

## Congratulations . . . to us!

**St. Joseph of Cupertino has been selected to receive the city of Cupertino's 2017 CREST Award. This award honors organizations and individuals that have made outstanding volunteer contributions to our local community. (CREST stands for "Cupertino Recognizes Extra Steps Taken.") Members of the parish who would like to be present at the awards ceremony are invited to come to the Community Hall on Torre Ave. on Wednesday, May 31 at 7 P.M.**



Calling all those who knit, crochet or want to learn! A new ministry is being born here at St. Joseph of Cupertino called **Warm Hugs**.

**Warm Hugs** ministry will gather like-minded people monthly in fellowship to create scarves and warm hats for the homeless. Faith in Action and the local area safety departments are on board to assist with the distribution of scarves and hats to those in need; all we need are willing hands! There are several ways to take part in this ministry: meet with the group once a month to knit/crochet the hats and scarves, knit/crochet the hats and scarves at home, or donate your extra yarn and needles/hooks. **The next meeting is Monday, June 12th from 11am-12pm in the community center.** Please contact Candy Cole at 408-718-6637 if you're interested or have any questions.



The parish offices will be closed on Monday, May 29th, in observance of the Memorial Day holiday. The offices will reopen on Tuesday, May 30th, at 9:00 AM.

**ST. JOSEPH OF CUPERTINO  
"JUNIOR JAGUARS" PRESCHOOL  
2017-2018 APPLICATIONS STILL  
AVAILABLE!**

CHOOSE THE PROGRAM THAT BEST MEETS YOUR CHILD'S

AND YOUR FAMILY'S NEEDS:

- 7:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.: Preschool Session  
+ Afternoon Enrichment Activities
- 7:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.: Preschool Session  
+ Afternoon Enrichment Activities
- 7:30 a.m. To 6:00 p.m.: Preschool Session  
+ Afternoon Enrichment Activities  
+ Extended Care

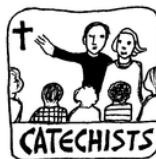
Teacher/Student Instruction Ratio: 1:8

Maximum Class Size: 34 Students

Apply Now to Reserve a Space in Next Year's Class

Come see our beautiful, spacious facility  
and meet our outstanding teaching staff.

Tours Available: Call 408-252-9778 or 252-6441



Would you like to share your faith experience with the young people of our church community? The Catechetical Ministry program is in NEED of catechists to teach for the 2017-2018 school year. If you can consider this ministry, please call Tam at (408) 252-7653x60 or send an email to [ttran@dsj.org](mailto:ttran@dsj.org).

**Registration packets** are ready for the upcoming school year, 2017-2018. The Catechetical program welcomes all children between the ages of 3 up to the 8<sup>th</sup> 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 [ttran@dsj.org](mailto:ttran@dsj.org). Registration packets are available in the church vestibule, the parish office, and the Catechetical Ministry office.



*You are invited...*  
**VETERANS TRIBUTES 10:30 am  
MEMORIAL DAY MASSES 11 am  
Monday, May 29, 2017**

Gate of Heaven Cemetery	Calvary Cemetery
22555 Cristo Rey Dr.	2650 Madden Ave.
Los Altos, CA 94024	San Jose, CA 95116

650-428-3730	408-258-2940
Presider:	Presider:
Msgr. Francis Cilia	Fr. Christopher Bennett

We are honored to serve those who served with honor. Tributes and masses held outdoors. Chairs and shade tents provided. Please allow time to park.

**FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTION**

Please join St. Joseph of Cupertino Church parishioners in honoring Mary on the First Saturday Devotion in the Chapel (June 3rd) with Rosary at 8:00 AM, Mass at 8:30 AM, and talk with Fr. Athanasius (or devotional prayers) starting a 9:00 AM.



## 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!”

Stay tuned for events such as talks, discussions, and movies!

**June 04** CELEBRATION OF PENTECOST  
RE-COMMISSIONING ALL MINISTERS  
AT EACH MASS. REFRESHMENTS  
COMMUNITY CENTER

**June 25** RETIREMENT PARTY FOR FR. DON  
FOLLOWING 11AM MASS

**BOOK CLUB MEETS THE 4TH MONDAY OF THE MONTH. PARISH OFFICE 7PM**

**PRAYER GROUP MEETS THE 1ST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH 12-1PM COMMUNITY CENTER**

**CATHOLICISM 101- QUESTION FROM LAST WEEK :** *When is Pentecost and what do we celebrate? ANSWER: The Feast of Pentecost is June 4<sup>th</sup> ---50 days after Easter and celebrates the coming of the Holy Spirit to the Church. It is commonly called the birthday of the Church because it's the day on which the apostles first publicly preached the Good News. The Spirit came with signs of wind and flames on Mary and the apostles while they were praying in Jerusalem. This marks the end of the Easter season.*

**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 ASCENSION OF THE LORD MAY 28, 2017

Acts 1:1-11; Ephesians 1:17-23; Matthew 28:16-20.

#### QUESTION FOR ADULTS

What implications do you make for yourself of Christ's command to "Go forth and make disciples of all nations?"

#### QUESTION FOR CHILDREN

What can you do to show you are a disciple of Jesus?

