

May 3 - May 9

Sunday, May 3, Bible Through the Year: Numbers 15-16; Revelation 20

8:30 AM Sunday Bible Studies (more info below)

10:00 AM Worship Service

11:30 AM First Sunday Fellowship

Monday, May 4, Bible Through the Year: Numbers 17-19; Revelation 21

Tuesday, May 5, Bible Through the Year: Numbers 20-22; Revelation 22

Wednesday, May 6, Bible Through the Year: Numbers 23-25; Matthew 1

5:30 PM Children & Youth Activity Night

6:30 PM Bible Study

Thursday, May 7, Bible Through the Year: Numbers 26-28; Matthew 2

Friday, May 8, Bible Through the Year: Numbers 29-31; Matthew 3

6:00 PM "Is Christianity Good for the World?" Conference

Saturday, May 9, Bible Through the Year: Numbers 32-34; Matthew 4

7:30 AM "Is Christianity Good for the World?" Conference

Sunday in-person Bible studies

Mixed Adults Class (Jennifer Watanabe leading) – 8:30 a.m. Choir room

Middle School & High School Sermon Discussion – 8:30 a.m. Youth room

Sunday School for Toddlers to 5th grade – 8:30 a.m. Preschool Classrooms

Childcare for the babies – 8:30 a.m. Nursery

Sunday in-person/online Bible studies

Mixed Adults Class (Pastor Matt leading) – 8:30 a.m. Fellowship Hall

Young Adults – Contact Pastor Phil.

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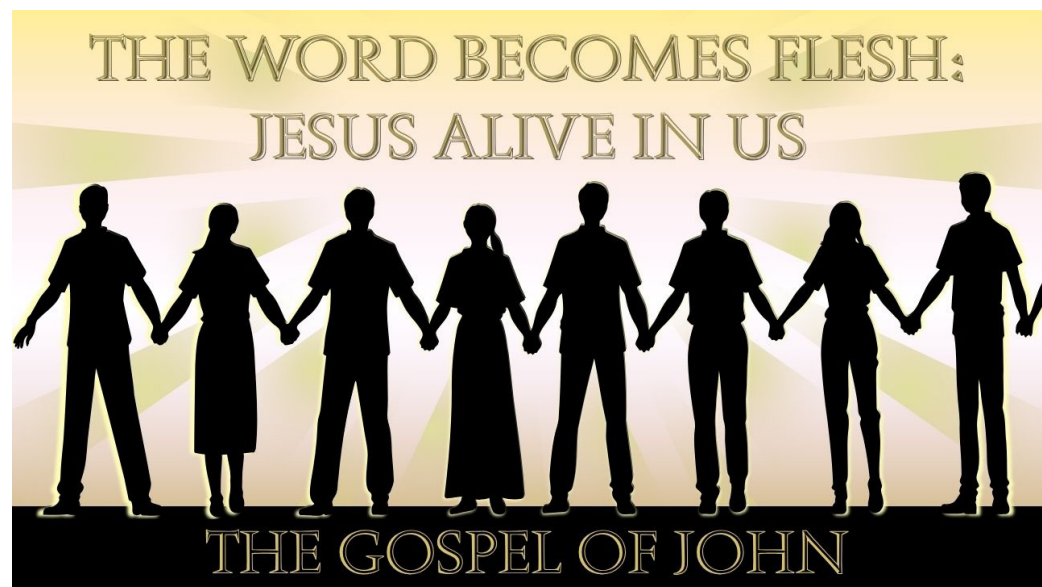
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and [various podcast sites](#) (Links can also be found on our website)



May 3, 2026

The Tale of Two Worlds



John 13:21-38

Wai'alae Baptist Church | Sunday, May 3, 2026

We believe our church should be a reflection of the love and glory of God that is given to us from God through faith in Jesus Christ, the Son of God, who is our Savior and Lord, and by the indwelling of the Holy Spirit who unites as one body in Christ and empowers us to obey God and serve others.

THE MISSION OF OUR CHURCH IS TO:

Fulfill the Great Commission | Share the gospel

Making disciples in all nations bringing glory to God (Mt. 28:18-20)

Obey the Greatest Commandment | Walk in Love

To love God and to love all people (Mt. 22:37-40)

Be United in the Spirit | Change The World

Reveal that Jesus is the Son of God sent by the Father to be the Lord and Savior of the world (Jn. 17:20-21)

WELCOME GUESTS!

