



st. cecilia church  
lagunitas

# ✠ FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT March 18, 2012

## Mission Statement 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.

+ St. Joseph Church, Magdalena, Colombia (sister parish) +



st. mary church  
nicasio

Mass	Sundays	at St. Cecilia's	9:30 a.m.
	Weekdays	at St. Mary's	11:15 a.m.
		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.

John 3 : 14 - 21

John's Gospel reflects on Christ's Divinity, or Christ's Light, which is,

His Integrity shows up Falseness.

His Peace shows up Conflicts,

His Generosity shows up Selfishness,

His Love shows up Hatred,

His Goodness shows up Badness.

We should not be afraid of His paths but delight in His ways.



Visiting the Cistercian Monastery Church & Chapter House



Monks praying breviary



Irish tri-color



## From the Pew

Thursday, March 22<sup>nd</sup>, during the **24-Hour Adoration** at St. Cecilia's, an exact replica of Our Lady of Guadalupe will be in the church (sponsored by Knights of Columbus).

**Fire inspection** at St. Cecilia's parish compliant with state codes.

**St. Cecilia/St. Mary Parish Retreat**, Saturday, March 24<sup>th</sup> at St. Cecilia's Parish Hall. 9:30 – 4. For info/sign up, contact Kathleen Mullen, 971-6466.

### Saturday, March 24, 2012

- 9:30 a.m. ... Gathering time
- 10 a.m. 1<sup>st</sup> Session - God Revealed to Us
- 11 a.m. 2<sup>nd</sup> Session - Meeting God Every Day
- 12:15 p.m. ... LUNCH
- 1:30 p.m. 3<sup>rd</sup> Session - What Would Jesus Do
- 2:30 p.m. 4<sup>th</sup> Session - Meeting Jesus in Scripture
- 3:15 p.m. ... Closing Prayer

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Parishioners who have items to donate for the auction and raffle of St. Mary's Palm Sunday Brunch, contact Margaret Farley.

2<sup>nd</sup> Collection this week is for the Archdiocese's Catholic Relief Services.

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### Last Sunday's Collections:

St. Cecilia's, Lagunitas	....	\$ 567.06
St. Mary's, Nicasio	....	\$ 595.00
Total:	....	\$ 1,162.06



"God Calls, the Devil Drives."

## Lenten & Parish Events

- ✦ Thur. 3/22 ... 24-Hour Adoration
- ✦ Sat. 3/24 ... Parish Retreat
- ✦ Sun. 4/1 ... Palm Sunday Brunch
- ✦ Thur. 4/5 ... Holy Thursday, 7:15p @ SC
- ✦ Fri. 4/6 ... Good Friday, 5:30p @ SM
- ✦ Sat. 4/7 ... Easter Vigil, 7:15p @ SC
- ✦ Sun. 4/8 ... EASTER

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Parish Panama Cruise, 4/15-4/29

We bid farewell to Gloria Lafranchi who passed away last week. A long time resident of Nicasio. May she rest in peace. Her funeral is tentatively this Friday at Olema.



## Universal Church

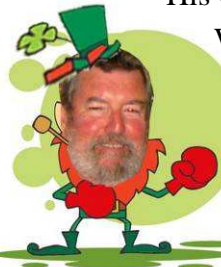
Pope Benedict XVI beginning October 21, 2012 as the **Year of Faith**. It will be the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the opening of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Vatican Council. The Pope is expected to write an Encyclical on Faith during the Year of Faith.

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Congratulations to Kathleen Mullen, her son is admitted to the Postgraduate Study at Yale's.



Parish Trip to Vina, March 14<sup>th</sup> - 16<sup>th</sup>



Thanks Mike Stephens and his team, Mike Cunnie, Ginny Kerbs, Suzanne O'Toole and all the volunteers for organizing this year's St. Pat's Function. Special thanks to the musicians and performers for a wonderful evening.

### Mass Intentions: Week of March 18, 2012

Sunday	9:30 a.m.	...
Sunday	11:15 a.m.	... Spike Drady
Wednesday	8 a.m.	...
Thursday	8 a.m.	... Gloria Lafranchi +
Friday	8 a.m.	...

\*\* No Mass Monday.