

# Dharma Wheel

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Embrace Change: Harmony (Accept Differences)

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### COMMITTEE ON SOCIAL CONCERNS



"Omimai", as you may already know, is a Japanese custom that is often used to inquire and call or visit someone who is ill or who has had an accident. The Committee on Social Concerns (CSC) uses the term "Omimai" to reach out and respectfully express our concern to a member (or a temple) who has experienced some type of unexpected hardship, particularly in the case of property damage from a disaster.

At the May 5th HHMH Board of Directors meeting, the following Emergency Disaster related actions were approved, coordinated with the Office of the Bishop, on behalf of the recent rain-related disaster on Kauai. A donation of \$4,000 is being sent to Kauai Hongwanji Council (KHC) with KHC to determine and distribute funds to organization(s) and/or individual(s) working towards rain and flood disaster relief efforts on Kauai, in addition to donations to individuals who personally experienced rain-related damage to their home/property. In addition to the donations for Kauai, a donation of \$1,100 was also given to the Hawaii State VOAD (Volunteer Organizations Active in Disaster) because of their disaster-related help. Honpa Hongwanji Mission of Hawaii is an official member of the Hawaii VOAD. The Hawaii VOAD consists of non-profit organizations, faith-based groups, and partner government agencies. Please visit: [www.hivoad.communityos.org](http://www.hivoad.communityos.org) for information.

Along with the Kauai rain/flooding disaster help, Honpa Hongwanji Mission of Hawaii is continuing to assess the on-going volcanic/lava disaster impacts to our members (and temples) on the Big Island. Because of the unpredictable nature and the potential damages that an active volcano may cause, this assessment will take some time as conditions continue to change over time.

Currently, the CSC is not planning to set-up a special collection for the Kauai and Big Island disasters but will rely on currently available funds from the Social Welfare Fund which is replenished through donations from annual Social Concerns fund drives. The Committee on Social Concerns is grateful for the generous donations from Honpa Hongwanji members and the CSC will continue to monitor the fund balance to ensure that a minimum level remains available in the fund, especially considering the 2018 hurricane season beginning soon.

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## Calendar of Events

### June

Sun	3	9:00 AM	Family Dharma Service Birthday & Monthly Memorial
Tue	5	4:30 PM	Lihue Cemetery Bon Service
Wed	6	4:30 PM	Kauai Memorial Garden Bon Service
Sun	10	9:00 AM 10:30 AM	Family Dharma Service Farewell Luncheon for Rev. Takahashi
Tues	12	7:30 PM	Board of Directors Mtg.
Sun	17	9:00 AM	Hatsubon/Bon Service  <i>Fathers Day</i>
Fri	22	6:30 PM	Service
		7:30 PM	<b>LHM Bon Dance</b>
Sat	23	6:30 PM	Service
		7:30 PM	<b>LHM Bon Dance</b>
Sun	24	8:00 AM	<b>Bon Dance Clean-up</b> No Service

### JULY

Sun	1		No Service
Sun	8		No Service
Tues	10	7:30 PM	Board of Directors Mtg.
Sun	15	9:00 AM	Family Dharma Service
Sun	22	9:00 AM	Family Dharma Service Birthday & Monthly Memorial
Sun	29	9:30 AM	Kauai District Joint Sunday Service at West Kauai Hongwanji (Hanapepe) Speaker: Dr. Kenneth Tanaka

Rev. Takahashi will conduct a Bon Graveside Service at other cemeteries upon request. If you wish to have a service, please call him at 245-6262.



## Visitation Schedule

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. Takahashi at 245-6262 or 245-4543.

