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THIS MONTH'S EVENTS

Sangha family services are offered weekly on Sundays from 9:00a.m. (exceptions appear in the schedule).
Dates and times subject to change without notice.

Sun 10/6	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• HMMH 130th Anniversary & HUOA Partnership Service (see page 3 for details) Speaker: Rev. Shindo Nishiyama
Wed 10/9	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Living Dharma Session Time: 6:00 p.m., Location: Temple Hondo, Speaker: Rev. Shindo Nishiyama
Sun 10/13	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Shotsuki Memorial & Intergenerational Service by Jikoen Dharma School• Board of Directors Monthly Meeting Time: after service, Location: Temple Hondo
Sun 10/20	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Sangha Family Service Speaker: Rev. Shindo Nishiyama• JBWA Monthly Membership Meeting Time: after service, Location: Temple Hondo
Sun 10/27	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Lay Speaker Sunday Service (see page 2 for details) Speaker: Dr. Manulani Alulli Meyer (UH West Oahu)
Sun 11/3	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Eitaikyo-Sangha Memorial & Shotsuki Service Speaker: Rev. Shindo Nishiyama• Board of Directors Monthly Meeting Time: after service, Location: Temple Hondo
Sun 11/10	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Lay Speaker Sunday Service Speaker: TBD
Sun 11/17	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Keirokai Recognition Service (see page 12 for details) Speaker: TBD• Brunch and Fall Fair Time: after service, Location: Social Hall
Sun 11/24	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Thanksgiving Service Guest Speaker: TBD

MINISTER'S MESSAGE

Rev. Shindo Nishiyama

Buddhism teaches us to respect all living beings.

Buddhism teaches us to live our lives in joy and gratitude.

Buddhism teaches us to live our lives in peace and harmony.

Buddhism teaches us how to live in this limited life in such a way that we may become an awakened one, which we call "Buddha".

Namo Amida Butsu

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Doris Oshiro

Tadaima! I'm home!

A big mahalo and deep gratitude to all who took care of Jikoen and made sure it was secured while we were away. It's been a very busy summer and ongoing events are non-stop!

On August 29, we were off to the 16th World Buddhist Women's Convention in San Francisco. There, we were welcomed by the members of the Buddhist Churches of America at the Marriott Marquis Hotel in San Francisco.

The post tour took us through San Francisco, to the National Parks in Utah and Arizona, then to Las Vegas. We had a short service and nice visitation to the Las Vegas Buddhist Temple before returning home.

It was a nice trip and we had lots of fun.

Thank you to all who prepared the beautiful Jikoen omiyage bags, which was shared with the convention attendees.

As soon as we returned, it was back to the office to prepare for the State Lay Convention, the Drive Thru Hoku BBQ Chicken Fundraiser Sep. 21 and the HHMH 130th Anniversary & HUOA Partnership Service Oct. 6.

Mahalo to the Board of Directors and Pieper Toyama for conducting the monthly meeting.

September 13–15, four Jikoen attendees traveled to Hilo for the 56th Annual Convention of the Honpa Hongwanji Lay Association. The 2019 "Embrace Change – Strive to Survive and Thrive" slogan was the theme of the convention. It included a morning service, business

meeting, a nice bus ride to the Hamakua Coast and visitation to three temples. We passed many other temples along the way. Temple representatives shared what they have been doing to "strive to survive and thrive."

Returning on Sunday, it was non-stop to prepare for our fundraiser. Deepest gratitude to all who came out days ahead to setup and prepare for this worthy fundraising event. Thank you very much to all who volunteered, purchased tickets and gave generous donations.

More reflections of the convention and post tours by the attendees to follow soon.

