

# GATEWAY SMALL GROUPS

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**“Small groups are for everyone. They are an opportunity to make friends and grow together in Christ in a real, practical way. There are various kinds of groups to choose from according to your desire or need. If you don’t find something you like, we’ll help you start your own.”**

**Pastor John Headley  
Small Groups Director**

*Acts 2:42 (The Message) “They committed themselves to the teaching of the apostles, the life together, the common meal and the prayers.”*

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*\*Small Group information is subject to change. Please see all Small Groups available at GateWay on our website: [www.gccsj.com](http://www.gccsj.com)*

# GEOGRAPHIC & FAMILY GROUPS

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## **ADULTS ONLY GROUPS**

### ***Small Group - Central San Jose***

Lindell & Mae Bennett 408.267.5787

**Wednesday @ 7:00pm**

1840 Robin Drive, San Jose 95124

### **Description:**

A time to discuss the message, share, praise & pray. This group has the first Wednesday of each month off.

### ***Small Group - Morgan Hill/Gilroy***

Paul & Marsha Nelson 408.712.3291

**Wednesday @ 7:15pm**

16615 Del Monte Avenue, Morgan Hill 95037

### **Description:**

Adult fellowship for singles and married couples. A time to discuss the message, share, praise & prayer.

### ***Small Group - San Jose***

John & Venita Etheridge 408.269.0099

**Wednesday @ 7:00pm**

553 Hyde Park, San Jose 95136

### **Description:**

Fellowship for singles & couples. This is a time to discuss the message, share, praise & prayer.

### ***Las Casitas - Vietnamese Small Group***

David & Deborah Le 408.727.5268

**Thursday @ 7:30pm**

650 North Jackson Avenue #7, San Jose 95133

### **Description:**

Do you need any healing in your life, body, soul and spirit? Then come and check us out!

### ***Small Group - Los Gatos***

Ed & Margaret Trambley 408.453.1247

**Tuesdays @ 7:00pm**

14961 Natalye Road, Los Gatos 95030

### **Description:**

We meet to fellowship, praise & prayer.

### ***Small Group - San Jose***

Rick & Deb Smelser

408.225.0706 or [ddsrgrs@comcast.net](mailto:ddsrgrs@comcast.net)

**1st & 3rd Wednesday @ 7:30pm**

1133 Thorntree Place, San Jose 95120-1746

### **Description:**

Worship, prayer, fellowship, and community for all ages.

**Adults only, please!**

### ***Small Group - San Jose***

Rick & DiAnn Beatty

408.561.1957 or [diann.beatty@kp.org](mailto:diann.beatty@kp.org)

**Wednesday @ 7:00pm**

6547 Leyland Park Drive, San Jose 95120

### **Description:**

This is a time of fellowship, Instructive DVD's and prayer.

### ***Grow Together - San Jose***

Tess McClendon

408.365.1659 or 408.600.5174 or [tessmc@pacbell.net](mailto:tessmc@pacbell.net)

**Tuesday @ 6:00pm**

774 River View Drive, San Jose 95111

### **Description:**

Filipino/American adults come together to grow in the word of God. Come lets worship, study, pray & fellowship.

### ***Empty Nesters - San Jose***

Lloyd Coleman

408.377.3447 or [llyodcoleman1988@comcast.net](mailto:llyodcoleman1988@comcast.net)

**Tuesday @ 7:00pm**

1988 Assunta Way, San Jose 95124

### **Description:**

We are focused on making the church intimate & personal for our members as we learn & grow in our relationship in Christ.

# GEOGRAPHIC & FAMILY GROUPS *(continued)*

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## *ADULTS ONLY GROUPS (cont.)*

### ***Small Group - Milpitas***

Joe & Ernestine Lopez  
408.262.4857 or [jlopez8581@sbcglobal.net](mailto:jlopez8581@sbcglobal.net)  
**Every other Wednesday @ 7:00pm**  
1916 Everglades Drive Milpitas, 95035

### **Description:**

Fellowship, study & application of God's word; praise, prayer, & ministry to one another through the gifts of the Holy Spirit.

### ***Hospitality Small Group***

Jerri Mills & Connie Morrison  
408.281.7900x319 or [mills.jerri@gmail.com](mailto:mills.jerri@gmail.com)  
**2nd Wednesday of the month @ 6:30pm**  
7678 Helmsdale Drive, San Jose 95135

### **Description:**

We discuss hospitality planning for GCC. We encourage & pray for one another; and have fun cooking activities, as well as creative décor projects.