June	Visitation	Schedule	
Wed	June 6	2:30 PM	Regency at Puakea, Service/Visitation
Tues	June 19	10:00 AM	Wilcox Hospital / Garden Isle Health Care, Service/Visitation
Wed	June 20	9:30 AM	Mahelona Hospital Ext. Care, Service/Visitation
Service in	June is cancelled		Hale Kupuna Heritage Home Visitation

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

### Bodhisattvas

**The Buddha said to Ananda, “Bodhisattvas in that land, supported by the Buddha's majestic powers, in as short as it takes to eat one meal, go to countless worlds in the ten quarters in order to pay homage and make offerings to the Buddhas, the World-honored Ones. In accordance with their thoughts, innumerable and countless offerings including flowers, incense, music, silken canopies, and banners, spontaneously appear just as they wish. They are rare, exquisite, excellent, and unlike those of this world. They are always offered to the great assembly of Buddhas, bodhisattvas, and sravakas. ... The bodhisattvas rejoice together, play celestial music in the air, and sing songs with wondrous voices praising the virtues of the Buddhas. They hear and accept the teaching with great joy.”** (The Sutra on the Buddha of Immeasurable Life: *The Three Pure Land Sutras*, p. 61)

This passage is from *the Sutra of the Buddha of Immeasurable Life or the Larger Sutra*. Sakyamuni Buddha talked to Ananda who is one of his disciples about the Bodhisattvas who pay homage and make offerings to the Buddhas. I cannot help but read this passage again and again now.

It was recently announced that as of July 1, I will be transferred from Lihue Hongwanji to the Honpa Hongwanji Mission of Hawaii Headquarters as the Executive Assistant to the Bishop. I was assigned to Lihue Hongwanji in September, 2014. Since then three years and ten months have passed like a flash. As I write my last article for the Dharma Wheel, I would like to express my deepest gratitude to all of you. I have been able to perform my responsibilities until today because of your kind help, warm support, encouragement and generous advice.

Through my ministry at Lihue Hongwanji, I have had a lot of opportunities to share the Nembutsu teachings with you. I delivered my messages at Sunday services, funeral services, memorial services, various activities, etc. I had conversations and discussions about Buddhism with you occasionally. At the same time, reflecting on the period I stayed here, I feel you have enabled me to deepen the joy of listening and sharing the teaching of Nembutsu.

When you hear Buddhist temple or sangha, what comes to your mind? I guess there are many different ideas. Speaking of Lihue Hongwanji, I think of each one of you, the Nembutsu teaching, the beautiful altar, the temple buildings and grounds which contain a long history and thoughts of the past ministers and a number of members who have transmitted the Nembutsu teaching and supported Lihue Hongwanji.

In addition, if we think about temple from Buddha's enlightened viewpoint, we can see another view. According to the passage of the Larger Sutra, Bodhisattvas in the Pure Land go to countless worlds in order to pay homage and to make offerings to the Buddhas. If that is the case, where can we see them? After reading this passage again and again, I feel that I could see Bodhisattvas at Lihue Hongwanji over the past three years and ten months.

According to Shinran Shonin, Amida Buddha's working has two aspects: the aspect for our going forth to the Pure Land and the aspect for our return to this world to teach and guide all beings as Bodhisattvas. In this life, we cannot become a Buddha or a Bodhisattva because we are ordinary human beings possessed of blind passions. However, through listening to the Jodo Shinshu teaching, I can consider everyone I have met as Bodhisattvas. There are kind Bodhisattvas, strict Bodhisattvas, and Bodhisattvas who give me a helping hand. Such Bodhisattvas kindly appeared before me as I walked the path of life to Buddhahood under Amida Buddha's wisdom and compassion.

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While we know that members may want to make donations with good intentions to help, the following advice should be heeded before any donations are made. (This information comes from Mr. Ken Okimoto, the Big Island representative to the CSC) "Before you donate, pay attention to what kinds of donations are requested; be sure who or what responsible group is willing and able to handle your donation; don't just donate whatever to whomever." Monetary donations are usually quicker, easier to coordinate, and allows maximum flexibility for the recipient to meet unmet needs. Remember, too, it is the donor's responsibility to research an organization or a fund to be sure it is valid and will be used for disaster relief efforts in the designated area before a donation is made.

