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#### THIS MONTH'S EVENTS

All scheduled Sunday services will be held in-person and via Zoom in the Hondo unless otherwise noted. All other in-person activities and events are postponed until further notice. We will continue to follow all Federal, State and City safety protocols. Please keep in mind that service schedules are subject to change without notice. Thank you.

For all Zoom services and programs please contact the Jikoen office for access information.

Sun 11/6	• Eitaikyo and Shotsuki Monthly Memorial Service Time: 9:00 a.m., Speaker: Rev. Dr. Bert Sumikawa, In-person & via Zoom	
Tue 11/8	General Election Day (Office & Preschool closed)	
Fri 11/11	Veterans Day Holiday (Office & Preschool closed)	
Sun 11/13	NO SERVICE AT JIKOEN     Virtual Board of Directors Monthly Meeting     Time: 10:30 a.m., On Zoom	
Wed 11/16	• Jikoen Virtual Living Dharma Session – Rev. Nishiyama Time: 9:00 a.m., On Zoom	
Sun 11/20	• Keirokai Recognition Service and Appreciation Brunch (see page 11 for details) ~ 9:00 a.m. Service in the Hondo – elevator lift available ~ Brunch and short program to follow	
Thu, 11/24 thru Fri, 11/25	Thanksgiving Holiday (Office and Preschool closed)	
Sun 11/27	• Thanksgiving Family Sangha Service Time: 9:00 a.m., In-person & via Zoom	
Sun 12/4	<ul> <li>Bodhi Day Service – HBC Hawaii Buddhist Council</li> <li>NO SERVICE AT JIKOEN</li> </ul>	
Sun 12/11	• Jikoen Bodhi Day Service Time: 9:00 a.m., In-Person Guest Minister: Rev. Tomo Hojo (West Kauai Hongwanji), In-person & via Zoom	

### MINISTER'S MESSAGE Rev. Shindo Nishiyama

# Our Reason for Living

私達がこの世に生まれてきた理由は | 人でも 私を必要としてくれる人のためです。仏教は その大切さを教えてくれる教えなのです。だか ら今日からでも私を必要としてくれる人たち のために毎日をよろこびの中で生きること、 そのような生き方を慈光園でともに聞かせて いただきましょう。

The reason we are born into this world is to live for those who need us, even if it is just one other person. Buddhism teaches us the importance of this. So starting even from today, let us live each day in the joy of serving those who need us. Together at Jikoen, let's share and learn about this way of life.



# HILITES FROM HQ NEWS UPDATES (October, 2022)

# "Exquisite Manifestations of True Entrusting" Bishop Eric Matsumoto

Recently, I was honored to participate in a temple anniversary celebrating the temple's 125 years of history and re-affirm its legacy. In my mind, this particular temple, which was founded in 1897 which makes it the third oldest temple in Hawaii, has two rich intertwining noteworthy legacies.

First, the inspiring spiritual legacy of the temple as captured in the book "Dharma Treasures, Spiritual Insights from Hawaii's Shin Buddhist Pioneers" by Rev. Tatsuo Muneto which captures the spiritual journey and religious experience of some remarkable people of the nembutsu of this locale. Some have gained the attention of renowned scholars of Buddhism such as the late D. T. Suzuki and others while less known still provide us with valuable insights into Shin Buddhism which may also help us in our own spiritual quest. For example, "Joyful brightness, having entrusted everything to Amida, I am saved just as I am!" by Jutaro Oshima or (part of) Ume Hirano's encouragement "If you truly love your child, teach him/her well about the teaching

of Buddha, attaining birth in the Buddha land of peace. That is the compassion of parents that forever remains." and the words of Iwaichi Nakamura who said, "In the timeless process of birth-and-death, for the first time I was made to realize the Other Power of Amida Buddha. My understanding resulted from listening, but listening is nothing, but a little scratch on a precious gem. I trusted my understanding instead of trusting Amida. Until now, I was satisfied with my understanding. But, my understanding does not save me; It is Amida who saves me."

