importantly, we need to schedule regular—daily—time with God. It is He who equips us to carry out the tasks He has given us. It is He who directs our days. The worst thing we could do is

manage our time as if it belongs to us. Time belongs to Him, so ask for His wisdom in how to best use it, then proceed in confidence, sensitive to His course corrections and open to God-ordained interruptions along the way.

It is important to remember that we are accountable to God for the use of our time. Romans 14:12 tells us that day will come when we will have to give an account of ourselves to God. This refers to the Christian and non-Christian alike. Yes, we are saved by grace and not by works, but in Heaven, our rewards will be based on our works. We need to evaluate how we use our time and start spending it in a way that would be pleasing to the Lord.

Vernon Pang – KCC Deacon



Sincere condolences to the family of Ruth Uyechi as Ruth passed away on Monday morning, Dec. 30 after complications of getting the flu. As a faithful charter member of KCC she inspired many by her example sharing grace and compassion to church families and to those in ministry that we helped. i.e. KCC Transitional Housing Program. She led that ministry effort for many years until she got sick. Her heart of gold and hard work ethics was known by all who was blessed to meet her. Ruth is sorely missed already...Services for Ruth will be held at Hosoi and details will be made available soon.



### **PRAYERS & PRAISES**

Please keep in your prayers

~ Lily Lee, Howard Pang, Hazel Chow,  
Myrtle Terada, Walter Yeda,

~ Ruth Masuno @ WeinBerg Care center

~ Alice Esaki and her loss of Richard

~ Sue & Brian Nakashima

~ Mitsi Higashida, Harry Imai, Ada Kaneoka,  
Natsuko Matsushima, Hideko Mumaw, Winnie  
Nakamura, Lillian Sakaguchi, Akito & Annie Sa-  
gawa, and Ruth Lum

~ Pastor Chris Eng and our Pastoral Search Team





**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**



- Ellen Chew
- Jean Kanazawa
- Lucy & Miley Khem
- Hideko Mumaw
- Akito Sagawa
- Hazel Masuda
- Randall Imai
- Nathan Nemoto
- Jo Ann Komori
- Mary Watanabe
- Thomas Gomes
- Ada Kaneoka
- Nathan Ching
- Brian Nakashima
- Liloa Hagmann



- 02 Joan and Terry Gerber
- 22 John & Hijin Halloran

**KCC SUNDAY WORSHIP ATTENDANCE**

Date:	Adults	Children (under 12)	Visitors
12/01	45	07	00
12/08	47	07	00
12/15	47	05	00
12/22	70	09	06
12/24	44	08	10
12/29	43	00	02

**ALOHA FROM THE WEDNESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY GROUP (WMBS)**

We of the WMBS extend to you and your families God’s blessings for the coming New Year. May the good Lord endow upon KCC Church and its membership good physical and spiritual health and fellowship.

Over the past few years, KCC has suffered the loss of many of its members and loved ones through death. Each and everyone will be remembered in their own ways by KCC family and friends. Allow us to share an anonymous writing with you for those who come into our lives entitled: PEOPLE COME INTO YOUR LIFE FOR A REASON

People come into your life for a reason, a season, or a lifetime.

When you know which one it is, you will know what to do for that person. When someone is in your life for a **REASON**, it is usually to meet a

need you have expressed. They have come to assist you through a difficulty, to provide you with guidance and support, to aid you physically, emotionally or spiritually. They may seem like a god-send and they are. They are there for the reason you need them to be. Then, without any wrongdoing on your part or at an inconvenient time, this person will say or do something to bring the relationship to an end. Sometimes they die... Sometimes they walk away... Sometimes they act up and force you to take a stand. What we must realize is that our need has been met, our desire fulfilled, their work is done. The prayer you sent up has been answered and now it is time to move on.

Some people come into your life for a **SEASON**, because your turn has come to share, grow or learn. They bring you an experience of peace or make you laugh. They may teach you something you have never done. They usually give you an unbelievable amount of joy. Believe it; it is real; but only for a season.

**LIFETIME** relationships teach you lifetime lessons, things you must build in order to have a solid emotional foundation. Your job is to accept the lesson, love the person and put what you have learned to use in all other relationships and areas of your life.

