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# Women of St. Joseph

MAY 2014



## President's Message

April Showers bring May Flowers!! How is your garden looking? I've got lots of strawberries, lots of daisies and LOTs of roses. I hope you are enjoying the warm weather, I sure am!

This month we are looking for board members—anyone want to nominate someone or step up yourself and become a member?? Nominations will be at this month's meeting, so let us know if you or someone else is interested.

Thank you to all for the wonderful desserts you provided for the Easter Vigil reception. As usual, it was really beautiful. If you have never been to an Easter Vigil, I really recommend that you make an effort next year to see it.

We have some good events happening in the next couple of months and I hope you can come to them. If there is something you think we might all be interested in, please let me know!

Hugs and Blessings to you,

**Sherry Dunn**  
President

**UPCOMING MEETINGS & EVENTS--- Mark Your Calendars!**

<b>May 20<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Board Meeting</b> 6:30pm Church Hall <b>General Meeting</b> 7:30pm Church Hall  Nominations for upcoming year. Speaker: Mariam Keller, upcoming voter issues.
<b>June 17<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Board Meeting</b> 6:30pm Church Hall <b>General Meeting</b> 7:30pm Church Hall  Installation for new/old board members. POTLUCK



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Membership

### **Membership Notes**

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Those ladies that have not yet paid the June 2013 - June 2014, please send a check to Diana Skokan. The dues still remain at \$20 for the entire year, which is from June 1 to May 31, according to the by-laws.

Financial contribution by joining the WOSJ is valued; to support the WOSJ's various charities, events; even though the member may not be able to actively participate.



### **Helping Hands**

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If you know anyone that would like to attend our meetings and/or events but needs transportation, please contact Liz Hormel (656-8495). She will arrange for one of our members to assist in having the need met. Also, let Liz know of anyone needing help from WOSJ.

### **Women of St. Joseph polo shirts**

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Sherry has WOSJ polo shirts, if you would like to purchase one. The prices are according to size: S-XL: \$16.75, 2XL: \$20.01, 3XL: \$23.28, 4XL: \$26.54.



**SAVE THE DATE:**



### **#1 Wine Tasting**

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**Sunday, June 1<sup>st</sup>**

Wineries will be chosen and details to emerge later. All will be informed.



### **#2 Picnic in the Park**

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**Sunday, July 20<sup>th</sup>**

Our 4<sup>th</sup> annual Picnic in the Park will be held at the Quarry Lakes Osprey Park again this year. It is a really beautiful park with lots of parking and easy access to the picnic area.

# How It Went

**Master Gardener, Nancy Dorighi**

Our very own Nancy Dorighi spoke on Smart Gardening and drought tolerant alternatives to your garden. After her talk, she took us out to her garden and showed us her drought tolerant garden. Thank you, Nancy.



*Happy Birthday!*



Happy Birthday to those born in May

Stephens Adrienne	5/5	Picard Patricia	5/24
Murata Debi	5/14	Petrie Ann	5/25
Benya Dorothy	5/20		

# Spiritual Corner

## In the Silence of Our Prayer

Time is the possession we prize  
From the moment we arise.  
Do we spend it with family and friends  
Or use it to our own ends...  
Hurrying from morning to night,  
Days filled with noise and light,  
Rushing through life at fast pace,  
Never seeking to find God's grace.  
We should take life part by part,  
Listen to the feelings within our heart,  
Move through life with more care,  
Find God on the wings of prayer,  
Take time in our busy days  
Just by stopping, to praise,  
Thanking God for blessings, big and small,  
For our lives, for it all,  
Giving thanks, day by day,  
Whatever may come our way,  
Finding comfort knowing God's there  
In the silence of our prayer.

Jacqui Richardson

Salesian Inspirational Books

Nancy Newman  
Spiritual Chairperson

Use this to REGISTER or UPDATE OUR RECORD

Mail to this slip and a check for \$20 payable to "Women of St. Joseph" to:  
**Diana Skokan 1355 Jacklin Rd. Milpitas, CA 95035**  
or bring to the next meeting.

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