

## ALL SAINTS DAY

Because All Saints Day (November 1) falls on a Monday this year, it is *not* observed as a holy day of obligation. The morning mass will be at 8:30 A.M. as usual. Please note that the mass at 5 P.M. on October 31 will be a mass for the 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time.

## ALL SOULS DAY

Also known as the Commemoration of the Faithful Departed, All Souls Day is November 2. Mass will be at 8:30 A.M. If you would like your deceased loved ones remembered in special masses and prayers during the month of November, please use the All Souls envelopes available in the vestibule, near the chapel doors, or at the parish office.



### OUTREACH THANKSGIVING BASKETS

The SJC Community has a 35+ year history of assisting our neighbors and community in the annual Thanksgiving Basket Program. We are hoping for a very successful campaign again this year because the need is especially great.

The Parish Food Drive kicks off next weekend along with the **final 5th Sunday of the Month Outreach Collection.**

**PLEASE NOTE:** A generous benefactor has volunteered to **MATCH all the donations to St. Joseph's Outreach** from now until the conclusion of the Thanksgiving Program, Nov. 22. Monetary donations can be placed in the collection basket at masses in an envelope marked OUTREACH. Checks can be made out to St. Joseph's Outreach. About \$30 provides one family's basket.

Please keep the bulletin insert as a reminder for the types of non-perishable foods that are needed. Place your donations in the Food Collection bins outside the doors of the SJC sanctuary and chapel (after checking the expiration dates of course!)

Parishioners in need of assistance please contact the Parish Office or Sharon at 253-2691.

### "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 anyone from our church community has a need for "Helping Hands" or if you would like to serve our Savior by serving others, please call Marlene Kalb at 741-1615 or Janice our Pastoral Associate at 252-7653 ext.30. If you or someone you know is in need of meals or shopping, please call Marlene.**

**IMMEDIATE NEED: Help publicize our events or contact people about our various events and lectures. 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: [adulted@stjoscup.org](mailto:adulted@stjoscup.org)**



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).



Next Sunday, October 31, the 9:30am liturgy will have a special focus on children.

**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.

### MINISTRY OF THE WEEK: LITURGY WITH FOCUS ON CHILDREN (LFC)

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.)*

**THANKS SO MUCH TO ALL WHO VOLUNTEERED FOR OUR FUNERAL RECEPTION COMMITTEE--we now have a great working team to help with receptions in the community center! Thanks especially to Betty DiMare who is head of the committee.**

### Featured Ministry of the Week:

**Bereavement Ministry:** This ministry is for grieving families. Teams from the parish supply food for a small group of people in the family's home or our community center after a funeral or memorial service. The food items generally include salads and desserts. **Thanks so very much to Marlene Kalb who has agreed to head this committee after Mary Ann Herlihy retired after many years of heading it.** *(If you would like to be part of this ministry, please call Marlene at 741-1615)*

### **DO YOU OR SOMEONE YOU KNOW WANT TO KNOW ABOUT BECOMING CATHOLIC? OR COMPLETING INITIATION?**

If you or someone you know 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!**



## 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:**

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| Oct. 24,<br>31, Nov. 3 | Pilgrimage to the Holy Land & A Journey<br>Through the Bible in Community Center      |
| Oct. 20                | Church Tour —7 p.m. in church   |
| Oct. 27                | Science & Faith —Fred Tenover<br>7 p.m., Community Center                             |
| Oct. 30,31             | Dia de los Muertos (Day of the Dead)<br>display in Community Center after all masses. |

**PLEASE CHECK OUT— OUR BROCHURE WITH MANY EXCITING EVENTS, LECTURES, BIBLE STUDY, ETC. FOR THIS COMING YEAR!** *In the Vestibule —supplies are limited so only take one if you are going to utilize it!*

**OUR DEEPEST GRATITUDE TO A KIND PARISHINER WHO PROVIDED THE SHADES FOR THE COMMUNITY CENTER. WHAT A SPECTACULARE GIFT!** We can now utilize our terrific visual equipment without full sun and glare!

