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The ministries and services
funded by the appeal include:

- Seminarian education
- Institute for Leadership in Ministry
- Youth and young adult ministry
- Priests' retirement
- Campus ministries (high school and college)
- Hospital chaplain ministries
- Detention ministry

**St. Joseph's goal this year:
\$127,346**

If you missed Pledge Weekend, there is still time to make your pledge. No matter what amount you can give, please return your completed pledge form and envelope. Every dollar collected above our goal will come back to St. Joseph of Cupertino



Upcoming parent meetings for sacramental preparation:

For Restored-order children: Sunday, January 24 at 2:00pm in the parish community center.

**St. Joseph of Cupertino School invites you to
OPEN HOUSE 2016
Tuesday, February 2nd
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. 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 athletic and other school-administered programs. Applications for the 2016-2017 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.

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 **Thursday, January 21 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.

**ANointing of the Sick Presentation with the
SACRAMENT to follow**

Date: Saturday, February 6, 2016 10am – 12pm

Community Center

Speaker: Msgr. Joseph Milani

Sponsored by St. Joseph's and Catholic Cemeteries Diocese of San Jose

The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick is one of the seven sacraments baptized Catholics seek in recovery of body, mind and spirit. There still may be a misunderstanding that this Sacrament is solely for those on their death bed, however it may be given to those who are impaired due to sickness, injury, or old age, those undergoing surgery, and those with physical or emotional problems. The Sacrament offers strength, peace and courage to endure with grace the sufferings of illness, as well as restoration of health according to God's will. Discover why not to wait until the last minute to call a priest.

All are welcome.

The parish offices will be closed on Monday, January 18, 2016, in observance of the **Martin Luther King, Jr. holiday**. The parish offices will re-open on Tuesday, January 19, 2016 at 9:00 a.m..



ONE WARM COAT®

Have an extra coat in your closet? St. Joseph of Cupertino is collecting clean, gently-used coats the weekend of January 30-31, 2016 on behalf of:

One Warm Coat

(www.onewarmcoat.org). Coat

collection boxes will be in front of the church.



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!”

- JAN 21 THE CREED-SERIES BEGINS
7PM COMMUNITY CENTER**
- JAN 21 GRIEF SUPPORT 12:30PM-
2PM-COMMUNITY CENTER**
- FEB 06 SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING
MSGR. MILANI 10 AM CHURCH
(THERE WILL BE OPPORTUN-
ITY TO CELEBRATE THE
SACRAMENT**

QUESTION FROM LAST WEEK: WHAT ARE THE PRECEPTS OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH? *ANSWER: The Precepts of the Church are: 1. To attend Mass on Sundays and holy days of obligation. 2. To receive the sacrament of Reconciliation at least once a year. 3. To receive Holy Communion during the Easter season. 4. To observe the das of fast and abstinence. 5. To strengthen and support the Church.*

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

BE BETTER PREPARED FOR NEXT WEEK'S MASS

**THE THIRD SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME
JANUARY 24, 2015**

Read: Nehemiah 8:2-4, 5-6,8-10; I Corinthians 12:12-30; Luke 1:1-4;4:14-21

QUESTION FOR ADULTS

What do you believe that the anointing you received at baptism requires you to do?

QUESTION FOR CHILDREN

What could you do this week for someone who has less than you?

ACTION

WHAT IS THE “SPIRIT” CALLING YOU TO DO FOR OUR PARISH?

Prayer

Your words are Spirit and life O Lord. Help me to listen more deeply to your word. Amen.



SJC SCHOOL NEWS



SAVE THE DATE: KINDERGARTEN INFORMATION NIGHT Wednesday, January 20th 7 - 8pm

SJC School extends a warm invitation to all families with young children to find out about our unique Kindergarten program at a special Information Night on Wednesday, January 20th at 7pm in the Kindergarten classroom.

Come meet our kindergarten teachers discuss our kindergarten curriculum, meet our principal, Mary Lyons, and talk with school board members about why St. Joseph's School is a wonderful place for your child.

For more information or to RSVP call the school office at 252-6441 or send an email to development@sjcschool.org.



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

We have surpassed the \$50,000 mark!

To date we have received:

Development/Unrestricted/	
Special Projects	\$39,741
Scholarship Fund	\$15,279
Teacher's Helper	\$ 1,245
Total	\$56,265

We are so grateful for such a supportive parish community!

Dining for Dollars

Join us for our Dining for Dollars restaurant fundraiser at Round Table
4400 Stevens Creek Blvd.
San Jose, CA 95129
(near Kiely Blvd.)
Wednesday, January 20, 2016
11:30 a.m. – 8:30 p.m.
Bring the flyer in this bulletin.

Please keep our 7th graders in your prayers as they go on a retreat with the focus on Homelessness in Santa Clara Valley.

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

Join fellow Catholics and Pro-Lifers from California and beyond as we stand up for the littlest among us at the 12th Annual Walk for Life West Coast in San Francisco on January 23, 2016. The pre-walk rally begins at 12:30pm in San Francisco's Civic Center Plaza, and the walk down the city's Market Street begins at 1:30pm. Last year's walk drew 50, 000+ people. Drive, car-pool, or contact Our Lady of Peace at [408-988-4584](tel:408-988-4584) (info@olop-shrine) for a seat on one of their buses. For complete information about the Walk, visit www.walkforlifewc.com or call [415-658-1793](tel:415-658-1793).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK	
Monday:	1 Sm 15:16-23; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23; Mk 2:18-22
Tuesday:	1 Sm 16:1-13; Ps 89:20-22, 27-28; Mk 2:23-28
Wednesday:	1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51; Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10; Mk 3:1-6
Thursday:	1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7; Ps 56:2-3, 9-13; Mk 3:7-12
Friday:	1 Sm 24:3-21; Ps 57:2-4, 6, 11; Mk 3:13-19, <i>or any of a number of readings for the Day of Prayer</i>
Saturday:	2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27; Ps 80:2-3, 5-7; Mk 3:20-21
Sunday:	Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10; Ps 19:8-10, 15; 1 Cor 12:12-30 [12-14, 27]; Lk 1:1-4; 4:14-21

