LOOKING BACK

Mahalo to Christmas Volunteers

Mahalo to all who helped with the set-up for the annual Christmas Eve Candlelight service that was held on Saturday, December 24, 2011. Over 800 members and friends attended the service.

We are grateful to the following: Kathie Anderson, Roy Baldwin, Fred Bell, Bob Brem, Ryan Brem, Phil Brown, Bruce Burkitt, Ed Craig, Larry Dow, Dale Edgerle, Matt Eller, John Fairbank, Nick George, Taka Harada, Randy Hoehns, William Humphres, Paul Kenolio, Fred Lulof, Reneé Lulof, Scott Martin, Robert Miller, Paulina Mitterhammer, Tom Nelson, Norma Lei Noland, Kayo O’Gorman, Mark Probst, Bruce Purvis, AJ Records, Dave Records, John Rowehl, Roger Rowehl, Chris Switzer, Zack Walker, Fred Wolgamott & others.

“ʻAha ʻAina Wai Maka”
Sunday, January 8, 2012

The “ʻAha ʻAina Wai Maka” or “Feast of Tears” was traditionally celebrated in ancient Hawai‘i to mark the first anniversary of a person’s death. It was the understanding of our kūpuna or ancestors that tears were initially shed because of the death of a loved one.

The “ʻAha ʻAina Wai Maka” that was celebrated a year later was seen as a happy occasion, a time when death itself had passed away and so tears of joy, not sorrow, were shed in remembering a loved one. Each year the “ʻAha ʻAina Wai Maka” is celebrated as a Service of Remembrance the week prior to the annual meeting of the church.

On Sunday, January 8, 2012 the names of the following members and friends who died in 2011 were read during the morning worship services. The names of those who are now inurned in Pō‘ai aloha, our columbarium, or those who have had their ashes scattered at sea and now have a plaque in-laid on the ground at the base of the columbarium were also remembered. In addition the names of others were added by those in attendance on that day.

The Year 2011

Mary Jo Arndt
Peter John Awai
Terry Driskell
Kai Ka’iliehu
Audré Patricia Kavanagh
Eric Takahashi Maehara
Leland Stanford “Stan” Maag
Helen Louise Calder Page
Stanley Raymond
William John Riley
Joeann “Merry” Hampel Silva
Saun-Shane Manapaukoaika Suzuki
Lorraine Johanna Wagner
Diana J. Whitehead
Judith Frances Wolgamott
Dr. Bradley Paul Wong
February Work-Day

Mahalo Volunteers!

Mahalo to those who volunteered for the work-day that was held on Saturday, February 4, 2012. We are grateful to Carlos Aleman and his crew for trimming the plumeria trees. We are also grateful for the help provided by the following individuals: Phil Brown, Bruce Burkitt, Laurie Chang, Pat Dawson, Dian Gruber, Jim Gruber, Tom Nelson, Scott Rollins and Elise Teagle.

2012 Annual Meeting
Treasurer’s Report for 2011

Bob Hobson, Treasurer, shared his comments regarding the year-end financial statements for 2011 at the annual meeting that was held on Sunday, January 15, 2012. Bob noted that the accountant’s report showed a total income of $321,676 which was made up of “Tithes & Offerings”. The 2011 Ho’okupu Makahiki or Annual Appeal brought in a total of $51,109.

Total expenses were $313,052. The net ordinary income before depreciation was $8,623.75 and after depreciation it was a loss of $29,922.98. The 2011 budget for Ordinary Income was a loss of $356 before depreciation.
Bob pointed out with regard to the annual appeal that “while there are many factors that relate to this year’s (appeal), the one I would bring to our attention is Kahu’s continuing personal attention to individuals.” Bob added, “This helps many people maintain a connection with Keawala’i not only here but while far away.”

2012 Report of the Nominating Committee

The Officers of the Church Council and the members of the Board of Christian Education, Board of Deacons, Board of Mission & Outreach and the Board of Trustees as well as several committees were elected by the membership of the Church at the annual meeting held on Sunday, January 15, 2012. Mahalo to all who have been elected to serve, including:

**Officers**
Kate Acks, Moderator
Robert Hobson, Vice-Moderator
Carol Burdick, Secretary
Bruce Purvis, Treasurer

**Board of Christian Education**
Uakea Ditzel
Taka Harada
Paul Twelker

**Children’s Ministry Committee**
Kēhau Lu‘uwai
Sue Nygren
Karen Rollins

**Youth Ministry Committee**
Ryan Brem
La‘akea Kaufman
Matthew Vanni

**Adult Ministry Committee**
Fran Aarona
Taka Harada
Paul Twelker

**Board of Deacons**
Robin Burke
Diana Crim
John Fairbank
Maryreba Kircher
Karen Nelson
Joan Terhorst
Angelica Williams
John Yurik