#### ACTION

**IN WHAT WAY WILL YOU USE YOUR BAPTISMAL CALL TO GIVE OF YOUR TIME, TALENT, OR TREASURE TO OUR PARISH? THE PARISH DEPENDS ON YOUR HELP OR IT WON'T EXIST!**

#### Prayer

My dearest Jesus, help me to be a true disciple and to show in my actions that I follow you. Amen



## SJC SCHOOL NEWS

### SPRING SCHOLARSHIP DRIVE



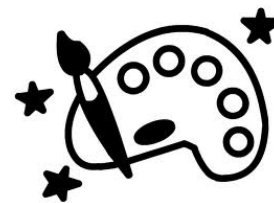
Thank you to the many families who have supported the ANNUAL SCHOLARSHIP APPEAL of our L.I.F.E. ("Legacies In Faith and Education") Program. Each day we are blessed with new donations from our parishioners. Here are our current totals:

	<u>Donations</u>	<u>Goals</u>
<b>•The Caldwell Fund:</b>	<b>\$ 22,022</b>	<b>\$16,000</b>
<b>•The Nick Kelly Fund:</b>	<b>\$ 2,430</b>	<b>\$ 7,800</b>
<b>•The Fr. Leo Rooney Fund:</b>	<b>\$ 6,840</b>	<b>\$10,000</b>
<b>•The Donna Brock Fund:</b>	<b>\$ 5,235</b>	<b>\$ 7,500</b>
<b>TOTALS:</b>	<b>\$36,527</b>	<b>\$41,300</b>

If you are able to help us, 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.

### Dining for Dollars

Thank you for joining us at our May restaurant fundraiser at The Habit!  
We will post our profits soon.



### The Art Show is Coming...

A show displaying the artwork of the SJC students will take place in the Parish Hall on Friday, May 26 8am - 8pm

Parishioners are welcome!

### SJC Class of 2013

Come to a reunion dinner on Tuesday, June 6<sup>th</sup>. Invites and evites, were sent out this week. Please RSVP to Mrs. Mary Ann Kimm at (408) 252-6441 or [development@sjcschool.org](mailto: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.

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 14:5-18; Ps 115:1-4, 15-16;  
Jn 14:21-26  
Tuesday: Acts 14:19-28; Ps 145:10-13ab, 21;  
Jn 14:27-31a  
Wednesday: Acts 15:1-6; Ps 122:1-5; Jn 15:1-8  
Thursday: Acts 15:7-21; Ps 96:1-3, 10; Jn 15:9-11  
Friday: Acts 15:22-31; Ps 57:8-10, 12;  
Jn 15:12-17  
Saturday: Acts 16:1-10; Ps 100:1b-3, 5; Jn 15:18-21  
Sunday: Acts 8:5-8, 14-17; Ps 66:1-7, 16, 20;  
1 Pt 3:15-18 or 1 Pt 4:13-16; Jn 14:15-21  
or Jn 17:1-11a

## Mass Intentions for the Week

May 20	5:00 PM	Vittorio Radaelli (+)
May 21	8:00 AM	Teresa Kabalabala (+)
	9:30 AM	Carl Rodrigues (+)
	11:00 AM	Edgardo Ulpindo (+)
	5:00 PM	Florence Scott (+)
May 22	8:30 AM	Edgardo Ulpindo (+)
May 23	8:30 AM	Barnabus Ladislas (+)
May 24	8:30 AM	Darlene Granera (+)
May 25	8:30 AM	Free Draga (L) & Tony Draga (+)
May 26	8:30 AM	Jennifer Amburn (L)
May 27	8:30 AM	Teresa Kabalabala (+)
	5:00 PM	William Valente (+)
May 28	8:00 AM	Will & McKinley Agee (L)
	9:30 AM	Olivia Gray (+)
	11:00 AM	Totsie Taylor (L) & Peggy Anne Martone (+)
	5:00 PM	Frances Di Mare Matara (+)



### 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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Those who obey the commandments, Jesus says in today's Gospel, are the ones who really love Him. Do my stewardship activities reveal my love for Jesus?

### 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>

### Rotating Shelter will be here at SJC in July!

This is the 25<sup>th</sup> year that St. Joseph of Cupertino has participated in the **Faith in Action Silicon Valley Rotating Shelter** program for homeless men in our area. We will be hosting the shelter once again from **June 30<sup>th</sup> to July 29<sup>th</sup>** in our parish, providing **shelter, food, and assistance for up to 15 men** who are willing and able to work and to regain their independence.

Faith in Action provides professional case management, overnight supervisors, and other supportive services for our clients, including assistance with job and housing searches. The applicants are carefully screened, are drug and alcohol free, and are allowed to stay for a period of up to 90 days, as long as they are in compliance with program requirements and are making progress towards the goal of self-sufficiency and permanent housing. Each month, the shelter "rotates" to a different church or synagogue.

The shelter will be located in our parish hall/school, and we will be asking for your assistance to provide dinners, do shopping for breakfast and lunch materials, and purchase items for hygiene and laundry kits. Quarters for laundry and monetary donations for this very worthy non-profit are greatly needed. We hope you will consider helping the shelter program in some capacity.

Would you like to sign up to bring dinner for 15 men on any of the evenings from June 30<sup>th</sup> to July 28<sup>th</sup>? Don't wait – the meal calendar fills up quickly.

You can contact **Mary Ellen Hennig NOW** to secure a place on the calendar at (408) 255-6382 [fhennig@att.net](mailto:fhennig@att.net) Thank you to all our SJC parishioners who have helped the shelter in past years!!!

**"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)



### Sixth Sunday of Easter May 21, 2017

"I will ask the Father, and he will give you . . . the Spirit of truth."  
— John 14:16-17

**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  
 ([adulter@stjoscup.org](mailto:adulter@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.