TEMPLE NEWS

Memorial Service Schedules for October 2019

1st Year Memorial Died in 2018

October 2, 2018..... Mr. Tokuei Yamashiro (96)
October 5, 2018..... Mr. Phyllis Yoshie Komori (94)
October 25, 2018..... Mrs. Matsuo Ono (93)
October 28, 2018..... Mr. Takamori Miyagi (96)

3rd Year Memorial died in 2017

October 7, 2017..... Mr. Takejiro Higa (94)
October 10, 2017..... Mrs. Sally Yaeko Asato (90)
October 18, 2017..... Mr. Katsumi Yamada (70)

7th Year Memorial died in 2013

October 21, 2013..... Mrs. Mitsuko Stella Higa (85)
October 27, 2013..... Mrs. Hatsuyo Kaneshiro (97)
October 29, 2013..... Mrs. Aiko Tagomori (80)
October 31, 2013..... Mrs. Yasuko Kanda (89)

13th Year Memorial Died in 2007

October 2, 2007..... Miss. Satoko Aihara (30)
October 3, 2007..... Mr. Ronald Yeigi Oshiro (88)
October 4, 2007..... Mrs. Tomi Kaneshiro (88)
October 6, 2007..... Mrs. Kristine Harumi Shibata (82)
October 16, 2007..... Mrs. Yuriko Goya (80)
October 18, 2007..... Mr. Raymond Masashi Takara (67)
October 20, 2007..... Mrs. Chiyo Ishiki (85)
October 30, 2007..... Mrs. Kazuko Rachel Ige (86)

Dr. Manu Meyer to be October's Lay Speaker

On October 28, 2019, Dr. Manu Meyer will be the lay speaker at the Sangha Family Service. Her topic is "The

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Dharma and Kapu Aloha.”

Manu Aluli Meyer is the fifth daughter of Emma Aluli and Harry Meyer from Mokapu, Kailua and Hilo Paliku. She is a professor of Indigenous philosophy and has been teaching at UH Hilo, Te Wananga o Aotearoa in New Zealand, and now at UH West Oahu. She earned her doctorate from Harvard in 1998 and is

dedicated to the role of aloha in world-wide awakening.

HMMH 130th Anniversary & HUOA Partnership Service

Haisai, Chaganju yami semi? This year the Hongwanji in Hawaii will celebrate its 130th anniversary. Jikoen Hongwanji Temple will honor this anniversary by focusing on a specific period of our history, the period from 1964 to 1990. It was during those 26 years that Jikoen worked with the United Okinawan Association (UOA) in partnership to provide for the welfare of the Uchinanchu. UOA (later to be known as the HUOA Hawaii United Okinawan Association) helped to integrate the cultural and social fabric of the Uchinanchu community into the life of Hawaii's people, while Jikoen provided a spiritual base for all who were in need.

In 1964, Jikoen's newly built temple became the gathering place for the Uchinanchu community.

October 6, 2019 9:00am

Jikoen Temple

Parking at Kapalama School & Free Shuttle

*Please join us with your family & friends to honor the partnership
between Jikoen and the Uchinanchu Community*

Bring photos to share

Call 845-3422

Jikoen Hongwanji Temple is celebrating and honoring this partnership and the people who made it possible.

We invite you to join our special service on October 6, 2019, in the temple at 9:00 am. This service will weave together Okinawan culture and Buddhist teachings to express our collective gratitude for people who gave so

Help Needed !

If you have any skills, experience or knowledge and can serve on any of the committees or help on any projects, we welcome your help.

We are in need of volunteers to help us with ongoing projects, fundraisers, and once a month for our monthly newsletter folding, labeling and sealing.

The upkeep of our temple and our ongoing events cannot continue without the tireless efforts and dedication of our volunteers and supporters.

If you are able to assist in anyway, even for 2 hours, or once a week, please call the office at 845-3422, Doris Oshiro (808) 271-4748 or email us at jikoen.info@gmail.com.

much to the Uchinanchu community. After the service, refreshments will be served in the Okinawa Memorial Hall.

During refreshments, there will be a special exhibit and presentation by Gene Kaneshiro and Howard Takara on the history of Okinawan-owned restaurants in Hawaii.

Display of “Pigs from the Sea” and Jikoen Temple.

Please join us to offer our gratitude for the people and the causes and conditions that have made a home for us all in this most beautiful of places, Hawaii.

