

My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord!
THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY
A HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION

August 15, 2017

Masses: Monday, August 14, 7 P.M.;
Tuesday, August 15, 6:30 & 9 A.M., 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 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 OF THE WEEK:
What are the Gifts of the Holy Spirit?

There will be **no Grief Support** in August.

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!

Catholic Charities of California
 Invites you on a Pilgrimage

Join us for pilgrimages to Italy (Via Francigena), Spain (Camino de Santiago), and Greece (Footsteps of St. Paul) in 2017 and 2018. These pilgrimages will promise to be one of the most spiritual experiences of your life and give you the chance to support programs that serve Californians in need! We have limited spaces available! To sign up or for more information, contact us at Pilgrim@CatholicCharitiesCA.org, or call (916) 706-1539

ST. JOSEPH OF CUPERTINO PARISH SCHOOL
WELCOME WAGON SOCIAL
FOR NEW SCHOOL FAMILIES

St. Joseph of Cupertino Parish School would like to extend a special invitation to all of our Kindergarten and new school families for the 2017-18 school year to meet one another and their Welcome Wagon Host "buddy" families at a summer social:

St. Joseph of Cupertino School
 Saturday, August 12th
 10:30am-12pm

Refreshments will be served outside the Extended Care room.
 We hope you can join us!

Please RSVP by Friday, August 4th to:
 Mary Ann Kimm, Development Director
 Email: development@sjcschool.org
 Phone: (408) 252-6441

And for those starting in our Junior Jaguars Preschool program, our Preschool Meet and Greet is on Saturday, August 12th at 10 a.m.



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

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





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
- AUG. 27 MASS NEWCOMER WELCOME 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. 23 WORKSHOP ON DIVORCE & SEPARATED—LARRY COMPAGNONI MFCC FACILITATING 10-12 PM COMMUNITY CENTER REPEATED: TUESDAY SEPT. 28TH 7-8:30 PM
- SEPT. 24 PARISH FEAST DAY 11AM MASS RECEPTION FOLLOWING -SEE FLYERS IN THE VESTIBULE AND OUTSIDE THE CHAPEL
- OCT. 09 WARM HUGS KNITTING GROUP RESUMES 11AM-1PM COMMUNITY CENTER
- BOOK CLUB MEETINGS RESUME IN SEPT. CHECK BULLETIN FOR SUGGESTED SUMMER READING
- PRAYER MEETS 1ST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH 12-1PM COMMUNITY CENTER

BE BETTER PREPARED FOR NEXT WEEK'S MASS THE NINETEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME August 13, 2017

2 Kings 4:8-11, 14-16; Romans 8:9, 11-13; Matthew 11: 25-30.

QUESTION FOR ADULTS

When have you doubted God's loving care for you?

QUESTION FOR CHILDREN

What helps you keep trying even when you are afraid?

ACTION

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

Dear Jesus, help me to spread Thy fragrance everywhere I go. Flood my soul with Thy spirit and love. . . Amen
(excerpt from prayer of St. Theresa of Calcutta)



SJC SCHOOL NEWS



Save the Date for the 14th Annual Cupertino Carnival coming September 15th – 17th

Advanced Tickets go on sale, August 19th.