If you know of anyone who is in need of assistance due to the recent disasters on Kauai or the Big Island, please contact the CSC or call the LHM office (245-6262) for further information.

Disaster preparedness is everyone's responsibility. Are you ready for a disaster? Is your hurricane kit ready?

Rev. Takahashi's message, continued from page 3

As I am leaving Lihue Hongwanji, I cannot help but think about everyone who supported and nurtured me. I learned a lot from everyone who pays homage, makes offerings to the Buddhas and always supports the temple. Amida Buddha's calling voice reached my ears so many times when the temple resonated with the sound of Namo Amida Butsu. Remembering my tenure at Lihue Hongwanji, I just put my hands together in Gassho; and full of gratitude, I say Namo Amida Butsu.

I am assured that all my experiences at Lihue Hongwanji will become my strength from now on. It is hard to say farewell, but after leaving, I will be able to look forward to seeing you again. Until then, please take good care of yourselves. Once again, thank you very much. Aloha and a big Mahalo. Namo Amida Butsu.

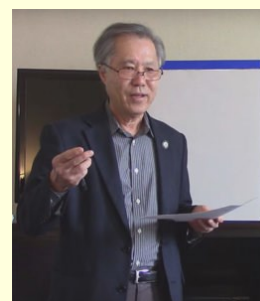
**Who/What:** **Dr. Kenneth Tanaka** will be coming to Kauai to speak. He was a minister with BCA, a professor at IBS in Berkeley, California and a professor of Buddhist Studies in Japan. Dr. Tanaka's new books explore how Shin Buddhism can be used to deal with everyday life.

**When:** July 28, at LHM, time TBA

July 29, 2018 at 9:30 at West Kauai Hongwanji,

Hanapepe location for a Kauai District Joint Service

More information will be forth coming.



**INTRODUCTION OF A NEW MINISTER**

Rev. Kerry Kiyohara is kaikyōshi minister serving the Honpa Hongwanji Mission of Hawaii. He received tokudo ordination in 2016, graduated Chuo Bukkyo Gakuin Seminary and received kyōshi certification in 2018.



Rev. Kerry Kiyohara previously built profitable brands and businesses over two decades as a creative copywriter, corporate executive, and strategy consultant. He graduated with BA and MBA degrees from University of Southern California, and worked in Tokyo, Beijing, and Shanghai.

Rev. Kerry Kiyohara speaks English, Japanese, basic Spanish, survival Chinese, and struggles with da kine Hawaiian Creole English. He is very happy to be called 'grandpa' by a precious six-year-old granddaughter.

Rev. Kerry Kiyohara is currently taking the New Minister's Orientation at Headquarters and Honpa Hongwanji Hawaii Betsuin. He will be assigned to Makawao Hongwanji Mission on Maui as its Resident Minister as of June 1, 2018.

**BWA STUDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAM TO JAPAN IN 2019**

Every other year, we send two female delegates to Japan as exchange students in compliance with a resolution adopted during the Third World Buddhist Women's Convention held in Honolulu in June 1967. The stated aim of the resolution was "nurturing future leaders for Jodo Shinshu women's activities through exposure to Buddhist culture in Japan, oriental culture and youth movement and as a mission of good will.

Seeking Delegates for the 2019 Exchange Program

What: Student Exchange Program to Japan

When: Late July to early August 2019 (14 days)

Who: Two Hawaii women, ages 17–23 years old

Why: Be exposed to Buddhist and Asian culture; Be a missionary of good will

Applications must be received at the address above by October 31, 2018.

