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ANNUAL DIOCESAN APPEAL

WE'RE NUMBERTWO!! MANY THANKS TO ALL WHO HELPED US HAVE THE SECOND HIGHEST PLEDGE TOTAL IN THE *WHOLE DIOCESE* LAST WEEK!! (WE DID THIS LAST YEAR AT THIS TIME, TOO!) THIS WEEK WE ARE ALREADY AT **61% OF OUR ANNUAL DIOCESAN APPEAL GOAL OF \$127,346. IF YOU HAVE NOT ALREADY TURNED IN YOUR PLEDGE FORM, PLEASE JOIN THE 167 PARISHIONERS (10%) ALREADY INVOLVED IN THIS CAMPAIGN. WITH EVERYONE'S SUPPORT WE CAN DO EVEN BETTER!!**

新春彌撒暨祭祖典禮
CHINESE NEW YEAR MASS
AND ANCESTRAL CEREMONY
Sunday, February 21, 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

QUESTION FROM LAST WEEK: What season of the Church are we now in? ANSWER: We are in "Ordinary Time" which is shown by the color green. Ordinary Time Ordinary Time takes place 34 weeks of the Church Year. The first part is from the end of the Christmas season to Ash Wednesday and the second part follows Easter season and ends with the beginning of Advent. (Look It Up - Janet L. Alampi)



There will be liturgy with focus on children at the 9:30 a.m. mass on Sunday, February 7.

The ***Safe Environment Program*** will be held on Sunday, February 7 during your child's regular catechetical session (for children in Kindergarten to 6th grade).

MOM'S GROUP: One of our Mom's groups focuses on getting together at a park for play time and having some faith sharing amongst the moms. For more information, call Carol Ruiz at (408) 777-2966.

Cursillo News

Utreya – Feb. 18, 2016, Thursday, 6:30 p.m.,
Holy Family Parish

Speaker – Bishop P.J. McGrath
Men's Weekend, April 14-April 17
St. Clare Retreat Center

Women's Weekend, April 28-May 1, St. Clare
Retreat Center

For more information about Cursillo, go to
www.sanjosecursillo.org
or contact parishioners Geni at genisundquist@gmail.com
or Mary Jo at mjsw50@gmail.com

A senior parishioner is in need of an occasional ride to Saturday or Sunday Mass. Please call Donene Harrison (408) 253-7113

FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTION

Please join St. Joseph of Cupertino parishioners in honoring Our Blessed Mother in the Chapel on Saturday February 6th starting with: Rosary at 8:00 a.m., Mass at 8:30 a.m. and talk by Fr. Athanasius (or substitute) at 8:30 a. m.



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.

Young adults (18 years and older), you're invited to a social gathering on Saturday, February 6 at 6:30PM in the Youth Ministry Room (located at the school). Come meet other young adults in fellowship. There will be food, games, and opportunities to get to know each other better. RSVP to Tam at [408-252-7653 x41](tel:408-252-7653) or ttran@dsj.org. We hope to see you there!

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

- FEB 04** "ALIVE IN THE SPIRIT!"
THE MYSTERY OF GOD
BISHOP ROBERT BARRON VIA
VIDEO 7-9 PM COMM. CENTER
- FEB 06** **SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING**
MSGR. MILANI 10AM CHAPEL
THERE WILL BE OPPOR-
TUNITY TO CELEBRATE THE
SACRAMENT
- FEB 07** **HOSPITALITY FOLLOWING**
8, 9:30 & 11AM MASSES
HOSTED BY SCOUTS
- FEB 16** **VIDEO SERIES ON THE "YEAR OF**
MERCY" 3:30-5PM COMM. CENTER
REPEATED AT 7PM
- FEB 23** **WHAT IS THE YEAR OF MERCY?**
HOW DOES POPE FRANCIS
ENCOURAGE US TO CELEBRATE IT?
PRESENTATION BY DIANA
MACALINTAL, DIRECTOR OF
LITURGY FOR THE DIOCESE OF
SAN JOSE 7PM COMM. CENTER

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 FIFTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME
FEBRUARY 7, 2016

Read: Isaiah 6:1-2, 3-8; I Corinthians 15: 1-11;

Luke 5:1-11

QUESTION FOR ADULTS

What is your vocation in life? How is God calling you?

