

Today is Life & Dignity Sunday in the Diocese of San Jose. It is a day that Bishop McGrath has designated for us to focus on the Catholic responsibility to be good and engaged citizens. You have been invited and had the opportunity to register for a state-wide Catholic Legislative Network, which is to be a strong, clear, moral voice for life and justice in our state. We thank you for registering, if you did; and for your patience and forbearance if you did not. If you did register, we hope that you will be faithful in responding to the Action Alerts that will come asking for your assistance on important issues. If you missed signing up today, you can still register on line at www.cacatholic.org.

The catechetical office is closed for the summer and will re-open on Monday, August 15. Voice messages and emails will be picked up weekly and all inquires will be responded to accordingly. Registration packets can be picked up in the rectory or downloaded from the website at <http://www.stjoscup.org/reeduc.php>



THANK YOU-----MINISTRY FAIRE
THANKS EVER SO MUCH TO ALL WHO VISITED OR VOLUNTEERED TO HELP. Your interest and support is greatly appreciated. Remember the saying: "God has no hands but yours"!

ADULT FAITH FORMATION SURVEY---please complete the surveys so we can better plan the lectors, prayer, and events for the coming year.
Drop off in the vestibule or at the parish office.

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 the Marlene.

Summer of Saints Film Festival: Vincent de Paul - June 27th Up next in the Catholic Trek film festival is "Monsieur Vincent", a classic about the life of St. Vincent de Paul, starting at 7:30pm Monday night, June 27th, in the St. Nicholas Parish Hall (473 Lincoln Ave, Los Altos). Movie snacks will be provided. For more details, including a list of the upcoming features, see <http://adultcircle.shutterfly.com> or call (408) 554-5823. Catholic Trek is a group for Catholics, single and married, 30's to 40's.

FOOD FOR THOUGHT: What does "freedom of religion" mean to you?

THANK YOU FROM MARY LOU CALDWELL
 My sincere appreciation is extended to St. Joseph of Cupertino Community for you most welcome prayers, cards, visits, and phone call. Knowing I had your support helped tremendously. The importance of prayer cannot be underestimated. Thank you.



FEATURED MINISTRY OF THE WEEK!
MOMMY AND ME PLAYGROUP

Description: We are a group of moms and kids ages 0-4 who meet weekly for prayer, songs, circle time and crafts. We also do outings together to museums and parks and participate in the birthday ministry at Pleasant View Convalescent home where we bring patients birthday cards and balloons twice a year. We are different from the monthly Mom's Group meeting in that the playgroup is an activity specifically for our young children. If you are at home with your pre-school aged children and would like to meet other moms and kids, let us know! We'd love for you to join us. **Contact:** Kristin Bacich at (408) 248-9033. klhbacich@hotmail.com



PLEASE, PLEASE, PLEASE HELP
WELCOME OUR NEWLY BAPTIZED CHILDREN!

We would like a few people willing to host a simple coffee and refreshment reception following mass for families who have had their children baptized at our parish. This involves a twice a year commitment and would involve setting up, serving and greeting these families. *If you can help, please call Fr. Vincent or Janice LaMotte at the parish office.*

QUESTION OF THE WEEK: What is the "Nicene Creed?"



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 10-11a.m., usually at a park. If you are interested, please call Carol Ruiz at (408) 777-2966

HELP AT-RISK CHILDREN
IN YOUR COMMUNITY

The Christ Society is a charitable, non-profit organization dedicated to serving at-risk children. Its vision is to fill a critical gap in modern social services by networking with community agencies to help break the cycle of poverty. The Society's motive and spirit is based on faith-in-action, to honor the childhood of Christ. If you would like to join this effort and be more informed about this organization, please contact Pam Palma at (408) 265-3858.



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:**

June 26 Concert by Lothar Bandermann, our parish organist. 2 p.m. Church

(Check the flyers for these events or our parish brochure or call the parish office)

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!

OUR THURSDAY PRAYER GROUP WILL NOT MEET AGAIN UNTIL NEXT SEPTEMBER. *Please continue to pray for our parish and parishioners needs. Many, many thanks to Ellen Haas who is so dedicated to leading this important ministry.*

BE BETTER PREPARED FOR NEXT WEEK'S MASS: **FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** **July 3, 2011**

Read Zechariah 9:9-10;;
Romans 8:9, 11-13; Matthew 11:25-30

Question for Adults?

Tell of a time when you felt Jesus helped you when you were burdened by problems?

Question for Children:

What difficulty do you need the help of Jesus ?

ACTION

FIND OUT ABOUT HABITAT FOR HUMANITY AND WAYS YOU CAN HELP!

Prayer

Oh Lord, there are times when I feel so heavily burdened. I cast my cares upon you for it is only with your help that I can deal with them. Amen



SJC SCHOOL NEWS

ST. JOSEPH OF CUPERTINO PARISH SCHOOL BACK TO SCHOOL UPDATE

St. Joseph of Cupertino Parish School re-opens for the 2011-2012 school year on Monday, August 29, from 8:15 to 11:00 a.m. A reception will be held for families in our Parish Hall during this time.