Back to School

ST. JOSEPH OF CUPERTINO PARISH SCHOOL BACK TO SCHOOL UPDATE

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

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.sjcschool.org/

Married Couples: Would you like to relive the excitement, romance and passion from your honeymoon? Rekindle that spark on a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next Marriage Encounter Weekend is November 10-12, 2017 in San Jose. For more information visit our website at: sanjosewwme.org or contact Ken & Claranne at applications@sanjosewwme.org or 408-782-1413.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Nm 11:4b-15; Ps 81:12-17; Mt 14:13-21
 Tuesday: Nm 12:1-13; Ps 51:3-7, 12-13;
 Mt 14:22-36 or Mt 15:1-2, 10-14
 Wednesday: Nm 13:1-2, 25 — 14:1, 26-29a, 34-35;
 Ps 106:6-7ab, 13-14, 21-23; Mt 15:21-28
 Thursday: 2 Cor 9:6-10; Ps 112:1-2, 5-9;
 Jn 12:24-26
 Friday: Dt 4:32-40; Ps 77:12-16, 21; Mt 16:24-28
 Saturday: Dt 6:4-13; Ps 18:2-4, 47, 51; Mt 17:14-20
 Sunday: 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-13a; Ps 85:9-14;
 Rom 9:1-5; Mt 14:22-33

Mass Intentions for the Week

Aug 05	5:00 PM	Raynah & Naren Prabhu (+)
Aug 06	8:00 AM	John, Margaret & Nick Mardesich (+)
	9:30 AM	Jude & Leilani Batino & Family (L)
	11:00 AM	Francois & Mary Ma (+)
	5:00 PM	Rosalie Worthey (+)
Aug 07	8:30 AM	Anna Biskupski (+)
Aug 08	8:30 AM	Kimberly Nuestro (+)
Aug 09	8:30 AM	Rich Kawashima (L)
Aug 10	8:30 AM	Maria Lorenza Bailon (L)
Aug 11	8:30 AM	Kimberly Nuestro (+)
Aug 12	8:30 AM	Albert Saenz (+)
	5:00 PM	Krista Jane Thomas (L)
Aug 13	8:00 AM	Elvira Bailon (+)
	9:30 AM	Darlene Granera (+)
	11:00 AM	Albert Fabilli (+)
	5:00 PM	Robert T. Huettl (+)



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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Today we celebrate the Transfiguration of the Lord – a day to fully realize how great is His glory. But while Jesus shared this vision with His disciples, he came down to the people as He was, a model of humility. Do we model this humility in our lives?

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>

MOM'S GROUP: One of our Mom's groups focuses on getting together at a park for play time and

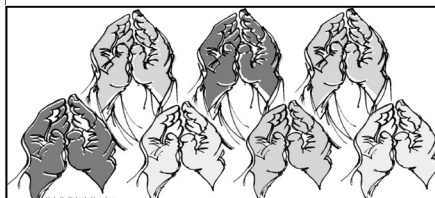
DID YOU KNOW? It takes a lot to keep the Church open and active? In gratitude for having a place of worship, perhaps you could reflect during the summer how you could be a more active member of our parish family by giving of your time, talent, and especially at this trying time, your treasure!

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

As the Latin Mass evolved in the first six centuries, the central prayer, what the Greeks called the *anaphora* and what we call today the Eucharistic Prayer, became fairly standard almost everywhere in the West. What we now know as Eucharistic Prayer I, or the Roman Canon, took a complex shape, not at all like the fluid and spontaneous prayers of early Rome, but a real architectural construction.

The city of Rome was in a terrible condition by that time, and a series of political upheavals, plagues, and invasions swept through. Not much of Rome's former glory was left standing, except for the pope, who became a symbol of protection and hope for the troubled people. The structures of law and administration were swept away in the chaos, and the pope gradually assumed authority to restore and maintain order. Soon, the public liturgy of Rome became the city's only glory. The Romans wanted "good order" not only in their civic life, but in their liturgy. One prayer, increasingly enriched by music (although when the music tried to overtake the prayer the pope banned musical instruments entirely) was the new rule of the day. That one prayer, the Roman Canon, was solidly in place when the first liturgical book we have, the Leonine Sacramentary of 540, was compiled.

"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)*



The Transfiguration of the Lord August 6, 2017

The heavens proclaim his justice; all peoples see his glory.
 — Psalm 97:6

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 **website**. All requests are welcome & confidential.

**St. Joseph of Cupertino
 Staff Information**

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Hospital Ministry - x26.....Rev. Edsil Ortiz
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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/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.