Second, there is the wondrous physical manifestation of the first legacy which is the beautiful temple, as a Nembutsu Dojo, with its prized koa wood pews and unique Hawaiian Sandalwood image of "Amida who

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#### **OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY**

The Jikoen ohana sends its sincere condolences to the families of our Dharma friends:

Grace Haruko Isa (95) of Honolulu, passed away on August 27, 2022. Born in Honomu, Hawaii, she was preceded in death by her husband Shigeru, brothers Wallace Nishihara, and Stanley Susumu Nishihara; sisters Natsue Kaneshiro, Miyoko Taira, and Tomiko Masaki. She is survived by son Derek; daughters Ellen (Steve) Nakayama, Iris Isa, and Gerri Isa of Hilo; grandchildren and great-grandchildren; brother Royden (Rose) Nishihara; sisters Shigeko Hirano of Hilo and Ellen (Cliff) Mikasa of Torrance, CA.; numerous nieces and nephews.

Bert Masamitsu Shiira (81) of Honolulu, Hawaii, passed away on June 4, 2022. Survived by wife Sharon, son Scott and daughter Shelly; brothers Ronald and Mike; sisters Sharen Kamisato and Carol-Ann Nakamura. Predeceased by his brother Eugene Shiira.

**Derry M. Shimabukuro** (67) of Honolulu passed away on August 10, 2022, in Los Angeles. Survived by his wife Debra; daughter Crystal (Vince) and their children: Natalie, Noland, and Violet, son Brandon (Sandra); sister Doris of California.

May happy memories and the O-Nembutsu sustain you in your sadness. Namo Amida Butsu.

November 1, 2022

Dear Jikoen Ohana,

#### 2022-2023 Annual Social Concerns Fund Drive

We celebrate gratitude in the month of November. The Thanksgiving holiday and the Eitaikyo (Honoring Our Ancestors) observance are reminders of the countless blessings in our lives and how we live deeply connected to the world around us. It is in this spirit of profound gratitude that we begin our Annual Social Concerns Fund Drive. The fund drive will begin November 1, 2022 through August 31, 2023 and we will submit Jikoen's collected donations by the end of September 2023.

Through your generosity, the Honpa Hongwanji Mission of Hawaii is able to support worthy organizations and programs making a positive impact in our community. Your support also enables us to provide compassionate aid during times of disaster and the ability to skillfully respond to issues affecting our local and world communities.

Because of your commitment to promoting the Buddhist values of compassion and loving kindness, we have been able to support humanitarian relief efforts for those affected by the war in Ukraine and the volcanic eruption in Tonga. We also sponsored a series of suicide prevention events organized by the Samaritan Counseling Center of Hawaii, supported ongoing disaster relief planning by Hawaii Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster (Hawaii VOAD), renewed our support of The Interfaith Alliance Hawaii, and assisted food banks on every island in their mission to alleviate food insecurity.

We continue to award Golden Chain Grants to help nurture Dharma in action as well as COVID-19 Resilience Grants to help temples acquire PPE and cleaning supplies to operate safely during the ongoing pandemic.

A Fund Drive envelope has been provided for you. Please make your check payable to JIKOEN HONGWANJI MISSION. Jikoen will then remit one combined check to the Honpa Hongwanji Mission of Hawaii.

We encourage you to continue supporting the Annual Social Concerns Fund Drive to help worthy organizations and programs with funding to continue their work in our community.

Your support is greatly appreciated.

Mahalo!

Respectfully in gratitude,

Rev. Shindo Nishiyama Resident Minister

President

Poris D. Oshiro

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saves me" carved from Hawaiian Sandalwood harvested from the mountainous hills above the temple. However, did you know that there is an "older brother" image of the current Amida Buddha (which has returned home to the Honpa Hongwanji Mission of Hawaii)? Apparently, there develop a crack as often happens with wood and thus a second block of sandalwood was sent to Japan and that Amida Buddha image has been the temple's Object of Reverence since 1933.

By now, I am sure that many of you have guessed that I am referring to Kona Hongwanji. I sincerely hope that this legacy of Nembutsu, not only at Kona Hongwanji, but all of our temples in Hawaii will not be forgotten and will manifest itself with the sound of Namo Amida Butsu being gratefully recited and carried forward by us, of the present Sangha, so that future generations will also be able to encounter the unparalleled and unconditional Wisdom and Compassion of Amida Buddha as happened in the past.

