



st. cecilia church  
lagunitas

# 19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## August 12, 2007

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<b>Mass Schedule:</b>	Sundays	at St. Cecilia's	9:30 a.m.
		at St. Mary's	11:15 a.m.
	Weekdays	at St. Cecilia's	8 a.m. (Mon. Wed. Fri.)
		at St. Mary's	8 a.m. (Thur.)
<b>Confessions:</b>	Sundays	at St. Cecilia's	9 to 9:25 a.m.

Gospel: Luke 12:32-40

The Gospel continues the instruction about possessions from last week's Gospel of the rich man and his full barns. This time the setting is from an eschatological context dealing with specific guidance on how one can act responsibly with possessions. The section of Luke images a wedding feast and the master returning, and his servants are prepared for him. The master is delighted at their watchfulness, that he actually joins them and becomes a servant also. Faith, and all of life is lived in the expectation of the Son's return. The time of the arrival is unknown, but the coming is sure. The meaning of possessions, wealth, is understood in the anticipation of the master's return. Therefore, one has to have an attitude of the understanding and the meaning of wealth concerning the end times. Luke is saying, we will have to give an account to God of how we used what we have been given in this world.



White 40 yrs. Congratulations & Celebrations!

### Mass Intentions: Week of August 12, 2007

Sunday	9:30 a.m.	.....	Lois Guerrero +
Sunday	11:15 a.m.	.....	Pearl Holm. Homer Drady
Monday	8 a.m.	.....	Rachelle Yarber
Wednesday	7 p.m.	.....	Rachelle Yarber
Thursday	8 a.m.	.....	Vi Nesler
Friday	8 a.m.	.....	Lois Guerrero +

### From the Pew

Congratulations to our marriage anniversarians: Bill & Pat White, 40 years witnessing to living with love.

Kitty Forstner wishes to thank all those who volunteered their time helping her relocate from Lagunitas to San Benicio last weekend: Guido & Carol, Art, George & Ginny, Kenielly, John Beckerley, and Fr. O'. In appreciation for their generosity, a contribution towards the fountain at St. Cecilia's has been offered. We wish Kitty all the luck with her new community and look forward to seeing her return to us numerous times.

Feast Day of the Assumption, this Wednesday, August 15, is a Holy Day of Obligation. Our Mass time will be at 7 p.m. in the evening at St. Cecilia's parish. There will be no 8:00 a.m. Mass that morning.

Parish picnic is today, from 3 p.m. to When-the-Beer-and-Fun-Runs-Out. See you on the lawn. John Beckerley is the Chef Supremo. His gallant assistant, still searching for. All complaints, refers to Grace Farley.

Many thanks to Margaret Farley and her cohorts for taking the kids to Santa Cruz Boardwalk last Friday. They had a great time. I wish I could have been there myself except for an act of God.

Every one likes the idea of building a library for our parishes. Every two months, a book shall be purchased. If you have a preference or recommendation, let me know.

Coming January 2008, there will be three vacancies on the Parish Council. Keep in mind who you might like representing you on the Parish Council.

Home Masses for any homes who might like to host an outreach to neighbors. Congratulations to Chelsea and Bernardino, both baptized last week.

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<b>Last week's collections:</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> Coll.	2 <sup>nd</sup> Coll*
St. Cecilia's, Lagunitas...	\$ 1,442.00	\$718.00
St. Mary's, Nicasio ...	\$ 675.20	
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$ 2,117.20</b>	

\* 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection for St. Cecilia's fountain fund.

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"Do not be satisfied with what you understand about God. Nourish yourself instead on what you do not understand about Him. The less one understands, the closer one gets to Him." St. John of the Cross