**Board of Deacons**
Tom Nelson, Kāko‘o*
Eleanor Ferreira, Emeritus
Mei Shan Tanaka, Kāko‘o*

*Helpers
Board of Mission & Outreach

Judy Fox
Dave Records
Victoria Smith

Mission Committee

- Judy Fox

Outreach Committee

Bobbi Bell
Evelyn Brown
Louise Brown
Virginia Galios
Eva Henry
Georgia McMillen
Laura Moore
Howard Pearson
Dave Records

Board of Trustees

Bruce Burkitt
Edie Kapiko
Judy Kapohakimohewa
Laura Moore
Tom Nelson
Sue Nygren
Scott Rollins

The following committee members were affirmed by the Church at the annual meeting that was held on Sunday, January 16, 2011:

Choir Committee

Jimmy Aarona
Cindee Burkitt
Anne Rowehl
Roger Rowehl
Kathy Smith
Russ Stodd

Stewardship Committee

Bruce Burkitt
Edie Kapiko
Bruce Purvis, Treasurer

Personnel Committee

Judy Kapohakimohewa
Sue Nygren

Buildings & Grounds Committee

Tom Nelson
Scott Rollins
Pā ilina ʻohana/Poʻialoha Committee

Phil Brown
Kēhau Luʻuwai
Tom Nelson

Endowment Fund Committee

Bruce Burkitt
Bob Hobson
Edie Kapiko
Alice McDermott
Bruce Purvis

Golf Committee

Albert Anderson
Kathie Anderson
Bobbi Bell
Fred Bell
Ed Craig
Cindy Edgerle
Dale Edgerle
Eva Henry
Cameron Keys
Maryreba Kircher
Fred Lulof
Renee Lulof
Don Marsden
Lee Marsden
Kayo O'Gorman
Tom O'Gorman
Howard Pearson
Allen Teagle
Roy Weaklend
Fred Wolgamott

Lūʻau Committee

Fran Aarona
Taka Harada
Edie Kapiko
Judy Kapohakimohewa
Ann Kenolio
Paul Kenolio
Kaʻōnohi Lee

2012 Hoʻokūkū Kolepa
A Big Mahalo

A big mahalo to the members of the Golf Committee for a great job with year’s golf tournament. Fred Bell, Ed Craig, Dale Edgerle, Cameron Keys, and Fred Lulof made the golf announcements on Sundays.

Dale Edgerle set up the golf table and signs and helped with acquiring the banners announcing this year’s event. Fred Lulof made the name tags for the check-in of the golfers.
Eva Henry and Fred Lulof put together an information list of names and addresses of golfers so they can be contacted each year. Al Teagle put up posters and Kathie Anderson provided press releases for the newspapers.

Fred Bell, Dale Edgerle, and Ron Henry worked on the pairings and score sheets. Howard Pearson acquired all the advertisement signs for the golf course and saw that they were put up and taken down after the tournament.

Maryreba Kircher took photos of all the golfers. Kahu and the office staff including Lei Reichel and Barbara Kundelatsch provided their help.

Reneé Lulof, Bobbi Bell, Eva Henry and Kayo O’Gorman sold tickets for the tournament every Sunday morning throughout January and February. Ron & Eva Henry donated golf balls to all of the tournament players. Fred Lulof & Bobbi Bell donated golf balls to all the golfers who won a ball in the large circle event.

Without the help of everyone, the golf tournament would not have been successful. Many hands made light work, and I am appreciative for everyone who gave of their time. We could not have done it without you.

A big thank you finally to all the golfers and those who did not play in the tournament, but gave a donation. Thank you all very, very much.

Cindy Edgerle, Coordinator
2012 Hoʻokūkū Kolepa
February 16, 2012

2012 Hoʻokūkū Kolepa
Sunday, February 12, 2012

Mahalo to the golfers, Golf Committee, volunteers and supporters for their contributions to the 14th Annual Golf Tournament of Keawalaʻi Congregational Church that was held on Sunday, February 12, 2012. This year’s tournament was dedicated in memory of Uncle Peter Awai and Judy Wolgamott.

