

ANNUAL DIOCESAN APPEAL 2013

“Sharing Our Faith--Together in Christ”

The ADA begins in one week! You should have already received pledge materials in the mail. Contributions support causes like deacon formation and youth and young adult ministry. Please take some time during the week to consider prayerfully how you may be able to help our parish reach its goal of \$139,280. **Please bring your completed pledge form/envelope with you to mass next weekend. You may also return it by mail. THANK YOU!**

WE HAVE A CENTENNIAL LOGO

The wonderful submissions for our centennial logo contest well represented the diversity of our parish, with artists of various ages and ethnic backgrounds. Each one was clearly the work of someone who put a great deal of time, effort, and thought into the design process. The winner of the logo contest is a parishioner who wishes to remain anonymous. We are so grateful to ALL of the artists, including Andrew Arifin, Sachi Bayard, Keith D. Bower, Robert E. Burke, L.T. Guttadauro, George Magill, Ron Moore, Tara Rodrigues, Jim Schaaf/Fred Schaaf/Lamar Caldwell, Desiree Widjojo, Catherine Wong, and Mary Agnes Kavitha Xavier. And thanks to all who voted for their favorite! We are holding on to all submissions to see if we can display them during the centennial year.

FINGERPRINTING VAN SCHEDULE:

Monday, January 14, 2-6 P.M.

Saturday, January 19, 1-5 P.M.

Make an appointment at sjcschool.org/livescan.php

or call the school office at 408-252-6441

DO THE TRAINING:

shieldthevulnerable.org



Upcoming parent meetings for sacramental preparation:

For Confirmation only children: Tuesday, January 15 at 7:30pm in the parish community center.

For Restored-order children: Tuesday, January 22 at

7:30pm in the parish community center.

The *Safe Environment Program* will be held on Sunday, January 27 during your child's regular catechetical session. The Junior High group will have their lesson on Wednesday, January 30, during their regular meeting.



It's always a good time to *Walk for Life* but never has it been more critical than today. As long as we continue to boldly enter the public square and make our voices heard – PRO-LIFE is ALIVE! We join millions who work tirelessly to achieve the dream – an America where abortion is seen as neither needed nor wanted, an America that is truly free.

Join us on **Saturday, January 26, 2013** for the 9th Annual Walk for Life West Coast. (Time:

11:00am – 4:00/4:30pm)

歡迎參加 迎接新年

We are continuing 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, January 16 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.



The parish offices will be closed on January 21st in observance of the Martin Luther King, Jr. birthday. The offices will re-open on Tuesday, January 22nd, at 9:00 AM

(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:

- JAN. 14 THE BOOK OF REVELATION PRESENTATION-** Michael Reardon- 7 p.m. Church
- JAN. 27 ADULT CONFIRMATION INFORMATION MEETING**
12:30 p.m. Parish Office
- JAN. 27 VIDEO Afternoon with Deacon Ron**
2 p.m. Community Center
- JAN. 29 CATHOLICISM SERIES – 7 p.m. Community Center.** Topic: Peter, Paul, and the Missionary Adventure.

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 session are held on Wednesday evenings at 7 p.m. in the Community Center. For more information, please call Janice LaMotte at (408) 252-7653 ext. 30

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



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**BE BETTER PREPARED FOR NEXT WEEK'S MASS
THE SECOND SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME**

January 20, 2013

Read: Isaiah 62:1-5

I Corinthians 12:4-11; John 2:1-11

Question for Adults?

Have you experienced what you would consider a “miracle”? What was that like for you?

Question for Children:

What can you do this week to make someone’s job a little easier?.

ACTION

**CARRY OUT YOUR BAPTISMAL CALL BY HELPING OUT IN THE PARISH THROUGH GIVING OF YOUR TIME, TALENT, AND TREASURE!
(Contribute to our ADA)**

Prayer

Jesus, you showed the Supreme Power of Your miracles, both physical and spiritual. Grant me the awareness of Your Divine intervention in my life. Amen



Thank you to the many generous donors that have contributed to the L.I.F.E. Program (L.I.F.E. stands for “Legacies In Faith and Education”).

To date we have received:

Development/Unrestricted	\$26,720
Scholarship Fund	\$13,781
Special Projects	\$ 1,475
Total	\$42,326

We are so grateful for such a supportive parish community!

Please keep our 8th graders in your prayers. Our 8th graders are taking their High School Entrance exams this month as needed for acceptance into the local Catholic High Schools.

**St. Joseph of Cupertino School invites you to
OPEN HOUSE 2013
Tuesday, January 29th
9 a.m. - 12 noon.**

St. Joseph of Cupertino School is a Catholic, parish school dedicated to teaching the whole child: intellectual, spiritual, emotional, moral, social, cultural, and physical. We are a community which fosters a sense of belonging and honors the unique personality and gifts of each child. We work in partnership with our families because children benefit when they see and experience a supportive, positive relationship between school and home. Please see the enclosed flyer in today’s bulletin with more information about our school. We hope to see you at our upcoming open house where you can take a tour of our school, meet our principal and see our classrooms in action.

St. Joseph of Cupertino School does not unlawfully discriminate on the basis of race, color, national or ethnic origin, age, sex, or disability in the admission of students, the administration of education policies, scholarship and loan programs, and other school-administered programs.

Applications for the 2013-2014 school year will be available at our Open House, but are also now available in our school office, or on-line at www.sjcschool.org.