Thank you for being a part of my life, whether you were a **REASON**, a **SEASON**, or a **LIFETIME**.

Author Unknown  
Steff Moderow (WMBS)

*Please join us starting on Wed. morning, January 8 when we will resume our DVD study on Slaying the Giants in Your Life with Dr. David Jeremiah. We meet in the Library at 9:00 a.m. Hope to see you there!*

*Editorial correction: Apologies to Lily Lee who shared an article in the Dec. newsletter citing the author being Pastor Rick Warren in “The Purpose of Christmas”. In error this acknowledgement was omitted. Thank you Lily for sharing this wonderful article. And Thank you to Pastor Rick for that great insight for us to ponder on.*

## CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Kailua Christian Church Family,

Starting in February, I am hoping to start an adult Sunday morning prayer/devotion small group. I am looking at running the group from 8:45 am until 9:50 am. The small group will be centered around praying for one another and for our church. I am also planning on including a short devotional period, centered around scriptures dealing with prayer.

As we prepare for a season of change and as we anticipate bringing in a new permanent pastor, I believe that prayer will be an essential component in moving us forward. Zechariah 4:6 "Not by might, nor by power, but by My Spirit says the Lord of Hosts".

Also, as the new Director of Christian Education, I am looking for anyone who might have a desire to support Christian Education. Especially to our youth. Eventually, I am hoping to revive our Sunday School program for youth in the morning before Worship service and our King's Company-Nursery during service. All of this tied into one of our Church's core missions of equipping the Saints for service.

God Bless,  
Aaron Tanaka



### NA ANELA I KA HANA A KE AKUA SUPPORT GROUP

(Angels in the Works for God)

Dear Members and Friends,  
Jan 26, 2002 was the first monthly support group meeting held at Kailua Christian Church. Co-Facilitators Mary Ann Ishikane and Myra Yamada, guided by Spiritual advisor Sats Nemoto, started with eight members. Dr. Manuwai Peters gave us our name, Na Anela i ka hana a ke Akua (Angels in the Works for God).

We would like to recognize those who joined us in 2002 and throughout our 18 years. Na Anela continues to focus on our wellness journey, by attending workshops and presentations as well as praying, sharing info with each other.

On Sat, Jan 25, Na Anela I ka hana a ke Akua support Group's speaker is Ekahi Wellness speaker, Director Robert Walker. Robert will provide info on diabetes, the new (as of Apr 2019) program they offer and some helpful tips on how to manage diabetes.

Time: 1000 -11:00 (pls be seated by 9:50 a.m.)  
Location: Sanctuary

Please invite your friends and relatives to this very informative, life-changing presentation. Light (healthy) refreshments will be served from 11:00-12:00.

#### Program Brochure Info:

'Ekahi Wellness focuses on the management of chronic conditions like diabetes. Our supportive team of healthcare providers work with you to create an individualized care plan in conjunction with our group education classes. We offer an on-going education and support to empower you to make better lifestyle habits for the overall improvement of your health.

#### WHAT YOU CAN EXPECT

- Improved quality of life
- More energy
- Health education

#### IMPROVEMENT IN:

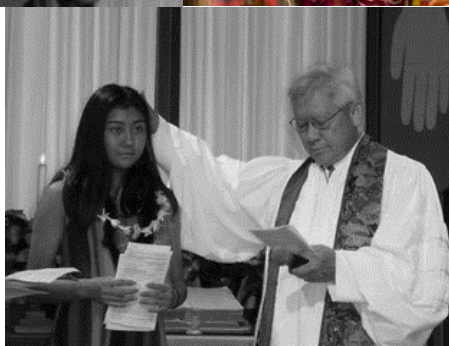
- A1c
- Blood pressure
- Cholesterol
- Weight
- Self care

Mahalo and God Bless You in 2020!  
Myra Yamada

**CELEBRATE LIFE IN JESUS!**



**A REASON TO CELEBRATE!**  
Welcome new members Gary Morita  
and Ava Watanabe.



**Through Confirmation:**  
**Ava Carlyn Shigeno Watanabe**

Ava Watanabe's family includes her maternal grandparents, Gary and Susan Morita and paternal grandparents, Carl and Lois Watanabe. Her parents are Mark and Lori Joy Watanabe and her sister is Mia Anne.