Let us take to heart the words of our current Spiritual Leader, the 25th Gomonshu, His Eminence Kojun Ohtani's words to "Secure one's own entrusting heart to the Dharma, guiding others to the same path" and Shinran Shonin's words "I praise Amida's wisdom and virtue, So that beings with mature conditions throughout the ten quarters may hear. Let those who have realized shinjin, constantly respond in gratitude to the Buddha's benevolence."

To close, please join me to recite Namo Amida Butsu or The Buddha-s Name That I Call in gratitude, in response to Namo Amida Butsu, The Buddha's Name Which Calls Me to entrust. Namo Amida Butsu. Namo Amida Butsu. Namo Amida Butsu. Namo Amida Butsu/Entrusting in All-Inclusive Wisdom and All-Embracing Compassion.

# Living Dharma Study Gathering on ZOOM

Please mark you calendars for the next sessions at *6:00 p.m.* – *7:00 p.m. on:* 

Wednesday, November 16, 2022

Please RSVP to get the login information by calling the office at 808-845-3422 or emailing jikoen. info@gmail.com



### WHITE WAY RADIO

Moiliili Hongwanji's Weekly Dharma Message

- Saturdays at 7:45 am 8:00 am on KZOO AM1210
- Weekly messages go to www.moiliilihongwanji.org

#### November 2022

- 05 Rev. Blayne Nakasone
- 12 Rev. Alan Urasaki
- 19 Rev. Kazunori Takahashi
- 26 Rev. Joshin Kamuro
- ✓ Japanese-language Dharma talks Saturdays on KZOO AM1210 on Saturdays 7:30 am – 7:45 am; ondemand dharma talks in Japanese
- Dharma talks in Japanese are produced by Hawaii Betsuin and are archived on their website
- Your donation to Moiliili Hongwanji will be greatly appreciated to help support the White Way Radio broadcasts.

### **Obituary Notice**

Mr. Richard Nishihara, a member of Lahaina Hongwanji Mission, passed away on September 8, 2022. He was a president of Lahaina Hongwanji Mission, Chair of Maui Hongwanji Council, and HHMH Kyodan director. The Ingo of DAI-GYOU-IN 大楽院 which means "One who lived a life of Joyful True Entrusting" in recognition of his life of Nembutsu was conferred by Bishop Eric Matsumoto on October 10, 2022.

### Ministerial Assignments

**Rev. Bert Sumikawa**, currently in charge of Windward Buddhist Temple as a Retired Kaikyoshi Minister, will be relieved from that position as of November 1, 2022. However, Rev. Sumikawa will continue to assist as a mentor minister for Rev. Brennan. He will continue to

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# Kauai Hongwanji Council Nembutsu Seminar

# A Look at Shinran Shonin's Life and Thought

Friday, November 18, 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm (HST): Zoom

Guest Speaker: Rev. Dr. Takashi Miyaji



Shinran Shonin, the founder of the Jodo Shinshu school of Buddhism, sought enlightenment while practicing as a Tendai monk on Mt. Hiei. But as we look at the various episodes that develop in his life, we will come to see how he gradually turns over to the Great Working of Amida Buddha. How did this happen? What does this mean? What can it mean for us?

In this seminar, he will provide possible interpretations as to how certain events in Shinran's life helped to shape his religious thought. In addition, we will look at some of his writing to see what are the key points in his teaching, which will bring forth to light just how significant his contribution was to the development of Buddhism as a whole.

Rev. Dr. Takashi Miyaji is currently a minister at Southern Alameda County Buddhist Church since August 1, 2020. In addition, he teaches at the Institute of Buddhist Studies located in Berkeley, California. His previous assignment as a minister was at Tacoma Buddhist Temple from December 2017 to July 31, 2020.

He graduated from the University of California at Berkeley with a Bachelor's Degree in Philosophy and Japanese language and literature, Institute of Buddhist Studies at Berkeley, California with a Master's Degree in Buddhist Studies, Ryukoku University in Kyoto, Japan with a Master's Degree in Shin Buddhist Studies, and completed the doctoral coursework at Ryukoku University. He specializes in the areas of Japanese Buddhism and religion, translation of Buddhist scripture, and Jodo Shinshu doctrine and ethics.