BITS OF RUBBLE INTO GOLD

*I am able to live in peace and
Harmony each day due to Amida's
Constant presence in my life. What a
Joy this is—Namu Amida Butsu.*

*— Lily Horio
(from Joyful Thoughts
Rededicating Ourselves:
In Joy!)*



A First Timer's Impressions of the 16th World Buddhist Women's Convention (WBWC)

By Sandy Toma

First of all, thank you very much to Jikoen's BWA for wholeheartedly encouraging and generously supporting its members attendance o the WBWC in San Francisco from August 30-September 1. The Jikoen group included thirteen temple members led by Reverend and Suzue Nishiyama, JBWA President, June Nakamasu, Pieper and Lois (Hawaii State BWA Federation President) Toyama, Jikoen Kyodan President, Doris Oshiro and members Joyce Fujimoto, Judy Muramoto, Dorene Niibu, Jimmy Toma, Myrtle Hirayama, Arlene Kawabata (Kamuela BWA) and Sandy Toma.

Convention days were filled with Keynote Speakers from Japan and America; a wide array of workshops on Buddhist issues (such as "Practicing the Nembutsu in Our Modern Lives") to activity oriented sessions ("Living the Nembutsu thru (Bon) Dance"); a wonderful evening sharing our backgrounds and gifts with table mates from all over California, other states, Japan, Canada, and Brazil. Our final day culminated with personal reflections on "Living the Nembutsu" from five representatives from the three overseas countries. Buddhist Churches of America and Hawaii.

Just seeing 1700 Buddhist men and women from the five Districts together in one place openly sharing and enjoying their Nembutsu lives gave me a warm feeling throughout the Convention. Meeting other Oahu BWA members as well as those from the neighbor islands was special too as we rarely have that opportunity. Our Hawaii group entertained at the banquet with a song ("Life in Harmony") and a hula ("Golden Chain of Love") which was a hit!

So, Jikoen BWA members: Be ready to sign up for the next Convention to be held in 2023 in Kyoto along with the 850th Anniversary of Saint Shinran's Birth and 800th Anniversary of the Establishment of the Jodo Shinshu Teaching.

Post Tour #2

by Myrtle Hirayama

Our bus tour members had 27 people which included a group of 12 (included a family of children) from Lahaina Hongwanji, Papaikou members which included Rev. Shinji Kawagoe and his wife, Moililii and Mililani

members. Our Hawaii tour guide was Russell Oki.

We had two tour guides from San Francisco who were very knowledgeable. I have been on a lots of tours and there is one central theme. For 5 days we become like a family looking after each other and very friendly.

The first day was half day. Not much time because of traffic. We drove on the Golden Gate Bridge but did not stop at the park.

The goal was to reach Muir Woods National Monument. The group walked on the trails. The weather was cool. I enjoyed the scenery and the scent of forest.

Later we checked in at Kimpton Buchanan Hotel which was close to Japantown for three nights.

Early next day we board the bus again for tour and tasting at two wineries. Jacuzzi Winery in Sonoma Valley and Andretti Winery in Napa Valley. Five samples of wines in each winery. There were a lot of happy people on the bus. A few brought bottles of wines. We were allowed to pick and sample the tiny fresh grapes. We were instructed to squeeze the grapes. The juice gushed out and had a taste of sweetness.

Our last day was driving four and half hours one way to see Yosemite National Park. If I had a choice I would like to spend more time there. One waterfall, Bridalveil, was terrific. I did not walk the trail to get a close up but from the bus we had a good view. When the wind blows the waterfall looks like long hair blowing in the wind.

We finally head back to the hotel via Oakland Bridge. Than the bus stopped at Oakland on dark street. I thought we ran out of gas. The state law of buses states either mileage or 10 hours for the driver. It exceeded the mileage. So we had to wait 20 minutes for the new driver, Than 10 minutes to the hotel The tour guide played the song "I left my heart in San Francisco" We all clapped at the end of the song.

I did not get to see Chinatown, ride the cable cars. Maybe next trip.

Please mark your calendars for these upcoming 2020 dates...

- **January 26, 2020 General Membership Meeting & New Year Party**
- **February 15, 2020 Drive-Thru BBQ Chicken Fundraiser**



RAISING A PEACEFUL CHILD IN CHALLENGING TIMES

2019 NEMBUTSU GATHERING - HONOLULU & OAHU DISTRICTS

Sponsored by HONOLULU & OAHU HONGWANJI COUNCILS & the OFFICE OF BUDDHIST EDUCATION

Saturday, November 2 - 9:00 am to 2:30 pm at Aiea Hongwanji

Registration Fee: \$15 per adult participant

Contact Hawaii Betsuin Office 536-7044 or Aiea Hongwanji Office 485-2626 for more info.

