

FEAST OF THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD

Next weekend, February 1-2, 2014

All parishioners are invited to bring candles to be blessed and lit at the beginning of mass on this feast, which honors Christ as "a light for revelation to the Gentiles." Because of the blessing that traditionally takes place on this feast, it was formerly known as "Candlemas" (Candle Mass).

HUMAN TRAFFICKING AWARENESS MONTH

Some ways to identify a victim of human trafficking:

Has inexplicable physical injuries.

Shows a great deal of fear and/or signs of severe trauma.

Is unable to speak English but has a companion speak for her/him despite the presence of neutral interpreters.

Is unable to go out or move about freely or alone.

Has moved housing locations frequently.

Lives where he/she works.

What does Catholic Social Teaching say?

"We are witnessing...a new humanism, one in which humans are defined first of all by their responsibility toward their brothers and sisters...." *Gaudium et Spes*, #55

If you think or suspect that someone is a victim of human trafficking contact the National Hotline: 888-3737-888 or text INFO or HELP to BeFree (233733).



Poinsettias in memory or in honor

Hai Thi Nguyen	Shiu Hon Woo	Paolo Sacchetto/
Robert Paul Dust	Mui Ok Tse-Woo	Graziella Vaccaro
Maria & Honorio	Yam Woo	Bro. Nick Cecere
Sitao	David B. Leong	Daniel Berkson
Felix & Mary Saneski	Gaudon/Sundquist	George Bennett
Jorge P. Li	Families	Altar Team 1
Deceased Family &	Joe Ignatowicz	Mary, Tony, Joe &
Relatives of M. Bohn	Tony Beccia	Mario Restifo
Henry J. Mobilia, Jr.	Richard D.	Adrian Elich
Edward McGaugh	Coppennoll	Edith & Leonard Ray
Mary E. Brennen	Charles & Frances	Olive Margaret
Catherine McGaugh	Corey	Allen
Catherine Reagan	George Hill	Mary Jane Filippi
Mr. & Mrs. Henry J.	Joseph Inerra	Pamela Jacob
Mobilia	Blanca	Lucy Woo
Mike Mahoney	Villamizar de Gomez	Anonymous
Tom Taylor	Verna Springer-	
Peggy Anne Martone	Colbert	
Sun-Man Lo	Henry Kloss	
Kee Lo	Louise, Clarence &	
Siu Keng Fon-Lo	Mary Louise Smith	

"CALLED TO ONE TABLE, TOGETHER IN CHRIST" is the theme of the 2014 Annual Diocesan Appeal, which begins February 8-9. Please prayerfully consider pledging your support to your parish and our local church by contributing to the ADA.

新春彌撒暨祭祖典禮 CHINESE NEW YEAR MASS AND ANCESTRAL CEREMONY

Special guest: Bishop Daly

Sunday, February 9, 11 AM

ALL ARE INVITED

Food and entertainment following;

please bring a treat to share

特別請各位華人教友參加



Upcoming parent meeting for sacramental preparation:

For Restored-order children: Tuesday, January 28 at 7:30pm in the parish community center.

The ***Safe Environment Program*** will be held on Sunday, January 26 during your child's regular catechetical session. The Junior High group will have their lesson on Wednesday, January 29, during their regular meeting.



GROWING IN FAITH



(If you are interested in any of the offerings below, please contact Janice LaMotte in the parish office (408 252-7653 ext. 30)

“ALIVE IN THE SPIRIT!”

CHECK OUT THE FOLLOWING OFFERING:

- JAN. 26 ADULT CONFIRMATION MEETING – 12:30 p.m. PARISH OFFICE
- JAN. 26 THE CHURCH OF AFRICA FR. ATHANASIUS 12:30 PM CHURCH
- JAN. 29 END OF LIFE ISSUES A JOURNEY IN FAITH FR. JOSEPH BENEDICT 7 P.M. COMMUNITY CENTER
- FEB. 9 CHINESE NEW YEAR CELEBRATION 11 A.M. MASS FOLLOWED BY RECEPTION

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



QUESTION OF THE WEEK: What were the names of the couple in the temple when Mary and Joseph presented Jesus in the Temple?

FOOD FOR THOUGHT: ‘BAPTISM CALL US TO WALK IN THE WAY OF THE LORD, AND TO EXTEND HIS MISSION.’ (Quest, Fall 2013)

BE BETTER PREPARED FOR NEXT WEEK’S-MASS
THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD-
FEBRUARY 2, 2014

Read: Malachi 3:1-4; Hebrews 2:14-18; Luke 2:22-40

Question for Adults?

How can you be a light for others especially those less fortunate?

Question for Children:

How can you be a the light of Christ for others?

ACTION

PLEASE CONTRIBUTE TO OUR ANNUAL DIOCESAN APPEAL. HELP TO MAKE THIS OR BEST YEAR EVER—FOR THE DIOCESE AND OUR PARISH!!!

