



Kawaiaha'o Church

Vision Statement:

*Honor Ke Akua,
Love one another and
Make disciples.*

*E Ho'onani i Ke Akua,
E Aloha Ke'ekahi i Ke'ekahi ame
E Ho'ohaumana.*

Tradition of Ali'i Sunday's at Kawaiaha'o Church

Kawaiaha'o Church is heralded as the "Westminster Abbey of Hawai'i" built by God through Na Ali'i O Hawai'i for the people of Hawai'i Nei. Kawaiaha'o Church hosted many pivotal events including, Ali'i Sundays, that molded an island nation in strength, hope, faith and love.

Ali'i Sundays are among the many long and honored traditions of Kawaiaha'o Church, which began about 1914. In the 1970's our people were embarking on a tidal wave of change. In the chaos of circumstance and sensing the urgency to unite Hawai'i's people and rekindle their strength and purpose in Ke Akua, the Reverend Dr. Abraham Akaka rejuvenated these services as part of the larger cultural awakening already taking place. He reminded us of the importance "to unite as the people of Hawai'i and to recognize the leadership our Ali'i gave us as Christians." We celebrate eight Ali'i Sundays which are held as part of a larger series of celebrations recognized by the Benevolent Royal Societies, Ali'i Trusts and the Hawaiian Civic Clubs of which always occurs on or just before the birthday of the Ali'i. We invite you to join us.

2017 Ali'i Sunday Schedule

January 29	King William Charles Lunalilo <i>January 31, 1835</i>
<i>Kuleana 'O Lunalilo Trust</i>	
March 12	Queen Ka'ahumanu <i>March 17, 1768</i>
<i>Kuleana 'O Ahahui Ka'ahumanu</i>	
March 26	Prince Jonah Kūhiō Kalaniana'ole <i>March 26, 1871</i>
<i>Kuleana 'O Prince Kūhiō Hawaiian Civic Club/Hawaiian Civic Club of Honolulu</i>	
June 11	Kamehameha 'Ekahi (I) <i>June 11, 1737-58, Circa</i>
<i>Kuleana 'O Royal Order of King Kamehameha, I</i>	
August 6	Kamehameha 'Ekolu (III) <i>August 11, 1813</i>
<i>Kuleana 'O Royal Order of King Kamehameha, I</i>	
August 27	Queen Lili'uokalani <i>September 2, 1838</i>
<i>Kuleana 'O Queen Lili'uokalani Children Center & Trust</i>	
October 15	Princess Ka'iulani <i>October 16, 1875</i>
<i>Kawaiaha'o Church</i>	
December 10	Kamehameha 'Elima (V) <i>December 11, 1830</i>
<i>Kuleana 'O Royal Order of King Kamehameha, I</i>	
December 17	Princess Bernice Pauahi Bishop <i>December 19, 1831</i>
<i>Kuleana 'O Kamehameha Alumni Association</i>	