Child-care will be provided for children 3 years and older. Lunch is included for adults and children.

It is challenging to raise a peaceful child in today's world...incorporate Buddhist values into strategic parenting. Topics include: social emotional development, making their own decisions, mindfulness, bullying, youth risk behavior, academics/career aspirations vs. extracurricular activities.

Presenters:

- For Preschool to 5th Grade Parents - **Stephen Chinen**, Solomon Elementary School Counselor & Author of "Rainbows in Me: Values of Aloha" As a school counselor for 24 years, Steve has worked with youths and families to help nurture our keiki o ka`aina in challenging times.
- For Middle School & High School Parents - **Kena Heffernan**, Math Teacher/Athletic Director, sumo champion/sumo coach. "A teacher for a day, a father for life."

Keynote Speaker :

- **Chad Miller, Ph.D.**, 2012 Hawai'i State Teacher of the Year, Associate Specialist, Institute for Teacher Education & Uehiro Academy for Philosophy and Ethics in Education, University of Hawai'i at Mānoa. Dr. Miller has dedicated his entire career to bringing the activity of philosophy into our schools and communities, in order to create a more thoughtful and compassionate society.

*****Interact with your peers in small groups to discuss parenting a peaceful child.*****

Please complete the REGISTRATION FORM below and submit the form and payment check to your Temple or the Hawaii Betsuin Office.

Checks payable to *Honolulu Hongwanji Council*

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: October 20, 2019

***** REGISTRATION FORM - CUT HERE *****

NAME OF ADULT PARTICIPANTS (First and Last Name)		TEMPLE/SCHOOL AFFILIATION
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Mailing Address		Phone Number
Email Address		
Please select one session <input type="checkbox"/> Preschool - 5th grade parent(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Middle School - High School Parent(s)		
What topics are you interested in for small group discussions ?		
What topics do you want to hear about in panel discussion ?		
Please indicate name and age of each child (3 years and older) requiring child-care.		
Child's First Name/Last Name/Age		
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HILITES FROM HQ NEWS UPDATES

(August–September, 2019)

Bishop's Corner

Bishop Eric Matsumoto



(August, 2019)

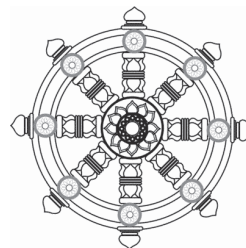
Peace Day in Hawaii 2019 Message

As Peace Day in Hawaii (September 21st) approaches and our various Hongwanji Shin Buddhist Temples prepare to spread the important message of peace, harmony, non-violence and reconciliation, and other community organizations also observe remembrances related to World War II in August and September, I would like to share my message and aspiration for this year's Peace Day in Hawaii. I humbly ask that we all take some time to reflect guided by the Wisdom and Compassion of Supreme Enlightenment. May Amida Buddha's Light of Wisdom and Compassion illumine our hearts and minds so we may be able to deeply reflect, come to some life-changing realizations which has the potential of transforming myself and the world and thus contributing to lasting peace and happiness.

As we lament about the suffering from wars including the mass shootings and bombings which are continuing to happen around the world and in our nation too, let us take a deeper look at ourselves and the world. Many times, as we look at situations of our life and world, we focus only on the conditions. However, with the Wisdom of Enlightenment to guide us, let us see the need to become aware of the deeper causes of suffering together with the conditions. Any fix by only addressing the conditions will be good only as long as the conditions do not change, but by addressing the cause of suffering we can snip the suffering at its root. It is, indeed, most

difficult for us humans, people, to look at our own selves. My ego does not want to reveal itself even to its own self. With Enlightened Wisdom to guide, we are able to understand that the true cause of suffering in the world is ignorance and the afflictions which arise from it like arrogance, anger, greed, envy, self-centeredness, fear and so forth. Unless, we address the root cause which is ignorance and these afflictions which arise from it, we will continue to be plagued by negatives which in its extreme forms result in so much devastation, destruction and even loss of life which our normal minds cannot even fathom unless one has experienced it or seen it for oneself. Hence, the importance of listening to voices of those who have experienced the worst of humankind.