## ***CHILDREN INCLUDED GROUPS***

### ***Family Small Group - Milpitas***

Raul Fuentes 408.600.6111  
**Wednesday @ 7:00pm**  
1001 South Main Street # R102, Milpitas 95035

### **Description:**

Everyone welcome! Come and enjoy an uplifting time of worship, fellowship & the word of God.

### ***Family Small Group - South San Jose/Morgan Hill***

Michael & India Graef  
408.218.4662 or [Indiegliss@gmail.com](mailto:Indiegliss@gmail.com)  
**1st Sunday @ 4:30pm**  
Call/Email for location

### **Description:**

Couples with young children are invited to come & be refreshed through fellowship, Bible discussions, praise & prayer. Join us for social gatherings throughout the year.

### ***Spanish Bilingual Family Small Group***

Martin & Vicky Macias  
408.332.1135  
**Wednesday @ 7:00pm**  
480 N. 10th Street, San Jose 95112

### **Description:**

This is a family Spanish bilingual small group. Everyone is welcome! Come & enjoy an uplifting time of worship, fellowship & the word of God.

### ***"Mommy & Me" Family Small Group***

Ruth Cline  
408.693.7722 or [crmacchiato@hotmail.com](mailto:crmacchiato@hotmail.com)  
**3rd Friday @ 12:00pm**  
Call/Email for location

### **Description:**

Mothers & children coming together to enjoy life and fellowship. See [www.familygroups.webs.com](http://www.familygroups.webs.com)

### ***"Women of Faith"***

Grace Bocanegra  
408.545.8842 or [gracie.velasquez@yahoo.com](mailto:gracie.velasquez@yahoo.com)  
**Thursday @ 7:00pm**  
14942 Rhonda Drive, San Jose 95124

### **Description:**

We gather & share the Word! We meet on alternate Thursday's. We go out in the Great Commission, loving people.

# AGE BASED / GENERATIONAL GROUP

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## **CHILDREN - Nursery through 5th Grade**

### ***Kids Zone***

#### ***Nursery (birth –Age 2)***

Children's Ministry, Kathy King-Director  
408.281.7900x311 or kathyk@gccsj.com  
**Sundays @ 9:00/11:00am, Room 103**

#### ***Preschool (Age 3)***

Children's Ministry  
408.281.7900x311 or kathyk@gccsj.com  
**Sundays @ 9:00/11:00am, Room 101**

#### ***Kindergarten (Ages 4, 5, & 6)***

Children's Ministry  
408.281.7900x311 or kathyk@gccsj.com  
**Sundays @ 9:00/11:00am, Room 102**

#### ***Kid City (1st -5th Grade)***

Children's Ministry, Natalie DeAmicis-Administrator  
408.281.7900x310 or natalied@gccsj.com  
**Sundays @ 9:00/11:00am, Kid City**

#### **Description:**

Loving & caring ministry to GateWay's infants & toddlers. The Children's Ministry is a 'parent co-op'!

#### **Description:**

Loving & caring ministry to GateWay's toddlers & preschoolers. The Children's Ministry is a 'parent co-op'!

#### **Description:**

Loving & caring ministry to GateWay's preschoolers & kindergarteners. The Children's Ministry is a 'parent co-op'!

#### **Description:**

Loving & caring ministry to GateWay's elementary students. The Children's Ministry is a 'parent co-op'!

## **JR HIGH & HIGH SCHOOL**

### ***Reality Sunday***

Pastor Albert Castaneda  
408.281.7900x307 or albertc@gccsj.com  
**2nd & last Sunday - 11:00am service only!**  
GCC - Reality Center

#### **Description:**

A Sunday morning service for all Jr. High & High School students. You'll be glad you got out of bed for this one!

### ***Reality Jr. High Sunday***

Pastor Albert Castaneda  
408.281.7900x307 or albertc@gccsj.com  
**1st & 3rd Sunday**  
GCC - Reality Center

#### **Description:**

Exclusive service for all Jr. High (6-8 grades). Come have fun, & experience the Word of God!

### ***Reality Wednesday Night Live***

Pastor Albert Castaneda  
408.281.7900x307 or albertc@gccsj.com  
**Wednesdays @ 7:00pm**  
GCC - Reality Center

#### **Description:**

A live service for Jr. High & High school students with a live band, videos, food, teaching & more!

