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# FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

March 21, 2010

Mission of St. Cecilia's & St. Mary's

To be Nurtured by Christ's Word, Supported by a Faith Loving Community, and to Serve the Needs of Others as Called to Minister.

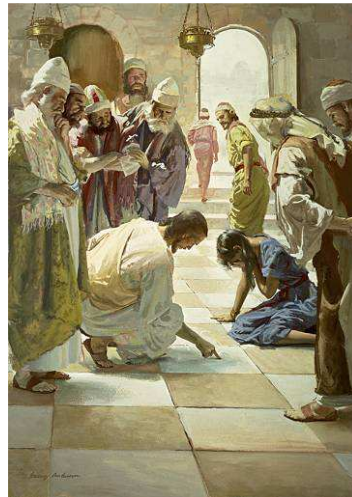


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Mass Schedule	Sundays	at St. Cecilia's	9:30 a.m.
		at St. Mary's	11:15 a.m.
	Weekdays	at St. Cecilia's	8 a.m. (Mon. Wed. Fri.)
		at St. Mary's	8 a.m. (Thur.)
Confessions	Sundays	at St. Cecilia's	9 to 9:25 a.m.

Gospel: John 8:1-11

My favorite Gospel. Jesus breaks cultural traditions, religious Judaic traditions and political laws and throws it all to the four winds. How more courageous can you be than that. The law is too extreme, not a reasonable sentence, it is prejudiced against one gender, women whom men are to protect and the punishment is an abomination to God's will. He is not interested in murdering women, leaving orphans behind. His only interest is - sin no more.



Mass Intentions: Week of March 21, 2010

Sunday	9:30 a.m.	...	Patricia Lawson
Sunday	11:15 a.m.	...	James Tongo
Monday	8 a.m.	...	Brigid Lynch
Wednesday	8 a.m.	...	Kitty Forstner
Thursday	8 a.m.	...	Christina Whalen
Friday	8 a.m.	...	Jean Daly

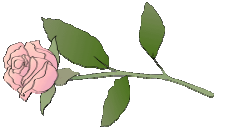


Lenten series: Thursday, March 25<sup>th</sup>:

- 8:30 a.m. to 7 p.m. - All-Day Holy Hour at St. Cecilia's Church
- 7:15 p.m. - Sister M. Gervaise Valpey, O.P., President Emerita of San Domenico School, San Anselmo, will speak to us on the long history of Catholic education, its role and the spirituality behind why the Catholic Church is into education, more than any other faith in the world. St. Cecilia's parish hall.



✠ Our beloved Patricia Lawson passed away to meet her Maker Friday Monday. She will be greatly missed.



Our prayers go with Hilary Stock. Her sister Brigid Lynch passed away in Ireland.

St. Mary's Palm Sunday Brunch, Sunday, March 28<sup>th</sup>. All Masses are at St. Mary's that day, 9:30 a.m. & 11:15 a.m. Support the annual fund raising for our historical St. Mary's Church by having brunch at the Druid's Hall, Nicasio. Enjoy country style cooking with our famous fizzes, champagne. Raffle & silent auction. Brunch serves from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

St. Cecilia's fountain has arrived! Ground breaking will commence after Easter.

Anyone interested in the St. Patrick's Seminary Tour, let Fr. O' know.

Marin Hunger Walk, today, Sunday, March 21<sup>st</sup>, 2:30 p.m. starting at St. Vincent de Paul Dinning Room, San Rafael. Donations welcome. Feel free to join the walk.

Chrism Mass, March 30<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 p.m. at St. Mary's Cathedral. All parishioners are welcome to attend. The archbishop will bless Sacred Chrism, oil of the sick and oil of the catechumens - oils for sacramental use throughout the archdiocese in the coming year.

St. Anthony Foundation's Free Clothing Program desperately in need of clothing. Locations to drop off donations: at 8th & Mission, or 150 Golden Gate Ave. To organize a clothing drive, contact Ty Hilkert, 592-2801, email: [thilkert@stanthonysf.org](mailto:thilkert@stanthonysf.org)

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Year of the Priests: Remembering Fr. Revocat Galimbare, Italy, outspoken priest on social issues, murdered in his monastery by four men dressed as policemen.

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Last Week's Collections:

St. Cecilia's, Lagunitas	\$ 595.00
St. Mary's, Nicasio	\$ 361.00
Total:	\$ 956.00

<u>2010 Archbishop Annual Appeal</u>	
St. Cecilia	\$ 3,095 (55% of \$5,600)
St. Mary	\$ 1,150 (23% of \$5,000)

Donations received as of 3-14-2010



"Goodbyes are not forever. Goodbyes are not the end. They simply mean I'll miss you. Until we meet again!"

... to Patricia Lawson