

## ANNUAL EDUCATION APPEAL

The Annual Education Appeal, which will be held on the weekend of September 11-12, 2010 in our Diocese, is most important as it provides financial assistance to many of our Catholic students who want to receive a Catholic education. This special collection is for the scholarship fund that supports the tuition aid program for elementary and high school students in our schools. Although not all parishes have schools, they all have families with school age children. Our schools provide that choice. Over 16,000 students are educated in our 30 elementary school and 6 high schools and many are there because of the generosity and support of your parish community.

Please plan on giving generously—this is an investment in the future of young lives as well as the future of the Catholic Church in the San Jose Diocese. Questions and inquiries can be directed to the Department of Education 983-0185.



The Catechetical Ministry office is now open and is accepting applications for the 2010-2011 school year. If your child is between the ages of 3 and 8th grade and currently not registered in the program, you can download the registration packet at <http://stjoscup.org/forms/RegistrationPacket2010.pdf>. You can also pick up the packet in the rectory or the Catechetical Ministry office. You will also find information about sacrament preparation in the packet. Contact Tam at 252-7653 ext. 60 for further information.

If you wish to share your faith and time with the children at St. Joseph of Cupertino, please consider becoming a catechist! The program is still looking for parishioners to teach during the 9:30 AM and 11 AM mass on Sundays. If you wish to volunteer or have further questions, please contact Tam at 252-7653 ext. 60.

**WISH LIST:** Have you seen our parish “wish list?” There are copies in the racks in the vestibule and outside the chapel. Please help if you are able.

**PAKISTAN RELIEF:** Contributions to aid the victims of the flooding in Pakistan may be sent to Catholic Relief Services by using the following web address: <http://crs.org/pakistan/flood-landslide-upheaval-hits-16-million-pakistanis/>



**ANNIVERSARY WISHES**  
Congratulations to Dennis “Randy” and Linda Randolphi on celebrating their 47th wedding anniversary! May they enjoy many more happy years together!

### “HELPING HANDS”

Up and running--- This ministry helps provide meals for those during a time of convalescence. We are in need of those with “Helping Hands” that would like to be a part of this worthwhile ministry. Jesus says in Matthew 25:35,40 *“I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me drink, a stranger and you welcomed me. . . I say to you, whatever you did for one of these least brothers of mine, you did for me.”* If you would like to serve our Savior by helping others please call Marlene Kalb at 741-1615 or Janice our Pastoral Associate at 252-7653x0.

**If you or someone you know is in need of meals, please call the numbers listed above.**

## MINISTRY OF THE WEEK: LITURGY WITH EMPHASSIS ON CHILDREN

Helps with planning and implementing masses about once a month which involve participation of our younger people. This takes about three hours of time in recruiting children’s participation, practices and special adaptation. *(If you can help or would like to sign up your children to participate, please call Dan at the parish office---252-7653 ext. 32.)*

Are you looking for a job or know somebody who is? For the ninth year, Cupertino Rotary will be hosting the free JOB SEARCH SUPPORT GROUP every Tuesday evening from 5:00 to 7:00 PM from September 7th, 2010, to June 7, 2011, in the Cafeteria at Monta Vista High School, 21840 McClellan Road. Parking is available in the staff parking lot. You may enter and exit this free program at any time. If you have questions about the class, you can call instructor, Jim Gibson, at (408) 735-0663 or e-mail [JimGib007@aol.com](mailto:JimGib007@aol.com). Please review a 5 minute video highlighting the job search program at <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=n2rVBjnuqRw>



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](mailto:primomartinez@yahoo.com).



### Sponsorship Has Its Privileges

Have you considered being a carnival sponsor? Platinum, Gold, Silver, and Bronze levels are available, and each level includes an ad in the carnival program and recognition in the program and on the carnival web page. Family/Friend sponsorships are also available. Act soon. The deadline is 9/9. For more info:

<http://www.sjcschool.org/carnival/sponsorship>

**DID YOU KNOW?** Next week is **Catechetical Sunday**. We will be honoring all those who are catechists at the 11 am. Mass.