Prayer

Jesus, you are the light that came into our world. Help me be more an instrument of joy for others. Amen



SJC SCHOOL NEWS



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”).

If you have donated to our L.I.F.E. Fund during 2013, you will be receiving a tax donation letter in the mail. Letters for tax deductible contributions to the SJC Auction and Carnival were sent home previously.

We are so grateful for such a supportive parish community!

This Tuesday!



St. Joseph of Cupertino School invites you to
OPEN HOUSE 2014
Tuesday, January 28th
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 2014-2015 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.

See the flyer in this week's bulletin for all the countries represented at our school and our parent testimonials.

Scout Sunday is February 2nd

Save the date, Sunday, February 2nd is Scout Sunday. Please come in your scout uniform and join fellow scouts at the 9:30am mass. Refreshments, sponsored by the Girl Scouts, Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts, will follow in the Community Center after Mass.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 2 Sm 5:1-7, 10; Ps 89:20-22, 25-26;
Mk 3:22-30
Tuesday: 2 Sm 6:12b-15, 17-19; Ps 24:7-10; Mk 3:31-35
Wednesday: 2 Sm 7:4-17; Ps 89:4-5, 27-30; Mk 4:1-2
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Thursday: 2 Sm 7:18-19, 24-29; Ps 132:1-5, 11-14;
Mk 4:21-25
Friday: 2 Sm 11:1-4a, 5-10a, 13-17; Ps 51:3-7, 10-11;
Mk 4:26-34
Saturday: 2 Sm 12:1-7a, 10-17; Ps 51:12-17; Mk 4:35-41
Sunday: Mal 3:1-4; Ps 24:7-10; Heb 2:14-18;
Lk 2:22-40 [22-32]

Mass Intentions for the Week

Jan. 25	5:00 PM	Zenaida Bailon (L)
Jan. 26	8:00 AM	Rosario & Rosita Alalong
	9:30 AM	Frank Cerezo (+)
	11:00 AM	George Morris (+)
	5:00 PM	David Anthony von Hatten (+)
Jan. 27	8:30 AM	
Jan. 28	8:30 AM	
Jan. 29	8:30 AM	Zachary Garcia (L)
Jan. 30	8:30 AM	Charles & Frances Corey (+)
Jan. 31	8:30 AM	Robert Dust (+)
Feb. 01	8:30 AM	
	5:00 PM	Mary Puzar Smith (+)
Feb. 02	8:00 AM	John & Margaret Mardesich (+)
	9:30 AM	Purification Cabael (+)
	11:00 AM	Francois & Mary Ma (+)
	5:00 PM	Dorothy Mudd (+)



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 watchword today is "immediately." Peter and Andrew, James and John all respond *immediately* to the call of Christ. May I be as open to God's call and as ready to use my talents in His service as those first disciples were!

Stewardship Prayer

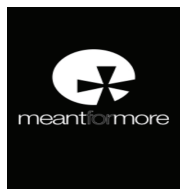
Rev. Gregory Kimm, 2009

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.

ST. JOSEPH OF CUPERTINO SCHOOL BUDGET REPORT: 2012-2013

The SJC School Budget is reviewed each month at the School Board Meeting, and each year we post a summary budget report/pie chart on the school website. To view the summary for fiscal year 2012-2013, please log onto www.sjcschool.org, click on School Board under "News and Info" and look for the links under the SJC 2012-2013 Budget Summary article (bottom of that page). If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Mary Lyons at stjosephcup@yahoo.com and/or the SJC School Board at SchoolBoard.2013@sjcschool.org.

**MINISTRY OF THE WEEK
HOSPITALITY FOLLOWING MASSES**

This ministry serves refreshments following Mass. You can sign up for 8 a.m., 9:30 a.m. or 11 a.m. Mass. It doesn't require a lot of time and is only once a month!!!

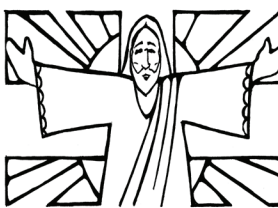
NEED HELP to keep our fellowship alive !!!
VOLUNTEER TO SERVE. *(If you have signed up previously and not received a phone call ,please call Janice) (408) 252-7653x30*

ADULT CONFIRMATION: If you or someone you know (18 or over) has not celebrated the sacrament of Confirmation and would like to do so, please call Janice at the Parish Office. There will be an informational meeting on Sunday, January 26, 2014 at 12:30 p.m. 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 Fernandez at yvonnefernandez@yahoo.com or go to our website at www.clonline.us

"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)*



**Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
January 26, 2014**

Wait for the LORD with courage;
be stouthearted, and wait for the LORD.
— Psalm 27:14

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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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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Young Adult Coordinator - x28 Rev. Athanasius Kikoba
Deacon..... Ron Hansen
(ronnebr@aol.com)

Altar Server Coordinator..... Rev. Athanasius Kikoba

Infant Baptism..... Rev. Athanasius Kikoba

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