If you have any questions, call 808-522-9200 or contact a BWA member. Click here for more information:

<http://hawaiiibwa.org/programs/student-exchange/>

**Moving Forward Just As You Are –Living in These Uncertain times-**

Written by Monshu Kojun Ohtani

Sell Price: \$10.00

This book was written by 25th Monshu (Head Priest) Kojun Ohtani of Honzan (Nishi-Hongwanji) and was originally published in Japanese in the title "Arinomamani, Hitamukini" in September 2016. Its English version, "Moving Forward Just As You Are" was recently published by Hongwanji Office, Berkeley, CA. English Translation was done by Rev. Takashi Miyaji who is a Kaikyoshi Minister at BCA. Monshu Kojun Ohtani wrote, "In this book I will talk about my thoughts on how to live "moving forward just as we are," so that we are not led astray by our wavering hearts or the chaotic world we live in. We do not have to feel like we always need to be in control of our lives. In Fact, our worries and concerns in life are the stepping stones to finding the true source of strength. I sincerely hope that this easy to understand reading can in some way lead to great joy for anyone who may be bearing on one's shoulders the many fears and anxieties of life."

**HONGWANJI JOINT CONFERENCE**

Don't miss out! Two hundred eight of your fellow members have signed up for the first ever Hongwanji Joint Conference from September 1st to 3rd at the Ala Moana Hotel. But don't worry... there's always room for you! Registration is open until July 20th. Forms are available on the Hongwanji website or from your temple president.

Of course, in addition to services and workshops, there's the opportunity to talk story with your friends from across the state. Saturday night is a free night, and the Okinawan Festival is just down the block at the Hawaii Convention Center. Sunday night is our banquet with great food and good entertainment. It's a weekend not to be missed... see you there!

Check out additional information on the Lihue Hongwanji website:

<https://www.lihuehongwanjimission.com/joint-conference-2018/>

At the most recent Legislative Assembly (Giseikai), held at Honpa Hongwanji headquarters on Oahu on February 9 & 10, a resolution was presented to all Assembly members and passed unanimously honoring a long-time Lihue Hongwanji member, Mr. Theodore “Ted” Inouye for his commitment to Lihue Hongwanji, to Jodo Shinshu and to the community of Kauai. The resolution, as presented, is included below.

**RESOLUTION 2018-3**

**RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION AND CONDOLENCE**

**MR. THEODORE “TED” INOUE**

**(Kauai Hongwanji Council)**

WHEREAS, the late Theodore “Ted” Inouye, who passed away on May 20, 2017, was a devout and dedicated Jodo Shinshu follower and a valuable member of Lihue Hongwanji Mission; and

WHEREAS, because of his desire to serve and further the goals of Lihue Hongwanji, Ted served as President of Lihue Hongwanji Mission for a total of five years with dignity and caring; and

WHEREAS, Ted unselfishly assumed the chairmanship of the Lihue Hongwanji bon dance festivities for a period exceeding 20 years and was responsible for its total documentation, making for future seamless transitions; and

WHEREAS, Ted conscientiously coordinated the maintenance and upkeep of all facilities and grounds of Lihue Hongwanji for many years through his untiring supervision of the weekly volunteer, Hoshakai, group; and

WHEREAS, Ted’s deep desire in having Lihue Hongwanji become an integral and contributing entity in Kauai’s larger community, led to his tireless effort in securing grants for a bus stop shelter and for presenting the Kenny Endo Taiko Group and the Gleemen Plus performers to the Kauai public during Lihue Hongwanji’s Centennial Celebration;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the 106th Legislative Assembly of Honpa Hongwanji Mission of Hawaii extend its deepest appreciation and heartfelt sympathy and condolences to the family of the late Theodore” Ted” Inouye; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be presented to Mrs. Alice Inouye and their children, Derek Inouye and Ross Inouye, in grateful appreciation.