### ***Bernal Jr. High Outreach***

Pastor Albert Castaneda  
408.281.7900x307 or albertc@gccsj.com  
**Wednesdays @ 2:00pm, now through June 2011**  
6610 San Ignacio Avenue, San Jose 95119

#### **Description:**

We reach out to our community by sharing God's love, making disciples & building relationships at Bernal Intermediate School.

# AGE BASED / GENERATIONAL GROUP *(continued)*

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## **COLLEGE & YOUNG ADULTS**

### ***LIFT Café***

Shaun Middlebush  
408.309.1279 or shaun@themagraphix.com  
**Wednesdays @ 9:00pm**  
GCC - Café

### **Description:**

Non-traditional! Open mic, poetry etc. & coffee from our Cafe. It's an outlet to reach the community

### ***THINK, The Critical Thinking & Discussion Forum***

John Newton  
408.592.8011 or johnkos@verizon.net  
**1st Tuesday of the month @ 7:30pm**  
GCC - Café

### **Description:**

We addresses issues & topics in our world with Biblical insight. A supportive environment to address the hard questions.

### ***LIFT Girl's Discipleship Group***

Zoe O'Connor  
831.207.9090 or gi\_zoe@hotmail.com  
**Saturdays @ 9am**  
LifeHouse, 4810 Corte' de Avellano, San Jose 95136

### **Description:**

A place for the college ladies to get together, building relationship with God & learning His Word.

### ***LIFT Men's Discipleship Group***

Greg Fyfe  
530.306.7879 or gfyf9@hotmail.com  
**Saturdays @ 9:00am**  
FireHouse, 79 E. Humboldt Street, San Jose 95112

### **Description:**

We go over spiritual, emotional & all areas of life. Casual setting, open to guys who want to press into God.

### ***LIFT Prayer***

April Bernal  
408.637.3904 or Aprilb\_2290@yahoo.com  
**Meets 1st & 3rd Monday @ LifeHouse**  
LifeHouse, 4810 Corte' de Avellano, San Jose 95136

### **Description:**

Come join us at the LifeHouse to pray for protection over the LIFT vision & leaders, as well as the advancement & growth for the college age ministries.

### ***LIFT Shooters/Mixed Martial Arts***

"Shooters Freestyle Academy"  
Beau Bunac 408.839.6726 or beaubunac@yahoo.com  
**Mondays, Tuesdays, & Thursdays 6:30-8:30pm**  
GateWay Marital Arts Room

### **Description:**

Christian based mixed martial arts. Train and learn with a competitive team in a fun, safe, & competitive environment.

### ***LIFT Worship***

Pastor Mike Brock  
408.281.7900x305 or mikeb@gccsj.com  
**Monthly, Friday's @ 8pm**  
GCC - Café

### **Description:**

An encounter with the Holy Spirit in worship & intercession for justice using the arts to glorify God.

## **SENIORS**

### ***Prime Ministers***

Bill & Joyce Dunn  
408.293.2783 or wb6flb@yahoo.com  
**1st Sunday @ 12:45pm**  
GCC - Room 201

### **Description:**

We are over 55, like to eat, and love to have fellowship. Come join us!  
We meet monthly.

# OUTREACH GROUPS

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## ***Baldwin Elementary Outreach***

Ruth Thompson

**Tuesday's @ 1:00pm , through June 2011**

280 Martinvale Lane, San Jose 95119

## ***Bernal Jr. High Outreach***

Pastor Albert Castaneda

408.281.7900x307 or [albertc@gccsj.com](mailto:albertc@gccsj.com)

**Wednesdays @ 2:00pm, through June 2011**

6610 San Ignacio Avenue, San Jose 95119

## ***Crestwood Outreach***

Mary Hernandez

408.257.2263

**Tuesdays @ 6:45pm**

Crestwood Behavioral Health Center,  
1425 Fruitdale Avenue, San Jose 95128

## ***GateWay Kicks***

Head Instructor - Zack Headley

408.830.7421 or [john@gccsj.com](mailto:john@gccsj.com) or [zackheadley@yahoo.com](mailto:zackheadley@yahoo.com)

