



# Wahiawa Konko Mission Children's Newsletter



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## WAHIAWA KONKO MISSION MONTHLY SCHEDULE

*\*All services will be streamed on Facebook Live*

### March 2021

- 1 Mon -Monthly Svc. for Tenchi Kane no Kami-Sama (7:30 pm)  
天地金乃神様 月例祭
- 3 Wed -Happy Girl's Day!
- 6 Sat -Church clean-up (9 am)
- 7 Sun -Monthly Service for Ikgami Konko Daijin-Sama (9 am)  
-Share okage till 11 am
- 12 Fri -KMH Joint Conf. ZOOM planning mtg on Skype (5 pm)
- 13 Sat -Church clean-up (9 am)
- 14 Sun -Sunday Service (9 am)  
-Honolulu Church Spring Memorial Svc. (10 am)
- 19 Fri -KMH CEOC mtg on ZOOM (5 pm)
- 20 Sat -Church clean-up (9 am)
- 21 Sun -Annual Spring Memorial Service (10 am) 春季靈祭
- 27 Sat -Ehimemaru Mem. clean up @Kaka'ako Park (9 am)
- 28 Sun -Sunday Service (9 am) \*Share okage till 11 am
- 31 Wed -Church clean-up (9 am)

### April 2021

- 1 Thur -Monthly Svc. for Tenchi Kane no Kami-Sama (7:30 pm)  
天地金乃神様 月例祭
- 3 Sat -Church clean-up for Grand Ceremony (8 am)
- 4 Sun -Sunday Service (9 am)  
-Honolulu Church Spring Grand Ceremony (11 am)
- 11 Sun -Waipahu Church: Rev. Mitsuko Yasutake 1-year Memorial  
Service (10:30 am) and Spring Grand Ceremony (11 am)
- 13 Tue -Wahiawa Church Spring Grand Ceremony (6:30 pm)

## Sunday School Oath

I will advance my faith through understanding the Founder's teachings and will strive to become a more useful person to society.

Sincerity is the essence of my faith, and its basic principles are courtesy, kindness, and devotion in everything I do.

## Spring Memorial Service 春季靈祭

**When:** Sunday, March 21, 2021 @ 10:00 a.m.  
**Place:** Konko Mission of Wahiawa  
**Who:** All is welcome to attend, since we all have ancestors that must be revered and remembered.

**Memo:** Naorai fellowship lunch will follow  
*"Immortality is important for humans. Immortality is when others keep praying for you after you die."* (Gii Kondo Tsuru 1)

During the service, Sensei will be reciting the names of our revered deceased. Please let sensei know of any new people you would like to include in the main prayer by 3/19 (Fri).

**Konko Daijin says...** A person with many children expressed his worry over their different personalities. Konko-Sama imparted, "If the five fingers on your hand were all the same length, you wouldn't be able to grasp anything. Your hand has fingers of different lengths; thus you are able to grasp. Because of their different personalities, your children will be useful." (*Gorikai II Furukawa Kono 6*)

**Editor's thoughts:** Growing up with siblings, I can really appreciate this teaching. I have two older brothers. The three of us all have different personalities and abilities. I'm the crazy chatterbox, while the oldest is the quietest, and the middle brother is just in between. My two older brothers are very powerful! They can lift heavy things and fix broken things. They are the jack of all trades. Our parents seemed to have appreciated all of our personalities and uniqueness. They didn't compare and say who was their favorite child. They also never told others about our flaws and weaknesses. I really appreciate that. I believe they incorporated this teaching from Konko-Daijin.

Wahiawa Church Sakura as of 3/1/21. The tree was donated in 1990



## Konko Mission of Wahiawa Annual Schedule for 2021

- 4/4 Sun -Honolulu Church Spring Grand Ceremony (11 am)
- 4/11 Sun -Waipahu Church Spring Grand Ceremony (10:30 am)  
And 1-year Mem. Svc for the Late Rev. Mitsuko Yasutake
- 4/13 Tue -Wahiawa Church Spring Grand Ceremony (6:30 pm)
- 5/2 Sun -Wailuku Church Spring Grand Ceremony (11 am)
- 5/9 Sun -Hilo Church Spring Grand Ceremony (11 am)
- 5/15 Sat -KMH Board Meeting (10:30 am) @HNL Church ZOOM
- 5/31 Mon -Memorial Day visit to Punchbowl
- 6/12 Sat -KMH Summer Beach BBQ @Haleiwa Alii Beach (9 am)
- 7/17 Sat -KMH ZOOM Conference 2021 (1:30 pm-3:30 pm)
- 7/25 Sun -Back to School Service (9 am)
- 8/1 Sun -KMH Rotary Hanashikai Mtg @Wahiawa Church (10:30 am)
- 8/7 Sat -KMH Board Meeting (10:30 am) @HNL Church ZOOM
- 8/22 Sun -48<sup>th</sup> Memorial Svc for Late Rev. Masayuki Kodama (9 am)
- 9/6 Mon -KMH MWSS at Wahiawa Church (10:30 am-3 pm)
- 9/19 Sun -Honolulu Church Autumn Memorial Service (10 am)
- 9/26 Sun -Wahiawa Church Autumn Memorial Service (10 am)
- 10/3 Sun -Honolulu Church Autumn Grand Ceremony (11 am)
- 10/10 Sun -Waipahu Church Autumn Grand Ceremony (11 am)
- 10/13 Wed -Wahiawa Church Autumn Grand Ceremony (6:30 pm)
- 10/24 Sun -Hilo Church Autumn Grand Ceremony (11 am)  
-And 1-year Mem. Svc for the Late Rev. Makio Nagai (Hilo)
- 11/4 Thr -Pilgrimage to attend Iwatani Church Centennial
- 11/7 Sun -Wailuku Church Autumn Grand Ceremony (11 am)
- 11/14 Sun -International Gathering at Gohonbu thru 11/15
- 11/20 Sat -KMH Board Meeting (10:30 am) @HNL Church
- 11/21 Sun -San Francisco Church 90<sup>th</sup> Anniversary (10:30 am)
- 11/28 Sun -24<sup>th</sup> Mem. Svc for Late Rev. Kikue Kodama @HNL (9 am)
- 12/11 Sat -KMH Head Minister's Mtg (10:30 am) @HNL Church
- 12/19 Sun -49<sup>th</sup> Memorial Svc for Late Rev. Haruko Takahashi (10 am)
- 12/26 Sun -End of the Year Service (9 am)
- 12/30 Thr -30<sup>th</sup> Annual Mochi Pounding at Wahiawa Church (8 am)

