



st. cecilia church
lagunitas

33RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

November 18, 2007

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Mass Schedule:	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.)
Confessions:	Sundays	at St. Cecilia's	9 to 9:25 a.m.

Gospel: Luke 21:5-19

There have been many preachers who have claimed to their followers that they know the end of the world is arriving. Jesus himself warned us against such nonsense. He even furthered the point by stating he knew not himself. It was Jesus way of telling his disciples, concentrate on God in this world, and not on what God is planning for the end times.

Therefore, Catholic theology is we do not know when, where, why, and how the end times occur. Jesus does not want us worry about such matters that do not concern us.



Blessing of the Hounds
at St. Mary's, Nicasio, November 10, 2007

Mass Intentions: Week of November 18, 2007

Sunday	9:30 a.m.	.....	Souls of Lupe Residence
Sunday	11:15 a.m.	.....	Rosario Francisco
Monday	8 a.m.	.....	Nina Miraglia
Wednesday	8 a.m.	.....	Agnes & James Boyle +
Thursday	10 a.m. **	.....	John Lawson +

From the Pew

The Ecumenical Thanksgiving Service today at St. Cecilia's, 4 p.m. Parishioners attending are asked to bring to the table non-perishable food or donations to be used for the poor for their Thanksgiving dinner. During the service, you will be asked to bring your gifts to the table. We also ask that you bring desserts for the community celebration after the service. Since we are the host faith community for this year, I am hoping we have a good attendance.

The Valley is asking our parishes for a team of volunteers to do nine meals for seniors the 4th Wednesday of the month. If there is an interest to help, we could use our kitchen at St. Cecilia's for the cooking. The Valley would like to know by December if we can form a team. This is definitely a good outreach to the broader Valley community.

Thanks to Mike Stephens for trimming the trees at St. Cecilia's. Also a big thank you for the ladies who cleaned up St. Cecilia's Church and Hall last Wednesday.

The Marin Irish Club is having their Christmas Party at Smith Ranch, December 1st, 6 p.m. cocktail, 7 p.m. dinner. Contact Tom Egan at 898-8527. For the Marin Irish, this begins the spirit of Christmas.

The Parish's Christmas Party, December 14th, is in need for setup and cleanup leaders. Otherwise the function under the chairmanship of Ginny Kerbs is up and running for a great evening.

Reno Fun Train Trip. March 4th to 6th, 2008. Those who wish to join the parishes on this vacation, a \$20 deposit by Nov. 30th. Even though this is a good way down the road, the booking early gives us a cheaper rate. Book your seat now. Contact Ginny (St. Cecilia's) 488-9694; Kathy (St. Mary's), 662-2057. Book now.

Last week's collections:

St. Cecilia's, Lagunitas	.....	\$1,425.00
St. Mary's, Nicasio	.....	\$ 271.00
Total:	.....	<u>\$ 1,696.00</u>



"Working for God on earth does not pay much, but his retirement plan is out of this world."