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

**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.



## 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:**

**COMING SOON!!!**

**Sept. 19 PARISH FEAST DAY! 11 a.m. Mass followed by reception in large hall**

**Oct. 17, 24, Pilgrimage to the Holy Land & A  
31, Nov. 3 Journey Through the Bible**

**STAY TUNED FOR MANY EXCITING EVENTS, LECTURES, BIBLE STUDY ETC. FOR THIS COMING YEAR! We hope to have a brochure of this year's events at our Feast Day!**

### **BECOMING CATHOLIC: COMPLETING INITIATION:**

If you are not baptized, or baptized in another Christian denomination, or if you are baptized Catholic but have not celebrated the sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist, please contact Janice LaMotte at 252-7653 ext. 30. **The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults: (RCIA) ages 7&older**

**HELP SPREAD THE FAITH. INVITE SOMEONE TO FIND OUT ABOUT THE CATHOLIC CHURCH!**

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

### **NEXT WEEK! OUR FEAST DAY CELEBRATION IS SEPTEMBER 19<sup>TH</sup>!**

Won't you help make this year just as spectacular as our past year? **WE NEED VARIOUS ETHNIC FOODS TO MAKE THIS EVENT A SUCCESS.** Please call Janice at 252-7653 ext. 30 if you can help, or, fill out the flyer in the vestibule of the church.

**IMMEDIATE NEED:** Volunteers to send information or contact people about our various events and lectures etc. This can be done from home and would not entail much time. Please call Janice at the parish office if you can help---252-7653 ext. 30 or e-mail: [adulated@stjoscup.org](mailto:adulated@stjoscup.org)

**QUESTION OF THE WEEK: What is "infallibility" in the Catholic church?**

### **BETTER PREPARED NEXT WEEK'S MASS: THE TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME September 19, 2010**

Read : Amos 8:4-7; 1 Timothy 2:1-8; Luke 15:18:1-13

#### **Question for Adults:**

Can cheating and deception ever be justified?

#### **Questions for Children:**

If someone treats you unfairly, do you have the right to do the same to them?

#### **ACTION**

**PERFORM AN ACT OF KINDNESS FOR SOMEONE THIS WEEK.**

#### **Prayer:**

Oh Lord, help us to be aware of the needs of others. Help us to be stewards of our family, church, and the earth. Amen



## SJC SCHOOL NEWS

### Junior Jaguars

**PRESCHOOL September Update**

**Preschool Dedication**

Saturday, September 18, 2010

Join us at 3:00pm for the Blessing and Ribbon Cutting, followed by an Open House, and Dessert Celebration.

### **PRESCHOOL APPLICATIONS**

We currently have two openings in our new preschool. We increased staffing recently and are now able to accommodate 32 students rather than the 30 student limit we previously set. *Parishioners are given priority consideration in our acceptance policy.* **Additionally, we have openings available in several elementary school grades.** You may download an application by logging on to our school website at [www.sjcschool.org](http://www.sjcschool.org) and clicking on Admissions. You may also pick up an application at our school office or contact us at (408) 252-6441 to request an application.

### **Safeway's 10% Goes Back to Schools Program**

It's the **last weekend** for St. Joseph of Cupertino School to earn 10% of your Safeway purchase amounts on thousands of participating products.

Just look for the School Bus Tags until this Tuesday **September 14<sup>th</sup>**. Use your Safeway Club Card to buy participating items. eScrip customers contribute automatically, otherwise pick St. Joseph's to get 10% at the end of the program.



Safeway and eScrip **Renew now.**

If you participated last year, renew now so St. Joseph of Cupertino school can continue to earn contributions.

- Go to [eScrip.com](http://eScrip.com)
- Click on "YES RENEW!"
- Enter either your phone number, email, or Club Card number

### **Scrip News**

Scrip gift cards will be sold after every mass this weekend, Sept. 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup>.



