

## CENTENNIAL MEMORY LANE

(Material excerpted from the SJC 1988 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Book, supplied by Monsignor Milani. It was produced during that year under his guidance as pastor of SJC.)

Some of the first recorded words for the new parish of St. Joseph of Cupertino, can be found in the **Baptismorum Registrum**, the official parish record book. The hard cover book, brown with a dark red border binding, still has the remainder of a foil stamped gold cross on the cover. The 251 pages are scripted in Latin with the names of almost 500 baptisms that were performed in the years from 1914 to 1942. Parents of the babies baptized came from Austria, Italia, Dalmatia, Poland, France, Portugal, and a few were native Californians. (Editorial note for history buffs: this should excite your curiosity!)

**Parish First**, in the first church, built 1907, transferred from a mission to diocesan clergy in **1913, birth of St. Joseph of Cupertino as a parish**: First baptism – The first child baptized in the parish was Antonium Nicholum Perusa, born Nov. 7, 1913, and baptized March 1, 1914, by Father Thomas O’Connell. He was the son of Anna Lahovich of Austria and Antonio Perusa of Cupertino.

Do you recognize or know anyone who does, the name, Antonium Nicholum Perusa, or his family? If you do, we’d love to hear from you: [mabelhoffman@yahoo.com](mailto:mabelhoffman@yahoo.com), 408-315-1306. We can feature you and your quote on any favorite memory/story about St. Joseph of Cupertino parish, in this space!



## Congratulations to the following children who celebrated Confirmation and/or First Eucharist on Saturday, April 27.



"We're neighbors and on behalf of St. Joseph of Cupertino we are visiting all Parish families in this our Centennial year. We would like to welcome you to our Eucharistic Celebration .... What Mass do you attend? .... God bless you and please keep us in your prayers." Practically anyone can visit their St. Joseph of Cupertino neighbors home and encourage them to attend Mass regularly. Just a few hours of instruction and training. There's no need to be a salesman or a theologian. Seldom will we encounter difficult questions; our mission is to Welcome. There are few requirements in this work: a desire to engage in it, confidence in the Holy Spirit, and a welcoming heart. If this is you, please join us on Sunday April 28<sup>th</sup> at 3:00pm for a 90 min orientation and training session. We are all called to Evangelize, and this may be the most rewarding work you do in this Year of Faith.

## GOLF TOURNAMENT



The annual **Holy Name Society Memorial Scholarship Golf Tournament** is May 5th. The tournament is Scramble format, which means you don't have to be a good golfer to enter and have fun! We have a shotgun start at 1:00 pm at Eagle Ridge Golf Club. Entry fee is \$145 per player which includes a box lunch, tee prizes, range balls, golf, buffet dinner (Chicken and Beef), and raffles. We are also looking for sponsors for the holes, "putting contest", "closest to pin", and "the longest drive" holes. The event benefits the **Holy Name Memorial Scholarship** which is given annually to eighth grade graduates from St. Joseph of Cupertino School. Contact Dave Davis at (408) 489-2749 for additional information or e-mail at [david4841@comcast.net](mailto:david4841@comcast.net) for a flyer to be sent to you. See you there for a great time and thanks for supporting these great scholarships!



## 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 5      **MAY CROWNING --11 A.M. MASS followed by reception**
- May 5      **GRIEF SUPPORT – 12:30 p.m. Rectory**

**KEEP YOUR FAITH GROWING---CHECK OUT ONE OF OUR RELIGIOUS VIDEOS FOR CHILDREN, FAMILY, OR ADULT TO WATCH!**

**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.

**QUESTION FROM LAST WEEK: When was our parish founded?** *ANSWER: At first it was a mission under the Jesuits and became a parish in 1913.*

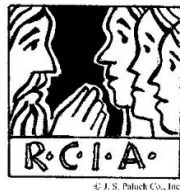
**THE CATHOLIC CHURCH INVITES YOU TO COME & SEE:**

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

#### SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

May 5, 2013

Read: Acts 15:1-2, 22-29; Revelation 21:10-14, 22-23;  
John 14:23-29

#### Question for Adults

What difference has it made in your life when you made a decision based on Jesus' teachings.?

#### Question for Children:

How do you make decisions? Do you pray to God to help you?

#### ACTION

#### PRAY TO MARY OFTEN THIS MONTH

#### Prayer

Lord of history, help me to recognize that the time you have given me is holy and to find opportunities to love forgive, and welcome others. Amen



## SJC SCHOOL NEWS

### SPRING SCHOLARSHIP DRIVE

Thank you to the many families who have supported the ANNUAL SCHOLARSHIP APPEAL of our L.I.F.E. (“Legacies In Faith and Education”) Program. Each day we are blessed with new donations from our parishioners. We have made great progress toward our Scholarship Fund goals in just a few weeks:

	<u>Donations</u>	<u>Goals</u>
• <u>The Dick Caldwell Fund:</u>	\$ 6,871	\$16,000
• <u>The Nick Kelly Fund:</u>	\$ 4,160	\$ 6,500
• <u>The Father Leo Rooney Fund:</u>	\$ 3,330	\$12,000
• <u>The Donna Brock Fund:</u>	\$ 3,650	\$ 7,500
<b>TOTALS:</b>	<b>\$18,011</b>	<b>\$42,000</b>

If you are able to help us reach our goals, please check for the L.I.F.E. mailer sent to all parishioners. There are also additional packets and donation forms available in the back of the church. Please know that every dollar you donate is used for the Fund you designate.