**ALL INVITED: "SCIENCE & FAITH"** —are they compatible? What does the church have to say about the subject. This lecture will take place Wednesday, October 27<sup>th</sup> at 7 p.m. in the Community Center. Fred Tenover, who holds a Ph.D in medical microbiology will be the facilitator.

**GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP MEETING. NEXT MEETING IS NOV. 7 FROM 12:30-2 P.M. IN THE PARISH OFFICE.** *All are welcome to attend at any time. There is no fee and it is run by a professional counselor.*

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

### **BE BETTER PREPARED FOR NEXT WEEK'S MASS: THE 31st SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**October 31, 2010**

Read : Wisdom 11:22-12:2;

2 Thessalonians 1:11-2:2; Luke 19:1-10

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

During the next week, what could you do to welcome someone who usually feels excluded?

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

Is there a child in your class or neighborhood who is left out of games and activities? What can you do?

#### **ACTION**

CONTRIBUTE FOOD TO OUR OUTREACH FOR THE THANKSGIVING BASKETS

#### **Prayer:**

Oh Lord, help us to see the needs of others. Peel away selfishness, greed, prejudice, and hate. Amen.



## SJC SCHOOL NEWS

### SAVE THE DATE:

### **KINDERGARTEN INFORMATION NIGHT Tuesday, November 9<sup>th</sup> 7 - 9pm**



SJC School extends a warm invitation to all families with young children to find out about our unique Kindergarten program at a special open house on Tuesday, November 9<sup>th</sup> at 7pm in the Kindergarten classroom. Come meet our kindergarten teachers discuss our kindergarten curriculum, meet our principal, Mary Lyons, and talk with school board members about why St. Joseph's school is a wonderful place for your child.

For more information or to RSVP call the school office at 252-6441 or send an email to [development@sjcschool.org](mailto:development@sjcschool.org).

And for Preschool Families, save the date: **January 26, 2011** for our **Preschool Information Night**.

#### **SAFeway Club Card RE-Registration:**

All Safeway Club card users must renew their support of SJC School each fall. Renewing is easy: login to [escrip.com](http://escrip.com) and look for the Safeway Renewal logo. Click to renew and you are done! Need help? Not sure if you re-registered? Email [development@sjcschool.org](mailto:development@sjcschool.org) or call the school office at 252-6441.

Are you registered with ESCRIP to support SJC School?

Go to [escrip.com](http://escrip.com) and sign up. Our **Group ID # is 137104986**. Thank you for supporting our parish school.

### **Oktoberfest with Catholic Trek - October 25th**

We may be off by a couple of weeks, but that doesn't mean it isn't a good reason to get together with new and old friends. Meet us at Gordon Biersch (640 Emerson St, Palo Alto) for appetizers starting around 6:30pm on Monday, October 25th. If possible, RSVP to [catholic-trek-core@googlegroups.com](mailto:catholic-trek-core@googlegroups.com) or (408) 554-5823.

Catholic Trek is a group for Catholics (single and married, 30's to 40's). For more information about the group, see <http://adultcircle.shutterfly.com/>

### **DISPLAY PICTURE OF DECEASED LOVED**

**ONES?** If you would like to honor someone who has died, please bring a framed picture to the rectory by Tuesday, October 26, 2010. **(no larger than 5x7 and no one of a kind frames please!). Place your name and phone number on the back of the frame please. Thank you.**

**MOM'S GROUP:** A good way to meet other mother's and share spiritually. This group will **now MEET ON THE SECOND WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH from 10-11 am**, usually at a park. If you are interested, please call Carol Ruiz at (408) 777-2966.



**OUR REGULAR THURSDAY PRAYER GROUP MEETS THURSDAYS FROM 12-1p.m. in the Community Center. 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 spearheading this ministry.