Save the Date!

The St. Joseph of Cupertino
Preschool Information Night is

Wednesday, January 23, 2013 at 7p.m.

Come see the preschool and meet the staff.

Contact the Preschool Director Jean Wilson at (408) 252-9778 if you have any questions,

or go to the website: www.sjcschool.org/preschool

Dining for Dollars

Join us on Wednesday, January 16th for another Dining for Dollars Restaurant fundraiser! Have lunch or dinner at Elephant Bar in Cupertino and show them the enclosed restaurant flyer and the school will receive 20% of your purchase. See the flyer for details.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Heb 1:1-6; Ps 97:1, 2b, 6, 7c, 9; Mk 1:14-20
 Tuesday: Heb 2:5-12; Ps 8:2ab, 5, 6-9; Mk 1:21-28
 Wednesday: Heb 2:14-18; Ps 105:1-4, 6-9; Mk 1:29-39
 Thursday: Heb 3:7-14; Ps 95:6-11; Mk 1:40-45
 Friday: Heb 4:1-5, 11; Ps 78:3, 4bc, 6c-8; Mk 2:1-1 2
 Saturday: Heb 4:12-16; Ps 19:8-10, 15; Mk 2:13-17
 Sunday: Is 62:1-5; Ps 96:1-3, 7-10; 1 Cor 12:4-11; Jn 2:1-11

Mass Intentions for the Week

Jan. 12	5:00 PM	Christine Maria Hou (L)
Jan. 13	8:00 AM	Antoinette Mariadassou (+)
	9:30 AM	Tom Taylor (+)
	11:00 AM	Albert Saenz (+)
	5:00 PM	Tom Taylor (+)
Jan. 14	8:30 AM	Tom Taylor (+)
Jan. 15	8:30 AM	Mike & Anna Biskupski (+)
Jan 16	8:30 AM	Tung Sheng & Pan Tung Chang (L)
Jan 17	8:30 AM	Kyle Amato (+)
Jan.18	8:30 AM	Theresa Griissen (+)
Jan.19	8:30 AM	Gerard de Rosy (+)
	5:00 PM	Lew Viray (+)
Jan.20	8:00 AM	John & Mary Lococo (+)
	9:30 AM	Celine Joseph (+)
	11:00 AM	Rosa & Vita Longo (+)
	5:00 PM	Stephanus Freddy Wiryadi (+)



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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Jesus, whom God called “my beloved Son”, is also the servant of whom Isaiah speaks in the first reading. We who are baptized in Christ must follow his example and use our time and resources in the service of God and neighbor. What will I do this week to meet that obligation?

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.

PRAYER GROUP: MEETS THURSDAYS FROM 12:30-1:30 p.m. IN THE COMMUNITY CENTER. ALL ARE WELCOME TO COME AND PRAY FOR OUR PARISH AND ANY PERSONAL REQUESTS. Many, many thanks to ELLEN HAAS for leading the group each week.

GRIEF SUPPORT : These meetings are open to everyone on a drop in basis and led by a trained counselor. NEXT MEETING; SUNDAY, JANUARY 13TH AT 12:30 P.M. IN THE PARISH OFFICE. (BEGINNING IN JANUARY THE GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP WILL MEET THE THIRD SUNDAY OF EVERY MONTH.)



Baby Bundle Drive for the Juan Diego Society

The 7th and 8th Grade Girl Scouts from our school are collecting baby items for the Juan Diego Society as part of their project for their Religious Award. They would greatly appreciate your donations of baby wipes, baby formula, and diapers.

Donations can be placed in the box found in the Church or the School Office.

Thank you!

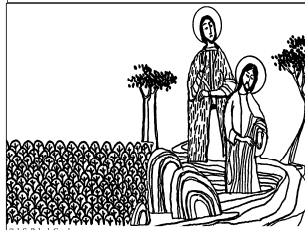
QUESTION OF THE WEEK: What feast do we celebrate today and when does the Christmas season end and Ordinary Time begin?

WHAT ARE YOU DOING FOR OUR YEAR OF FAITH?

ATTEND THE PRESENTATION ON THE BOOK OF REVELATION ---JAN. 14TH AT 7 P.M. IN CHURCH

ATTEND OUR CATHOLICISM SERIES ----NEXT SESSION JANUARY 29TH AT 7 P.M. IN THE COMMUNITY CENTER. The topic will be “Peter, Paul, and the Missionary Adventure.”

“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 (408) 741-1615)*



**The Baptism of the Lord
 January 13, 2013**

He saved us through the bath of rebirth and renewal by the Holy Spirit.

— Titus 3:5

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 online giving 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-

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**.

**St. Joseph of Cupertino
Staff Information**

Parish Office: (408) 252-7653 sjparish@stjoscup.org
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Business Administration – x23 Monica Viruegas-Ferrante

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Liturgy – x32 Dan Morris

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Outreach..... Dick Sherman

Pastoral Associate – x30Janice LaMotte
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School –(408) 252-6441 ... Mary Lyons (www.sjcschool.org)

Wedding Coordinator – (408)252-7653.....Janice LaMotte

Youth Ministry Coordinator --x38Primo Martinez
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Deacon..... Ron Hansen
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Altar Server Coordinator..... Rev. Athanasius Kikoba

Infant Baptism..... Rev. Athanasius Kikoba

Hospital Ministry - x26.....Rev. Don Morgan
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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.

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