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Kauai Hongwanji Council Spring Seminar 2014

Why Buddhism and The West Need Each Other

Date: March 24, 2014

Location: Lihue Hongwanji Mission

Registration Fee: \$15.00 per lecture (\$10.00 per lecture for Hongwanji members)

Guest Speaker: Dr. David R. Loy

In this era of almost instantaneous communication and interchange of ideas and beliefs, the interactions and resulting transformations happen at a much faster pace. Therefore *Why Buddhism and the West Need Each Other* is an important topic in this era. By understanding the potential of the ideas and their influence on each other we can contribute more immediately to positive and productive transformations in the world.

In Dr. Loy's view the highest ideal of the Western tradition is to restructure society so that it is more just. While the most important goal of Buddhism is to awaken spiritually, which ends *dukkha*, loosely translated as "suffering." He puts forth a fruitful idea that the world needs both of these ideals. Not only because they complement each other but also because they in fact need each other.



[\(For more information, please see the article on page 5\)](#)

HANAMATSURI (BUDDHA DAY) SERVICE

APRIL 6, 2014 9:30 AM

HANAPEPE SOTO ZEN TEMPLE ZENSHUJI



Calendar of Events

MARCH

Sun	2	9:00 AM	Family Dharma Service
Sun	9	9:00 AM	Family Dharma Service Birthday & Memorial Sunday
Tues	11	7:30 PM	Board of Directors Mtg.
Sun	16	9:00 AM	Family Dharma Service
Sun	23	9:00 AM	Higan Service; Speaker will be Rev. Tennes, Kahului
Mon	24	1:00 PM & 6:00 PM	Kauai Hongwanji Council Spring Seminar; Speaker will be Dr. David Loy
Sun	30	9:00 AM	Family Dharma Service

APRIL

Sun	6	9:30 AM	Hanamatsuri Service at Hanapepe Soto Zen
Tues	8	7:30 PM	Board of Directors Mtg.
Sun	13	9:30 AM	Eshinni / Kakushinni Service at LHM; Speaker will be Mrs. Tamayo Matsumoto
Sun	20	9:00 AM	Family Dharma Service
Sun	27	9:00 AM	Family Dharma Service Birthday & Memorial Sunday

Visitation Schedule

Mon	Mar 3	8:00 AM	Regency at Puakea Service
Wed	Mar 12	9:30 AM	Hale Kupuna Heritage Care Home Service in Omao
Wed	Mar 19	CANCELLED	KVMH-KCC Care Home Service
Tue	Mar 25	CANCELLED	Garden Isle Wilcox Service
Wed	Mar 26	9:30 AM	Mahelona Hospital Ext. Care Service

Members and friends are welcome to accompany the minister at service and visitation Outreach. Please contact Rev. Nakamura in a timely way.

Privacy and confidentiality rights of individuals limit the clergy from visiting persons in medical, residential and care-home facilities without the express request/consent of the family. Our minister is happy to visit members and friends, but by law, such visits require a referral from the family. Please contact Rev. Nakamura at 245-6262 and 245-4543.

Temple Decorations

<u>2014 TEMPLE DECORATION</u>	
March 6, 13, 20, 27	Pua Loke I
April 3, 10, 17, 24	Pua Loke II/Puhi
May 1, 8, 15, 22, 29	Hanamaulu
June 5, 12, 19, 26	Nawiliwili/Wailua



Message from Rev. Bruce Nakamura

Can We Control Our Spiritual Destiny?

The basis for the Shin Buddhist Teaching lies in the early history of Pure Land found in China and Japan with the seven spiritual teachers selected by Shinran Shonin as the sources of his teachings. Shinran applied the background of the development of the Pure Land teaching in early Japan, leading up to the movement started by Honen (1133-1212). There are few biographical materials about Shinran's early life. Later biographies tried to fill in details that his mother was Kikko, the daughter of Minamoto, Yoshichika.

We know however, that his father was Hino Arinori from a branch family of the famous and powerful Fujiwara clan. According to the tradition, Shinran's parents died when he was about 4 and 8 years of age respectively. Due to these traumatic experiences Shinran is said to have entered the monastery at the age of 9.

Nevertheless, we know that his father actually lived longer. Arinori actually became a monk and was known as Arinori Nyudo – a person retired from the world. Evidence of this comes from a notation by Zonkaku (1289-1273) an early scholar of Shin, that Shinran and his brother had dedicated a sutra as a memorial after the death of their father. Scholars generally reject the traditional accounts and hold that Arinori and three sons retired to the monastery as a result of the upheavals and chaos that came with the political and social changes brought about by the overthrow of the Taira by the Minamoto clan in what is known as the Genpei wars.

