

THE PARENT CONNECTION

Mary, Star of the Sea Early Learning Center
"Providing Quality Early Education"

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APRIL CALENDAR OF EVENTS



3	Wednesday	Mini Day, 11:15 Dismissal, RSVP DC Provided
4	Thursday	PTG Board Meeting, 5:00 PM, Keolamana Room
5	Friday	Birthday Celebration, 2:15 PM
10	Wednesday	Toddler Parent Workshop, "Managing Temper Tantrums, 6-7:30 PM RSVP Child Care Provided; Light Meal and Refreshments Served
14	Sunday	Palm Sunday, Holy Week
15	Monday	Father Damien Day
18	Thursday	Holy Thursday, ELC Easter Party; Mini Day, 11:15 AM Dismissal, RSVP Day Care Provided
19	Friday	No School, Good Friday
21	Sunday	Easter Sunday
22	Monday	Earth Day
26	Friday	ELC May Day Celebration, 10:15 AM, Aloha Attire for All RSVP Luncheon to Follow at 11:30 AM
27	Saturday	East Honolulu Food Festival, 5:30-9:30 PM
30	Tuesday	Emergency/Fire Drill at 3:45 PM

EAST HONOLULU FOOD FESTIVAL



A STARRY NIGHT

Saturday, April 27, 2019

5:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.

ADULTS: \$75 CHILDREN: \$30 (3-13 Years)
Under 3 Years of Age (Free)

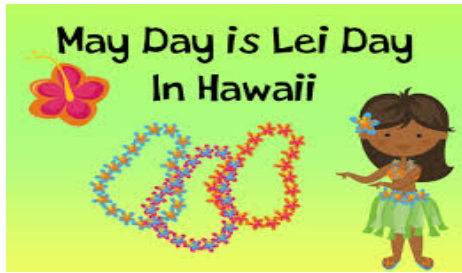


Checks made payable to Mary, Star of the Sea

The 2019 East Honolulu Food Festival (EHFF) theme is *A STARRY NIGHT*. The EHFF is Mary, Star of the Sea's major fundraising event which will be held on Saturday, April 27, 2019 from 5:30-9:30 PM. Mary, Star of the Sea ELC families are asked to sell or purchase 2 adult (\$75) and 2 children's (\$30) tickets (ages 3-13). Your support and assistance are greatly appreciated! VIP tables are also available for purchase. ELC parents are asked to volunteer for a 45 minute work shift. The ELC urges 100% participation from our parents for our major annual fundraiser. Thank you for choosing Mary, Star of the Sea ELC!



ELC MAY DAY CELEBRATION
Friday, April 26, 2019-10:15 AM
Mary, Star of the Sea Church
RSVP Required for May Day Luncheon



ELC annual **May Day Celebration** at Mary, Star of the Sea Church at 10:15 AM. **Uniforms are not required . Please have your child wear: HAWAIIAN/ALOHA attire with covered shoes/sandals. No slippers. Aloha shirts and long pants for boys, muumuus or aloha print dress for girls**

ELC PARKING OPTIONS

Safety Precaution:

Lock Car Doors and Do Not Leave Valuables in Your Car

Church Parking

The church parking stalls will begin to fill at 9:30 AM. If you do not plan on staying for the entire program and lunch, please consider using other parking areas. If church parking stalls are filled, then the parallel parking of cars will be implemented. Please be reminded that if you are parked in stalls with parallel parking, your car may be temporarily blocked in.

We will create parallel parking only as needed.

Elementary Parking Lot

A limited amount of open stalls are available at the Elementary School parking lot (former basketball court).

Parking Structure

The first level of the parking structure is available

Street Parking

Street Parking is available on Ainakoa Avenue and Malia Street. Do not park on the Aliikoa St. bridge. Please observe no parking signs on the street, otherwise you may receive a parking ticket.

Other No Parking Areas

- Alongside any curbing painted red (i.e. in front of Church, ELC front entrance lanai area and any coned areas) and the fire lane in back of the Early Learning Center

Luncheon to Follow at 11:30 AM/Please RSVP by Thursday, April 18, 2019:

Adults: \$8 Non ELC Students: \$5

After returning from the May Day Celebration, ELC students will be served pre-plated lunches from the kitchen. Toddler parents need to proceed to the **toddler back entrance gate** to enter toddler lanai area.

PS/K parents will be served from the buffet line in the Social Hall. The front gate will be opened after all PS/K students have been seated and served their lunch (about 11:30 AM). Parents may then join their children on the lanai or playground area.



Earth Day is an annual event, which will be celebrated on April 22, 2019. Earth Day events are held worldwide to demonstrate support for environmental awareness and protection and was first celebrated in 1970. ELC Teachers, staff and children will celebrate Earth Day with planting, gardening and other activities.