**Tuesday & Thursday's**

**5:30 - 6:15pm (5-7 yr olds) & 6:15 - 7:00pm (8-14 yr olds)**

GCC-Marital Arts Room

## ***Kick Start***

Head Instructor - Zack Headley

408.830.7421 or [john@gccsj.com](mailto:john@gccsj.com) or [zackheadley@yahoo.com](mailto:zackheadley@yahoo.com)

**Tuesday & Thursday @ 7:00pm**

GCC-Marital Arts Room

## ***Sound Mind Ministry***

Roger & Mary Hernandez 408.257.2263

**Sundays – before & after service**

7411 Rainbow Drive #12, Cupertino 95014

## ***Visitation***

Bill & Joyce Dunn

408.293.2783 or [wb6flb@yahoo.com](mailto:wb6flb@yahoo.com)

**Saturdays (some weekdays)**

355 Race Street # 426, San Jose 95126

## ***Evangelism***

Marcia Crawford

408.931.0270 or [xoxomarcia2005@yahoo.com](mailto:xoxomarcia2005@yahoo.com)

**Monthly on Monday**

720 Glenburry Way, San Jose 95123

## ***Nehemiah's Guard***

John Etheridge

408.891.4933

**(meets as needed)**

## **Description:**

This is a once a week after school bible club in which GateWay members reach out to the children at Baldwin.

## **Description:**

We reach out to our community by sharing God's love, making disciples & building relationships at Bernal Intermediate School.

## **Description:**

We offer Bible studies, worship music with lyrics for sing-along, & create crafts to remember Bible topics.

## **Description:**

Martial Arts training with Christian principles. Learn self-defense, respect for others, and achieve goals. Classes are certified.

**\$55 monthly fee.**

## **Description:**

This is an adult class. Women will learn self defense and all will be trained in martial arts.

**\$55.00 monthly fee.**

## **Description:**

We pick up people from the half-way houses & drive them to church; take them out to lunch & then home.

## **Description:**

We visit people in homes, hospitals, & convalescent homes. We also visit the elderly.

## **Description:**

Evangelizing our community through Treasure Hunts. A book will be read to prepare us & we will apply what we learn.

## **Description:**

A group that helps people with light auto & home repair, etc.

# OUTREACH GROUPS *(continued)*

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## ***GCO/GATEWAY COMMUNITY OUTREACH***

### ***Compassion Ministry***

Ruth Thompson

408.926.1093 or Ruth49er@pacbell.net

Please call for dates & serving our Community

### **Description:**

A ministry team focused on serving the needs of our community during Easter, Back to School; Backpack-Give-Away, Thanksgiving Food-Drive, & Christmas Toy-Give-Away.

### ***Inn Vision/Feeding the Homeless***

Nora Smith

408.564.7665 or mrs\_norasmith@yahoo.com

**Every 4th Sat of each month**

### **Description:**

Monthly homeless feeding at InnVision in downtown San Jose.

# PASTORAL GROWTH GROUPS

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## ***IMPACT! School of Ministry***

Pastor Gary Avila  
408.281.7900x317 or gary@gccsj.com

**Tuesday @ 6:30pm**

GCC - Multi Purpose Room

**Term II Dates:** present-March 8, 2011

**Term III Dates:** March 22-May 17, 2011

### **Description:**

Impact! is a 2 year, Bible & ministry training school of sound doctrine & practical aspects of victorious Christian living.

## ***Water Baptisms & Basics***

Pastor Gary Avila  
408.281.7900x317 or gary@gccsj.com

**GCC - 9:00am, Room 201**

**Dates:** June 12 & October 9, 2011

### **Description:**

Required class for Water Baptism. Biblical teaching on Water Baptism.

## ***Baptism of the Holy Spirit***

Pastor Gary Avila  
408.281.7900x317 or gary@gccsj.com

**GCC - 9:00am, Room 201**

**Dates:** June 26 & October 16, 2011

### **Description:**

Teaching on the Baptism of the Holy Spirit & ministry to receive prayer language.

## ***Lay Pastor Training***

Pastor John Headley  
408.281.7900x321 or john@gccsj.com

**GCC - Call for dates, time & location**

### **Description:**

Small Group leadership training. Call for time & place.

## ***Prophetic Prayer Forum***

Pastor Ellen Laitinen  
408.281.7900x316 or www.EllenLaitinen.org

**3rd Sunday @ 6:00pm**

GCC

### **Description:**

All those who are interested in learning how to flow in prophetic intercession are welcome.