And while some scholars in the early part of the 20th century question Shinran's biography, the problem was that there were no actual historical sources. This situation which confronted other major spiritual teachers, even Jesus, was finally resolved with the discovery of 10 letters written by Eshin-ni, Shinran's wife in the Hongwanji storehouse in 1921. From that time on, greater focus was paid to Shinran's background and the information they could yield.

We will begin focusing on the historical Shinran in order to understand and appreciate the underlying teachings and principles of our Faith—the Nembutsu of Thanksgiving—the unconditional spiritual gift of Amida Buddha's Wisdom and Compassion.

Firstly, though Shinran's presence on Mount Hiei was thought questionable, Eshin-ni noted that he was a doso—a minor monk who functioned in the services of continuous Nembutsu practice. These services were sponsored anywhere from a week to 90 days for the benefit of the nobles who were either ill or had died. Thus, we can confirm man's unrelenting belief that the merit of chanting or prayers for the dead can be transferred to the dead person(s). This belief is not unique to Buddhism but, universal in character. This basic yearning mirrors our natural desire to control, even decide things after death.

If we don't take the time to learn and understand Jodo Shin Buddhism and our Hongwanji practices, for even members holding the memorial service may feel obliged that the service should be done for the benefit of the dead. Can we human beings really control what happens to us and those who have died through religious ceremony?

We know that Shinran had come into contact with earlier Pure Land thought and principles as he is said to have studied at the Hall where Genshin, one of the great teachers in Shinran's lineage, taught. In this monastic setting Shinran studied the Tendai teaching and practiced the meditations and disciplines which included Zen, Shingon and Pure Land. Mount Hiei was the center of Buddhist learning—the Harvard University that brought together the many streams of Buddhist thought and practice. Shinran's background, we can generally say, was greatly influenced by these teachings and would provide the back drop from which he began to question the purpose and meaning of his young life. And while Mount Hiei was the center of Buddhist learning and teaching,

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(Minister Message continued)

teaching, it also sought the patronage and favor of the aristocrats and nobles by performing services on their behalf—the living and the dead. Is this a function of Buddhism, let alone, honest genuine religion?

According to Eshin-ni, serious questions arose for Shinran concerning his future destiny. He somehow felt inadequate and despite his exposure and learning, he was unsure that he would ever attain enlightenment. In order to resolve these doubts and anxieties, he began the practice of meditating at the Rokkakudo, a chapel hall said to have been founded by Prince Shotoku which enshrines a figure of Kannon Bodhisattva. Shinran meditated for 100 days and on the 95th day, received a message from Shotoku leading him to Honen. He became a disciple of Honen and this became a great turning point for Shinran and for Japanese Buddhism. (Dr. Alfred Bloom; "Introduction to Shin History: Aspects of Shinran's Life Lecture Series")

(to be continued in the next issue of Dharma Wheel)

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Kauai Hongwanji Council Spring Seminar 2014

Why Buddhism and The West Need Each Other

Date: March 24, 2014

Location: Lihue Hongwanji Mission

Registration Fee: \$15.00 per lecture (\$10.00 per lecture for Hongwanji members)

Guest Speaker: Dr. David R. Loy

Dr. David Robert Loy is a professor, writer, and Zen teacher in the Sanbo Kyodan tradition of Japanese Zen Buddhism. He is a prolific author, whose essays and books have been translated into many languages. His articles appear regularly in the pages of major journals such as Tikkun and Buddhist magazines including Tricycle, Turning Wheel, Shambhala Sun and Buddhadharma, as well as in a variety of scholarly journals.

He lectures nationally and internationally on various topics, focusing primarily on the encounter between Buddhism and modernity: what each can learn from the other. He is especially concerned about social and ecological issues.

Dr. Loy is a professor of Buddhist and comparative philosophy. His BA is from Carleton College in Northfield, Minnesota, and he studied analytic philosophy at King's College, University of London. His MA is from the University of Hawaii in Honolulu and his PhD is from the National University of Singapore.

He has been on the faculties at the National University of Singapore, Bunkyo University, Chigasaki, Japan, Xavier University in Cincinnati, Ohio, the University of Cape Town, South Africa, the Hebrew University, Jerusalem and Naropa University in Boulder, Colorado.