QUESTION FOR CHILDREN

When have you been asked to do something you felt might be too hard for you? What did you do?

ACTION

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

Prayer

Lord, help my faith to grow and to believe and follow you more deeply. Amen.



St. Joseph of Cupertino School invites you to

This Tuesday!



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.

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 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

See the flyer in this week's bulletin to see what current families are saying about SJC School.



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 2015, 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!

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 2 Sm 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13; Ps 3:2-7; Mk 5:1-20
 Tuesday: Mal 3:1-4; Ps 24:7-10; Heb 2:14-18; Lk 2:22-40 [22-32]
 Wednesday: 2 Sm 24:2, 9-17; Ps 32:1-2, 5-7; Mk 6:1-6
 Thursday: 1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12; 1 Chr 29:10-12; Mk 6:7-13
 Friday: Sir 47:2-11; Ps 18:31, 47, 50, 51; Mk 6:14-29
 Saturday: 1 Kgs 3:4-13; Ps 119:9-14; Mk 6:30-34
 Sunday: Is 6:1-2a, 3-8; Ps 138:1-5, 7-8; 1 Cor 15:1-11 [3-8, 11]; Lk 5:1-11

Mass Intentions for the Week

Jan. 30	5:00 PM	Mary Puzar Smith (+)
Jan. 31	8:00 AM	Christine Brockbank (L)
	9:30 AM	Mary Ann Coppernoll (+)
	11:00 AM	Marilyn Territo (L)
	5:00 PM	Mary Coppernoll (+)
Feb. 01	8:30 AM	Mary Puzar Smith (+)
Feb. 02	8:30 AM	Mary Lee Hagen (+)
Feb. 03	8:30 AM	Chang Family Ancestors (+)
Feb. 04	8:30 AM	Rita Mary (+)
Feb. 05	9:00 AM	Bonnie Lowe (+)
Feb. 06	8:30 AM	Hector & Josefina Quijano (+)
	5:00 PM	Judy Hendricks (+)
Feb. 07	8:00 AM	John, Margaret & Nick Mardesich (+)
	9:30 AM	Danny Torres & Ofelia Romero (+)
	11:00 AM	Francois & Mary Ma (+)
	5:00 PM	Lynda Marcum (+)



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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Jeremiah declares that the Lord knew him before he was born. And dedicated and appointed him to his role as prophet even before he drew breath. We, too, are known and sent by the Lord. What deeds of love and service are mine to perform?

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.

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/trafficking>

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 Tuesday: The Presentation of the Lord; Groundhog Day
 Wednesday: St. Blaise; St. Ansgar; Blessing of Throats
 Friday: St. Agatha; First Friday
 Saturday: St. Paul Miki and Companions; First Saturday

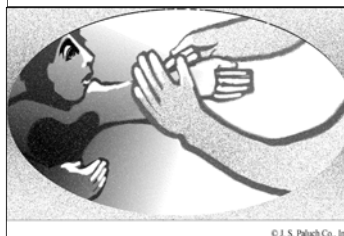
Scout Sunday is February 7th

Save the date, Sunday, February 7th 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.

HURRY, HURRY, HURRY! Time is running out to register for the next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. Let a cozy weekend for just the two of you keep you warm on these long winter nights. The next Marriage Encounter Weekend is February 26-28, 2016 in Mountain View. For more information visit our website at: sanjosewme.org or contact Ken & Claranne at applications@sanjosewme.org or **408-782-1413**.

DO YOU KNOW? HOW TO FIND OUT WHAT'S HAPPENING IN OUR PARISH? Check the bulletin, website, facebook, parish newsletter, poster outside church and chapel, flyers, and listen to the announcements.

"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)*



Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time January 31, 2016

Faith, hope, and love remain, these three; but the greatest of these is love.
 — 1 Corinthians 13:13

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
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Bingo Information – x37

Business Administration – x23..... Monica Viruegas-Ferrante

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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
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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
(wmorgan@dsj.org)

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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.

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.