## ***Be Married For Life***

Pastors Brad & Kathy Easter  
408.281.7900x303 or brade@gccsj.com  
GCC-Café

### **Description:**

Interested in enriching your marriage? Come join us for 2 sessions covering 7 topics on your marriage relationship, communications, intimacy, etc.

## ***Living Waters***

Pastors David & Deborah Le  
408.281.7900x329 or livingwaters@gccsj.com

**Sunday's @ 9:00am,**

GCC Multi Purpose Room

### **Description:**

Our Vietnamese Sunday service meets weekly for praise & worship, and preaching of God's word.

# PRAYER GROUPS

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## **GIDEON'S PRAYER ARMY GROUPS**

### ***Apostolic Prayer Shield***

Laura Pedota  
408.229.0603 or victory122@sbcglobal.net  
**Email update only**

### **Description:**

Dedicated to pray for Apostle & Sister C, as they travel & minister internationally.

### ***Apostolic Prayer Team***

Laura Pedota  
408.229.0603 or victory122@sbcglobal.net  
**Tuesdays @ 7:00pm monthly**  
5293 Country Oak Court, San Jose 95136

### **Description:**

Meets monthly to pray for the personal & ministry needs of Apostle & Sister C.

### ***Cleansing Stream Prayer Team***

Joy Young  
408.612.8258 or graigjoy@pacbell.net  
**3rd Saturday @ 9:00am, monthly**  
GCC - Multi Purpose Room

### **Description:**

On-going prayer for the effectiveness of the Cleansing Stream ministry at GateWay.

### ***Family Prayer Shield***

Marsha & Paul Nelson  
408.846.6854 or marshmlw50@sbcglobal.net  
**Tuesdays @ 7:00pm, twice a month**  
1310 Welburn Ave, Gilroy 95020

### **Description:**

We pray for GCC families, as well as singles, who are needing immediate & on-going prayer.

### ***GateWay to Justice Prayer Team***

Geri Nave 408.280.1100 or gerinave@yahoo.com  
**Mondays @ 7:00pm, monthly**  
704 Palm Haven Ave, San Jose 95125

### **Description:**

We are watching & praying for the on-going justice issues concerning human trafficking.

### ***Gideon's Prayer Army***

Pastor Ellen Laitinen  
408.281.7900x316 or ellenl@gccsj.com  
**2nd Saturday of the month @ 8:15am**

### **Description:**

The Gideon's Army leadership meets monthly as a Prayer Council.

### ***Global Intercession Team***

Jan Keeney  
408.227.6026 or jankeeney@mac.com  
**3rd Sunday @ 1:30pm**  
1620 East St. James Street, San Jose 95116

### **Description:**

We pray for the on-going needs of the church plants & ministry affiliates.

### ***Israel & National Elections Prayer Team***

Arlene Meador  
408.268.3720 or ameador@ix.netcom.com  
**2nd & 4th Mondays @ 7:00pm**  
6474 Mojave Drive, San Jose 95128

### **Description:**

We are committed to praying for the peace of Jerusalem, as well as on-going prayer concerns for the United States.

### ***LIFT Prayer Shield***

April Bernal  
408.637.3904 or Aprilv\_2290@yahoo.com  
**Meets Bi-monthly**

### **Description:**

We pray for protection over the LIFT vision & leaders, as well as advancement & growth for the college age ministries.

# PRAYER GROUPS *(continued)*

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## ***Pastoral Prayer Shield***

Nancy Olson  
408.356.0192 or njolson2@flash.net  
**Monthly Updates**

## ***Prayer Chain***

Gloria Joy  
408.866.4311 or gloriajoy122o@sbcglobal.net  
**Email Updates**

## ***Pre-Service Prayer***

Pastor Ellen Laitinen  
408.281.7900x316 or ellenl@gccsj.com  
**8:45am - 8:55am - in the TV Room**  
**10:45am - 10:55am - in the upstairs Prayer Room**

## ***Prophetic Intercession Team***

Pastor Ellen Laitinen  
408.281.7900x316 or ellenl@gccsj.com  
**3rd Sunday of the month @ 4:45pm**  
GCC Multi Purpose Room