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Monday: Eph 4:32 — 5:8; Lk 13:10-17  
 Tuesday: Eph 5:21-33 [2a, 25-33]; Lk 13:18-21  
 Wednesday: Eph 6:1-9; Lk 13:22-30  
 Thursday: Eph 2:19-22; Lk 6:12-16  
 Friday: Phil 1:1-11; Lk 14:1-6  
 Saturday: Phil 1:18b-26; Lk 14:1, 7-11  
 Sunday: Wis 11:22 — 12:2; Ps 145;  
 2 Thes 1:11 — 2:2; Lk 19:1-10

*Mass Intentions for the Week*

Oct. 23	5:00 PM	Margaret Lucas (+)
Oct. 24	8:00 AM	John & Margaret Mardesich (+)
	9:30 AM	Thanksgiving Mass
	11:00 AM	Victor Mandella (+)
	5:00 PM	
Oct. 25	8:30 AM	
Oct. 26	8:30 AM	Free Nunziati (+)
Oct. 27	8:30 AM	Henry Chao
Oct. 28	8:30 AM	
Oct. 29	8:30 AM	
Oct. 30	8:30 AM	Rose Bello (+)
	5:00 PM	
Oct. 31	8:00 AM	Andrew Ziegler (+)
	9:30 AM	Brian Rodrigues
	11:00 AM	Mary Doskas (+)
	5:00 PM	Theresa Kpatakpa (+)



**PLEASE PRAY FOR**

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



**Stewardship at St. Joseph of Cupertino**

Both the first reading and today's psalm say clearly that the Lord hears the cry of the poor. Have I been given the gifts – of time or money or abilities – to be the means by which God answers their need?

**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!

**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!**

**Archbishop Mitty High School  
 OPEN HOUSE  
 Sunday, November 21, 2010**

Guided tours from  
 9:00a.m. to 1:30p.m  
 Archbishop Mitty High School  
 5000 Mitty Avenue  
 San Jose, CA 95129  
 (408) 252-6610

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



**PACK 476 CHRISTMAS  
 WREATHS!**

Christmas is just around the corner! Please purchase your Christmas wreaths and support our Cub Scouts. Scouts will be outside selling wreaths and centerpieces at all Masses on October 24, 30 & 31. Delivery will be at all Masses on December 4th & 5th.

**HAVE YOU CHECKED OUT OUR WEBSITE RECENTLY?**  
**WE HAVE INTERESTING NEW LINKS!** *Our bulletin is also posted on the website.*

**YLI MAUREN INSTITUTE #136 IS GOING TO RED  
 HAWK CASINO IN SHINGLE SPRINGS**

Monday, **November 8, 2010.** You pay \$30.00 and you receive \$20.00 plus \$5.00 food. **Departure is 8:30am** from St. Joseph of Cupertino, 10110 N. DeAnza Blvd. **Return at @6pm.** Parking in front and side of church. For reservations and information call Edithe Novak at (408) 739-6728. Make checks payable to Edithe Novak and mail to 445 Kenmore Ave., Sunnyvale, ca. 94086.

**OPEN HOUSE at ST. FRANCIS HIGH SCHOOL** Located at 1885 Miramonte Avenue, Mountain View on Sunday, October 31 from 9:00am until 1:00pm, for parents and students. Tours leave from Raskob Gum every 15 minutes and last approximately 1-1/2 hours. You are welcome to join us when it is most convenient. You do not need to register to attend.



**Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
 October 24, 2010**

The prayer of the lowly pierces the clouds;  
 it does not rest until it reaches its  
 goal,  
 nor will it withdraw till the Most High  
 responds.

**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.

**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!** ( Prayerline@stjoscup.org)

**OTHER WEBSITES:**

**Diocesan Website— www.dsj.org**

**AmericanCatholic.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](http://www.christophers.org).

**Loyola Press —www.loyolapress.com**

**Sacred Space—http://sacredspace.ie**(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)

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



**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 AND VISITORS!** Your presence helps enliven our community and we thank and praise our God for each and every one of you. If you would like to register with our parish, registration forms are in the vestibule and outside the chapel, or online.

**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  
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)

Young Adult Coordinator - x28 ..... Rev. Vincent Pineda  
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Deacon..... Ron Hansen  
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Altar Server Coordinator..... Rev. Vincent Pineda

Infant Baptism..... Rev. Vincent Pineda

Kaiser Hospital Chaplain ..... Rev. Peter Seimas  
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Finance Council ..... finance@stjoscup.org

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.

**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.