SCHEDULE

Afternoon Lecture

1:00 pm	Registration at Lihue Hongwanji
1:30 pm	Opening Service
2:00 pm	Public Lecture #1, Q & A
4:00 pm	Recess

Evening Lecture

6:00 pm	Registration at Lihue Hongwanji
6:30 pm	Public Lecture #2, Q & A
8:30 pm	Close

For further information please contact:

Lihue Hongwanji at (808) 245-6262 or Kapa'a Hongwanji at (808) 822-4667

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APPLICATION FORM

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Email address: _____

Address: _____ Temple: _____

☐ Afternoon Lecture (1:30pm-4:00pm)

☐ Evening Lecture (6:30pm-8:30pm)

*Please fill in this form and check the box(es) indicating which lecture(s) you are attending.

Turn in to your temple by March 20. (Check payable to: Kauai Hongwanji Council)

Honpa Hongwanji Mission of Hawaii-Highlights

Web: www.hongwanjihawaii.com Email: hqs@honpahi.org

Gomonshu Koshin Ohtani's message for the 125th Anniversary

I would like to extend my heartfelt congratulations on the occasion of the 125th anniversary of the Honpa Hongwanji Mission of Hawaii.

The history of the Hawaii Mission is of the lives of the many people who, with the Nembutsu teaching as their place of refuge and spiritual foundation, were able to endure the severe labor and living conditions when they immigrated to Hawaii, persevere the chaos of World War II, and overcome various hardships, thus allowing them to live their lives to the utmost. For their devotion and efforts, I wish to express my deepest respect and appreciation to all the ministers and members of the past and present. In today's global society, the Buddha Dharma has taken on an even greater, more profound role. Shinran Shonin expounded the Jodo Shinshu teaching for us as the path to the true enlightenment. Due to his guidance, despite our own self-promoting desires, we are enabled to encounter the working of Amida Tathagata's wisdom and compassion that reaches us in the form of the Nembutsu, Namo Amida Butsu. This allows us, together with all living beings and fellow practitioners, to follow the path to true enlightenment.

It is my hope that you will respond to the aspiration of your predecessors by accepting and sharing the Primal Vow and the Nembutsu teaching as Amida Buddha's wish for each one of us. By doing that, I believe that you will be able to gain insight into the issues of the contemporary world and endeavor to contribute toward the realization of a peaceful society in which everyone can live a life of spiritual fulfillment.

HMH 125th Anniversary Inaugural Service

The Honpa Hongwanji Mission of Hawaii observed its 125th Anniversary Inaugural Service on February 7, 2014 at the Honpa Hongwanji Hawaii Betsuin Hondo in conjunction with the Giseikai Opening Service. Bishop Eric Matsumoto officiated the service together with the ministers representing each districts' Ministers Association and the 125th Planning Committee. In the beautifully-arranged altar, ministers chanted the sutras and scattered the petals of adoration. Gomonshu Koshin Ohtani's message was read by Rev. Tatsuo Muneto.

Bishop Matsumoto delivered a message on this auspicious occasion by offering his congratulations and appreciation to the members and supporters of the Hawaii Kyodan for without them we would not be here today, and encouraged everyone to continue to share our joy of Namo Amida Butsu in the 125th Anniversary theme "Live Peace, harmony, and gratitude: Share Aloha!".

The featured speakers were two youth, Brandi Yamamoto (Kapaa, Kauai) and Emi Hashi (Makawao, Maui). Brandi Yamamoto shared her experience with her grandparents and the temple members and mentioned that the teaching is conveyed in almost every situation. She said, "The teaching have given me a more positive outlook on life and I am proud to call myself a member of the Shin Buddhist community." Emi Hashi emphasized the importance of the "Sangha" and said, "Even though our own bonbu humanness limits us, we join together to mutually support each other as a community to create Sangha. Our core beliefs make us the same and bring us together."

MINISTERIAL ASSIGNMENT (JINJI)

Rev. Toshiyuki Umitani, the Executive Assistant to the Bishop, has been appointed as the Chaplain at the Pacific Buddhist Academy as of February 16, 2014.

HONGWANJI MINISTERS PARTICIPATE IN THE RAINBOW EKIDEN

Five ministers from Honpa Hongwanji Mission of Hawaii will be participating in the Rainbow Ekiden which will be held on Saturday, March 8, 2014 to raise awareness of Hongwanji in the community. Ekiden is a long distance relay race which is commonly seen in Japan. Each runner will run 5km (approximately 3.1 miles) from the Kapiolani Park up to the Diamond Head lookout point and turn back to the starting point. Participating ministers are Rev. Kojun Hashimoto, Wahiawa Hongwanji Mission; Rev. Tomo Hojo, Hawaii Betsuin; Rev. Toshiyuki Umitani, Headquarters; Rev. Kazunori Takahashi, Kapaa Hongwanji; and Rev. Ai Hironaka, Lahaina Hongwanji.