We are grateful to Cindy Edgerle for her work as the Coordinator of the tournament.

The weather turned out to be wonderful. Fun and good fellowship was had by all on the beautiful Kahili Golf Course in Waikapū. Thank you to all the volunteers who helped in so many ways to make this tournament successful.

Mahalo also to the Kahili Golf Course and the Pro Shop staff as well as the staff of the Kahili Restaurant for their kōkua and hoʻokipa. We are grateful to the many businesses who generously contributed to the tournament by buying signs and to the individuals who made cash donations.

Golf Committee
Cindy Edgerle, Golf Tournament Coordinator

Albert & Kathie Anderson
Fred & Bobbi Bell
Ed Craig
Dale Edgerle
Eva & Ron Henry
Cameron Keys
Maryreba Kircher
Fred & Reneé Lulof
Don Marsden
Kayo & Tom O’Gorman
Howard Pearson
Allen Teagle
Joan & John Terhorst
Roy Weaklend
Fred Wolgamott

2012 Event Winners

Team Winners 1st John Mehigan, Bradley Wolgamott
Fred Wolgamott, Leslie Wogamott
2nd Richard Albright, Bill Begue
Cindy Edgerle, Holly Tolosko
3rd Alice McDermott, Joe Jarrett
Zane Jarrett, Matthew Vanni
4th Robert Bakmaz, Wanda Bakmas
Kent Mitchell, Pat Mitchell
5th Sherry Begue, Bernice Carden
Bill Carden, Jim Palmateer

Closest to pin #6
Scott Rollins, Jean Barnhill
Closest to crooked line #9
Nick Bender, Cindy Edgerle
Closest to pin #13
Michael Martin, Pat Mitchell
Short Drive #18
Bob Simpson, Sherry Begue
Long Drive #18
Joe Jarrett, Ina Halket
Hole #13 (Circle bet)
John Mehigan
Hole #13 (Large circle)
Warren Bailey, Bob Balkmaz
Sherry Begue, Craig Halket
Michael Martin, Pam Mitchell
Jim Palmateer, Bob Sangster
Holly Tolosko

Brenda Albright
Albert Anderson
Myra Awai
Bobbi Bell
Evelyn Brown
Phil Brown
Matti Christensen
Judy Fox
Eva Henry
Bonnie Jakubec
Cameron Keys
Maryreba Kircher
Fred Lulof
Reneé Lulof
Darlene Marin
Ben Mullins
Kayo O’Gorman
AJ Records
Elise Teagle
Joan Terhorst
John Terhorst
Diane Vandermeer
Roy Weaklend

Golf Tournament Teams

1. Kathie Anderson, Darlene Hughes
George Yaksic, Peter Yaksic

2. Roy Alden, Robert Cushman, Harold Heglund, Russell Kelm

3. Fred Bell, Bob Bitterman, Liz Bitterman, Dale Edgerle

4. Ed Craig, Gordon Jakubec, Brian Southwick, Allen Teagle

5. John Mehigan, Bradley Wolgamott, Fred Wolgamott, Leslie Wolgamott

6. Al Barnhill, Jean Barnhill, Michael Martin, Bob Simpson

7. Ginny Binder, Nick Binder, Betty Mosher, Chuck Mosher

9. Barrie Johnston, Jack Jordan, Tom Logan, Tom Richardson


11. Sandy Bailey, Warren Bailey, Craig Halket, Ina Halket

12. Don Cunliffe, Jim Jez, Bob Sangster, Church Skogerboe

13. Joe Jarrett, Zane Jarrett, Alice McDermott, Matthew Vanni

14. Barb Bryson, Mike Oros, Claudette Roy, Clermont Roy

15. Anita George, Nick George, Taka Harada, Scott Rollins

16. Ron Klingman, Gordon Packer, Joan Packer, Pat Simpson

17. Ron Bogen, John Felton, James MacMillan, Dennis Parker

18. Sherry Begue, Bernice Carden, Bill Carden, Jim Palmateer

19. Earlene Davis, Ed Davis, Charles Lawson, Kathleen Lawson

20. Scott Beemer, Ron Henry, Helen Hilton, Joe Hilton
Based on the preliminary figures provided by Cindy Edgerle, Howard Pearson and Evelyn Brown, the 2012 Annual Ho‘okūkū Kolepa (Golf Tournament) and Silent Auction & Luncheon raised a total of $12,328. Of that amount Evelyn Brown reported that $5,770 was received on Sunday, February 19, 2012, with additional funds expected from those whose items remained to be picked up. Howard Pearson reported that less the expenses for the luncheon netted a total of $500. Approximately 175 persons were served.