However, at the same time, we must also hear the voices, the Wisdom and Compassion, of those who have attained the highest levels of attainment, so we have hope, can aspire and begin to walk the path of peace and harmony. Thus, today, regardless of religious affiliation or even if you do not have one, let us embrace Wisdom and Compassion which aspires for the peace and happiness of not only one, a few, or many, but all life, all existence. May we be guided by an All-Inclusive Wisdom and All-Embracing Compassion known as the Buddha of Immeasurable Life and Infinite Light whose Name is Namo Amida Butsu (the Buddha's Name That Calls Us (to entrust)). May we be guided and our path be illuminated by a Presence which goes beyond our ego as a person, nation, religion, and even as humankind to realize true interdependence and realize the common wish of all life, all existence to be happy, free and safe. May the Buddha's Light of Wisdom and Compassion guide, nurture and inspire us! Please allow me to recite the Buddha's Name Which I Call (in gratitude) to conclude my message. Namo Amida Butsu.



(September, 2019)

The month of September (usually, but not this year as the hot weather continues) is when we find respite from the scorching heat of Summer especially as we approach the Fall Equinox. Traditionally, together with the Spring Equinox, it is the time of the year which is said to be

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ideal for religious practice or training when compared to harsh cold of winter and, again, the scorching heat of the summer months. Thus, in many other Buddhist denominations, it is seen as an ideal time for monks and nuns to engage in religious practice(s) that will lead to Enlightenment.

Every year at the time of the Equinoxes, a quote by our 13th Spiritual Leader, Ryonyo Shonin (1612-1662) comes to my mind. He said, "(If you have attained Shinjin or the Endowed Awakened Mind of True Entrusting,) without regard of time and place, recite the Nembutsu." It makes me appreciate the ease and simplicity of reciting the Nembutsu, in awareness, joy and gratitude of Buddha's Compassion, in which we do not have to worry about where we are and under what conditions like the seasons or circumstances we find ourselves in. It makes me appreciate the Great Wisdom and Compassion of Amida Buddha.

Shinran Shonin exclaimed, "The Universal Vow difficult to fathom is indeed a great vessel bearing us across the ocean (of pain and suffering) difficult to cross. The Unhindered Light is the sun of Wisdom dispersing our ignorance. (omit) ... the Auspicious Name (Namo Amida Butsu)...and that diamondlike shinjin so difficult to accept is true reality that sweeps away doubt and brings us to (the) attainment of enlightenment." Amida Buddha does not provide us with material wealth like a new car, a smartphone, a good job, not even good health and good luck, but Amida Buddha does promise to always be with us! This is Amida Buddha's promise that no matter what happens or wherever we are, the Buddha will always be with us and that as "Namo Amida Butsu" promises to lead us to Perfect Peace and Happiness, Enlightenment. Now this may not sound like very much, but believe me it is! Namo Amida Butsu is the most reliable and the ultimate gift. It is a gift which includes everyone and embraces everything. It is what supports us in the here and now as we live day to day, and also into the future when we attain birth in the Pure Land (at the end of this finite life) and even beyond as we return from the Pure Land of Enlightenment to samsara as enlightened beings for the sake of leading others to Enlightenment.

As testament to the wondrous workings of Namo Amida Butsu in daily life, I would like to share two experiences which I had the good fortune of experiencing which exemplifies one aspect of the life of a person of Shinjin-Nembutsu. These two lay individuals were experiencing, health wise, a traumatic point in their lives. However, they calmly accepted their circumstances, but not at all in

a defeatist way. They acknowledged their condition and circumstances as a reality, but did not struggle in anger or despair. As one person stated "I have befriended my illness and live together with it." "One should not complain, but be grateful to those helping me." "I am not afraid to die." Further, this person said, "Sensei, I just want to say 'Namo Amida Butsu' with you." How remarkable I thought. More often than not, people say "Please pray for me" "Please help me," but she was affirming her life just as it was including the fact that she was embraced by Great Compassion.

