



*Consecration Sunday
September 26, 2021*



*The Kona United Methodist Church welcomes
ALL people with no judgments of your history or place in life.*

*The Mission of the United Methodist Church is
to make disciples of Jesus Christ
for the transformation of the world.*

*The Vision of Kona United Methodist Church is
growing disciples through worship, outreach,
and living the gospel.*

HYMN OF PREPARATION

(sing 2 times)

“Open Hearts, Open Minds, Open Doors”
Oh God we greet you
with open hearts, open minds, open doors.
Each day we seek you
with open hearts, open minds, open doors.
Each day we need you. Each day we greet you.
Each day we seek you. Enter our hearts today.

SERMON

“The Story (9.5): The Faith of a Foreign Woman”

Rev. Dr. Ahn

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

Joyce Brady

*HYMN

“Standing on the Promises”

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- 1. Standing on the promises of Christ my King, / through eternal ages let his praises ring; / glory in the highest, I will shout and sing, / standing on the promises of God.**
(Refrain) Standing, standing, / standing on the promises of God my Savior; / standing, standing, / I'm standing on the promises of God.
- 2. Standing on the promises that cannot fail, / when the howling storms of doubt and fear assail, / by the living Word of God I shall prevail, / standing on the promises of God. (Refrain)**
- 3. Standing on the promises of Christ the Lord, / bound to him eternally by love's strong cord, / overcoming daily with the Spirit's sword, / standing on the promises of God. (Refrain)**
- 4. Standing on the promises I cannot fall, / listening every moment to the Spirit's call, / resting in my Savior as my all in all, / standing on the promises of God. (Refrain)**

SHARING OUR GIFTS

You are encouraged to mail your offering to the church office
OR set up electronic giving (Online Giving).
Please visit our website (konaumc.com) or contact Bill Jaeger.

*CLOSING CIRCLE [TFWS 2026]

@ 8:30am

Halle, Halle, Halleluja! Halle, Halle, Halleluja!
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*BENEDICTION

An asterisk (*) indicates a place for you to stand as you are able.

Bold Print indicates a place for you to sing or speak.

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Thank you for worshipping with us. E Komo Mai & Mahalo!

During the current Coronavirus (COVID-19) health crisis, we are adjusting the ways we do “church” together until further notice:

- **SUNDAY IN-PERSON WORSHIP @ 8:30AM:** You can join the service in the Sanctuary OR via Facebook-Live wherever you are.
- **SUNDAY “DEAF FRIENDLY” ONLINE WORSHIP @ 10AM:** Join KUMC Online Worship, which you can find on our church website (konaumc.com) under the News & Events section in the Video Gallery or Facebook.
- **SUNDAY TONGAN ONLINE WORSHIP VIA FACEBOOK LIVE @ 11AM (Except for the 1st Sunday of the month).**
- **SUNDAY ONLINE CHILDREN’S CHURCH @ 1:00PM:** Join KUMC Children’s Church on Facebook.
- **SUNDAY TONGAN IN-PERSON WORSHIP @ 3:00PM (except the 1st Sunday of the month).**
- **TUESDAY ADULT STUDY @ 8:30AM** can be joined via ZOOM-LIVE [Meeting ID: 862 8033 1586; Password: KUMC].
- **WEDNESDAY TONGAN PRAYER SERVICE @ 7PM on Facebook-Live.**
- **MORNING WALK (Wednesdays & Fridays, 7:15AM @ Old Kona Airport Garden).**
- **MORNING DEVOTION BIBLE READING (T & TH, 7:30AM)** can be joined via ZOOM-LIVE [Meeting ID: 864 4097 0919; Password: KUMC].



NEWS & MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

COVID-19 Vaccine in Hawaii: Please receive the vaccination when you can. To find a location near you and see which vaccines are being offered at each location, please visit www.vaccines.gov/search

Pledge Card 2021: Please return your pledge card to the church office or Bill Jaeger, if you have not done so. Mahalo!

Give Aloha (from September 1-30, donations up to \$249 per person with a Maika'i card): Kona UMC is participating again, in *Give Aloha, Foodland's Annual Community Matching Gifts Program*. Our organization's 5-digit code is: **77227**. Please contact Bill Jaeger for more information.

World Communion Sunday (10/3) is one of UMC special Sundays, collecting a special offering that provides scholarships for U.S. racial and ethnic minority students and international students, at both undergraduate and graduate levels. Please make a check payable to 'Kona UMC' with memo 'World Communion' or give online if God moves your hearts to touch the future through our young people in school.

Samoan White Sunday (10/10) is a day for communities to acknowledge and celebrate childhood. Please try to wear a white color shirt, blouse, dress, or PJ's on this day in respect of the Samoan culture in our midst if possible.

College Prep Class will be offered on Wednesday, September 29th from 6:30pm-8:30pm via Zoom. This class will be offered by First UMC of Honolulu and our youth are invited to join the class. This class will focus on the FAFSA application. If interested, please register at office@firstumchonolulu.org.

Membership Class will be offered via Zoom during the month of October. Please let the Director of Membership, Pat Aldred (pkaldred38@gmail.com), or Pastor Sunny know if you are interested in joining Kona UMC as its member. We will arrange the day/time based on the availability of those who want to take the class. Tentatively, we plan to receive new members on Sunday, November 21.

Online Giving: Kona UMC offers several online giving options. You may visit our church website (konaumc.com) and click the giving icon on the home page OR contact Bill Jaeger (bjjaegerhawaii@gmail.com) to set up online giving or simply scan the image you see here using your phone's Quick Response (QR) Code Reader! We sincerely thank you!



SPIRITUAL PRACTICE OF THE WEEK

Lectio Divina is a way of reading the Scriptures: *lectio* (reading), *meditatio* (reflection), *oratio* (response), and *contemplatio* (rest).

Scripture Verse for *Lectio Divina*: Judges 21:25
Scripture Readings for the Week: Job 1:1; 2:1-10
Psalm 26; Hebrews 1:1-4; 2:5-12; Mark 10:2-16

THIS WEEK AT KONA UMC

- Sunday, 9/26** **Consecration Sunday**
8:30 am In-Person Worship & via FACEBOOK
10:00 am English Language Worship / FACEBOOK
11:00 am Tongan Language Worship / FACEBOOK
1:00 pm Children's Church / FACEBOOK
3:00 pm Tongan Language In-Person Worship
- Tuesday, 9/28**
7:30 am Morning Devotion Bible Reading via Zoom
8:30 am Adult Study via Zoom
12:00 pm Feeding the Homeless @ the Shelter
- Wednesday, 9/29**
7:15 am Morning Walk @ Old Kona Airport Garden
7:00 pm Tongan Prayer Meeting
- Thursday, 9/30**
7:30 am Morning Devotion Bible Reading via Zoom
- Friday, 10/1**
7:15 am Morning Walk @ Old Kona Airport Garden
- Saturday, 10/2**
4:30 pm Leadership Team (Church Council) Meeting
- Sunday, 10/3** **World Communion Sunday**
8:30 am Joint In-Person Worship & via FACEBOOK
10:00 am English Language Worship / FACEBOOK
1:00 pm Children's Church / FACEBOOK

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