Come and wish



***Farewell and Best Wishes!***

**to Rev. Kazunori Takahashi**

**Sunday, June 10, 2018**

**10:30 AM**

**Lihue Hongwanji Mission Social Hall**

**Luncheon & Program**

**COST: FREE to all LHM members**

**\$10.00 for all non-members**

**RSVP required: Call Gail Shibuya at 245-2905 by June 3, 2018**

**Join us in September for the History-Making,  
First Time Ever Joint Conference!**

**BWA, Lay Association, Jr. YBA and the Ministers' Spouses**

**will be combined for a fabulous weekend of friendship, entertainment**

**and learning opportunities!**

**Come Share in the Fun!**

**Dates: September 1-3, 2018**

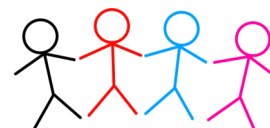
**Where: Ala Moana Hotel**

**Theme: *Embrace Change – Harmony (Accept Differences)***

***Deadline for Registration is July 20***

**For more information and registration forms, check out the LHM website :**

**<https://www.lihuehongwanjimission.com/joint-conference-2018/>**





## LHWA NEWS

Please register for the 2018 Joint Conference!  
(includes the BWA State Convention)

Information can be found on the LHM website:  
[www.lihuehongwanjimission.com](http://www.lihuehongwanjimission.com)

### LHWA Meetings

All meetings will begin after service

**July 1 (to be rescheduled)**

**November 4**

## New Members Welcome



There is an ongoing collection of small toiletries for the Mana Olana Homeless Shelter on Kauai. This is a project sponsored by the Lihue Hongwanji Women's Association. Items may be dropped off on any Sunday from 9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.



### Kauai United Hongwanji Buddhist Women's Association Scholarship Recipients

On May 6, two Lihue Hongwanji students were recognized for their achievements in their educational pursuits. Jana Ogle and Rina Takabayashi each received \$1,000 for their college education. Jana is planning on going to UNLV for her education. Rina will be attending KCC for one year then transferring to a college on the mainland.

They were also treated to a luncheon at JJ's following the service.

Congratulations and best wishes for both students as they move on to the next phase of their lives.



Rev. Takahashi, Rina Takabayashi, Jana Ogle, Lynne Matsumura, President of KUHBWA



# LIHUE HONGWANJI MISSION

## BON DANCE JUNE 22 & 23



### Construction dates for LHM Bon Dance

**all starting at 8:00 AM**

Please come to help if you are able. All are welcome!

#### **Saturday, June 9**

Yagura, dance ring, lights, etc.

#### **Saturday, June 16**

Food booth, eating tent, etc.

Omigaki (altar cleaning)

#### **Sunday, June 24**

Clean-up, put away equipment



Do you have a refrigerator you are willing to donate to LHM (for bon dance and other uses)?

If you can help, please contact the LHM office @ 245-6262. Thank you!



### 2018 KAUAI BUDDHIST COUNCIL BON DANCE SCHEDULE

All Bon Odori will begin at 7:30 pm

June 8-9	Kapaa Jodo Mission
June 15-16	West Kauai Hongwanji Mission (Hanapepe)
<b>June 22-23</b>	<b>Lihue Hongwanji Mission</b>
June 29-30	Waimea Shingon Mission
July 6-7	Koloa Jodo Mission
July 13-14	West Kauai Hongwanji Mission (Waimea)
July 20-21	Kapaa Hongwanji Mission
July 27-28	Waimea Higashi Hongwanji
August 3-4	Kauai Soto Zen Temple





## CHILDREN'S GAME PRIZES

## DONATION REQUEST

“Gently” used stuffed animals,  
Small toys suitable for prizes  
Please bring to the church office by  
June 8. Thank you.

## BAKED GOODS- DONATION REQUEST

Butter- 10#

Almond extract-3 bottles

Crisco shortening (48 oz)- 3  
cans

Wesson salad oil (1.5 qt) - 2 bottles

Eggs - 6 dozens

Rice Chex cereal (12.8 oz )- 2  
boxes

Honey Comb cereal (12.5 oz)-  
2 boxes

Fritos (10.5 oz) - 4 bags

Cheetos (9  $\frac{3}{4}$  oz) - 4 bags  
(crunchy type, not puffs)

Bugles (14.5 oz) - 4 bags

# Pretzel



# Country Store

Bon Dance Country Store donations of gently used & washed clothing, non-perishable household goods, books and crafts will be accepted until June 15.