Mass Intentions for the Week

Jan. 16	5:00 PM	Scott Hagdoll (+)
Jan. 17	8:00 AM	Monching Ibarra (+)
	9:30 AM	Loucas Angelo (+)
	11:00 AM	Dewey & Mariqueta Churchill (L)
	5:00 PM	Julieta Ramos (+)
Jan. 18	8:30 AM	Christopher Rusli (+)
Jan. 19	8:30 AM	Kristie Chen Lee & Nancy Ning Chang (+)
Jan. 20	8:30 AM	Jane Anderson (+)
Jan. 21	8:30 AM	Dylan Jacob (+)
Jan. 22	8:30 AM	George Ansolabehere (+)
Jan. 23	8:30 AM	Mory Marks & Ann Montejano (+)
		Rosemary Salce (L)
	5:00 PM	Rosario Viray (+)
Jan. 24	8:00 AM	Rosario Alolong & Rosita Escalona (+)
	9:30 AM	Peg Mariga (+)
	11:00 AM	Thomas Shields (+)
	5:00 PM	Lew Viray (+)



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 second reading, St. Paul tells the Corinthians (and us) that all of our gifts are from God and that they are given, not for ourselves alone, but for the common good. But the generosity of God knows no limits – the miracle at Cana reminds us that whenever we faithfully do as God asks, He can change our gifts of water into wine! How does knowing that impact our belief in God?

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!



Congratulations to Ed & Angie Vasquez on the occasion of their 68th wedding anniversary on January 18th. May they have many more happy years together.

Human Trafficking is the world's fastest growing criminal enterprise and is an estimated \$150 billion a year industry. If you think someone is a victim of trafficking, call 1-888-373-7888. For more information, visit <http://www.acf.hhs.gov/>

LOOKING FOR NEW WORK/CAREER/RETIREMENT DIRECTION?

LifeSHIFT: Work & the Christian Journey

Life is about managing change: career, personal, family, spiritual. This retreat is an opportunity to reflect on life and faith while considering new career, job, work and/or retirement possibilities. Activities include discussions, presentations, individual consultation, journaling, the Strong Interest Inventory and aspects of Ignatian Spirituality. Participants will clarify work/life objectives and address fears of transition while experiencing imaginative ways to explore their Christian faith.

February 19—21, 2016

Jesuit Retreat Center of Los Altos

300 Manresa Way

Los Altos, CA 94022

Register and Information:

<http://www.jrclosaltos.org/> (Click on weekend retreats)

OR

www.centerforlifetransitions.net (Click on LifeSHIFT)

tom@centerforlifetransitions.net

414 394-9347

ALPHA IS COMING TO HOLY FAMILY PARISH

Alpha is an effective tool to revitalize our parishes and reach out to neighboring communities. It is also a practical tool for responding to the challenge of evangelizing given us by Pope Francis: "Every Christian is challenged, here and now, to be actively engaged in evangelization: indeed, anyone who has truly experienced God's saving love does not need much time or lengthy training to go out and proclaim that love." *Evangelii Gaudium*. Come and see on March 30, 2016 at 6:30 pm. Contact Alicia Gonzalez Morales at am49ers@sbcglobal.net or 408-857-0523 to reserve your spot at the introductory complimentary dinner at Holy Family Parish, 4848 Pearl Ave., San Jose, CA 95236.

When couples are in distress seeking help with their marriages, Retrouvaille is an important resource. Retrouvaille is a peer ministry and marriage-building program that works! The next San Jose Retrouvaille Weekend is January 29-31, 2016. Couples can call (408) 605-4998 to register, or at www.HelpOurMarriage.com or www.Retrouvaille.org to register online.

"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)*

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) 315-1463.

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!

CATHOLIC RADIO: 1260 AM (Immaculate Heart Radio)

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.**

WAYS TO REPORT MISCONDUCT

Safe Environment *If you suspect abuse in your parish, school or in the Diocese of San Jose, please contact:*

Child Protective Services 408.299.2071 / Police 911

Office for the Protection of Children and Vulnerable Adults

Anthony Gonzalez 408.983.0141 or email protection@dsj.org

Financial Mismanagement *If you suspect financial mismanagement or misconduct in your parish, school or in the Diocese of San Jose, please contact:*

Ethics Point: dsj.ethicspoint.com or the hotline telephone number

1-888-325-7863

The Finance Office

Teresa Conville, Director of Compliance & Parish Financial Services,

408.983.0241 or email at tconville@dsj.org

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**.

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

**St. Joseph of Cupertino
Staff Information**

Parish Office: (408) 252-7653

sjcparish@stjoscup.org

Secretary: Free Draga

Fri. Admin. Asst: Tracey Govola

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 – x30.....Janice LaMotte
(adulted@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
(wmorgan@dsj.org)

Parish Advisory Council..... advisory@stjoscup.org

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.

IMPORTANT REMINDER ABOUT PARKING

Through an agreement with the property owner, parishioners may use the Apple/Comerica parking lot for weekend masses and evening events. **However, on weekdays, parishioner access to the lot is limited to daily mass and the dropping off and picking up of students.** Parishioners using the lot beyond these specified times MAY BE TOWED. Please be respectful of these limitations and help show that St. Joseph of Cupertino is a good neighbor. If you have any questions, feel free to contact Fr. Greg or our school principal, Mary Lyons.