

# ADA 2017

## ANNUAL DIOCESAN APPEAL

PLEASE SUPPORT  
OUR DIOCESE AND OUR  
PARISH BY  
DONATING TO THE  
**ANNUAL DIOCESAN  
APPEAL**

The ministries and services  
funded by the appeal include:

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

**St. Joseph's goal  
this year: \$125,191**

*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.*

**新春彌撒暨祭祖典禮  
CHINESE NEW YEAR MASS  
AND ANCESTRAL CEREMONY**  
**Special guest: Bishop McGrath**  
**Sunday, February 12, 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



Our third Family Catechesis session will be on Sunday, February 19. All families will meet in the parish hall after the 9:30am mass. Focus of this session will be on the season of Lent. There is no 9:20am session that morning.

No Junior High session Wednesday, February 22. No catechetical sessions on Sunday, February 26.



**Ignatian Spiritual Exercises Workshop**  
Topic: Examination of Conscience  
Date: Tuesday, February 28, 2017, 7pm to 9pm  
Location: Most Holy Trinity Church, 2040 Nas-sau Drive, San Jose, CA  
Facilitator: Fr. Andrew Garcia S.J., a Jesuit priest, who holds a STL from Comillas in Spain, currently serves at Most Holy Trinity Parish  
This workshop focuses on how to pay attention to your heart and spiritual movements through the St. Ignatius Exam Prayer.  
For people who plan to come to the workshop, please bring your own book of *The Spiritual Exercises of Saint Ignatius* by **George Ganss, S.J.**, and your notebook. (The book by George Ganss, can be order through Amazon.)  
This ministry has no funding. Please be generous in making a donation to Most Holy Trinity, Spiritual Exercises Ministry. For more information please email to: [dailyliferetreat@gmail.com](mailto:dailyliferetreat@gmail.com) or call Margarita Hua (408)-623-0838



## GROWING IN FAITH



*(If you are interested in any of the offerings below, please contact Janice LaMotte in the parish office*

*(408) 252-7653x30*

**“ALIVE IN THE SPIRIT!”**

**FEB. 11**      **PLANNING A CHRISTIAN FUNERAL FR. CHRIS BENNETT AND BEDDINGFIELD FUNERAL SERVICES AND CATHOLIC CEMETERIES 10-12 P.M. COMMUNITY CENTER**

**FEB. 12**      **CELEBRATION OF CHINESE NEW YEAR 11 AM MASS FOLLOWED BY RECEPTION IN THE HALL**

**FEB. 25**      **ADVANCED DIRECTIVES - CINDY SAFE - PRESENTER 10-12 P.M. COMMUNITY CENTER**

**CATHOLICISM 101- QUESTION FROM LAST WEEK : What do the numbers one and seven mean in the Bible?**  
*ANSWER: The number ONE represents God. There is one God. The number SEVEN represents completeness wholeness, universality: 3 (heaven) plus 4 (earth) equals 7 (universal).*

**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 SEVENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME FEBRUARY 19, 2016**

Leviticus 19:1-2, 17-18; Corinthians 3: 16-23; Matthew 5:38-48.

### QUESTION FOR ADULTS

What is the point of “turning the other cheek” in an argument, and why is it so hard to do?

### QUESTION FOR CHILDREN

When have you or someone you know insisted on “having the last word” in an argument? What happened afterwards?

### ACTION

**CONTRIBUTE OF YOU TREASURE AND DONATE TO THE ADA**

### Prayer

*The Lord is kind and merciful. Bless the Lord O my soul. Amen. (from Psalm 103)*



## SJC SCHOOL NEWS

### APPLICATIONS FOR 2017-2018 SCHOOL YEAR ARE BEING ACCEPTED!

Applications for our parish school for the 2017-2018 school year are available and still being accepted. You may download an application by logging on to our school website at [www.sjcschool.org](http://www.sjcschool.org) and clicking on Admissions. You may also pick up an application at our school office or contact us at (408) 252-6441 to request an application. We continue to process applications and keep an active waiting list throughout the year.

*Please note: parishioners are given priority consideration in our acceptance policy.*

### Dining for Dollars

Join us for our Dining for Dollars restaurant fundraiser at the new Chipotle 20688 Homestead Rd. Cupertino, CA 95014  
Wednesday, February 15, 2017  
12:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.  
Bring the flyer in this bulletin.



**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” Thursdays at 8:00-9:00pm in the SJC School Art Room. We are currently working on the book *Why The Church?* by Msgr. Luigi Giussani. For more information contact Yvonne Fernández at [yvonnefernandez@yahoo.com](mailto:yvonnefernandez@yahoo.com) or go to our website at [www.clonline.us](http://www.clonline.us)

**IMMEDIATE HELP NEEDED FOR THE FOLLOWING MINISTRIES! HOSPITALITY & SOCIAL EVENTS, FUNERAL RECEPTIONS AND BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY NEEDS PEOPLE TO PROVIDE SALADS AND DESSERTS FOR FUNERALS.**

**We need people to help serve at our Sunday coffees and to help with various social events. If you are able to help in any way, please call Janice at the Parish Office. (408) 252-7653 ext. 30**

