



st. cecilia church
lagunitas

† THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

November 17, 2013

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. mary church
nicasio

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

Mass	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.

Luke 21 : 5 - 19

When Luke was writing his Gospel, the destruction of the temple in Jerusalem has already taken place. Christ's words have come true. When Christ was crucified, it was to wipe him off of future history, but he rose and remains. The temple never rose again after its destruction. It remains in ashes whereas Christ is alive today, tomorrow, and forever.



Valley Ecumenical Thanksgiving.
Next Sunday, 4 p.m. at St. Cecilia's

Bring – for the Poor	Bring – for the Event

Mass Intentions: Week of November 17, 2013

Sunday	9:30 a.m.	... deRutte Family
Sunday	11:15 a.m.	... All Souls Remembrance
Monday	8 a.m.	... Bonnie deRutte
Friday	8 a.m.	... Doug Stiles
Saturday	10 a.m.	... Souls in Purgatory

*** No Mass Wednesday, Thursday.
Friday Mass at St. Mary's.

St. Mary's Catechism Class is collecting warm coats and socks to distribute to the needy at St. Vincent de Paul Dining Room, San Rafael in Christmas. Drop off your donations at St. Mary's or at the Rectory.



From the Pew:

November, Month of All Souls.

To remember our loved ones and dear friends passed on, we ask parishioners to place poems, photos, notes by the sanctuary to share thoughts and prayers.



Ecumenical Thanksgiving Service, Sun, November 24th, 4 p.m. at St. Cecilia. Bring non-perishable food or cheques (made payable to SGVCC) to the service, which will be placed on the table in the sanctuary. We also need parishioners to bring finger food, appetizers, or desserts for the event. Please indicate on the sign-up sheets at the church what you are bringing.

Choir Practice, today 10:20 a.m. at SC.

Confirmation Class, Thur. November 21st, 7:30 p.m. at the Rectory.

Padre Pio Mass, Sat. Nov. 23rd, 10 a.m.

2nd Collection next week is for the ADSF's Campaign for Human Development.

A special Collection on Dec. 1st will be taken up for Catholic Relief Service – Philippine Typhoon.

Tour of St. Joseph's Cathedral, San Jose, December 4th – 5th. This is an overnight outing. Interested call Fr. O', (415) 488-9799. Tour is Thursday, December 5th, 10:15 a.m.

Parish Christmas Party, Sat. December 7th. This year, the Mothersills take charge of the kitchen. Keep your evening free and bring friends and neighbors. 6 p.m. cocktail, 7 dinner, 7:45 entertainments and slide show of the year that was 2013.

Last Week's Collections:

St. Cecilia's, Lagunitas	\$ 431.10
St. Mary's, Nicasio	\$ 535.00
Total:		\$ 966.10



"If it was not always thus it need not always be thus." ... Brian Tierney

Upcoming Parish Events

November - Month of All Souls

★ 11/24, Sun. ... Hosting Interfaith Thanksgiving

December - Advent

★ 12/4-12/5 ... Tour of San Jose Cathedral

★ 12/7, Sat. ... Christmas Party

★ 12/12, Thu. ... Book Review "Vatican II"

★ 12/14, Sat. ... 9 Hours Adoration

★ 12/15, Sun. ... St. Mary's Christmas Concert

★ 12/24, Tue. ... Christmas Eve at St. Mary's

★ 12/25, Wed ... Christmas Day Mass at St. Cecilia's

For events & updates, visit <http://www.stcecilia-lagunitas.org>.

Pope Francis in his own words (Part 5)

What about the role of women in the Church?

Women are asking deep questions that must be addressed. Women are essential to the Church. The feminine genius is needed wherever we make important decisions. The Church still lacks a profound theology of women.

Where is the Church for the Poor?

Francis wants a Church of the poor and for the poor. A Church to be reckoned within public life, not because of any power it has but because of the credibility it stands for.



Many monks and nuns, cloistered communities, support their way of life through a network of goods available for purchase to the general public. From retreat centers, to wine, beer, brandy; to jams, honey, coffee, book binding; even caskets, chocolate, cheese, etc. If you wish to support monks and nuns labors by purchasing their goods, check online at www.monasterygreetings.com.