In the case of the other person, instead of asking for a blessing this person asked me if I could do him a favor. I was intrigued as to what he might request. "Sensei, would you allow me to read a Gobunsho or a Letter of Rennyō Shonin?" Without hesitation, I said, "Of course, you may." As I joined him in gassho, he beautifully from memory recited a letter of Rennyō Shonin. As he recited and after he was done, we both rejoiced in gratitude at the wondrous Compassion of Amida Buddha.

In both cases, I thought to myself, this is the power of "Namo Amida Butsu." The acceptance, the inner strength/courage, the peace, the guidance, the assurance, and the gratitude!

This is what happens when "Namo Amida Butsu" becomes a part of one's life and the Dharma becomes integrated into one's life. We are guided and assured by All-Inclusive Wisdom and All-Embracing Compassion (Amida Buddha). We are enabled to live and die with

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Thank you for donating during Foodland's "Give Aloha" program!

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\$749.00



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strength and courage from within for Amida Buddha as “Namo Amida Butsu” is always supporting and embracing us and we know that our life will joyously culminate with birth in the Pure Land of Enlightenment. This strength and courage, also, impacts all those around us too. This is the gift of Namo Amida Butsu which Shinran Shonin shared. Our life can be good, our life can be challenging, but one thing is for sure, Namo Amida Butsu is right here and always with us, now and forever!

At this time of the year at the Equinox when Nature is in balance, may we experience harmony in life too. Namo Amida Butsu.

Soul Shop Suicide Prevention Training

The statewide Suicide Prevention Training will be held on October 18-19, 2019 at Saint Louis School (3142 Waiālae Avenue, Honolulu, HI 96816). Live webinar will be available at the five locations such as West Kauai Hongwanji Mission Hanapepe Temple, Kahului Hongwanji Mission, Kamuela Hongwanji Mission, Puna Hongwanji Mission and Mililani Hongwanji Mission.

Soul Shop is a national movement focused on helping communities and faith leaders develop skills and strategies for the prevention of suicide.

• Soul Shop for Youth Leaders

Date & Time: Friday, October 18, 2019 6:00pm to 9:00pm

Registration Fee: \$10 (includes workbook)*

Soul Shop™ for Youth Leaders is a half-day, interfaith training designed specifically to equip leaders and educators to minister to youth who are impacted by suicidal desperation. Special attention is focused on youth specific issues of impulsivity, contagion, and confidentiality. It includes how to recognize warning signs, how to engage in life-saving conversations, and how to keep youth safe.

• Soul Shop for Community and Interfaith Leaders, Clergy, and Mental Health Professionals

Date & Time: Saturday, October 19, 2019 9:00am to 4:00pm

Registration Fee: \$20 (includes workbook and bento lunch)*

Soul Shop™ is a one-day training to equip community

leaders, interfaith leaders, and mental health professionals, including clergy, volunteers, and those who are passionate about doing ministry, to help those who are desperate due to any type of experience with suicide. The training includes the creation of worship resource, training in suicide awareness and basic conversation skills, and the invitation to those who have been suicidal in the past to share their stories.

This event will be presented by Honpa Hongwanji Mission of Hawaii together with BDK Hawaii, Chaminade University-BDK Hawaii Rev. Fujitani Interfaith Program and Samaritan Counseling Center Hawaii. For more information and registration, please visit the following links:

Suicide Prevention Training:

<https://soulshophi19.eventbrite.com>

Suicide Prevention Training Webinars:

<https://soulshophi19webinars.eventbrite.com>

Come Sing With Us!

If you like singing join us on Sunday morning and learn new tunes or sing familiar ones.

It's fun and very enjoyable! You don't have to know how to read music notes, no registration, and no fees. Just come and join us!

If you play an instrument, bring your harmonica, ukulele, guitar, sanshin or any musical instrument!

Come and join in the singing on Sundays 8:00 - 8:45 a.m. at Jikoen.



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 will be 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 before us and thank them for their continuing influence in our lives and for giving us the opportunity to share the Dharma.