Rev. Miyaji received his Tokudo and Kyoshi qualifications at the Honpa Hongwanji school located in Kyoto, Japan. He also obtained the academic ranking of *Hokyō* recognized within Hongwanji. He most recently completed his doctoral dissertation entitled, "Shin Buddhist Ethics," through Ryukoku University.

#### **Registration Fee:** Free (Registration Required)

Donations can be made to the Kauai Hongwanji Council. Please make a check payable to Kauai Hongwanji Council and send it to Lihue Hongwanji Mission 3-3556 Kuhio Highway, Lihue, HI 96766.

The maximum capacity is 100 people, first come, first served. We will email you a Zoom link three days prior to the seminar.

#### Click below to register!

"Registration Deadline: November 11,2022" https://forms.gle/52xuXUfLduCuXh1PA



When you complete the seminar registration, you will receive an automatic confirmation email from Google forms.

#### For further information, please contact:

Kapaa Hongwanji at 822-4667, West Kauai Hongwanji at 335-3195 or Lihue Hongwanji at 245-6262.

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provide ministerial services to Kapolei Buddhist Sangha.

**Rev. Barbara Brennan**, will be assigned to Windward Buddhist Temple as a Kaikyoshi-ho minister as of November 1, 2022.

**Rev. Charlene Kihara**, started her onboarding program at Hawaii Kyodan Headquarters from October 1, 2022. Her program will continue at Honpa Hongwanji Hawaii Betsuin from October 24, 2022.

### Minister Lay Assistants Gather for Annual Training Retreat

On October 8-9, 15 Minister Lay Assistants (MLA) met in Honolulu at the Buddhist Study Center with 4 faculty to learn how to better assist their temple ministers. The Hawaii MLA program is designed to nurture lay volunteers interested in helping in spiritual tasks and Dharma-centered projects at their temples. Continued steps towards becoming a minister are totally optional.

Nine temples (Hawaii Betsuin, Honomu, Jikoen, Kona,



Moiliili, Papaikou, Puna, Wahiawa, and Windward) were represented with a variety of MLA, Certified MLA, Certified MLA with Tokudo, and Kyoshi in attendance.

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Much Mahalo to all our generous donors for your continued support and for participating in Foodland's 2022 Give Aloha Community Matching Gifts Program. Foodland does not send us the list of donors so please turn in your receipts to Jikoen so we can recognize your donation.

Thank you to the following members and supporters who took the time to participate and turned in their receipts:

Terry Jean Arakaki
Juliana Higa (Makawao HI)
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Ross and Karen Sakuda
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Dorene and Jimmy Toma
Wayne and Sandra Toma
Gertrude Tomokiyo
Katsuo and Jean Yamashiro

# Congratulations!

Jikoen's success in Foodland's "Give Aloha" 2022 program has resulted in a top 100 finish!

Jikoen Hongwanji Mission Donations \$4,514.00

Foodland's Matching Gift \$1,170.81

**GRAND TOTAL** 

\$5,684.81

# Maui Nembutsu Seminar - November 19-20, 2022

# CHANGE OR DIE

Insights, Ideas, and Tips from Rev. Bob Oshita ("Retired Bob")

Rev. Bob Oshita was resident minister of Sacramento Buddhist Church for 32 years when the Sangha temple community grew to more than 1000 families and the Dharma School from 75 to 400 students, necessitating expansion of the Temple and Educational Facilities.

Don't miss out on this unique opportunity to learn from Rev. Bob's decades of experience in making Jodo Shinshu Buddhism "immediately relevant" in people's lives, at each stage of this unrepeatable life.

"If we don't make Jodo Shinshu immediately relevant in people's lives, then Hongwanji membership will continue to dwindle and our temples will continue to close."

-Rev. Bob Oshita

Session I: Jodo Shinshu for Everyone

Session II: Jodo Shinshu for Temple Growth

Session III: Jodo Shinshu for Youth, Parents, Grandparents, Uncles & Aunties

Session IV: Jodo Shinshu for Temple Leaders

Everyone is welcome to attend in-person (causes and conditions permitting) at Makawao Hongwanji on the beautiful island of Maui, or via livestream from anywhere in the world. The event is open to the public, admission is free, donations are welcome in the spirit in which they are given, and pre-registration is required for joining both in-person and via livestream.

