

CENTENNIAL MEMORY LANE

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

ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL

“The future of the parish, the community, the state, and the country, depends on the caliber of its present day youth. They need a foundation in the principles of their religion. They need to understand more fully the reason for their existence on this earth in order to do a better job while they are on it and in order to fulfill the end of their creation by God. Only a thorough CATHOLIC EDUCATION can produce this.” (campaign booklet written in 1955 promoting the building of the parish school)

1955 – George Voss chaired the November/December fundraising drive. **\$153,500 raised in 2 months!**

1956: Aug. 30 – Mother Mary Philip, principal, and Mother Mary Henri of the Religious of the Sacred Heart of Mary (RSHM) arrived to staff the school.

Sept. 19 - School opened for 150 students in grades 1, 2, and 3. Miss Mary Young joined the staff.

Oct. 17 - School blessed by Auxiliary Bishop Hugh Donohoe of San Francisco.

Three more sisters, Mother Camille, Mother Kostka, and Mother Nicholas, and 2 lay teachers, Mary Liang and Therese Fischer, joined the school faculty. The parish sisters lived in the convent at St. Martin Church in San Jose.

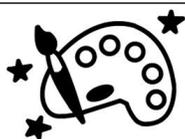
1966: 8 more classroom added to the school. Convent for 16 sisters completed. But as soon as the addition was built, enrollment began to decline, and instead of 16 rooms of students, there were only 8 classes.

July 1988: The last RSHM sisters to leave – Sr. Mary-Teresa Lyng and Sister Attracta O’Brien.



Editorial Note: Who remembers Sr. Mary-Teresa? She lived in the parish convent until about 2004.

We (and our parish) would love to hear your exciting story: mabelhoffman@yahoo.com, 408-315-1306. We are now especially needing data and stories **from 1988 onward**. It’s **YOUR** church, **YOUR** story!



The Art Show is Coming...

A show displaying the artwork of the SJC students will take place in the Parish Hall on Thursday, May 30 2:30-5pm and Friday, May 31 8am - 8pm
Parishioners are welcome!

SOCIAL MINISTRY

Mission Statement: The center of the church’s social teaching is the life, dignity and rights of every human person. Recognizing that the pursuit of social ministry is an essential part of what makes a parish Catholic, we commit ourselves to concrete works of charity, justice and peacemaking.

MARY DISPLAY: We invite you to bring your collection of statues and images of Mary to the Community Center on Saturday, May 25th between 10 and 11 a.m. if you would like to have them displayed. Please put your name on them and what they are. There is procession following the Saturday morning Mass in the meditation garden.

Catholicism 201: Holy Family's Summer Course (Excellent as an Alpha follow-up, but the Alpha Course is not required) 4848 Pearl Ave, San Jose, Ca 95136....Ever have Questions about your Catholic Faith? Come let us explore together with Fr. James Mallon, Halifax, Nova Scotia. Topics are Church, Sacraments, Mary, Saints, Christian Morality, “The Thorny Issues” plus: contains the Fullness of the Catholic Church. An 8 week Course beginning Wed, June 19 @ 7PM. For more information, Please call Yvonne Durand at (408-269-7740 or e-mail: inajourney@yahoo.com)

WOUNDED BY BEAUTY

An evening of music from Chopin to Williams with Brazilian pianist Marcelo Cesena. Crossroads Cultural Center will feature award-winning Brazilian pianist, Marcelo Cesena, for an evening of music and conversation. Playing everything from Chopin to moving original works, Marcelo will share the journey of the unexpected encounters that have changed his life. The concert is free and will take place on Saturday, June 1, 2013 at 7:30pm in the St. Joseph of Cupertino Church.

PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY

America is characterized by a strong sense of law and order, and retributive justice; whereas, the biblical concept of justice is right relationships with God and others. The point of the pursuit of justice is not punishment, but change of heart and reconciliation between people and between people and their God. Only is this understanding of justice can we hear Pope Paul VI’s words: “If you want peace, work for justice.”



Registration packets are ready for the upcoming school year, 2013-2014. The Catechetical program welcomes all children between the ages of 3 up to the 8th grade. For more information or if you would like to add another child in the program, please contact the Catechetical Ministry office at 252-7653x60 or via email at catmin@stjoscup.org. Registration packets are available in the church vestibule, the rectory, and the Catechetical office.





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:

Mary 25, 26 MARY DISPLAY after all Masses

June 2 MOVIE NIGHT with Deacon Ron
“Tender Mercies” 12:30 p.m. Community Center

(check out flyers in vestibule)

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 (408) 252-7653 ext. 30
HELP SPREAD THE FAITH. INVITE SOMEONE TO FIND OUT ABOUT THE CATHOLIC CHURCH!

QUESTION FROM LAST WEEK: What is the color used for Trinity Sunday and Corpus Christi (The Body & Blood of Christ) Sunday? ANSWER: WHITE

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Today’s feast, extending a dimension of Easter joy into Ordinary Time, reminds us that every aspect of worship centers on the mystery of God in three persons. At baptism, we are initiated into Christ and the Spirit. The Creed we recite at Mass every Sunday has its roots in the ancient celebration of baptism, when a new believer was questioned at the edge of the waters of the font with three questions: Do you believe in God, the Father, the Son, the Holy Spirit? Three questions, three affirmations, three immersions into the saving waters. Because every liturgy abounds with references to the Trinity, not only in words but in blessings by the sign of the cross, this feast was not easily accepted into the calendar. Pope Alexander in the eleventh century remarked that the liturgy is so laden with praise of the Trinity that there was no need for a special feast. Two hundred years later, while in exile in France, Pope John XXII proclaimed the feast, but it was not until 1911 that Pope St. Pius X gave it status as a solemnity.

