

THANK YOU to all who helped in any way with our Holy Week and Easter celebrations. In the love that you displayed in your hard work and sacrifices, we saw the love of Jesus, who destroyed our death and restored our life. Special thanks to our liturgy director, Dan Morris, for his leadership and to Totsie Taylor and her crew for the amazing decorations throughout this sacred time. --Fr. Greg



ADA 2010 FINAL REPORT

The Annual Diocesan Appeal has come to a successful conclusion, with more than **374 parishioners (23%)** together contributing over **\$158,800**—that's **111%** of our parish goal! We now look forward to receiving a rebate in excess of **\$15,000**, all of which will go towards our parish needs. A number of ADA pledges that came in by Easter Sunday are yet to be included in these figures. **THANK YOU AGAIN TO ALL WHO SHOWED THEIR SUPPORT FOR OUR DIOCESE AND OUR PARISH.**

CONGRATULATIONS & WELCOME TO OUR NEWLY INITIATED

Elizabeth Balde, Anthony Canjura, Sachi Bayard, Rowan Bayard, Vlad Bayard, Jason Bayard, Rilizaz Isla, Camryn Sizelove-Singleton, Karina Sizelove, Byul Kim, Jennifer Park, Hamin Park, Jeffrey Chin, Donna Hawley, Brian Wada, Lina Aarfan, Laila Jones, Jackson Jones, Robert Greene, Givannia Cestone, Bruce Woolpert, Kenneth Chang, Bobby Vinas, Erick Gerardo Garcia-Martinez, Jonathan Le, Justin Miranda, Julian Miranda, Diego Zamora, Nicole Zamora, Sabrina Nguyen, Bryan Nguyen, Eric Nguyen, Gabriel Legaspi, Debbie Donez, Scott Fittinghoff.



Meant4More Youth Ministry is open to all students in high school. We meet every Sunday from 6-8pm. Come join us and make new friends, learn your faith, play games, sing, go on trips and watch movies. For more information email primomartinez@yahoo.com.

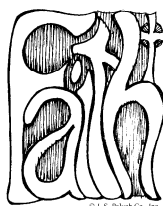
Habitat Home Ownership Readiness Workshops

Habitat for Humanity Silicon Valley will be hosting orientations on the first Thursday of each month from April through October 2010. Sign up for one of the workshops and **hear about upcoming Habitat home ownership opportunities, find out what you need to do now to become qualified for when the application process opens, and receive information about the local support agencies to help you qualify with:** Employment, Credit/Debt Repair, Legal Aid, Tax Filing, Immigration Services and other Family Support

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| • Thursday, May 6 | Cupertino City Hall |
| • Thursday, June 3 | Conference Room A |
| • Thursday, July 1 | 10300 Torre Avenue |
| • Thursday, August 5 | Cupertino, Ca. 95014 |
| • Thursday, September 2 | (near Rodrigues Ave.) |
| • Thursday, October 7 | 6pm-7pm |



There is no junior high meeting on Wednesday, April 14th. Sunday catechetical classes will resume on April 18th.



Communion and Liberation Lay Movement. ARE YOU AN ADULT LOOKING TO DEEPEN YOUR UNDERSTANDING AND EXPERIENCE OF THE CHURCH? Come to our "School of Community" Wednesdays at 7:30-8:30pm in the SJC School Art Room. We are currently working on the book *Is it Possible to Live this Way?* by

Msgr. Luigi Giussani. For more information contact Yvonne Fernández at yvonnefernandez@yahoo.com or go to our website at www.clonline.us

Shelter Volunteer Appreciation

Are you among the many generous parishioners who acted as meal providers, shoppers, greeters, or benefactors for the Faith in Action Rotating Shelter when it was located here at St. Joseph's for the month of July?

If so, we want to thank you!!! You are very cordially invited to a Thank You Dinner!!!

Friday, April 23
6 - 8 p.m.
Cupertino 100F Hall
20589 Homestead Road
Cupertino, CA 95014

This dinner is sponsored by West Valley Community Services, and promises to be a lovely evening with delicious food and great company. If you would like to attend, RVSP to Mary Ellen Hennig (408) 255-6382.

Young Adult Ministry

Are you single or married in your 20's or 30's? Perfect! The Young Adult ministry promotes spiritual enrichment through bible study, discussion of current controversial issues, religious retreats, and guest speakers from the Catholic community. We also organize social events such as dinners, movies, bowling, nature hikes, etc. to kick back and have fun with friends. The YAM group is passionate about sharing our gifts, so we participate in community service events multiple times a year.

