

## What is an Endowment?

An endowment is a permanent fund that is created and invested for the benefit of a particular organization or cause. Grants are made only from the investment income earned by the fund. The endowment's capital may never be drawn upon and so it is never depleted. Since endowments are maintained forever, a gift to an endowment is truly a gift that continues forever. Through the endowment, you are providing for future generations. Imagine knowing that because of your decision today, your parish will receive a grant every year, even beyond 100 years from now.

To learn more, please contact Carolina Scipioni at [408.995.5219](tel:408.995.5219) or [scipioni@cfoscc.org](mailto:scipioni@cfoscc.org) at the Catholic Community Foundation. To contribute to your parish's endowment, please follow this link: [giving.cfoscc.org/DonateNow](http://giving.cfoscc.org/DonateNow)

### FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTION

Please join St. Joseph of Cupertino Church parishioners in honoring Mary on the First Saturday Devotion in the Chapel (August 5th) with Rosary at 8:00 AM, Mass at 8:30 AM, and talk with Fr. Athanasius (or devotional prayers) starting at 9:00 AM.

**BOOK WEEK** • book  
• books everywhere  
read • learn by reading  
reading is fun • read  
**Book WEEK**  
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The next Spiritual Book club meeting will be **September 25th** at 7:30p.m. in the Rectory. We will be discussing **The Loneliness and Longing of Saint Francis**, come and join us!



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 group will not meet in August. The next meeting is October 9th from 11AM-1PM.** Please contact Candy Cole at 408-718-6637 if you're interested or have any questions.

**CATHOLICISM 101- QUESTION FROM LAST WEEK: What are the Duties of Catholics? (Precepts of the Church).** ANSWER: 1. To attend Mass 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 days of fast and abstinence. 5. To strengthen and support the Church.

### QUESTION FOR FAMILY DISCUSSION:

What can we do as a family to grow deeper in our faith this summer?



Back to School  
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### ST. JOSEPH OF CUPERTINO PARISH SCHOOL BACK TO SCHOOL UPDATE

St. Joseph of Cupertino Parish School (Preschool through 8<sup>th</sup> grade) re-opens for the 2017-2018 school year on **Thursday, August 17<sup>th</sup>**.

#### School Schedule First Week for Grades K - 8

Thurs. August 17 8:15 a. m. – 11:00 p.m.

Fri. August 18 8:15 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

(Preschool: 7:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.)

Full day sessions (8:15 a.m. - 3p.m.) begin on

- Monday, August 21 for **Grades 1-8**

- Wednesday, August 23 for **Grade K**

(Preschool: 7:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. beginning Aug. 21)

Friday, August 25 is School Picture Day.

Monday, September 4 is Labor Day Holiday.

Applications for the 2017-2018 school year are still available, go to [www.sjschool.org/](http://www.sjschool.org/)



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Going on vacation? We are still counting on you. Please remember your Sunday envelope!



## 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

- AUG. 20** HOSPITALITY AFTER 8, 9:30 & 11AM MASS NEWCOMER WELCOME
- AUG. 27** MEETING FOR RCIA -ANYONE INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC OR COMPLETING INITIATION-CONFIRMATION & EUCHARIST 12:30PM RECTORY
- AUG. 27** MOVIE (TBA) WITH RON HANSEN 2P.M. COMMUNITY CENTER
- SEPT. 15,16,17** CARNIVAL -GAMES, FOOD & AUCTION
- SEPT. 24** PARISH FEAST DAY 11AM MASS RECEPTION FOLLOWING
- OCT. 09** WARM HUGS KNITTING GROUP RESUMES 11AM-1PM COMMUNITY CENTER
- BOOK CLUB** MEETINGS RESUME IN SEPT. CHECK BULLETIN FOR SUGGESTED SUMMER READING
- PRAYER GROUP** MEETS 1ST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH 12-1PM COMMUNITY 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 EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

August 6, 2017

Daniel 79-10, 13-14; 2 Peter 1:16-19; Matthew 17: 1-9.

#### QUESTION FOR ADULTS

To whom could you bring the assurance of Christ's love this week?

#### QUESTION FOR CHILDREN

Do you remember a time when you felt better because someone acted with love?

#### ACTION

DO SOMETHING TO GIVE OF YOURSELF EITHER MONETARILY TO DEFRAY PARISH EXPENSES OR JOIN A PARISH MINISTRY

#### PRAYER

Dearest Lord, you are king over all the earth. May we all peoples proclaim your glory! Amen



## SJC SCHOOL NEWS



Save the date for the 14th Annual Cupertino Carnival Coming September 15th-17th

Sponsorship opportunities are available now, go to [www.sjcschool.org/carnival/sponsorship](http://www.sjcschool.org/carnival/sponsorship) for more details.

### APPLICATIONS FOR THE 2017-2018 SCHOOL YEAR STILL AVAILABLE.

We still have a few openings available in our parish school, and we want to remind you that parishioners receive priority consideration in acceptance procedures and policies. Active parishioners receive the In-Parish/Discounted Tuition Rate and are eligible for financial aid if needed. At this time, we have a few openings in next year's lower grades (in addition, openings sometimes occur during the summer so it is always worthwhile to submit an application). We would love to invite parishioners' children into our student body. Please check out our website at [www.sjcschool.org](http://www.sjcschool.org), call our school office at 408-252-6441, or contact our principal at [michael.lee@sjcschool.org](mailto:michael.lee@sjcschool.org).