Kokua for Jason



Jason Cabot, the 23 year old son of Gilbert Cabot, Scout Master of Troop 83 was hurt in an accident that left him paralyzed. Lihue Hongwanji Mission is organizing some fundraising events to assist the Cabot family to defray the cost of some of Jason's needs.

Saturday, April 12

10:00 AM to 2:00 PM

Lihue Hongwanji Mission

**Sale of Futomaki Sushi (large roll sushi),
Baked Goods, and ATA's Smoked Meat***

*Preorders for ATA's Smoked Meat: \$10 for 1 pound of frozen meat

Call or see Amy Yamada at the office or Sandie Fujimoto at LHM Preschool for tickets

Futomaki Sushi ingredients donation request:

Rice—6 bags (20 lb)

American white vinegar—5-1 gal bottles

White sugar—1-50 lb. & 1-25 lb. bags

White wine—2 gallons

Lemon juice

Sushi-quality nori wrap—7—50 sheet bundles

Brown sugar—5 lbs.

Chicken stock food service—2 lbs. cubes

Canned tuna—9 cans (food service size)

Eggs—25 dozens

Carrots—2-50 lb. bags

Shiitake mushrooms—2 large bags

String beans—40 lbs.

Vegetable oil—2 quarts

Light shoyu—1 gallon

Monetary donations gratefully accepted to purchase these ingredients. For more information, call Rev. Bruce Nakamura.

Honpa Hongwanji Living Treasures Awards Luncheon on February 8, 2014

Robert Hamada, a wood turner from Kauai, was recognized as a Living Treasure by Honpa Hongwanji at their Annual Luncheon on February 8, 2014 at the Sheraton Waikiki Hotel. He was recognized for his outstanding body of artistic and one-of-a-kind hand turned wooden bowls. This is a wonderful and well-deserved honor for one of Kauai's own artists.

Mr. Hamada presented one of his hand-turned bowls to Bishop Eric Matsumoto at the luncheon ceremony. The bowl will be in a place of honor at Honpa Hongwanji headquarters.





Caring for elders who live at home

This meaningful workshop focuses on changing perceptions of elders at home and in the community. Applying Eden at Home™ concepts and The Ten Principles of The Eden Alternative®, will broaden awareness and provide tools on improving quality of life for elders living at home and their care partners by eliminating the three plagues of **loneliness**, **helplessness**, and **boredom**.

The workshop consists of a full day session of 8 hours. A follow-up talk story meeting to discuss how these concepts have helped you will be held a month later. Please plan to commit to these sessions to benefit the most from the experience.

A nominal \$10.00 registration fee will be assessed for workshop manuals.

Date: March 29, 2014 (Saturday)

Where: Lihue Hongwanji Mission Social Hall

Time: 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM (Lunch will be served)

Workshop is limited to 24 participants. Please mail checks payable to Project Dana Lihue Hongwanji Mission, P.O. Box 1248 Lihue, HI 96766, two weeks prior to workshop date.

Call Karen Hiranaka at (808) 652-5321 to register by **March 15, 2014**.



RELAY FOR LIFE 2014 May 3-4

The DHARMA DRAGONS, aka the Lihue Hongwanji Mission's RFL team, is fired up in its fight against Cancer. If approached by anyone in pursuit of slaying this evil nemesis, kindly make a donation to the American Cancer Society. Dragons may be recognized as Lillian Amimoto, Janet Fujii, Arlene Fujikawa, Gladys Fujiuchi, Sumako Ichimasa, Alice & Ted Inouye, Lynne Matsumura, Ken & Lynette Mizuo, Ray Morikawa, Dennis Muffly, Karen Nishimoto, Marian Ogata, Jolene Ogle, Colleen Ogino, Betsy Sakoda, Gail Shibuya, Lorraine Shimauchi, Edith Ushio, James Yamamoto, Carolyn & Morton Yamasaki, Charlotte & Walter Yasumoto.



THANK YOU!





With Deepest Sympathy

Lihue Hongwanji extends its deepest sympathy to the family and relatives of:
The late Mr. Teruo Oshiro who died at the age of 86 years on February 3, 2014.

MEMORIAL SERVICE (NENKI HOYO)

MARCH –APRIL 2014

The following is a list of members who passed away during the months of March and April. In Jodo Shin Buddhism, memorial services are observed to remind the family members of the compassion of Amida Buddha in memory of the deceased.