\*The annual schedule is subject to change depending on the course of the pandemic.



## Happy Birthday

To all the people born in March  
Please continue to receive  
Infinite divine blessings from

Tenchi Kane no Kami-Sama and  
Ikigami Konko Daijin-Sama

Rev. Michiyoshi Yasutake

(Head minister of Amagi Church)

Rev. Rodney Yano

Jayden Adkison

Keiko Toyoda

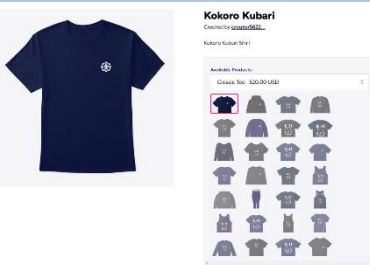
Rev. Edna Matsuoka

## Konko Mission of Wahiawa Spring Grand Ceremony For Tenchi Kane No Kami-Sama

**Date:** Tuesday, April 13, 2021 @ 6:30 pm

**Place:** Konko Mission of Wahiawa

**Memo:** Join us via Facebook Live or in-person, following the COVID-19 precautions of wearing a face mask, washing your hands before entering the worship hall and practicing physical distancing by household. Take-home bento. Let's honor and appreciate the Life Force, Tenchi Kane No Kami-Sama. Take-home bentos will be prepared. Please let us know if you will attend, so we will have a bento ready for you.



Check out the new Konko Merch on Teespring!!  
Go to this link below and order yours today!  
<https://teespring.com/kokoro-kubari?pid=2&cid=576>  
Proceeds will go towards the Konkokyo Headquarters Renovation Project!

## KMH ZOOM Conference 2021

*"Kokoro Kubari: Living with Mindfulness"*

**Date:** Saturday, July 17, 2021  
**Time:** 1:30 pm to 3:30 pm

**Guest Speaker:**

**Rev. Saijiro Matsuda**

(Former Director of KMH Center & Head Minister of Konko Church of Minamimuro)

**Theme:** Kokoro Kubari:  
Living with Mindfulness

**Purpose of the Conference:**

- Defining Living with Mindfulness (Kokoro Kubari) in Konkokyo
- Practicing Mindfulness



To participate you will need:

- PC/Tablet/Smartphone
- Web camera/microphone
- Internet connection
- Email address
- Zoom app
- Kokoro Kubari shirt (Optional)

"Kokoro Kubari" apparel for this event on sale at Teespring:

<https://teespring.com/kokoro-kubari?pid=2&cid=576>

Let's wear Konko Shirts!

(Shirts will take about 2 weeks to reach you. So, order early)

**Register by Saturday,  
July 3, 2021**

For more info, contact:  
kmccenter@konkomissionshawaii.org  
or text: Koichi Sensei (808) 536-9078  
or Edna Sensei (808) 223-3448

## KMH Summer Beach BBQ

**What:** KMH Summer Beach BBQ

**When:** Sat., June 12, 2021 from 9 am-1 pm

**Where:** Haleiwa Alii Beach Park  
(Near Haleiwa Jodo Mission)

**Who:** All is welcome to join us

**Cost:** FREE

**Food:** The Konko Mission of Wahiawa will prepare all the food. We will need approximate headcount by Sat. 6/5.

**Memo:** Feel free to bring beach gear, fishing gear and your own canopies and beach chairs. Please take note, that you may enjoy water activities such as swimming and fishing, but you are doing so at your own risk. Konko Missions in Hawaii will not be responsible.



**Deadline to RSVP is Sat. 6/5/21**

Please contact Edna (KMH CEOC

Secretary) at (808) 223-3448



President's Day Garage Sale on 2/15/21 was a Great Success! Mahalo for all your help!



Girl's Day Mochitsuki on 2/28/21 Was a Great Success! Mahalo for all your help!