## ***Sanctuary Prayer Team***

Dory Pieters  
408.269.2827  
**Sunday @ GCC during AM services**

## ***Together in Marketplace Prayer***

Rick & DiAnn Beatty  
408.561.1957 or rickanddiann@att.net  
**Tuesday @ 6:30am**  
GCC - Café

## ***The Lazarus Project Prayer Shield***

Albert & Carol Ramirez  
408.270.4622 or albramir@cisco.com  
**Call or email for more info**

## ***Youth Revival Prayer Team***

Mary Hernandez & Carol Ramirez  
408.226.0100 or barbaraemcds@aol.com  
**1st & 3rd Saturday @ 8:15am**  
GCC - Prayer Room

## ***SPECIAL INTEREST PRAYER GROUPS***

### ***Woman 2 Woman Prayer Team***

Rita Wilson  
408.395.1301 or rjgrita@aol.com  
**1st & 3rd Monday @ 10:00am**  
14961 Natalye Road, Monte Sereno 95030

### **Description:**

The Prayer Shield is made up of teams of intercessors dedicated to cover our pastoral teams in prayer.

### **Description:**

For emergency prayer requests, we have seven teams of prayer warriors ready to pray for these special requests.

### **Description:**

All are welcome to join and pray before each of the two morning services!

### **Description:**

This team prays protection over the pastoral staff and for the church vision.

### **Description:**

Intercessors who pray for Sunday morning services.

### **Description:**

A prayer team that meets to pray for the effectiveness of ministry in the Marketplace.

### **Description:**

We pray for on-going needs for The Lazarus Project, a ministry who serves those who are victims of domestic violence & abuse.

### **Description:**

A team focused on praying for the protection & revival of our Santa Clara County school campuses.

### **Description:**

This team prays to support Women's Ministry and each other.

# SERVICE GROUPS

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## ***Altar Workers***

Larry & Rita Wilson  
408.395.1301 or lhowilson@verizon.net  
**Sunday Services**  
GCC

## **Description:**

We pray for & minister to people who come to the altar for prayer or salvation.

## ***Worship Team***

Nicole Avila  
408.281.7900x309 or nicolea@gccsj.com  
**Rehearsal: Thursday's @ 7:00pm**  
**Ministry Sundays @ 8:00am**  
GCC Worship Lounge & Sanctuary

## **Description:**

We meet at GCC to rehearse, pray & worship. We'd love to have you as a part of our team.

## ***Greeters***

Pastor Brad Easter  
408.281.7900x303 or brade@gccsj.com  
**Sunday Services**  
GCC

## **Description:**

We greet those who walk through the doors for various meetings including Sunday services, etc.

## ***Cleansing Discipleship***

Graig & Joy Young  
408.225.8006 or GraigJoy@Pacbell.net  
**3rd Saturday @ 9am**  
GCC - Multi Purpose Room

## **Description:**

Prerequisite: Cleansing Stream teaching. Team building & prayer to be healed & set free.

## ***Ushers***

Pastor Gary Avila  
408.281.7900x317 or gary@gccsj.com  
**Sundays**

## **Description:**

Prepare for service, seat people, offerings, & serve communion.

## ***GateWay Security Team***

Pastor Gary Avila  
408.281.7900x317 or gary@gccsj.com  
**Sunday Services, 9/11am & Special Events**

## **Description:**

This special team serves as part of the Usher's Ministry to oversee all worship services, children's ministry, and parking lot.

## ***GateWay Television Ministry***

Brent & Candi Jenkins  
408.842.1390 or brent@bethelproductions.com  
**As needed**

## **Description:**

GTV helps w/the video taping of GCC services. (Training provided)

## ***IT/Computer Team***

John Etheridge  
408.269.0099 or johne@gccsj.com  
**Saturdays**

## **Description:**

This team helps by maintaining & expanding GCC's network, computers & media systems.

## ***Media Team***

Mike Brock  
408.281.7900x305 or mikeb@gccsj.com  
**Sundays**

## **Description:**

Join this important team and run sound, videos, & slides for worship.

## SERVICE GROUPS *(continued)*

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### ***Hospitality***

Jerri Mills & Connie Morrison  
408.281.7900x319 or mills.jerri@gmail.com

**2nd Wednesday of the month**

7678 Helmsdale Drive, San Jose 95135

### **Description:**

We coordinate hospitality services for the event needs of the Pastoral Team.