**No stained or soiled items will be accepted.** Please deliver during office hours

9:00 am to 12 noon, Monday-Friday or call Amy Yamada at 245-6262 to arrange another time.

Plants may be delivered on Wednesday, June 20 or Thursday, June 21.

Please fill the Country Store Donation form below. More forms are available at the church.

## LHM COUNTRY STORE DONATION

Donor's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

[illegible]

If there are any errors or if your name is not listed, please call Amy Yamada at 245-6262 between the hours of 9AM and 12 Noon.

**FUNERAL SERVICE:**

In memory of Fujiko Mamura  
The Fujiko Mamura Family

**7 DAY SERVICE:**

In memory of Fujiko Mamura  
The Fujiko Mamura Family

**INURNMENT & SERVICE:**

In memory of Fujiko Mamura  
The Fujiko Mamura Family

**49<sup>th</sup> DAY SERVICE:**

In memory of Hisao Mizumura  
Yayoi Mizumura

**MEMORIAL SERVICE DONATION:**

In memory of Ted Inouye (1 Yr.)  
Roy & Arleen Tanaka  
In memory of Takeshi Matsuda (3 Yrs.)  
The Matsuda Family  
Randall Matsuda  
Sue Fujii  
In memory of Fusayo Fujii (17 Yrs.)  
Arnold Fujii  
Stephen & Sylvia Fujii  
In memory of Katherine Matsuda (17 Yrs.)  
Family of Takeshi Matsuda  
Randall Matsuda  
Sue Fujii  
In memory of Agnes Miyamoto (17 Yrs.)  
Janet Niitani  
In memory of Takeshi Ota (25 Yrs.)  
Hideko Uemura  
In memory of Chidori Toda (33 Yrs.)  
Wayne & Michele Tanaka  
In memory of Peggy Yaka  
Richard & Misao Higashi  
In memory of Lily Nakamoto  
Arleen Sakai  
Marilyn Nakamoto  
Gail Kuranishi  
Wade Nakamoto  
In memory of Satoru Masuda  
Arlene Fujikawa  
In memory of Hilda Inouye  
Lawrence Kashiwabara  
In memory of Hisao Mizumura  
Richard & Misao Higashi

**COLUMBARIUM MEMORIAL DONATION:**

In memory of Robert Sasaki  
Kerry & Mona Lee  
In memory of James Onishi  
Natsue Onishi  
In memory of James & Agnes Miyamoto  
Janet Niitani  
In memory of George & Elsie Toyofuku  
Guy & Lori Toyofuku  
In memory of Akiko Higuchi  
Amy Yamada  
In memory of Mitsuko Higuchi (Mother's Day)  
Amy Yamada  
Anonymous

**SPECIAL DONATION:**

Roy & Carol Fujioka  
Ronald & Karen Murakami  
Shigeta/Mitsubishi  
Family of Fujiko Mamura

**HANAMATSURI DONATION:**

Edwin Nakaya & Charlyn Nakamine  
Violet Tsuchiyama

**MEMORIAL DAY DONATION:**

Amy Yamada

**O-BON SERVICE DONATION:**

In memory of James Onishi  
Natsue Onishi  
Richard & Misao Higashi

**O-BON DONATION:**

Carl & Faith Matsumura  
Mildred Matsuyoshi

**COUNTRY STORE DONATION:**

Robert & Alma Yotsuda

**SOCIAL CONCERN DONATION:**

Violet Tsuchiyama

**HOONKO SERVICE DONATION:**

Natsue Onishi

**SPRING HIGAN SERVICE DONATION:**

Natsue Onishi  
Violet Tsuchiyama

If there are any errors or if your name is not listed, please call Amy Yamada at 245-6262 between the hours of 9AM and 12 Noon.