### 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.



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](http://www.clonline.us)



### ANNUAL MOTHER'S DAY BREAKFAST

The Annual Mother's Day Breakfast will be hosted by Troop 476 on Sunday, May 12th, in the Parish Hall from 8 a.m.– 11:30 a.m.

Tickets can be purchased ahead of time from Troop 476 or at the door. Adults will be \$7.00. Seniors, 65 and older, and Youth, 14 years and under will be \$5.00. Come out and treat your mom, support the Boy Scouts of America, and have a great breakfast!

THOSE OF INDIAN DESCENT: Keep posted for the date for a potluck in JUNE.

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Monday: Acts 14:5-18; Ps 115:1-4, 15-16;  
Jn 14:21-26

Tuesday: Acts 14:19-28; Ps 145:10-13ab, 21;  
Jn 14:27-31a

Wednesday: Acts 15:1-6; Ps 122:1-5; Jn 15:1-8  
or (for memorial) Gn 1:26 — 2:3 or  
Col 3:14-15, 17, 23-24; Ps 90:2-4, 12-14,  
16; Mt 13:54-58

Thursday: Acts 15:7-21; Ps 96:1-3, 10; Jn 15:9-11

Friday: 1 Cor 15:1-8; Ps 19:2-5; Jn 14:6-14

Saturday: Acts 16:1-10; Ps 100:1b-3, 5; Jn 15:18-21

Sunday: Acts 15:1-2, 22-29; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8;  
Rv 21:10-14, 22-23; Jn 14:23-29

*Mass Intentions for the Week*

Apr. 27	5:00 PM	Harold Pestana (+)
Apr. 28	8:00 AM	Raymond Thelen (+)
	9:30 AM	Albert Fabilli (+)
	11:00 AM	Eleanor Murphy (+)
	5:00 PM	In Thanksgiving
Apr. 29	8:30 AM	Joseph Chao (+)
Apr. 30	8:30 AM	Robert Dust (+)
May 01	8:30 AM	In Thanksgiving
May 02	8:30 AM	Eleanor Murphy (+)
May 03	9:00 AM	Hai Nguyen (+)
May 04	8:30 AM	George & Ann Corey (+)
	5:00 PM	Hai Nguyen (+)
May 05	8:00 AM	John & Mary Lococo (+)
	9:30 AM	John & Margaret Mardesich (+)
	11:00 AM	Cecil Nguyen (L)
	5:00 PM	Tony La Porta, 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**

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In today's Gospel, Jesus gives His disciples – and us – a new commandment: "Love one another." Good stewards who spend their time and talents in service to others are well on their way to fulfilling this commandment. Where am I on this journey?

**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!



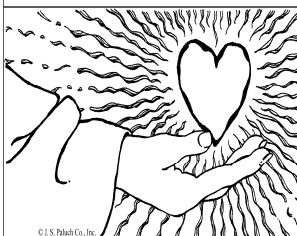
Meant4More Youth Ministry is open to all students in high school. We meet every Sunday from 6-8pm. Come join us and make new friends, learn your faith, play games, sing, go on trips and watch movies. For more information email [primomartinez@yahoo.com](mailto:primomartinez@yahoo.com).

**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 MAY 12TH AT 12:30 P.M. IN THE PARISH OFFICE. (BEGINNING IN JANUARY THE GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP WILL MEET THE THIRD SUNDAY OF EVERY MONTH.)**

**Come to The Choral Project's Benefit Concert for Faith In Action Rotating Shelter! May 4th, 7:30 p.m., Congregational Community Church** Please join us for a very special concert given by The Choral Project to benefit Faith In Action Silicon Valley Rotating Shelter! The concert will be held on Sat., May 4th at Congregational Community Church, 1112 S. Bernardo Ave., Sunnyvale at 7:30 p.m. and features the award winning Choral Project known for their unique approach of bringing together talented musicians and vocalists, looking to further their craft. This will be a musical feast with a repertoire featuring music that spans several cultures, and many styles. Tickets may be purchased online for \$20.00 or at the door for \$25.00. Go directly to: <http://thechoralproject-faithinaction-efbevent.eventbrite.com/> to purchase tickets and reserve your seats. All proceeds from the concert will go to Faith In Action Rotating Shelter, a non-profit that provides a case managed shelter program for homeless men housed at local churches and synagogues. See [www.faithinactionsv.org](http://www.faithinactionsv.org) for more details.

**“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)*



**Fifth Sunday of Easter  
April 28, 2013**

“Behold, God's dwelling is with the human race.”  
— Revelation 21:3

**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](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-

**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)**

**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**

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Liturgy – x32 ..... Dan Morris

Ministry to the Sick – (408) 252-7653..... Diane Ikeda

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Outreach..... Dick Sherman

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School –(408) 252-6441 ... Mary Lyons ([www.sjcschool.org](http://www.sjcschool.org))

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Infant Baptism..... Rev. Athanasius Kikoba

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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.