In-Person Venue: Makawao Buddhist Temple, 1074 Makawao Avenue, Makawao, Maui

#### **Pre-Register Today!**

- (1) For more information, including daily schedules, please visit the <u>Maui Nembutsu</u> Seminar 2022 website
- (2) Online **Registration Form**
- (3) Call Rie in the Temple Office, (808) 572-7229, Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.
- (4) Scan the QR Code with your smartphone

The annual Maui Nembutsu Seminar is made possible by the generous support of the Maui Hongwanji Council, Maui Ministers Association, and the Office of Buddhist Education, Honpa Hongwanji Mission of Hawaii. Mahalo!





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Everyone enjoyed the fellowship, making new Dharma friends, and renewing old ones.

Study of temple rituals included creating a sacred space for worship, altar setup, meaning of religious objects, chanting, and developing a meaningful service order. Dharma communication workshops provided opportunities to deliver meaningful and relevant messages at worship services. The 2-day retreat was challenging and worthwhile, with most MLA's saying there was not enough time to cover as much as they wished.

The 2023 MLA Retreat will learn from this gathering and improve the program for more attendees to take steps along the Shin Buddhist path. Plan to join us next year!

#### **Upcoming HUOA Events**

The Hawaii United Okinawa Association (HUOA) is proud to announce the following schedule of events:

- Nov 26-27 HUOA Winter Craft Fair at Hawaii Okinawa Center (HOC) 9 am-2 pm
- Dec 7 HUOA An Evening in Waipio Craft Fair, HOC 5:30 pm- 9 pm
- Jan 21 73rd Uchinanchu of the Year & Installation Banguet, HOC

Check HUOA website - www.huoa. org for more information.



#### SHOTSUKI JOYOUS MONTHLY MEMORIAL SERVICE

Shotsuki Monthly Service is a time to remember our loved ones and a time to express gratitude in Gassho. This memorial service is held on the first Sunday of each month at 9:00am, in memory of those whose date of death falls in that month. We also recognize the efforts of those who have passed and thank them for their continuing influence in our lives and for giving us the opportunity to share the Buddha-Dharma.

Here are our loved ones who will be remembered in the month of December, 2022:

Alice Yaeko Azama ~ December 8, 1989 (59)

Kathy Yoko Arakaki - December 15, 1998 (63)

Yoshino Azama ~ December 17, 2016 (94)

Kikumi China - December 24, 2009 (83)

Elina Mitsuyo Chinen - December 5, 2019 (86)

Masayoshi Chinen - December 2, 2015 (88)

Wallace Seiko Chinen - December 17, 2002 (87)

Kathleen Otsumi Fukumoto - December 25, 2017 (98)

Shizuko Okita Furumoto - December 3, 2006 (98)

Masanobu Higa - December 10, 2006 (92)

Teisho Higa - December 30, 2011 (89)

Uto Higa - December 24, 2006 (99)

Kenneth Kenji "Ken" Horio - December 11, 1999 (74)

Hideko Ifuku ~ December 25, 2020 (104)

Jeannette Sanae Ige ~ December 2, 2018 (74)

Violet Chiyoko Iha ~ December 31, 2008 (99)

Bill Yoshikiyo Isa - December 22, 2016 (66)

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Herbert Masaru Isa - December 22, 2012 (82)

Lance Isa ~ December 28, 2015 (53)

Saburo Robert Isa - December 28, 1996 (74)

Kanyei Izumigawa - December 16, 1999 (95)

Shizuko Jakahi - December 12, 2012 (96)