Please come join us in our prayer meeting the 1st and 3rd Saturday of the month, 6:30PM, in the Rectory office.



GROWING IN FAITH



(If you are interested in any of the offerings below, please contact Janice LaMotte in the parish office---252-7653 ext. 30)

"ALIVE IN THE SPIRIT"! CHECK OUT THE FOLLOWING OFFERINGS:

- April 11 Confirmation Meeting 12:15 p.m. Parish Office
- April 25 Pilgrimage to Italy without Leaving Home Bro. Bill Bolts, SM 2 p.m.
- May 2 Welcome Mass 11 a.m. Reception
May Crowning 12 noon
- ?May 22,23 Ministry Faire

QUESTION OF THE WEEK: *What is "mystagogy"?*
Mystagogy is the period after those who are newly initiated delve deeper into the meaning and experience of the mysteries of their baptismal faith.

BIBLE STUDY—on the letters of St. Paul are now completed. Stay tuned for additional offerings. Deacon Ron Hansen will conduct the study.

ADULT CONFIRMATION: Are you over the age of 18 and never celebrated the sacrament of Confirmation? There will be a meeting on Sunday, March 28th at 12:15 in the parish office. Call Janice at the parish office as soon as possible. 252-7653 ext. 30.

PRAYER REQUESTS? We have a prayer request form on our website. All requests are welcome & confidential.

GRIEF SUPPORT FOR THOSE WHO HAVE SUFFERED A LOSS OF LOVED ONE, JOB, ETC. NEXT MTG. APRIL 11TH, 2010 FROM 12:30-2 P.M. IN THE PARISH OFFICE.

BE BETTER PREPARED NEXT WEEK'S MASS:

SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

April 11, 2010

Read Act 5:12-16,

Revelation 1:9-11, 12-13, 17-19; John 20:19-31

Question for Adults:

When has faith in the living Christ helped you overcome fear?

Questions for Children:

What could you do this Easter season to help someone feel less afraid?

ACTION

LEARN ABOUT the Just Faith program

(www.justfaith.org) as a way to bring about peace.

Prayer:

Lord Jesus, help me to bring about peace by spending more time in prayer with you. Teach me and give me the true peace of your love. Amen



SJC SCHOOL NEWS

Junior Jaguars

PRESCHOOL UPDATE

Our PRE-

SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION is moving ahead beautifully! Weekly meetings are taking place with the architect, contractors, and subcontractors and we are progressing right on schedule. The construction project is scheduled to be finished on time, in May. In addition, Preschool faculty and staff have been attending licensing meetings. We are pleased to report that we have planned very well and will be able to easily comply with all licensing requirements for our new Junior Jaguars preschool.

We invite you to see photos of our preschool construction project at: <http://sjcschool.org/preschool/>

Alumni Survey for SJC Graduates from 2003—2009

We are conducting a SPARCCLS survey of SJC Alumni. If you are an SJC Alumnus who graduated between 2003 (when we introduced our SPARCCLS) and 2009, or know an alum from these graduating classes, please log on to the following website to take a quick three question survey. This survey will help us evaluate the impact of these Student Learning Expectations. In return for taking the time to offer your response, we are offering a free burger at our 2010 Cupertino Carnival (Oct. 1-3)

The survey is at: <http://sjcschool.org/alumni-survey>

An SJC Student is:

- Spiritual
- Peaceful
- Academically Prepared
- Respectful
- Confident
- Community Oriented
- Life-long learners
- Strong Communicators



THE PARISH Welcomes.....

- Ms. Maureen Ferguson
- Mr. & Mrs. Lucas Liu
- Ms. Priscilla Rodriguez
- Mr. & Mrs. Jamie Sizelove
- Mr. & Mrs. Neal Swank

A GREAT BIG THANK YOU TO ALL WHO HAVE INCREASED THEIR DONATIONS TO OUR PARISH. We are most grateful that you recognize the importance of having a parish in which to worship and to carry out the work of the Lord! Again, deepest thanks!

