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THE THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

The Young Adults Group meets every Saturday at 7pm in the SJC youth/young adults ministry room, across from the baseball field.

April 28 - Bible Study (The Book of Esther).

For more information, email stjosephyam@gmail.com or call Fr. Vince at (408) 252-7653x28.

Are you needing assistance in finding employment, writing your resume and preparing for interviews? A group of Catholic friends started a charitable gesture called WorkCenter. The first meeting will be held on April 28 at the Parish rectory, from 3pm to 5pm. If you're interested in participating, as a job seeker or someone who can share job leads, please email Sara Cumin at workcenter@eneda.net.

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

Golf Tournament

The Holy Name Society is hosting its annual Memorial Golf Tournament on May 6th at Eagle Ridge Golf Course. The tournament includes range balls, tee prizes, lunch, golf, buffet dinner and great raffle prizes. The tourney is "scramble" format which means you don't have to be a good golfer. There will be long drive, closest to pin and putting contests. Proceeds benefit the scholarship program for graduating eighth graders going on to catholic high schools. If you are interested in golfing, sponsoring a hole or donating prizes for the raffle you can contact Dave Davis at 408-489-2749 or email david4841@comcast.net.

ADULT CONFIRMATION: If you are an adult 18 years or older and have not celebrated the sacrament of Confirmation and wish to do so this Spring, please call Janice at the parish office or e-mail. ph. (408)252-7653 ext. 30 or e-mail: adulted@stjoscup.org



EASTER LILIES IN MEMORY OF OR IN HONOR OF:

Mary Jane Filippi
Millicent Marshall
Edward P. McGaugh
Michael De Palma
Rosalia De Palma
Ricky Mobilia
Anna Allegri
Massimo Vaccaro
Bob Mighton
Bernice Hartman
Joseph B. Ignatowicz
Nina G. Marsters
Adolonio Cruz
Dario Gantivar
Daniel Bilkey

Paz Bilkey
Marco Michael
George Krebsbach
Bertha Krebsbach
Ricci Family
Orry Di Lorenzo
Rossolo Family
Henry Mobilia
Mary Mobilia
Mary E. Brenan
Sun-Man Lo
Kee Lo
Siu Keng Fon Lo
Shiu Hon Woo
Mui Ok Tse-Woo

Yam Woo
Mary La Porta
Michael La Porta
Robert Huettl
Nancy Huettl
Michael Swinkoski
Irene Swinkoski
Susan Kay Donaldson
Donald Mullen
Faye Mullen
Cecelia Bennett
Joe Chetcuti
Annie Chetcuti
John Leipelt
Lee Wong Choi Ling

Fernando Cruz
Henry Kloss
Frances Ponder
Mary Ward
Frank Ward
Catherine Crawford
Hugh Crawford
Elizabeth C. Kennedy
Mary Agnes Ward
John Ward
Glendora Koch
John Ward III
Louise Mechling
James Shryock



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:

- May 6** May Crowning & Reception following 11 a.m. mass
Welcome Newcomers
- May 27** Special Celebration of Pentecost
TBA
- June 17** Celebration of Fr. Greg’s 25th Anniversary—12 p.m. Mass followed by reception in Hall

THE CATHOLIC CHURCH INVITES YOU TO COME & SEE:

- Are you interested in learning more about the Catholic faith?
Are you baptized in another Christian tradition or baptized Catholic, but without formal religious education?



Our RCIA sessions are held on Wednesday evenings at 7 p.m. in the Community Center. For more information, please call Janice LaMotte at 252-7653 ext. 30
HELP SPREAD THE FAITH. INVITE SOMEONE TO FIND OUT ABOUT THE CATHOLIC CHURCH!

BETTER PREPARED FOR NEXT WEEK’S MASS: FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

APRIL 29, 2012

Read: Acts 4:8-12; I John 3:1-2;
John 10:11-18

Question for Adults?

Whom are you shepherding in your life right now, and who shepherds you?

Question for Children:

Who has been like a shepherd to you by their example?
For whom could you be a shepherd?

ACTION

ANSWER YOUR BAPTISMAL CALL AND VOLUNTEER IN ONE OF OUR CHURCH’S MINISTRIES

Prayer

Dear Jesus, help me to listen and follow you like a good shepherd. Guide me to be a good example to others.
Amen



SJC SCHOOL NEWS

MASS OF GRATITUDE

Invitations have been sent to all who have donated to the St. Joseph of Cupertino LIFE Development Program during this school year.

A special MASS OF GRATITUDE will be held on Thursday, April 26, at 11:00 a.m.