A favorite image in art for today is the Icon of the Trinity, showing three glorious winged men seated at a table laden with bread and a cup of wine. It recalls Abraham’s hospitality to angels and gives expression to the inner life of God, a life lived in relationship, a life poured out in abundance whenever Christians gather at the table of the Eucharist to give praise to the Father, in Christ, in the embrace of the Spirit.



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>	\$ 8,346	\$16,000
• <u>The Nick Kelly Fund:</u>	\$ 6,135	\$ 6,500
• <u>The Father Leo Rooney Fund:</u>	\$ 6,455	\$12,000
• <u>The Donna Brock Fund:</u>	\$ 7,800	\$
	<u>7,500</u>	
TOTALS:	\$28,736	\$42,000

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.

SJC Class of 2009

Come to a reunion dinner on Tuesday, June 11th. Invites and evites, were sent out this week. Please RSVP to Mrs. Mary Ann Kimm at (408) 252-6441 or development@sjcschool.org

Please keep the Eighth Grade class in your prayers. They will be going on retreat this week focusing on Bridging the past and the future.

FEATURED MINISTRIES NEEDING IMMEDIATE HELP BEREAVEMENT—provides salads and desserts for funerals. People rotate so it does not very often.

FUNERAL RECEPTIONS (—when a funeral reception takes place here at the parish)---helps families set up, serves food, and packages leftovers for families to take home. (call Janice at the parish office if you can help— (408) 252-7653 ext. 30 or email: adulted@stjoscup.org)



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:	Sir 17:20-24; Ps 32:1-2, 5-7; Mk 10:17-27
Tuesday	Sir 35:1-12; Ps 50:5-8, 14, 23; Mk 10:28-31
Wednesday:	Sir 36:1, 4-5a, 10-17; Ps 79:8-9, 11, 13; Mk 10:32-45
Thursday:	Sir 42:15-25; Ps 33:2-9; Mk 10:46-52
Friday:	Zep 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd-6; Lk 1:39-56
Saturday:	Sir 51:12cd-20; Ps 19:8-11; Mk 11:27-33
Sunday:	Gn 14:18-20; Ps 110:1-4; 1 Cor 11:23-26; Lk 9:11b-17

Mass Intentions for the Week

May 25	5:00 PM	Tony Draga (+) & Free Draga (L)
May 26	8:00 AM	Maryanne Thelen (+)
	9:30 AM	Dorothy Fusco (+)
	11:00 AM	Robert Conlan (+)
	5:00 PM	Charles & Frances Corey (+)
May 27	8:30 AM	Matilda Mazur (+)
May 28	8:30 AM	Albert Fabilli (+)
May 29	8:30 AM	Juanita Johnsen (L)
May 30	8:30 AM	Robert Dust (+)
May 31	8:30 AM	Hai Nguyen (+)
June 01	8:30 AM	Edgardo Ulpindo (+)
	5:00 PM	Hai Nguyen (+)
June 02	8:00 AM	Special Intention
	9:30 AM	John & Margaret Mardesich (+)
	11:00 AM	Thomas Kemnitz (+)
	5:00 PM	Dorothy Fusco (+)



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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Today's psalm reminds us that we have been crowned with glory and honor and given rule over the works of God's hands. But we must be good stewards, for the Lord will surely hold us accountable for the use of those gifts! Pray that we use them well.

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: WILL BREAK until SEPTEMBER. 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, JUNE 9TH AT 12:30 P.M. IN THE PARISH OFFICE. (OUR GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP USUALLY MEETS THE SECOND SUNDAY OF THE MONTH.)**

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

"Having had over 20 years of marriage behind us, we thought we could learn little and improve little. On our Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend we learned MUCH and are still improving! We're never married too long to grow deeper in love"! The next local Catholic Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is: June 7- 9, 2013 (Mountain View). For more information or to register, please visit our website at: www.sanjosewwme.org or contact Thomas & Sandy Pavick, 408 262-4061 or Email: gr8marriages@sbcglobal.net

Book Drive for Children in the Philippines

Make a difference in a child's life. Please donate:

WHAT: Children's books for ages 5 to 10
Bestseller paperbacks
DVDs/ VHS

WHEN: Anytime until Monday, June 3

WHERE: Drop off in labeled boxes at the Church Vestibule OR in front of the Chapel

WHY: Because there are children in need of a good book (and a good education)

Thank you very much for your support!

"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 Most Holy Trinity May 26, 2013

[T]he love of God has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit.

— Romans 5:5b

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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Bingo Information – x37

Business Administration – x23 Monica Viruegas-Ferrante

Catechetical Ministry – x60 Tam Tran (catmin@stjoscup.org)

Liturgy – x32 Dan Morris

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

Organist –(408) 996-9352..... Lothar Bandermann

Outreach..... Dick Sherman

Pastoral Associate – x30Janice LaMotte
(adulded@stjoscup.org)

School –(408) 252-6441 ... Mary Lyons (www.sjcschool.org)

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

Youth Ministry Coordinator --x38Primo Martinez
(Primo.Martinez@yahoo.com)

Young Adult Coordinator - x28 Rev. Athanasius Kikoba
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.