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 2:14, 22-33; Mt 28:8-15
 Tuesday: Acts 2:36-41; Jn 20:11-18
 Wednesday: Acts 3:1-10; Lk 24:13-35
 Thursday: Acts 3:11-26; Lk 24:35-48
 Friday: Acts 4:1-12; Jn 21:1-14
 Saturday: Acts 4:13-21; Mk 16:9-15
 Sunday: Acts 5:12-16; Ps 118; Rv 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19; Jn 20:19-31

Mass Intentions For the Week

Apr. 10 5:00 PM Donald & Faye Mullen (+)
 Apr. 11 8:00 AM Annie Chetcuti (+)
 9:30 AM Mary Ma (+)
 11:00 AM Peggy Anne Martone (+)
 5:00 PM Debbie Gordon (+)
 Apr. 12 8:30 AM Mrs. Kathleen McEvoy (+)
 Apr. 13 8:30 AM Special Intention (St. Joseph)
 Apr. 14 8:30 AM Claudia Mullen (+)
 Apr. 15 8:30 AM Hedy Schorr (+)
 Apr. 16 8:30 AM Audrey Cory (+)
 Apr. 17 8:30 AM Michelle Cianciarulo (+)
 5:00 PM Donna Brock (+)
 Apr. 18 8:00 AM Jessie Ziegler (+)
 9:30 AM Mary Tripp (+)
 11:00 AM Maria Chako Joseph (+)
 5:00 PM Gabriel Bertrand & Family (L)



PLEASE PRAY FOR

All victims of war & terrorism, All serving our country in the military, PEACE, and our relatives and friends

DID YOU KNOW? ATTENDANCE AT CHURCH does not automatically make you or your family REGISTERED members of St. Joseph of Cupertino parish. Registration forms are in the vestibule, outside the chapel and available online. Do not hesitate to call on us if you have questions.



Stewardship at St. Joseph of Cupertino

“Blessed are they who have not seen and yet believed,” Jesus says in today’s Gospel. For those who have not seen to believe, however, we must be good stewards of our faith, living it joyfully and sharing it generously. Then in our time, too, “men and women in great numbers” will be “added to the Lord.”

For more information on the many ways to practice stewardship at St. Joseph of Cupertino, please call L. T. Guttadauro, Stewardship Council, at 253-2449.

Stewardship in Action

Dear God and Father, You have given me a mission to help bring about your reign on earth as it is in Heaven through my life and the gifts You have given me. May I use the gifts of time, talent and treasure to follow Your plans and accomplish Your will. Help me go in peace to love and serve You!

WHAT DOES IT TAKE TO BECOME CATHOLIC? Or do you still need to celebrate the sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist? (call Janice at 252-7653 ext. 30 for more info.)

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults: (RCIA) ages 7&older HELP SPREAD THE FAITH. INVITE SOMEONE TO FIND OUT ABOUT THE CATHOLIC CHURCH!

HELP US PRAY FOR YOUR NEEDS AND THE NEEDS OF OUR PARISH! THURSDAYS (NOTE CHANGE)--- 12 noon ---- 1 P.M. Community Center.

SJC SOCIAL JUSTICE MINISTRY INVITES YOU to attend the 3rd Deanery Annual Social Justice Enrichment Series ON ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE.

In conjunction with the Diocese of San Jose “Green Initiative” and in solidarity with the social justice teachings of the Catholic Church, this series is intended to make us aware of the impact of our lifestyles on the environment and how we can make small but significant adjustments of our lifestyles to be just stewards of our environment. You are urged to attend these seven sessions that have been planned: four for the spring and three for the fall of 2010.

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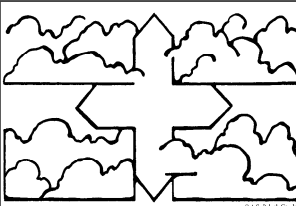
Reminder: Our third session will be on April 27, 2010. The topic is Easy Lifestyle Changes that Benefit the Environment. 7:30p.m. at St. Martin of Tours. Speaker/Moderator TBA

“If You Want to Cultivate Peace, Protect Creation. Respect for creation is of immense consequence, not least because “creation is the beginning and the foundation of all God’s works”, and its preservation has now become essential for the pacific coexistence of mankind.”(*Message of His Holiness Pope Benedict XVI for the celebration of the World of Peace, 2010*)

St. Joseph of Cupertino Monthly Financial Update For 7 mos. ending February 28, 2010

	Actual	Budget	Variance
Weekly & other Collections	\$461,241	\$430,971	\$30,270
Gifts & other income	\$224,446	\$216,405	\$8,041
Total Revenue	\$685,687	\$647,376	\$38,311
Total Expense	\$736,923	\$701,792	(\$35,131)
Net Gain (Loss)	(\$51,236)	(\$54,416)	\$3,180

In an effort to keep the lines of communication open, the Finance Council has requested that a financial report appear in the bulletin Each month.