There will be a reception following the mass in the Parish Community Center. If you have given to our L.I.F.E. program and did not receive an invitation or would like more information, please contact Mary Ann Kimm at the school office: development@sjcschool.org or (408) 252-6441

SPRING SCHOLARSHIP DRIVE

During the next week you will be receiving a L.I.F.E. (Legacies In Faith and Education) packet in the mail. Each year during the Easter Season we reach out to you, asking for support of our Scholarship Funds.

We sincerely appreciate any assistance you can provide as financial assistance requests continue to remain high. Be assured that 100% of your gift goes directly to the fund you designate, and your donation is tax deductible. Please know how grateful we are for your generous support of our school, and that you are always in our prayers.

The Faculty and Students at SJC School

CAMPBELL’S LABELS & GENERAL MILLS BOX TOPS

Please save Campbell’s labels and General Mill’s box tops during the holiday season and New Year. You may drop them off in the box in the church vestibule. Our parish school redeems them for educational materials.

FEATURED MINISTRY

SMALL CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY FAITH SHARING

If you are interested in being part of an informal small group that reflects on the Sunday scripture readings and how they speak to us today, please call Janice at the parish office 252-7653 ext. 30.

We plan to meet the 4th Sunday of the month at 12:30 p.m. There will be a meeting April 29th. In the parish office.



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: Acts 6:8-15; Jn 6:22-29
 Tuesday: Acts 7:51 — 8:1a; Jn 6:30-35
 Wednesday: 1 Pt 5:5b-14; Mk 16:15-20
 Thursday: Acts 8:26-40; Jn 6:44-51
 Friday: Acts 9:1-20; Jn 6:52-59
 Saturday: Acts 9:31-42; Jn 6:60-69
 Sunday: Acts 4:8-12; Ps 118; 1 Jn 3:1-2;
 Jn 10:11-18

Mass Intentions for the Week

Apr. 21	5:00 PM	Edna Hansen (+)
Apr. 22	8:00 AM	Mary Lococo (+)
	9:30 AM	Kuo- Ping Chang (+)
	11:00 AM	Jeremy Kendrick (+)
	5:00 PM	Marciano Pascual (+) & Estrella Acuin (+)
Apr. 23	8:30 AM	Fedele Fiore (+)
Apr. 24	8:30 AM	Jerry Mehigan (L)
Apr. 25	8:30 AM	Maria Supiah (+)
Apr. 26	8:30 AM	Henry Kloss (+)
Apr. 27	8:30 AM	Adrian Elich (+)
Apr. 28	8:30 AM	Mimi Chamorro
	5:00 PM	Zenaida Bailon (L)
Apr. 29	8:00 AM	Mary Lococo (+)
	9:30 AM	John & Margaret Mardesich (+)
	11:00 AM	Joseph Chao (+)
	5:00 PM	Clem Joseph (+)



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

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The disciples in today's Gospel came to know Jesus in the breaking of the bread. When we share what we have with those who are in need, we, too, will discover Jesus in our midst.

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!



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.

QUESTION FROM LAST WEEK: What is the Paschal Candle and when is it used? *ANSWER: It is the candle that is lit at the Easter Vigil from the new fire. It is a prime Christ/Easter symbol and is present for the fifty days of Easter. Thereafter it is used for baptisms and funerals as a symbol of resurrection and for remembering that Christ is the light of the world.*

PRAYER GROUP: MEETS EVERY THURSDAY FROM 12-1 P.M. IN THE COMMUNITY CENTER. *Come and pray for your needs and the needs of our parish.*



Restored Order Celebration: Seventy children in the parish will be celebrating their Sacraments of Confirmation and First Eucharist on Saturday, April 28.

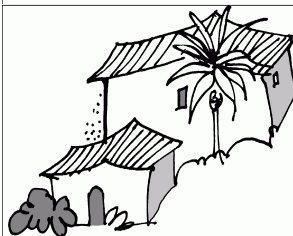
Please keep these 70 children and their families in your prayers this Easter season.

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP "USUALLY" MEETS THE FIRST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH Our next meeting is **Sunday May 6th, 2012.** *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.**

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, at the religious education office, the school and also available online. Do not hesitate to call on us if you have questions.

VIDEO LIBRARY: 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 **salads or desserts for a small group** of people in the family's home or our community center following a funeral. *(If you would like to be part of this ministry, please call Marlene at 741-1615)*



Third Sunday of Easter April 22, 2012

You alone, O LORD,
 bring security to my dwelling.
 — Psalm 4:9

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.

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)

CATHOLIC RADIO: 1260 AM (Immaculate Heart Radio)

Check out “Catholicism Series.com”--- interesting information about our Catholic faith.

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**.

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Staff Information**

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Infant Baptism.....Rev. Vincent Pineda

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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.

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