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Monday: Gn 4:1-15, 25; Ps 50:1, 8, 16bc-17, 20-21; Mk 8:11-13  
 Tuesday: Gn 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10; Ps 29:1a, 2, 3ac-4, 3b, 9c-10; Mk 8:14-21  
 Wednesday: Gn 8:6-13, 20-22; Ps 116:12-15, 18-19; Mk 8:22-26  
 Thursday: Gn 9:1-13; Ps 102:16-21, 29, 22-23; Mk 8:27-33  
 Friday: Gn 11:1-9; Ps 33:10-15; Mk 8:34 — 9:1  
 Saturday: Heb 11:1-7; Ps 145:2-5, 10-11; Mk 9:2-13  
 Sunday: Lv 19:1-2, 17-18; Ps 103:1-4, 8, 10, 12-13; 1 Cor 3:16-23; Mt 5:38-48

*Mass Intentions for the Week*

Feb. 11	5:00 PM	Joseph & Mary Arul (L)
Feb. 12	8:00 AM	Ping Zhou (+)
	9:30 AM	Rose D'Souza (+)
	11:00 AM	Albert Fabilli (+)
	5:00 PM	Luz Burkhart (L)
Feb. 13	8:30 AM	Mike & Anna Biskupski (+)
Feb. 14	8:30 AM	Darlene Granera (+)
Feb. 15	8:30 AM	Purificacion Cabael (+)
Feb. 16	8:30 AM	Jasper, Tillie & Don Dust (+)
Feb. 17	8:30 AM	Donald Skinner (+)
Feb. 18	8:30 AM	Joan Cassidy (+)
	5:00 PM	John Puzar (+)
Feb. 19	8:00 AM	Zenaida Bailon (L)
	9:30 AM	Yvonne Chen (+)
	11:00 AM	Trentadue Family
	5:00 PM	Maria G. Santos (+)



**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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Stewardship involves more than just the gift we bring to the altar. Today's readings say clearly that it is fidelity to God's law that makes our offering acceptable. How faithful am I?

**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).

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>

**PRAYER GROUP 12-1 PM COMMUNITY CENTER PRAY FOR YOUR NEEDS AND THE NEEDS OF OUR PARISH BOOK CLUB MEETS THE 4TH MONDAY OF THE MONTH IN THE PARISH OFFICE**

**DO YOU GIVE TO THE PARISH ONLINE?**

Offering our gifts—symbols of our lives--is an important part of the mass. Those who give online are encouraged to place in the collection basket a special offertory slip indicating that they have contributed electronically. These slips also help to provide a record of attendance for school families. You may now **download and print slips from the parish and school websites** at [www.stjoscup.org](http://www.stjoscup.org): Go to "Parish," "Contributions," "Electronic Giving Offertory Slips" at [www.sjcschool.org](http://www.sjcschool.org): Go to "About SJC," "Parish"



**Young Adult Ministry** (for 18 years and older) is going **bowling on Saturday, February 18**. We will meet at 6:15pm in front of the parish office. For details or more info about the ministry call Fr. Athanasius or Tam at the parish office.

**"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)

*Dancing With God*

Jesus invites us to join in the transformative power of the Trinity....

*So that they will all be one, as you, Father, are in me and I in you, that they may be in us*  
 John 17:21

**A Retreat Experience for Women**

at Villa Maria del Mar Retreat Center  
 21918 East Cliff Drive  
 Santa Cruz, CA 95062

**Connect with other woman on the spiritual journey while enjoying the beauty & serenity of the ocean setting.**

Begins 10:00am Monday February 20, 2017  
 Ends: 5:00 pm Tuesday February 21, 2016  
 Facilitators: Rosemarie Peoples & Carmella Dautoff

Cost: Single room \$219. Double room \$177.  
 Stay for dinner Tuesday night add \$20.00.

For registration contact Rosemarie Peoples  
[rosemarie778@gmail.com](mailto:rosemarie778@gmail.com)  
 (831)-600-8556 (408) 623-7502

**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) 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](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!**

**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](mailto: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](http://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](mailto: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 **website**. All requests are welcome & confidential.

**St. Joseph of Cupertino  
 Staff Information**

**Parish Office: (408) 252-7653**

Secretary: Free Draga

Fri. Asst. Kathy Liccardo

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Bingo Information – x37

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

Catechetical Ministry – x60.....Tam Tran ([catmin@stjoscup.org](mailto: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  
 ([adulsted@stjoscup.org](mailto:adulsted@stjoscup.org))

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

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

Youth Ministry Coordinator --x38 .....Primo Martinez  
 ([Primo.Martinez@yahoo.com](mailto:Primo.Martinez@yahoo.com))

.....Andy Sartori  
 .....[andysartori04@gmail.com](mailto:andysartori04@gmail.com)

Young Adult Coordinator - x28 ..... Rev. Athanasius Kikoba

Deacon..... Ron Hansen  
 ([ronnebr@aol.com](mailto:ronnebr@aol.com))

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

Infant Baptism..... Rev. Athanasius Kikoba

Hospital Ministry - x26.....Rev. Don Morgan  
 ([wmorgan@dsj.org](mailto:wmorgan@dsj.org))

Parish Advisory Council..... [advisory@stjoscup.org](mailto:advisory@stjoscup.org)

Finance Council.....[finance@stjoscup.org](mailto:finance@stjoscup.org)

Liturgy Committee.....[liturgy@stjoscup.org](mailto:liturgy@stjoscup.org)

Communications Committee.....[communications@stjoscup.org](mailto: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/Comera 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, Michael Lee.