

Office of Parish Services

## Sunday Catholic Masses Serving the Deaf of the Diocese of San Jose

## 2015

We invite the deaf and their families to the Sunday Masses celebrated in American Sign Language or are sign language interpreted.

"It is very important for me that the Deaf Community in the Diocese of San Jose is able to experience the mystery of God's love through both Word and Eucharist, and that you can be built up into a living community of faith within our local Church."

- Bishop Patrick J. McGrath

• **ASL Mass,** Saint Lawrence Parish Hall (1971 St. Lawrence Drive, Santa Clara, CA 95051) on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays of each month at 6:30 pm: Sept. 20, Oct 4 and 18 (Note the mass on Oct. 18 will be held in the church at 6:00pm with a sign language interpreter), Nov. 1 and 15, December 6 and 20. Father Paul Zirimenya, a deaf priest, will be the celebrant of this Mass in American Sign Language with English voice interpretation.



• **Spanish Mass (Misa en español)-** Sign language interpreted, Cathedral Basilica of Saint Joseph (80 South Market Street, San Jose, CA, 95113) on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays of each month at 1:00 pm.



Note: If you or someone you know needs a sign language interpreter for a diocesan or parish liturgy, we will do our best to provide this service. Please call Wendy Scherbart, Director of Catechetical Ministry, at the Office for Parish Services at 408-983-0138 or <a href="mailto:scherbart@dsj.org">scherbart@dsj.org</a> to make your request well in advance of the liturgy.