Lihue Hongwanji Mission recommends that the families and relatives of the deceased members listed below contact the temple office at 245-6262 for an appointment.

1st Year Memorial Service—2013

2013	March 16	Betty Satoyo Kurihara
2013	April 9	Fumiko Sato
2013	April 14	Yoichi Arita

3rd YEAR MEMORIAL SERVICE—2012

2012	March 3	Hilda Inouye
2012	March 9	George Ohama
2012	March 22	Harold Sato
2012	April 6	Kanao Asaoka

7th YEAR MEMORIAL SERVICE—2008

2008	March 12	Kiyomi Ishiyama
2008	March 18	Beatrice Bernal
2008	March 27	Tatsuo Tsuruda
2008	March 29	Tsutayo Saito

13th YEAR MEMORIAL SERVICE—2002

2002	March 24	Masae Kanemoto
2002	April 6	Shigeyo Doris Watanabe
2002	April 9	Richard Koichi Moriwaki
2002	April 23	Hisashi Seki

17th YEAR MEMORIAL SERVICE—1998

1998	March 17	Satsuki Yoneji
1998	April 10	John Tsukasa Abe
1998	April 27	Stanley Sueo Matsuda

25th YEAR MEMORIAL SERVICE—1990

1990	April 6	Shigeko Hamada
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33rd YEAR MEMORIAL SERVICE—1982

1982	March 22	Toshiyuki Ota
1982	April 3	Sai Naganuma

50th YEAR MEMORIAL SERVICE—1965

1965	None
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Acknowledgments as of February 19, 2014



MEMORIAL SERVICE:

In Memory of "Legs" Hideo Ibe (7 Yrs.)
 Mark & Audrey Hiranaka
 Akiyo Matsuyama & Family
 In Memory of Satoshi Morita (7 Yrs.)
 Jane & Glenn Nagaishi
 In Memory of Murae Inouye (13 Yrs.)
 Grace & Bruce Inouye
 In Memory of Sachihide Motoyoshi (13 Yrs.)
 Akiyo Matsuyama
 In Memory of Isao Yoshishige (13 Yrs.)
 Yoshishige Families
 In Memory of Guy Fujiuchi (17 Yrs.)
 Gladys Fujiuchi
 In Memory of Tetsu Sasaki (17 Yrs.)
 Wayne Nishi
 Audrey Hiranaka
 Akiyo Matsuyama & Family
 In Memory of Hanayo Mukai (17 Yrs.)
 Masa & Jane Arita
 In Memory of Masato Mukai (17 Yrs.)
 Masa & Jane Arita
 In Memory of Ayako Urakawa (17 Yrs.)
 Winston & Marian Ogata
 In Memory of Ethel Inagaki
 Laraine Moriguchi
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 In Memory of Matsu Ito
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 In Memory of Seichi Higuchi
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 In Memory of Kazuo Fujimoto
 Gilbert & Helen Fujimoto
 In Memory of Mitsuru "Sammy" Sasaki
 Blaine Sasaki
 Joyce Sasaki
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 Sumako Ichimasa
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 In Memory of Kiyoshi Inouye
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NEW YEAR'S PARTY EXPENSE DONATION:

Shirley Hashimoto

HOMEBOUND PROJECT DONATION:

Arlene Fujikawa, Lynne Matsumura, Lynette Mizuo, Joann Naganuma, Carol Ozaki, Betsy Sakoda, Carolyn Yamasaki, Charlotte Yasumoto, Carol Valentine

LHM Senior Buddhist Association

Newly installed officers of LHM SBA are: President -Ray Morikawa; Vice-President -Roy Tanaka; Secretary - Gladys Fujiuchi; Treasurer - Morton Yamasaki; Auditors:Violet Tsuchiyama and Robert Yotsuda. The installation service took place on February 23, followed by dinner at the Brick Oven in Wailua.

Officers for LHWA were installed on Sunday January 26.

The following officers were installed:



President: Gail Shibuya

1st VP: Carol Valentine

2nd VP: Marian Ogata

Recording Secretary: Gladys Fujiuchi

Corresponding Secretaries:

Janet Niitani

Charlotte Yasumoto

Treasurer: Lillian Amimoto

Asst. Treasurer: Yoko Takabayashi

Auditors: Joann Naganuma

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**Spring Higan Service**

March 23 at 9:00 AM

Speaker: Rev. Tennes, Kahului Hongwanji Mission

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