**OUR REGULAR THURSDAY PRAYER GROUP MEETS THURSDAYS FROM 12-1p.m.** Come and pray whenever you are able for your needs and the needs of our parish and parishioners. Thanks so much to ELLEN HAAS for spear-heading this ministry.



**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](mailto:yvonnefernandez@yahoo.com) or go to our website at [www.clonline.us](http://www.clonline.us)

Last weekend's bulletin mistakenly repeated the Mass intentions and readings from the previous week. We apologize for these errors. The correct Mass intentions and readings for last week were as follows:

**READINGS FOR LAST WEEK**

Monday:	1 Cor 5:1-8; Lk 6:6-11
Tuesday:	1 Cor 6:1-11; Lk 6:12-19
Wednesday:	Mi 5:1-4a or Rom 8:28-30; Mt 1:1-16, 18-23 [18-23]
Thursday:	1 Cor 8:1b-7, 11-13; Lk 6:27-38
Friday:	1 Cor 9:16-19, 22b-27; Lk 6:39-42
Saturday:	1 Cor 10:14-22; Lk 6:43-49
Sunday:	Ex 32:7-11, 13-14; Ps 51; 1 Tm 1:12-17; Lk 15:1-32 [1-10]

**READINGS FOR THIS WEEK**

Monday:	1 Cor 11:17-26, 33; Lk 7:1-10
Tuesday:	Nm 21:4b-9; Phil 2:6-11; Jn 3:13-17
Wednesday:	1 Cor 12:31 — 13:13; Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 2:33-35
Thursday:	1 Cor 15:1-11; Lk 7:36-50
Friday:	1 Cor 15:12-20; Lk 8:1-3
Saturday:	1 Cor 15:35-37, 42-49; Lk 8:4-15
Sunday:	Am 8:4-7; Ps 113; 1 Tm 2:1-8; Lk 16:1-13[10-13]

*Mass Intentions for the Week*

Sept. 04	5:00 PM	Teresita Torres (+)
Sept. 05	8:00 AM	Margaret Borst (+)
	9:30 AM	Francois Ma (+)
	11:00 AM	Ronald Kelm (+)
	5:00 PM	Rosalina H. Velasco (+)
Sept. 06	8:30 AM	In Thanksgiving
Sept. 07	8:30 AM	Rogelio Solleza (L)
Sept. 08	8:30 AM	Bee Cheng Tan Thanksgiving
Sept. 09	8:30 AM	In Thanksgiving
Sept. 10	8:30 AM	Jamalyn Ollinger (+)
Sept. 11	8:30 AM	Hank Chang
	5:00 PM	Patrick Francis O'Brien
Sept. 12	8:00 AM	Andres, Angela & Remedios Salandan (+)
	9:30 AM	Mary Ma (+)
	11:00 AM	Armando H. Velasco (+)
	5:00 PM	Francis Keagle (+)
Sept. 13	8:30 AM	In Thanksgiving
Sept. 14	8:30 AM	Roy Winchester (+)
Sept. 15	8:30 AM	Anna Biskupski (L)
Sept. 16	8:30 AM	Helen Barrett (+)
Sept. 17	8:30 AM	Gladys & Oswald Ribeiro (+)
Sept. 18	8:30 AM	Alameda Grindeland (+)
	5:00 PM	George & Grace Calcagno (+)
Sept. 19	8:00 AM	Robert & Teri Steinberg (L)
	9:30 AM	Lucille Sohriakoff (+)
	11:00 AM	Benedict Velasco (+)
	5:00 PM	Pamela Kundracik (+)



**PLEASE PRAY FOR**

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

**Archbishop Mitty High School  
OPEN HOUSE**

**Sunday, November 21, 2010**

Guided tours from  
9:00a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Archbishop Mitty High School is located at  
5000 Mitty Avenue  
San Jose, Ca. 95129  
(408) 252-6610

Please view our website [www.mitty.com/admission](http://www.mitty.com/admission)  
for additional information about  
our Catholic college preparatory

**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.

The **Liturgy Committee** has openings for new members. If you would like to be part of planning our liturgies please call Dan Morris at (408) 252-7653x32.