### ***GateWay Counselors***

Diane Martinez  
408.971.8402 or d.martinez2008@comcast.net

**Call for Date & Time**

### **Description:**

Ongoing training, support & administration for those who do peer counseling @ GateWay.

### ***GateWay Voices (Choir)***

Nicole Avila  
408.281.7900x309 or nicolea@gccsj.com

**Meets as needed for special events**

### **Description:**

Come worship the Lord with your voice. All ages welcome. Please call for an audition

### ***Reality Music***

Nicole Avila  
408.281.7900x309 or nicolea@gccsj.com

**Wednesdays @ 4:30pm**

GCC - Reality Youth Center

### **Description:**

Junior & Senior High worship team; singers, musicians, and tech's welcome.

### ***Men's Ministry Leadership Team***

(Shoulder 2 Shoulder)

Pastor Gary Avila  
408.281.7900 or gary@gccsj.com

**2nd Saturday @ 8:30am**

GCC - Conference Room

### **Description:**

This group meets to pray, plan and execute men's activities & events for GateWay.

### ***Woman 2 Woman - Leadership Team/Events***

Kathy Cannistraci, Director  
408.281.7900x304 or kathy@gccsj.com

**Meets As Needed**

### **Description:**

This group meets to pray, plan and execute women's activities & events at GateWay.

# SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS

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## **MEN'S GROUPS**

### ***Men of Steel/Sons of Thunder***

Jon Mills & Todd Denny 408.972.2586

**Thursday @ 7:00pm**

5823 Rohn Way, San Jose 95123

### **Description:**

A place where men can grow as a disciple and be trained as a leader to gain victory in ALL areas.

### ***Men's Ministry Leadership Team***

Pastor Gary Avila

408.281.7900x317

**2nd Saturday @ 8:30am**

GCC - Conference Room

### **Description:**

Shoulder 2 Shoulder meets monthly to plan men's events and activities.

### ***Man in the Mirror***

Tim Appleby

408.930.6281 or topapple@aol.com

**2nd & 4th Thursday @ 7:00-8:30pm**

4707 Corrales Drive, San Jose 95136

### **Description:**

Men's group for discipleship. Current Study: "9 Things You Simply Must Do-To Succeed in Love & Life," by Dr. Henry Cloud.

### ***Men's Softball Teams***

Pastor Albert Castaneda

408.281.7900x307

**Monday @ 6:30 - 9:00pm**

Twin Creeks, 969 East Caribbean Drive, Sunnyvale 94089

### **Description:**

Great time for fellowship playing softball! Various competition levels for all players. (Spring, Summer & Fall)

## **WOMEN'S GROUPS**

### ***Women's Leadership Team***

Kathy Cannistraci, Directory

408.281.7900x304 or Kathy@gccsj.com

**Meets As Needed**

### **Description:**

This group meets to pray, plan & execute women's activities & events at GateWay.

### ***"Women of Faith"***

Grace Bocanegra

408.545.8842 or grace.velasquez@yahoo.com

**Thursdays @ 7:00pm**

14942 Rhonda Drive, San Jose 95124

### **Description:**

We come together & share the Word! Alternate Thursdays we go out in the Great Commission to hospitals & jails, praying & loving people.

### ***Women's Bible Study AM/PM***

Colleen Brown 408.981.3753 or cbrown\_1@carter.net

**Thursdays @ 9:30am & 7:00pm**

GateWay Multi Purpose Room

**Cost: \$30.00 includes all class supplies**

### **Description:**

"Living Beyond Yourself" by Beth Moore. A study on the Fruit of the Spirit. Jan. 27—April 14, 2011  
*Childcare provided for the AM class only.*

### ***"Mommy & Me" Family Small Group***

Ruth Cline

408.693.7722 or crmacchiato@hotmail.com

**3rd Friday @ 12:00pm**

Call or email for dates and location

### **Description:**

Mothers/children coming together to enjoy life and fellowship. See [www.familygroups.webs.com](http://www.familygroups.webs.com)

## SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS *(continued)*

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### **OTHER SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS**

#### ***Adult Literacy Tutoring***

Doug Hawes  
408.857.3167 or dhawes@yahoo.com

**By appointment**

#### **Description:**

We offer one-on-one, & small group literacy tutoring for GCC members. Easy-to-read translation.