Second Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy Sunday) April 11, 2010

Once I was dead, but now I am alive forever and ever. — Revelation 1:18a

Automated Giving is here—Have you signed up yet?

All parishioners are encouraged to give a set monthly amount. There are a number of ways this can be accomplished. You can sign up for Parish Pay by clicking on “donations” on the St. Joseph website home page (www.stjoscup.org). You can use your bank’s online bill pay service to set up a recurring monthly payment to St. Joseph, or you can write one check each month and either drop it in the collection basket or send it to the parish office. If you have questions, please contact the Planned Parish Giving team at ppcteam@stjoscup.org or call Mike Hoffman at (408) 255-4767.

OUR PARISH WEBSITE HAS A NEW LOOK!!! CHECK IT OUT! Our bulletin is also posted on the website.

PARISH WEBSITE!!—(stjoscup.org) have you checked out our parish’s website lately? You will find the **bulletin**, a **calendar** of events including **funerals**, and links to other **resources** as well as **Sunday homilies**?. **PRAYER LINE!** (Prayer line @stjoscup.org) **OTHER WEBSITES:**

- **American Catholic.org**.you’ll find information about the *Catholic Faith, Saint of the Day, as well as a place for prayer requests!*
- **Vatican**—www.vaticanstate.va in English, Italian, French, German, and Spanish
- **The Christophers** website at www.christophers.org.
- **www.Americancatholic.org**
- **www. Finding God.org**
- **Sacred Space.org—Loyola Press** (good for spirituality& prayer)
- **Busted Halo** (good for young adults)
- **USCCB. Org** (the U.S. bishops website)

WARNING!!! Not all websites are created equal---be careful that they follow the true Catholic teaching!

PARISH OUTREACH We welcome your donations of dry and canned foods for our Out reach Closet. Please continue to bring these items with you when you attend weekend Masses. Unfortunately, **we cannot accept any articles of clothing**. All other clothing should be taken to other charitable organizations. Thank you for your support of our program.

THE FOLLOWING MINISTRIES NEED YOUR HELP!!! PLEASE ANSWER THE “CALL”.

WON’T YOU HELP? Help make our monthly liturgies with “**emphasis on children**” **extra special**. This is a very rewarding ministry to help enrich the faith life of our younger parishioners. Call Dan if you can help; 252-7653 ext. 32

JOIN OUR FUNERAL RECEPTION COMMITTEE: It only takes about two hours of your time to set up, serve, and clean up when someone has a reception in our community center. This only happens about six times a year. Call Janice at the parish office.

NEW MINISTRY!!! We would like to start a ministry for those who need **help with meals** during a time of convalescence or loss. If you are willing to help or for more information, call Janice at the parish office 252-7653 ext. 30

WELCOME TO ALL OUR NEW MEMBERS, VISITORS AND GUESTS! Your presence helps enliven our community and we thank and praise our God for each and every one of you.

DID YOU KNOW?

We run a **BINGO** game every Monday and Saturday night. **BINGO** is a source of significant funds for our school, along with other donations to outreach, scholarships and other needed charities. **BINGO** is in the parish hall. Warm-ups games start a 6:30 PM with the regular games at 7:15 PM. If you are a first time player there, you will receive a free dauber. Come join the fun--and spread the news! Information is also on the parish website under **ACTIVITIES**.

**St. Joseph of Cupertino
Staff Information**

Parish Office: 252-7653 sjeparish@stjoscup.org
 Secretary: Free Draga Fri. Admin. Asst: Tracey Govola
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 Bingo Information – x37
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 Organist – 996-9352 Lothar Bandermann
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Baptism
Please call the parish office to begin the required preparation process.
Marriage
Please contact one of the priests at least six months in advance.
Adult Initiation
If you are interested in becoming a Catholic call the parish office. Our RCIA program looks forward to hearing from you.
Illness
If someone from our parish is ill and would like to receive communion and/or the anointing of the sick, please call the parish office.
Bereavement Ministry
This ministry provides food after a funeral or memorial service. Advance notice is necessary. Volunteers are always welcome to join.