Charles Tetsuichi Jitchaku - December 22, 2012 (91) Harold Bokuichi Kaneshiro - December 29, 2006 (90) Harry Nobuichi Kaneshiro - December 9, 1997 (62) Setsuko Gail Kaneshiro - December 11, 2014 (84) Tsuruko Kaneshiro - December 20, 2019 (95) Jean Kimiko Kawakami - December 14, 2011 (68) Kokuji Kochi - December 16, 2018 (83) Nobuhara Kohagura - December 26, 2005 (63) Rosaline Sumiko Kotani - December 5, 2016 (88) Beatrice Kuba - December 14, 2020 (91) Kama Kushimaejo - December 21, 1997 (96) Ted Katsumi Matsuura - December 26 (72) Aileen Sanae Miyahira - December 19, 2021 (69) Melanie Miyasato-Crawford - December 5, 1989 (inf.) Kimie Miyashiro - December 10, 2020 (93) George Moribe - December 31, 2007 (82) Jiro Muramoto - December 14, 2006 (86) Hatsu Nagamine - December 20, 2002 (85) Takeo Nakachi - December 22, 2005 (84) Seitaro Nakamoto - December 14, 2009 (86) Alice Masue Nakamura - December 29, 1997 (68) Helen Tsuneko Nakamura - December 4, 2008 (84) Richard Shigeru Nakamura - December 29, 2016 (79) Shigeo Roy Nakasone - December 14, 2009 (85) Stanley Kiyoshi Nakasone - December 12, 2016 (79) Tsuruko Nakasone - December 26, 2011 (101) Kiyoshi Nanbu - December 21, 2014 (91) Toyoyuki Oda - December 31, 2008 (85) Lynn Midori Oganeku ~ December 11, 2009 (79) Toshio Onaga - December 16, 2018 (99)

Haruko Oyama - December 2, 2014 (96)

James Kazumi Ono - December 11, 2013 (71)

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# 2022 Zoom Online Buddhist Seminar

Honpa Hongwanji Mission of Hawaii Hawaii District Ministers Association

# Never Alone: Shin Buddhism and End-of-Life Care

Saturday, December 10, 2022 10:00 - 11:30 a.m. <u>Click to register</u>

Are you or someone you know a caregiver to someone facing the end-of-life? Or, have you begun thinking about the spiritual care you would like to receive when the time comes? If your answer is "yes," this seminar is for you.

Join us for an Online Buddhist Seminar and discussion on "End-of-Life Care."



Rev. Tatsuo Muneto Retired Minister of Honpa Hongwanji Mission of Hawaii

### **Click for bio & outline**



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### **Time Line:**

- 1) Keynote Speaker: Rev. Muneto (30 min.)
- 2) HDMA Ministers' presentations through the "Faith" *Shinko* booklets published by some ministers of Honpa Hongwanji Mission of Hawaii from 1957 to 1959. Rev. Yamagishi & Rev. Takahashi (15 min.) Rev. Kamuro & Rev. Tomioka (15 min.)
- 3) Q & A Facilitator: Rev. Higa (30 min.)



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Daniel Koyei Oshiro - December 9, 2013 (89) Kenneth Shigemi Oshiro - December 6, 2005 (60) Kiichi Oshiro - December 14, 2019 (100) Kimie Oshiro - December 22, 2009 (92) Masaichi Oshiro - December 29, 1992 (67) Yaeko Oshiro ~ December 2, 2018 (88) Haruko Oyama - December 2, 2014 (96) Janet Setsuko Sasaki – December 18, 2017 (88) Lillian Eiko Sato - December 16, 2014 (86) Chiyo Shinsato - December 18, 2015 (97) Gail Keiko Shimabukuro - December 7, 1989 (26) Hisako Shimabukuro - December 5, 2008 (85) Phyllis Keiko Shimabukuro ~ December 31, 2009 (62) Walter Kamesuke Shimabukuro-December 28, 1989 (77) Seiei Takayesu - December 23, 1989 (83) Kameichi Shiroma - December 30, 1989 (73) Sumiko Shiroma - December 12, 2014 (96) Frank Takemori Sueyoshi - December 23, 2016 (97) Chiyoko Takara - December 22, 1999 (89) David Kenzo Takushi - December 26, 2016 (87) Iris Yoshiko Tamashiro ~ December 4, 2009 (99)