Please fill out a welcome form located in the back of the pews and place it in the offering bowl. You may also fill out our online welcome form by scanning the QR code below. After the worship service, please join us for refreshments in the breezeway. We'd love to get to know you!



KIDS WORSHIP

Please check in your child in the foyer. Kids in grades 1–5 stay in service until they're dismissed before the sermon. They'll meet leaders at the back and go downstairs for their Bible lesson. Pick-up is downstairs at the door by the parking lot.

ALTAR FLOWERS

This week's flowers are donated by Gary and Gail Ferrell in honor of their 54th wedding anniversary. If you'd like to donate flowers, please see Nora Galacia. Thank you!

Upcoming Events & Activities

Wai'ala Sings - Outreach at Waikiki Plaza on Saturday, May 16 at 9:30 AM. See JT for more info.

Alec and Belle Waterhouse Lecture Series "Is Christianity Good for the World?" Conference with Dr. Andrew Jennings - May 8-9, 2026. Scan the QR code or visit waialaebaptist.org/abwls/ to register for FREE.



First Sunday Fellowship - Join us on Sunday, May 3 after service for a time of fellowship in the Fellowship Hall. Light snack provided. Contact the church office for more info.

Keauhou Shelter Meal Prep - Sunday, May 10 at 3:30 PM. See Bill for more info.

Movie on the Lawn - Friday, May 22 from 6:30–9 PM. Dinner will be provided with grilled hamburgers, a family-friendly movie, and s'mores. Sign up by scanning the QR code. Contact the church office for more info.



May Mission Focus: Haiti - Our church goal is to raise \$1000 to provide 500 Bibles for children in Haiti. Give online under "Missions and Ministry Fund Donations", sub fund "Haiti Missions" or by cash/check in an envelope marked "For Haiti." Contact the church office for more info.

Coming into Focus with Matt Henslee - Join us for a study to realign your life around worship, discipleship, and mission. Meeting on June 13, July 11, and August 8 from 12–1 PM in the Fellowship Hall or online. Sign up in the foyer by May 13. This lecture is sponsored by Alec & Belle Waterhouse Lecture Series. Contact the church office for more info.

Ongoing Opportunities

Children's Wednesday Night Dinner & Activities from 5:30-7:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall – Volunteers are needed to assist with activities and dinner setup/clean up. Contact info@waialaebaptist.com for more info.

Growth Group – Contact Pastor Matt before attending.

Wednesday Night Bible Study & Prayer – Choir room at 6:30 p.m. or online via Zoom, with online/Zoom Prayer at 7:30 p.m. Contact Pastor Matt or info@waialaebaptist.com for more info.

Help with Los Angeles fire relief efforts thru Send Relief – Visit <https://www.sendrelief.org/projects/los-angeles-fires> for info.

Help with the Maui Relief Effort – Visit waialaebaptist.org for resources.

A Romans 12 Church

I appeal to you therefore, brothers, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God, which is your spiritual worship.

Surrender ▪ Discipling ▪ Humble ▪ Diverse ▪ Serving
Loving ▪ Fruitful ▪ Relational ▪ Good

Why We Listen to Sermons

To know God who is Trinity more

Knowledge that leads to a greater love for the Father, Son, and Spirit, and a deeper worship of God

To know more about what God has done and is doing through Jesus

Knowledge that leads to a greater understanding of God's kingdom and His church

To know more about God's plan to use us

Knowledge that leads to a greater understanding of and commitment to do God's will

To know our sin and understand the power of God's grace in Christ

Knowledge that leads to repentance and a saving faith in Christ.

Truly listening to God's Word leads to greater hunger to know more about God and His Word

WORSHIP CELEBRATION

Call To Worship

God of Ages

Welcome & Opening Prayer

His Mercy is More

Scripture Reading: *Genesis 39:19-23 (ESV)*

The First Hymn

The Tale of Two Worlds, John 13:21-38

Good Good Father

Announcements

Closing Prayer & Dismissal



**The Word Becomes Flesh:
Jesus Alive in Us**



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The Tale of Two Worlds

John 13:21-38

What is love?

Where we live

The world needs to see the love Jesus exemplifies in _____ His disciples' feet and _____ on the cross.

Where the text lives

Jesus continues to say goodbye to His closest followers and to teach them important truths.

Verses 21-30

Verses 31-35

Verses 36-38

What the text says

We must choose between Jesus and the _____.

If we reject God's _____, we will inevitably betray or deny Christ.

God's love is _____ to being a Christian and to being the church.

Our response

God, help us to live out Your love in all our _____ but especially with those in our church.