Here are our loved ones who will be remembered on Sunday, October 13:

Haruko Agena ~ October 27, 2003 (88)
 Satoko Aihara ~ Oct. 2, 2007 (30)
 Mildred Fusaye Arakaki ~ Oct. 5, 2015 (91)
 Masaichi Arakawa ~ Oct. 26, 1999 (81)
 Sally Yaeko Asato ~ Oct. 10, 2017 (90)
 Yuriko Goya ~ Oct. 16, 2007 (80)
 Shigeko Gushiken ~ Oct. 29, 2011 (95)
 Ernest Kisei Higa ~ Oct. 18, 1998 (66)
 Mitsuko "Stella" Higa ~ Oct. 21, 2013 (85)
 Takejiro Higa ~ Oct. 7, 2017 (94)
 Kazuko Rachel Ige ~ Oct. 30, 2007 (86)
 Yasu Nancy Ige ~ Oct. 8, 1998 (71)
 Harold Yoshikio Isa ~ Oct. 6, 2012 (90)
 Chiyo Itomura ~ Oct. 28, 2003 (99)
 Oto Jakahi ~ Oct. 14, 2012 (100)
 Yasuo Kanda ~ Oct. 31, 2013 (89)
 Hatsuko Kaneshiro ~ Oct. 27, 2013 (97)
 Tomi Kaneshiro ~ Oct. 4, 2007 (88)
 Uto Kaneshiro ~ Oct. 20, 1999 (102)
 Fumiko Kina ~ Oct. 7, 2015 (88)
 Claire Yoshie Kiyama ~ Oct. 3, 2014 (90)
 Lori Sanae Kobayashi-Ty ~ Oct. 22, 2012 (48)
 Phyllis Yoshie Komori ~ Oct. 5, 2018 (94)
 James Harukichi Mekaru ~ Oct. 24, 2014 (82)
 Takamori Miyagi ~ Oct. 28, 2018 (96)
 Yoshio Miyashiro ~ Oct. 11, 2000 (80)
 Kameyo Nakahodo ~ Oct. 4, 1998 (86)
 Koyei Charlie Nakamoto ~ Oct. 12, 2000 (82)
 Larry Yusei Nakachi ~ Oct. 21, 2005 (83)
 Matsuo Ono ~ Oct. 25, 2018 (93)
 Kozo Orimoto ~ Oct. 3, 2013 (89)
 Charles Eikichi Oshiro ~ Oct. 6, 2011 (91)
 Chester Hayato Oshiro ~ Oct. 19, 2012 (64)
 Gregory "Bun" Bunkichi Oshiro ~ Oct. 11, 2000 (68)
 Koichi "Tomato" Oshiro ~ Oct. 10, 2004 (82)
 Ronald Yeigi Oshiro ~ Oct. 3, 2007 (88)
 Yoshio Neil Oshiro ~ Oct. 25, 2014 (79)
 Yuriko Sakihara ~ Oct. 6, 1999 (93)
 Tsuneo "Sparky" Sato ~ Oct. 15, 1999 (102)
 Kristine Harumi Shibata ~ Oct. 6, 2007 (82)

Evelyn Tsugie Shiroma ~ Oct. 14, 2012 (96)
 Kiyoko Shiroma ~ Oct. 17, 2003 (88)
 Aiko Tagomori ~ Oct. 29, 2013 (80)
 Harry Kiyoto Takahashi ~ Oct. 16, 2015 (89)
 Chiyo Jane Takara ~ Oct. 29, 2012 (95)
 Raymond Masashi Takara ~ Oct. 18, 2007 (67)
 Takeo "Donald" Takara ~ Oct. 30, 2012 (95)
 Natsuko Tamashiro ~ Oct. 31, 2014 (90)
 Yuriko "Lily" Tamashiro ~ Oct. 29, 2012 (89)
 Fumi Taniyama ~ Oct. 31, 2014 (95)
 Takeo Teruya ~ Oct. 28, 2016 (88)
 Helen Toguchi ~ Oct. 30, 2013 (80)
 Harry Seiki Tokuda ~ Oct. 2, 2015 (80)
 Mrs. Cris Miyoko Toyama ~ Oct. 5, 2007 (87)
 Stanley Matsuo Toyama ~ Oct. 31, 2003 (71)
 Katsumi Yamada ~ Oct. 18, 2017 (70)
 Edwin Yamaguchi ~ Oct. 7, 2003 (69)
 Tokuei Yamashiro ~ Oct. 2, 2018 (96)
 Seiko Yogi ~ Oct. 23, 2003 (79)

Namu Amida Butsu

If you would like to honor your loved one, please call the office at 845-3422 or email to jikoen.info@gmail.com.