Shinsuke Tamayose - December 29, 1996 (68)
Hideko Toguchi - December 26, 1999 (85)
Albert MitsuoTomei - December 13, 2015 (59)
Masao Uchida - December 19, 2013 (89
Rev. Dr. Taitetsu Unno - December 13, 2014 (85)
Fumiko Uyeno - December 23, 2004 (57)
Richard Masayoshi Yamada - December 23, 2005 (63)
Rev. Ryozo Yamaguchi - December 29, 2021 (69)
(Pa'ia Rinzai Zen Mission)
Shigeru Yamaguchi - December 14, 2021 (94)
Matsue Yara - December 2, 1996 (76)
Charles Isao Yamashiro - December 21, 2008 (91)
Janet Tsuruko Yoon - December 28, 2021 (93)
Brian Yasuhide Yoshimoto - December 30, 2007 (92)
Charles Eizo Yoshimura - December 11, 2019 (85)

#### Namu Amida Butsu

If you would like to honor your loved one, please call the office at 808-845-3422 or email jikoen.info@gmail. com with your name and contact information and we will get back to you. Mahalo!

## DONATIONS FROM SEPTEMBER 18, 2022 THRU OCTOBER 18, 2022

General Operations (\$1 - \$99)	
	Popeyes Chicken Donation (\$500 - \$699) Lumbini Preschool Panda Bears
General Operations (\$100 -	Class
\$499) 	Miscellaneous (\$1 - \$99)
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Kittens Class Popeyes Chicken Donation (\$100 - \$399)	IMO Rev. Sandy Hiramasu, Rev. Midori Kondo, Bert & Lois Yasui, Sueko "Pat" Shiroma, Bert Shiira (Foodland Give

Aloha)	\$1,170.81
Noukotsudo	Offertory (\$1 - \$99)
Windward Buddhist Temple	
Use of andagi equipment for Windward Mall (10/1/2022)	<i>Offertory</i> 9/18/22 Service\$225.00
IMO Carl Uyeunten	9/25/22 Service\$71.00 10/2/22 Service\$84.00
Miscellaneous (\$500 - \$599)	10//9/22 Service\$82.00 10/16/22 Service\$168.00
IMO Arlene Yaya Okamura	
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#### Welcome to Jikoen!

Jikoen would like to extend a warm welcome to our newest member:

#### David R. Jones

We look forward to your participation at Jikoen and look forward to welcoming you to in-person services or online via zoom.

It's not too late to commit your support for Jikoen! Yearly Contribution: \$90 per adult • \$180 per family with dependent children

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# JIKOEN KEIROKAI RECOGNITION "HONORING OUR ELDERS 80+"

Sunday, November 20, 2022 9:00 a.m.



Everyone is invited to attend our in-person 2022 Keirokai Recognition Service and Brunch. All members 80 years old and above will be honored, with special recognition going to members celebrating their 80th, 88th, 90th, 97th, 99th and 100th birthdays this year!

**9:00 a.m.** Service in Hondo (elevator lift available)
Group Photo after service in Hondo
Brunch and Entertainment to follow in Social Hall

Please use the RSVP form below and mail to Jikoen by November 13.

You may also submit the info by calling the Jikoen Office at (808) 845-3422 or emailing <a href="mailto:jikoen.info@gmail.com">jikoen.info@gmail.com</a>.

2022 KEIROKAI RSVP FORM - PLEASE RETURN BY NOVEMBER 13

NAME:

LAST NAME

FIRST NAME

CARE/OF (IF APPLICABLE):

LAST NAME

FIRST NAME

ADDRESS:

STREET

CITY

STATE

ZIPCODE

PHONE:

IS ANYONE IN YOUR GROUP 80 & ABOVE? PLEASE PROVIDE NAME AND BIRTH

YEAR:

NAMES OF OTHER ADULTS AND CHILDREN 4 & ABOVE:

NAMES OF CHILDREN 3 & UNDER:

Mail to: Jikoen Hongwanji Mission - 1731 N School St - Honolulu HI 96819

Jikoen is following the CDC, State, and local guidelines; however, due to the uncertainty of the Covid 19/sub-variants, our office hours are not set. You can still call/email us for questions or concerns:

#### Tel: 808-845-3422 / Email: jikoen.info@gmail.com

#### **Office Hours**

Jikoen's Office is staffed by volunteers and a part-time office assistant; therefore, regular office hours are not guaranteed.

Please call the office before planning to visit the temple or to make an appointment. Leave your name and contact number and we'll be happy to get back to you.

The office will be closed on State and Federal Holidays.

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