Ava attends the 9<sup>th</sup> grade at Iolani School where she plays on the soccer team. She will be learning how to box at home since her dad has a punching bag and this will be her new hobby. Looking to the future, Ava wants to be an orthopedic surgeon because she likes science.

Ava has attended KCC since she was 3 years old and attended Sunday School throughout the years.

She has fond memories of some of her teachers including Aunty Mae Takahashi, Sharlene Yamauchi, Barbara Gomes, Shane and Carol Soma, Jennifer Pang and Maureen Wakuzawa. She appreciates our Kailua Christian Church UCC community where everyone is so nice and friendly and where she would like to see the membership grow.

Having been baptized by Pastor Timothy Weible, Ava wanted to learn what the requirements were for being confirmed in order to become a member. We celebrate that she was confirmed and received as a member of Kailua Christian Church UCC along with her Grandpa Gary on Sunday, Dec. 15, 2019.

**Through Reaffirmation of Faith:**  
**Gary Katsumi Morita**

Gary Morita's family includes his spouse, Susan Morita, son, Dr. Wendell Morita and daughter-in-law Miki Morita, daughter Lori Joy Watanabe and son-in-law Mark Watanabe, grandchildren Tyler Morita and Kiryn Morita, Mia Anne Watanabe and Ava Watanabe, brother Clifford Morita and sister JoAnn Ishii.

Gary is a self-employed dentist with his company, Gary K. Morita DDS Inc. His hobbies include fishing and gardening. What he really enjoys is being a spectator at his grandchildren's sports events.

Gary was baptized at All Saints Episcopal Church in Kapaa, Kauai. Later, he was confirmed and became a member of this church. Gary desires to be a member of Kailua Christian Church UCC because he knows how faithful Susan and the grandchildren are to this church.

What Gary likes about our church is its small size and very friendly people. He hopes that in the future, there will be an influx of younger people who will become members and help the older members run the church. We are delighted that he has reaffirm his faith in Jesus Christ and has joined us as a member of Kailua Christian Church UCC.







Your church leaders for 2020

**MISSIONS UPDATE**

The Thanksgiving Special offering received a total of \$1505 and it was a blessing to share it with so many, in helpful ways.

~ Care packages for participants of River of Life Outreach included an array of personal care goods like soaps, shampoos, lotions; toothpaste, toothbrushes, band aids, candy treats, an orange, and a pair of socks. We actually gave out 230 pairs of socks and sent it all out with our warm wishes for the season.

~ A special one time support donation was sent to Wycliffe Bible Translators for a missionary family (Ray and Judy Uyehara) with ties and history to KCC, to thank them for their continued service in ministry through the years and deal with some of their medical needs for their two adopted daughters.

~ We provided Angel Tree gifts for Christmas to three teenagers on the Salvation Army's annual gift giving for the needy program.

~ A monetary donation was made to the UCC Transition House for abused families.

~ in addition a donation to the Institute for Human Services (IHS) was given as they build on their wonderful programs that have helped families with housing and helped them to learn skills as they do gardening and try to give back. (Read their Newsletter with great hopeful stories.



230 pairs of socks distributed for Christmas at River of Life - compliments of KCC.



**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

January 2020						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			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	

**Jan.**

- 29 – 05 Family Promise using facilities to Host families at KCC.
- 05 – Sun. Communion Sunday. Epiphany
- 08 – Wed. Morning Bible Study begins, 9 a.m.
- 09 – Thurs. Tai Chi Class, 10 a.m.
- 12 – Sun. Deacons Mtg. & Missions Mtgs.
- 15 – Wed. Wed. Morning Bible Study, 9 a.m.
- 16 – Thurs. Tai Chi Class, 10:00 a.m.
- 19 – Sun. 2019 Annual Reports are due from all committees. Newsletter Deadline.
- 20 – Mon. Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday
- 22 – Wed. Wed. Morning Bible Study, 9 a.m. Council Meeting, 7:00 p.m.
- 23 – Thurs. Tai Chi Class, 10:00 a.m.
- 26 – Sun. Bible Study on Romans begins.
- 29 – Wed. Wed. Morning Bible Study, 9 a.m.
- 30 – Thurs. Tai Chi Class, 10:00 a.m.