In addition, Kindergarten families will receive a brief orientation to our school on this first day (in the Kindergarten classroom).

The St. Joseph Preschool will also open on August 29, and the hours will be 7:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

The hours for the remainder of the first week of school (Tuesday, August 30 through Friday, September 2) will be 8:15 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Thursday, September 1 is School Picture Day.

Monday, September 5 is Labor Day Holiday.

Full day sessions begin on

Tuesday, Sept. 6 (8:15 a.m.— 3p.m.) for all grades.

Thank you, SJC Parishioners, for Campbells Labels and General Mills Boxtops

Thank you to all who save and bring in to the church vestibule your Campbells labels and General Mills boxtops. Our parish school redeems

them for DVD equipment, educational videos, and classroom supplies. Please continue to save over the summer and next year.

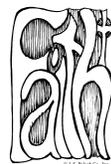
Thank you!

FUNERAL RECEPTIONS

(helps with receptions in the community center following a funeral)

THE COMMITTEE NEEDS YOUR HELP TO PROVIDE FOR THE NEEDS OF THOSE WHO HAVE LOST A LOVED ONE.

PLEASE consider being an alternate coordinator for our receptions following funerals, or helping out. It entails overseeing the food, helping with set up and serving on the day of the funeral. This takes a few hours of time only occasionally during the year. *For more information, call Janice at the parish office 252-7653 ext. 30.*



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

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Gn 18:16-33; Mt 8:18-22
 Tuesday: Gn 19:15-29; Mt 8:23-27
 Wednesday: Vigil: Acts 3:1-10; Gal 1:11-20;
 Jn 21:15-19
Day: Acts 12:1-11; 2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18;
 Mt 16:13-19
 Thursday: Gn 22:1b-19; Mt 9:1-8
 Friday: Dt 7:6-11; 1 Jn 4:7-16; Mt 11:25-30
 Saturday: Gn 27:1-5, 15-29; Lk 2:41-51
 Sunday: Zec 9:9-10; Ps 145; Rom 8:9, 11-13;
 Mt 11:25-30

Mass Intentions for the Week

June 25	5:00 PM	Li Cheng & Andy Hou (L)
June 26	8:00 AM	Andrew & Jessie Ziegler (+)
	9:30 AM	Jessica Splinter (+)
	11:00 AM	John Massarelli (+)
	5:00 PM	Andy Hou (L)
June 27	8:30 AM	Thanksgiving
June 28	8:30 AM	Cheung Kung Fong (+)
June 29	8:30 AM	Chun Lam & Pauline Chan (+)
June 30	8:30 AM	Thanksgiving
July 01	9:00 AM	Hai Nguyen (L)
July 02	8:30 AM	Thanksgiving
	5:00 PM	Kay Graham (+)
July 03	8:00 AM	Mary Lo Coco (+)
	9:30 AM	Msgr. Tim O'brien (+)
	11:00 AM	Mary Ma (+)
	5:00 PM	Baldormero Munoz , Jr. (+)



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

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!



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.

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP will not meet until

September 11th. *All are welcome to attend at any time. There is no fee and it is run by a professional counselor. PLEASE INFORM OTHERS OF THIS IMPORTANT MINISTRY.*

NEW!!! CHECK OUT RESOURCES FOR THE NEW ROMAN MISSAL TO COME!!!



The parish offices will be closed on Monday, July 4th, in observance of the Independence Day holiday. The offices will re-open on Tuesday, July 5th, at 9:00a.m.

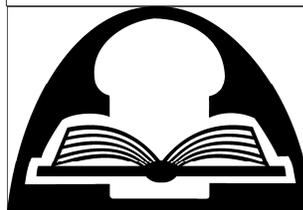
UNITY

Then join hand in hand, brave Americans all!
 By uniting we stand, by dividing we fall.
 —John Dickinson

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.

VIDEO LIBRARY; FOR SUMMER VIEWING!!! There are many excellent films that are both entertaining and informative. It is outside church between 10:00-11:00a.m. on Sunday mornings.

“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. *(If you would like to be part of this ministry, please call Marlene at 741-1615)*



**The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ
 June 26, 2011**

Not by bread alone does one live,
 but by every word that comes forth
 from the mouth of the LORD.
 — Deuteronomy 8:3b

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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!** (Prayer line @stjoscup.org)
- **OTHER WEBSITES:**
- **Diocesan Website---** www.dsj.org
- **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)

HAVE YOU CHECKED OUT OUR WEBSITE RECENTLY? WE HAVE INTERESTING NEW LINKS! Our bulletin is also posted on the website. NEW!!! CHECK OUT RESOURCES FOR THE NEW ROMAN MISSAL TO COME!!!

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
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 Liturgy – x32 Dan Morris
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 Organist – 996-9352 Lothar Bandermann
 Outreach..... Dick Sherman
 Pastoral Associate – x30Janice LaMotte
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- School – 252-6441 Mary Lyons (www.sjcschool.org)
 Wedding Coordinator – 255-1881Totsie Taylor
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 Finance Councilfinance@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.

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