#### ***Christian Writer's Fellowship***

Christine Hagion Rzepka  
408.225.2381 or C\_Hagion@yahoo.com

**2nd Monday of the Month @ 7:00pm**

510 Saddlebrook Drive, San Jose 95136

#### **Description:**

Regardless of what you're writing, you'll find encouragement here. We'll support you as you embrace the call of God to write for His glory.

#### ***Coffee, Conversations and Connections***

Heather Hendry  
408.644.7195 or h2faro@gmail.com

**3rd Saturday @ 7 - 9:00 pm**

GCC Café

#### **Description:**

Singles, between the ages of 35-50 never married, divorced and widowed. (if you are going through a divorce, your divorce must be legally final before joining the group)

#### ***CROSS Motorcycle Ministry Club***

Martin & Vicky Macias  
408.332.1135

**Please call for details, we ride monthly**

#### **Description:**

Motorcycle riders & non-riders getting together for monthly local rides & ministry. Got a bike? Want to join us? Let's go!

#### ***GateWay Kicks***

Head Instructor - Zack Headley  
408.830.7421 or john@gccsj.com or zachheadley@yahoo.com

**Tuesday & Thursday**

**5:30pm (ages 5-7) 6:15pm (ages 8-14)**

GateWay Martial Arts Room

#### **Description:**

Martial Arts training with Christian principles. Learn self-defense, respect for others, & achieve goals  
**Classes certified. \$55 monthly fee.**

#### ***GateWay to Justice***

Charlie & Geri Nave  
408.280.1100 or gerinave@yahoo.com

**2nd Monday of the month @ 7:00 pm**

704 Palm Haven Avenue, San Jose 95125

#### **Description:**

For those interested in the abolition of human trafficking.

#### ***Kick Start***

Head Instructor - Zack Headley  
408.830.7421 or john@gccsj.com or zachheadley@yahoo.com

**Tuesday & Thursday @ 7:00pm**

GateWay Community Center

#### **Description:**

This is an adult class. Women will learn self defense and all will be trained in martial arts. **\$55.00 monthly fee.**

## SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS *(continued)*

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### *OTHER SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS*

#### ***Licensed Ministers***

Pastor Brad Easter  
408.281.7900x303 or brade@gccsj.com

**Meetings, TBA**

#### **Description:**

This is a fellowship for all licensed ministers at GCC. We eat, fellowship, & pray for each other.

#### ***SPLASH (Supporting Hope In Women)***

Linda Evans  
408.354.4369 or levans@lgcs.org

**Call for date & time**

#### **Description:**

Focusing on single moms. We come together for prayer & fellowship. Children welcome.

# SUPPORT & RECOVERY GROUP

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## ***The Lazarus Project***

Christine Hagion-Rzepka  
408.225.2381 or C\_Hagion@yahoo.com  
www.ResurrectingHope.org

## ***Cleansing Stream Ministry***

Jim & Lou Codromac  
408.252.6261 or jesslin7@yahoo.com

**Now through April 2011**

GCC Multi Purpose Room

## ***S.A.R.A.H.* (Sexual Abuse Recovery And Healing)**

Diane Martinez & Venita Etheridge  
408.971.8402 or d.martinez2008@comcast.net

**Tuesdays @ 6:30pm, please call for location**

## ***Biblical Counseling***

Diane Martinez, Jcounseling Coordinator  
408.694.0691 or d.martinez2008@Comcast.net

**Call for an appointment**

## ***S.O.S. for Men***

Ted Joy  
408.866.4311 or imagesbyTed@comcast.net

**Call/Email for Dates & Time**

## ***Celebrate Recovery***

Lloyd Coleman  
408.772.3410 or lloyd@tlmrealityinc.com

**Thursdays @ 7:00pm**

GCC - Room 201/202

## **Description:**

Resurrecting hope for victims of family violence.

**CONFIDENTIALITY ASSURED**

## **Description:**

Finding freedom from the root causes of pain, conflict & responses that effect our life & those around us.

## **Description:**

This is for women who have been sexually abused both emotionally and physically. We seek the Holy Spirit as we pursue healing & wholeness.

## **Description:**

This is a free service to help connect individuals and families to their freedom in Christ.

## **Description:**

Sinful Offenses Stopped! This is an accountability group for healing and deliverance of sexual related issues.

## **Description:**

Helping people recover from their hurts, hang-ups, and habits including alcohol and drug dependencies using a faith based 12 step program.







## EMAIL YOUR PASTORS & STAFF!

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