Fall Fair Donations Needed

Any donations of hand made crafts, home baked items, gently used or brand new/re-gifted items, or gift cards will be greatly appreciated for our Fall Fair on November 17.

Please bring your donated item with donor's name, phone number, and estimated retail value, to Jikoen **by November 8**.

Due to limited space, we will NOT be accepting Bazaar items at this time.

Please call the office at 845-3422 or email jikoen.info@gmail.com should you have any questions.

Thank you for your continued support!



DONATIONS FROM JULY 1 THRU AUGUST 31, 2019

July, 2019

*Obon Memorial Ribbon
Donation (\$1 - \$99)*

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

*Hatsubon Service (\$500 -
\$599)*

[REDACTED]

*Obon Memorial Ribbon
Donation (\$100 - \$299)*

[REDACTED]

*Obon Memorial Service (\$1 -
\$99)*

[REDACTED]

*O'Bon Memorial Service
(\$100 - \$299)*

[REDACTED]

*Obon Memorial Ribbon
Donation (\$300 - \$499)*

[REDACTED]

O'Bon Dance (\$1 - \$99)

*Obon Memorial Ribbon
Donation (\$500 - \$599)*

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Hatsubon Service (\$1 - \$99)

[REDACTED]

*Hatsubon Service (\$100 -
\$499)*

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O'Bon Dance (\$100 - \$299)

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O'Bon Dance (\$300 - \$499)

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O'Bon Dance (\$500 - \$599)

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O'Bon Dance (\$1,000 - \$1,099)

[REDACTED]

Miscellaneous (\$1-\$99)

[REDACTED]

Miscellaneous (100 - \$499)

[REDACTED]

Family Promise (\$1 - \$99}

[REDACTED]

Offertory

June 30, 2019.....\$185
July 08, 2019.....\$180
July 30, 2019.....\$191

August, 2019

Obon Donation (\$1 - \$99)

[REDACTED]

Obon Donation (\$100 - \$299)

[REDACTED]

Obon Donation (\$500 - \$799)

[REDACTED]

BBQ Fundraiser Donation (\$1 - \$99)

[REDACTED]

BBQ Fundraiser Donation (\$100 - \$399)

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Miscellaneous (\$1-\$99)

[REDACTED]

Miscellaneous (\$100 - \$499)

[REDACTED]

Miscellaneous (\$500 - \$599)

[REDACTED]

Offertory

August 25, 2019.....\$232

*Thank you for your
generous support!*

有難うございます

***Just a Friendly Reminder...It's
not too late to become a Jikoen
Kyodan member...***

Yearly Membership Contribution:

- ***\$90 per adult with dependent children***
- ***\$180 per family with dependent children***

***Please email jikoen.info@gmail.com or call the
office at 845-3422 for a Membership Form.***



Jikoen Keirokai Service

Sunday, November 17, 2019 ~ 10:00 am

Keirokai Recognition Ceremony (Honoring Our Elders)
followed by Brunch & Fall Fair in the social hall



ATTENTION: If you or someone you know will have reached the age of 80, 88 and 90 years or older by THIS December 2019 and would like to attend Jikoen's Keirokai Recognition in conjunction with our Fall Fair and Brunch, please fill out and mail the form below...

Name (Print): _____

Age: _____ Year of Birth: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Contact Person: _____

Email Address: _____

Please submit honoree
information to the Jikoen
Hongwanji Office by calling
845-3422, via email to [jikoen.
info@gmail.com](mailto:jikoen.info@gmail.com), or mail to:
Jikoen Hongwanji Mission
1731 N. School Street
Honolulu, HI 96819
**Please submit NO LATER
THAN November 7, 2019**

— — — — — Cut and mail to Jikoen by November 7, 2019 — — — — —

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