**DID YOU KNOW? We have a video library with many excellent films that are both entertaining and informative. It is outside church between 10:30-11:00a.m. on Sunday mornings.**

Please do not post **flyers** or leave any kind of literature, including **magazines, brochures, or prayer cards** on church premises without permission of the pastor. Any materials found on the premises without permission will be discarded. Thank you for your cooperation.



**Stewardship at St. Joseph of Cupertino**

We can hear God speaking to us today in the words of the father to his elder son: "You are with me always, and everything I have is yours." What is my response to such remarkable generosity? Do I give joyfully and generously as God gives to me?

**Stewardship Prayer**

*Rev. Gregory Kimm, 2009*

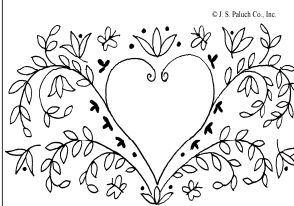
God rich in kindness and generous in love,  
You call us to be your people, a church, a community of faith.

You have entrusted St. Joseph of Cupertino Parish to our care.  
Help us to be good stewards, always worthy of your trust.

As you are attentive to the needs of each of us,  
Enable us to be attentive to the needs of our parish,  
using the gifts you have given us not just for our own good,  
but for the good of all.

We ask this in the name of Jesus, our Brother, and in the Spirit, who makes us one.

Amen!



**Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**September 12, 2010**

A clean heart create for me, O God,  
and a steadfast spirit renew within me.

— *Psalm 51:12*

**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.

**HAVE YOU CHECKED OUT OUR WEBSITE RECENTLY? WE HAVE INTERESTING NEW LINKS! 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.vatican.va in English, Italian, French, German, and Spanish
- **The Christophers** website at www.christophers.org.
- **www.Americancatholic.org**
- **Finding God.org**---www.lovoyolapress.com
- **Sacred Space—Loyola Press** ---http://sacredspace(good for spirituality & prayer)
- **Busted Halo** ---www.bustedhalo.com(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!**

*(stay tuned---hope to have some homilies etc in Chinese)*

**CATHOLIC RADIO: 1260 AM (Immaculate Heart Radio)**

**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.

**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** sjcparish@stjoscup.org  
 Secretary: Free Draga Fri. Admin. Asst: Tracey Govola  
 Bingo Information – x37
- Business Administration – x23 ..... Monica Viruegas-Ferrante  
 Catechetical Ministry – x60 ..... Tam Tran (catmin@stjoscup.org)  
 Liturgy – x32 ..... Dan Morris  
 Ministry to the Sick – 252-7653 ..... Marlene Penney  
 Organist – 996-9352 ..... Lothar Bandermann  
 Outreach ..... Dick Sherman  
 Pastoral Associate – x30 ..... Janice LaMotte  
 (adulted@stjoscup.org)
- School – 252-6441 ..... Mary Lyons (www.sjcschool.org)  
 Wedding Coordinator – 255-1881 ..... Totsie Taylor  
 252-7653x61
- Youth Ministry Coordinator --x38 ..... Primo Martinez  
 (Primo.Martinez@yahoo.com)
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- Deacon ..... Ron Hansen  
 (ronnebr@aol.com)
- Altar Server Coordinator ..... Rev. Vincent Pineda  
 Infant Baptism ..... Rev. Vincent Pineda  
 Kaiser Hospital Chaplain ..... Rev. Peter Seimas  
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 Stewardship Council ..... stewardship@stjoscup.org  
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 Liturgy Committee ..... liturgy@stjoscup.org  
 Communications Committee ..... communications@stjoscup.org

**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.

**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!**