**AUTUMN HIGAN SERVICE DONATION:**

Natsue Onishi

Judy Segawa

Natsue Onishi

Laura Hirokawa

Lillian Amimoto

**EITAIKYO SERVICE DONATION:**

Natsue Onishi

**MAJOR PROJECT DONATION:**

Violet Tsuchiyama

**GOTAN-E SERVICE DONATION:**

Robert Yotsuda

Chimako Miyoshi

Robert & Karen Nishimoto

Glenn Shibuya

Janet Niitani

Setsuo Ushio

Hideko Uemura

Amy Yamada

Rowena Yamada

Morton Yamasaki

Janet Fujii

Arlene Fujikawa

Kenneth Mizuo



**MOTHER'S DAY DONATION:**

In memory of Misayo Morimoto

Allan & Jean Morimoto

In memory of Bernice Quon

Glenn & Gail Shibuya

In memory of Ayako Shibuya

Glenn & Gail Shibuya

In memory of Nancy Quon

Glenn & Gail Shibuya

In memory of Takino Yamada

Amy Yamada

## Relay for Life

The LHM Dharma Dragons, led by James Yamamoto, raised over \$12,000 in donations for Relay for Life.

This year's theme of the event, held at Hanapepe Stadium on April 28 & 29, was sports. The Dharma Dragons carried out the theme with a Putting Game and Wheel of Fortune with prizes of rounds of golf at

the Poipu Bay Golf Course and room stay at the Kauai Marriott, as well as a cute Golf Buggy crafted by Walter Yasumoto. Baked goods and craft items were sold with all proceeds going to the American Cancer Society.





## **MEMORIAL SERVICE (NENKI HOYO)**

### **JUNE-JULY**

The following is a list of members who passed away during the months of June and July. 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.

### *With Deepest Sympathy*

Lihue Hongwanji extends its deepest sympathy to the family and relatives of:  
The late Julia Kunikiyo who died on April 1, 2018 at the age of 96 years.



#### **1st YEAR MEMORIAL SERVICE—2017**

2017 NONE

#### **17th YEAR MEMORIAL SERVICE—2002**

2002 NONE

#### **3rd YEAR MEMORIAL SERVICE—2016**

2016	June 23	Peggy Yaka
2016	July 17	Anne Watase

#### **25th YEAR MEMORIAL SERVICE—1994**

1994	June 5	Yoichi Watada
1994	July 22	Masaji Kusaka

#### **7th YEAR MEMORIAL SERVICE—2012**

2012	July 12	James Karimoto
2012	July 24	Lynn Kawaguchi

#### **33rd YEAR MEMORIAL SERVICE—1986**

1986	June 13	Seiichiro Ogata
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#### **13th YEAR MEMORIAL SERVICE—2006**

2006	June 27	Motomu Yamamoto
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#### **50th YEAR MEMORIAL SERVICE—1969**

1969	June 2	Asakichi Nakamoto
1969	June 9	Itsuki Nagano

## **Passages Relating to Nurturing the Sangha Bishop Eric Matsumoto**

Lay followers should not only believe in the Three Treasures...by themselves, but also they should, as far as they are able, help others...especially their relatives and friends, trying to awaken in them an unshakable faith in the Buddha, the Dharma and the Sangha, so that they, too, may share in Buddha's compassion.

From The Teachings of the Buddha, page 398



**Lihue Hongwanji Mission, a Shin Buddhist Temple**

Lihue Hongwanji Mission  
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Lihue, Hawaii 96766-5248  
Return Service Requested

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U.S. Postage, Paid  
Lihue, HI  
Permit No. 73

**Embrace Change:  
Harmony**  
(Accept Differences)



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***Farewell Luncheon for Rev. Kazunori Takahashi***

*June 10, 2018*

*Lihue Hongwanji Mission*

*Please see page 7 for more information*

**Bon & Hatsubon Service**

June 17, 2018

9:00 AM