Cindy Edgerle added that based on her preliminary figures, the golf tournament raised a total of $5,058. A total of 88 golfers participated in this year’s tournament. Mahalo to everyone for supporting the work of the Outreach Committee through the Local Mission Fund.

**2012 Silent Auction & Luncheon**

*Sunday, February 19, 2012*

*Mahalo to members and friends for supporting this year’s Silent Auction & Luncheon including the following:*

**Outreach Committee**  
Dave Records, Chairperson  
Kathy Lindsay, Outreach Intake Coordinator

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Donna Bragg, Caterer

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Pat Dawson, Coordinator

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**Silent Auction Committee**  
Evelyn Brown, Coordinator

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John Whittemore

**FOR THE RECORD**

**Baptisms**

01/08  Jackson David Kai Torrisi, North Andover, Mass.  
        David & Sarah Torrisi, Parents

01/08  Mākena Lanning Woodfork, New York, New York  
        Peter & Rebecca Woodfork, Parents

02/19  Grace Elizabeth Noelani Arnold, Bellevue, WA  
        Lauren Kathryn Kaua Arnold, Bellevue, WA  
        Caroline Alyse Moana Arnold, Bellevue, WA  
        Gary & Kristyn Arnold, Parents

02/19  Leo Christopher Kaimana Farmer, Kahului  
        Lavender Valentina Puana Farmer, Kahului  
        Violet Angelica Hanamana Farmer, Kahului  
        Steven & Mary Farmer, Parents

03/25  Frances Beale Kuʻulei Nakhuda, New York, NY  
        Gary Nakhuda & Michelle Gontier, Parents  
        Laura Regan, Godparent

03/25  Michael David Kai Hines, San Ramon, CA

03/25  Mary Tsay ʻIhilani Hines, San Ramon, CA

03/25  Michael Lukas Kekainehe Hines, San Ramon, CA  
        Lincoln Reid Kekailoa Hines, San Ramon, CA  
        Michael & Mary Hines, Parents

03/25  Talia Mae Artates-Tinao, Pukalani  
        Preston & Anuhea Tinao, Parents

**Blessings**

01/27  Maui Lani Clinic Pharmacy, Wailuku  
        Mary Hew, Director  
        (*Hoʻolaʻa Hale Kūʻai - Business Blessing*)

02/10  Patrick & Riane Woods, Kula  
        (*Hoʻola Hale - House Blessing*)

02/13  Lee Ann Manuel, Wailuku  
        (*Hoʻolaʻa Hale – House Blessing*)

02/15  *2012 Hoʻokūkū Kolepa, Waikapū*  
        Kahili Golf Course  
        Cindy Edgerle, Coordinator  
        (*Pule Hoʻomaikaʻi - Blessing*)

03/01  Kō Restaurant, Wailea  
        The Fairmont Kea Lani, Wailea  
        Charles Head, General Manager
(Hoʻolaʻa Hale Kūʻai – Blessing)

03/24
Art Maui 2012, Kahului
Terry Gleason
(Pule Hoʻomaikaʻi - Blessing)

Memorial Services

01/27
Elvie Christine Graham
January 27, 1941 - Claresholm, Alberta, Canada
January 2, 2012 - Vernon, British Columbia, Canada  (Flowers scattered at Maluaka Beach)

01/28
Marvene Mendenhall Krueger
February 24, 1926 - St. Louis, Missouri
August 10, 2011 - Roseburg, Oregon
(Ashes scattered in Keawalaʻi Bay)

Memorial Services

03/01
James Robert McKenna
October 14, 1947 - Ottawa, Florida
March 30, 2011 - Bradenton, Florida
(Flowers scattered at Maluaka Beach)

03/16
Leland Stanford “Stan” Maag, San Diego, California
November 11, 1929 - Glendale, California
July 21, 2011 - Oceanside, California
(Ashes scattered in Keawalaʻi Bay)

Weddings

03/29
Cynthia Tram & Bryce Rothdeutsch
Honolulu

04/13
Ayako Sasaki & Daisuke Sasaki
JAPAN

04/14
Jennifer Kahoʻohanohano & Iuta Bisquera
Makawao

04/27
Nubia Sandoval & John Bayon
Reseda, California

04/28
Jamie Moreen & Anthony Good
Kihei