

## 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.

### Our 2010 Thanksgiving food drive is underway.



Last year, we were able to provide Thanksgiving baskets to 185 families in the area. These families were identified through parish referrals and referrals from West Valley Community Services. This year, as you can guess, the need is even greater.

As always, we depend on the support of our parish and school communities to enable us to reach out to families in need. How can you help? Your donations of **canned and packaged non-perishable food** are a great start. Please place these donations in the boxes at church. (We do ask that you check the expiration dates before donating, as this saves our assembly team valuable time.)

**Monetary donations** go toward the purchase of turkeys, produce, and the other essential parts of a Thanksgiving dinner. This year, **all monetary donations will be matched** by a generous benefactor. Please consider helping us take advantage of this amazing opportunity. Checks can be **made payable to St. Joseph's Outreach** and placed in the collection basket at Mass or forwarded to the parish office.



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.

### **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!**

## 求人幫忙

We are starting to prepare for next year's Chinese New Year celebration and would welcome the help of any parishioners willing to be part of the planning committee. Please come to a meeting on **Wednesday, November 10 at 7 P.M. in the staff room of the parish office**. For more information, please contact Fr. Greg at 252-7653 x24 or pastor@stjoscup.org.



Habitat for Humanity Silicon Valley needs your help! HFHSV is embarking on an exciting plan to expand our organization and

participants are needed for a survey and focus group to help us shape our future. Home owners would likely have an interest in our plans to offer low cost building supplies to the public. The survey will take place at the Sobrato Center on Nov. 12, 2010 from 2:30-5:00PM. Please contact Holly Lofgren at hlofgren@hfhsv.org or phone her at 408-737-0875 to find out more.

**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.

### **NEW MEMBERS:**

Ms. Sandra Aceves  
Mr. & Mrs. Andotra  
Mr. & Mrs. Ben Cook  
Mr. & Mrs. Michaelangelo Kallman  
Mr. & Mrs. Kher  
Mr. & Mrs. Makarewycz  
Mr. & Mrs. Amel Palacpac  
Mr. & Mrs. David Parpart  
Mr. & Mrs. Efren Silva  
Mr. & Mrs. William Welch  
Mr. & Mrs. Paul Zuper



## 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:**

- Oct. 31 & Nov. 3** Pilgrimage to the Holy Land & Journey through the Bible in the community center (1pm Sunday and 7pm Wednesday)
- Oct. 30-31** Dia de los Muertos (Day of the Dead) display in community center after all masses
- Nov. 6** Advanced Directives, 10-12 noon in the community center

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

**DO YOU HAVE AN ADVANCED CARE DIRECTIVE?** Come and learn how to clearly state your requests regarding health care if you are unable to do it for yourself. All are invited to attend a workshop on Saturday, November 6 from 10am-12pm in the community center. (Please note the flyer in today’s bulletin.)

### **BE BETTER PREPARED FOR NEXT WEEK’S MASS: THE 32nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME November 7, 2010**

Read : 2 Maccabees 7:1-2, 9-14;  
2 Thessalonians 2:16-3:5; Luke 20:27-38

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

How has belief in the resurrection helped or challenged your loss of a loved one?

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

Has someone in your family or among your friends died?  
Do you think of this person in heaven?

#### **ACTION**

SAY PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED THIS MONTH. CONTRIBUTE FOOD TO OUR OUT-REACH FOR THE THANKSGIVING BASKETS

#### **Prayer**

Dear God, we remember our loved ones and all those who have gone before us. Grant them your loving peace and mercy. Amen



## SJC SCHOOL NEWS

**SAVE THE DATE:  
KINDERGARTEN INFORMATION NIGHT  
Tuesday, November 9th 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 9th 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).

#### **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.

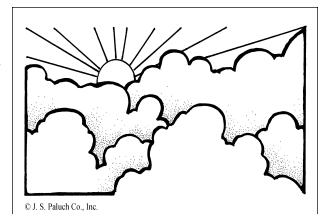
Are you registered with ESCRIP to support SJC School? Go to [escrip.com](http://escrip.com) and sign up. Our **Group ID # is 137104986**. Thank you for supporting our parish school.

**QUESTION OF THE WEEK:** What is “Dia de los Muertos?” Come and see the display for the “day of the deceased” in the community center after mass. This life and death historical celebration has been practiced in the Hispanic culture for many years. It honors the departed loved ones.

**GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP MEETING** from 12:30-2 P.M. in the Parish Office on **NOVEMBER 7**. *All are welcome to attend at any time. There is no fee and it is run by a professional counselor*

#### **Communion & Liberation Open House – Nov. 7**

Communion and Liberation (CL) isn’t just a parish ministry – it is a worldwide Catholic association present in over 70 countries. Next Sunday, November 7<sup>th</sup>, CL members from SJC will be manning information tables after the 9:30 and



11:00am Masses in the Community Center. At 2:00pm join us for a video by Fr. Julian Carron, president of Communion and Liberation. Come and see!



**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.

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Monday: Rv 7:2-4, 9-14; 1 Jn 3:1-3; Mt 5:1-12a  
 Tuesday: Suggested: Wis 3:1-9; Rom 5:5-11 or 6:3-9; Jn 6:37-40  
 or any readings taken from the Masses for the Dead, nos. 1011-1016  
 Wednesday: Phil 2:12-18; Lk 14:25-33  
 Thursday: Phil 3:3-8a; Lk 15:1-10  
 Friday: Phil 3:17 — 4:1; Lk 16:1-8  
 Saturday: Phil 4:10-19; Lk 16:9-15  
 Sunday: 2 Mc 7:1-2, 9-14; Ps 17; 2 Thes 2:16 — 3:5; Lk 20:27-38 [27, 34-38]

*Mass Intentions for the Week*

Oct. 30	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 (+)
Nov. 01	8:30 AM	Munar and Kawashima Families (+)
Nov. 02	8:30 AM	All Souls (+)
Nov. 03	8:30 AM	In Thanksgiving for St. Jude
Nov. 04	8:30 AM	Edward Welter (+)
Nov. 05	9:00 AM	Francois Ma (+)
Nov. 06	8:30 AM	Ducusin and Egi Families (+)
	5:00 PM	Mary Doskas (+)
Nov. 7	8:00 AM	Henri & Antoinette Mariadassou (+)
	9:30 AM	Cecilia Chang (L)
	11:00 AM	Mary Doskas (+)
	5:00 PM	Napoleon & Alfred Acosta (+)



**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**

We are called to be good stewards of our personal vocations. St. Paul’s prayer for the Thessalonians is therefore ours, too – “that our God may make us worthy of his calling and powerfully bring to fulfillment every good purpose and every effort of Faith.”

**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!

**‘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.**



**Alviso Thanksgiving Outreach begins today!**

The office will pass out fliers in the classroom and each class will be asked to donate a specific food item.

With your generous contribution, we will be donating baskets to families in Alviso. Please join us in our efforts to communicate the Gospel value that true gratitude leads to charity and generosity of spirit. The donations are due in the Catechetical office by Monday, November 15. The flier will also be posted online at <http://www.stjoscup.org/releduc.php>.



**Discernment with Catholic Trek - November 8th**

Fr. Isaiah (Associate Pastor at Stanford) will be joining Catholic Trek for a discussion on "Discernment: Theology of the Body & Catherine of Sienna." We will be meeting Monday night, November 8th, starting at 7:30pm in the Upper Room of St. Nicholas (473 Lincoln Ave, Los Altos). Refreshments will be provided. 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/> or call (408) 554-5823.

**Married Couples:** It has been said that the greatest gift you can give your children is two parents very much in love with each other. Polish up this gift and put a bow on it at a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. You deserve the best and your children need to see you reaching for it. The next local Catholic Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is: March 4-6, 2011 (Mountain View). For more information or to register, please visit our website at: [www.rekindleyourmarriage.org](http://www.rekindleyourmarriage.org) or contact Paul & Stephanie Francois, 408 287-3996 or Email: [PaulandSteph@pacbell.net](mailto:PaulandSteph@pacbell.net).

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

**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](http://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](mailto:ppcteam@stjoscup.org) or call Mike Hoffman at (408) 255-4767.

**PARISH WEBSITE!!—[stjoscup.org](http://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](mailto:Prayerline@stjoscup.org))

**OTHER WEBSITES:**

**Diocesan Website—** [www.dsj.org](http://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](http://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](http://www.loyolapress.com)

**Sacred Space—**<http://sacredspace.ie>(good for spirituality & prayer)

**Busted Halo —**[www.bustedhalo.com](http://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)**

**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.**



**MOM’S GROUP:**A good way to meet other mothers 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.

**PARISH OUTREACH** We welcome your donations of dry and canned foods for our Outreach 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.

**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** [sjparish@stjoscup.org](mailto:sjparish@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](mailto: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](mailto:adulted@stjoscup.org))

School – 252-6441 ..... Mary Lyons ([www.sjcschool.org](http://www.sjcschool.org))

Wedding Coordinator – 255-1881 .....Totsie Taylor  
252-7653x61

Youth Ministry Coordinator --x38 .....Primo Martinez  
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Young Adult Coordinator - x22 .....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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Communications Committee ..[communications@stjoscup.org](mailto: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.