**Schedule for January** which will be similar each month:

Meeting Location: Room 1 & 2 (Classes nearest playground). (Room 1 & 2 next to where refreshments are served).

Time: 11:45 a.m. (the worship service usually concludes between 11:15 - 11:30 a.m.)

Take time to grab a bit to eat and join the group or study (bring water to hydrate yourself).

1st Sunday, January 5, 2020: Grief Support Group

This is for anyone who has experienced grief personally or knows someone who is experiencing sadness because of some loss in their lives.

2nd Sunday, January 12, 2020: Introduction to the Bible

This is for the person who wants to learn about the Bible, how to study it, and how to apply it to their lives. It is ideal for a Seeker (someone still searching) as well as for someone who is new to the Christian faith.

3rd Sunday, January 19, 2020: Prayer: Forty Days of Practice: An Invitation to Intimacy with God

We will be using excerpts from the book, PRAYER by Justin McRoberts & Scott Erickson. Here's a short statement on the back cover: Prayer, invites you to pray in more authentic and untethered ways. These prayers and images, along with contemplative reflections and suggested practices, are designed to stir and clarify what God is doing in you, which is the heart of prayer. (New published 2019!)

4th Sunday, January 26, 2020: Bible Study on the Book of Romans.

We began the study of this Letter of the Apostle Paul to God's beloved in Rome. This study is for those who have studied the Bible before and will learn how to deepen their faith by allowing the Spirit to open up the meaning of a particular verse or passage so that it transforms or changes one's life!



**WORSHIP LEADER**

Paul Grable

**AUDIO**

Barney Pilla

**GREETER/USHERS**

Jennie Lee, Walter Yeda  
Pat Chinn, Bruce Kugiya

**VISUAL**

Debbie Fong

**LIGHTS & SCREEN**

June Tom

**PIANO/ORGAN**

Scott Baehrens

**KING'S COMPANY**

Leaders sought

**Altar Flowers**



- 05 – Jean Kanazawa
- 12 – June & Mel Tom
- 19 – Pam Morikawa
- 26 – Florence Miyashiro

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Return service requested

Worship Service: 10:00 a.m.
Rev. Christopher Eng, Interim Pastor

WEDNESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY

9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Every Wed. morning
starting Wed. Jan. 8, 2020.
All are welcome to attend.

THURSDAY MORNINGS

Jan. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

Tai Chi Classes

In Nursery

10:00 a.m. to 12 noon

(Bring a bottle of water to stay hydrated.)

SUNDAY, JANUARY 05, 2020

~ Communion Sunday

We celebrate Epiphany, the season
to deeply reflect on the meaning of God's
earthly revelation in Jesus Christ - as first cele-
brated by the wise men when Jesus was born.



SUNDAY, JANUARY 12, 2020 - 11:30 a.m.

Introduction To The Bible class with Pastor
Chris. Great for Seekers and believers new to the
faith. All are welcome to join us in Room 1.

~ Deacons will have their first meeting of 2020.

~ Missions will have their first meeting of 2020.

2019 ANNUAL REPORTS FROM EACH
COMMITTEE WILL BE DUE ON SUNDAY,
JANUARY 19, 2020.

Please send your report via email to kcc-ucc@ha-
waiiantel.net. (Standard Times Roman 13 Font).

Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday

Monday, January 20, 2020

Office will be closed.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 22, 2020

Council Meeting, 7:00 p.m.

Newly installed officers and returning officers for
2020 are officially counted on to attend. Mahalo.

YOU'RE INVITED



An introduction of our Mis-
sions Ministries will be
shared on Sunday, Jan. 12
with an invitation to be a part
of our Missions ministry.

We will meet in the library immediately after
worship. Come see the opportunities that you
can be a part of as you start your New Year ser-
vice to God. We'd love to serve together with
you in this ministry effort. Mahalo.