### Where do our graduates go from here?

#### To High School:

Bellarmino	21%
King's Acad.	3%
Mitty	29%
Presentation	6%
Public School	26%
St. Francis	15%

#### To College:

- Cal Poly San Luis Obispo
- CSU Sacramento
- Elon
- Fashion Institute of Technology
- Foothill College
- Georgetown Univ.
- Gonzaga
- Loyola Marymount Univ.
- Ohio Northern University
- Oregon State
- Purdue University
- San Diego State University
- Santa Clara Univ.
- SF State
- UC Davis
- UC Irvine
- UC San Diego
- UC Santa Barbara
- Univ. of Minnesota
- University of Nevada Reno
- University of Portland
- University of San Diego
- University of San Francisco
- University of the Pacific
- Villanova
- West Valley



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## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Ex 14:5-18; Ex 15:1bc-6; Mt 12:38-42  
 Tuesday: 2 Cor 4:7-15; Ps 126:1bc-6; Mt 20:20-28  
 Wednesday: Ex 16:1-5, 9-15; Ps 78:18-19, 23-28;  
 Jn 20:1-2, 11-18  
 Thursday: Ex 19:1-2, 9-11, 16-20b; Dn 3:52-56;  
 Mt 13:10-17  
 Friday: Ex 20:1-17; Ps 19:8-11; Mt 13:18-23  
 Saturday: Ex 24:3-8; Ps 34:2-11; Jn 11:19-27 or  
 Lk 10:38-42  
 Sunday: 1 Kgs 3:5, 7-12; Ps 119:57, 72, 76-77,  
 127-130; Rom 8:28-30; Mt 13:44-52  
 [44-46]

## Mass Intentions for the Week

July 22	5:00 PM	Kay Evans (+)
July 23	8:00 AM	Joe Ignatowicz (+)
	9:30 AM	James Michael Scott (+)
	11:00 AM	Domenico Cramarossa (+)
	5:00 PM	Butch Johnson & Joe Souza (+)
July 24	8:30 AM	Ed Tico, Jr. (+)
July 25	8:30 AM	Edgardo Ulpindo (+)
July 26	8:30 AM	Dominique Binh & Mary Le(+)
July 27	8:30 AM	Ancestors of Dominic Luong
July 28	8:30 AM	Robert Dust (+)
July 29	8:30 AM	Clarita Aurelia Munar (+)
	5:00 PM	Christine Brockbank (L)
July 30	8:00 AM	Francisco Alolong (+)
	9:30 AM	Emilio & Rosita Guttadauro (+)
	11:00 AM	Giovanni & Graziella Longo (+)
	5:00 PM	Adrian Elich (+)



### 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 are just must be kind," says today's first reading. If our words and deeds are kind and selfless, we will be like the good seed in the Gospel parable and gathered as wheat in the Lord's harvest. How have I shown my kindness this week?

### 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).

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### TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

For centuries, the only Eucharistic Prayer we heard as Western Catholics was the old Roman Canon, usually recited in a low voice by the priest, in Latin. By the 1940s, many Catholics were learning to follow along with the actions of the priest by means of a bilingual missal, with Latin on one side and English on the other. Drawings of the priest's position at the altar, moving from one side to the other, or bowing or standing with uplifted hands at the center, helped the readers stay on track.

The Roman Canon is a long prayer, and since it was done every day for every occasion, priests had a way of galloping through it. Even though long, its structure is fairly simple, with the consecration and sacrifice clearly marked out. Sadly, this surviving prayer had triumphed over many treasures of our tradition that emphasized other dimensions of Eucharist. The *Constitution on the Sacred Liturgy* in 1963 did not call directly for new Eucharistic Prayers, but that direction was inevitable. Discussion began almost immediately, and by 1967 the Vatican approved three new Eucharistic Prayers. In 1974, the Congregation for Worship unveiled the experiment of two Eucharistic Prayers for Masses of Reconciliation, and three for Masses with Children. At last, a period of creativity and enrichment had begun.

### Parish Bereavement Ministers' 6-week Training Series

The ministry of consolation depends on faith, compassion and prayerful presence. It becomes more effective when there is understanding of the grief process, practices of effective communication, and knowledge of varied models of consolation programs. Participants will engage in an established course of study with opportunities to learn, share and practice elements of this ministry that enhance skills and resources. Parish staff and volunteers are invited to participate in this 6 week series. Learn more about ministering to those who are mourning Facilitator: Kathy Fanger — Kathy Fanger is the Parish Outreach Coordinator for Catholic Cemeteries in the Diocese of San Jose. She has facilitated support sessions for parish staff/parishioners and is delighted to be teaching this six session course on creating and sustaining a ministry in Parish Bereavement Ministry. Thursdays, Aug. 17, 24, 31 - Sept. 14, 21, 28 (make-up session for one missed class is Oct. 12) 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm The Chancery - St. Joseph Conference Room 1150 N. First Street, Ste. 100, San Jose, CA 95112

**"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](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**

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Organist –(408) 996-9352.....Lothar Bandermann

Outreach.....Dick Sherman

Pastoral Associate – x30.....Janice LaMotte  
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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.