



st. cecilia church  
lagunitas



# ALL SOULS November 2, 2014

## 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) +



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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.

John 6 : 37 – 40

The Church has one month, November in the liturgical year devoted to prayer for our deceased. Why November? Because it is fall and nature around us is dying with long dark days ahead. As most human beings realized that we are not Saints, we need prayers in this life for salvation, so also in the life hereafter.



### Mass Intentions: Week of November 2, 2014

Sunday	9:30 a.m.	... Helen Felling
Sunday	11:15 a.m.	... Jean Daly, RIP
Monday	8 a.m.	... Shannon deRutte
Wednesday	8 a.m.	... Padre Pio Group
Thursday	8 a.m.	... Michael deRutte
Friday	8 a.m.	... S.D.M.



### From the Pew



**November, Month of All Souls.** Bring photos & memorabilia of loved ones, who passed on, to place at the Sanctuary.

**Ecumenical Thanksgiving Service, Sun.,** November 23<sup>rd</sup>, 4 p.m. This year the Jewish congregation chairs the event at SGVCC.

### Parish Council Meeting

October 16, 2014

1. Parish should invite wedding couples and baptism families back to some parish events;
2. Francine Cunnie has accepted to do FOCCUS for marriage preparations for the parish;
3. Parish legal audit by dioceses is Nov 5, 2014. Margaret Farley is working on this and has done a great job on this;
4. National Shrine Our Lady is visiting SF in June 2015. We are applying for a visit to one of our communities;
5. In memory of Mary Anne Kolanoski, St. Cecilia is considering a bench in the garden in her honor.

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**Parish Picnic.** Thanks to Mike Cunnie, Mike Stephens, Tom Stephens, Corey Dallara, Victor Khomin for the work in the last Picnic of 2014. A wonderful time was had by one and all. We do love our picnics.

**West Marin Senior Services** needs help delivering meals (M/F). If you can do it once a month or more, contact Chloe Cook, 640-7442.

**Marin Pregnancy Clinic** could use some more nurses, also maternity & infant clothing. For information, contact Robin Strom, 892-0558.

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### Last Week's Collections:

St. Cecilia's, Lagunitas	....	\$ 476.10
St. Mary's, Nicasio	....	\$ 554.25
Total:		<u>\$1,030.35</u>



"To succeed in life, you need three things. A wishbone, a backbone, and a funny bone."

### Upcoming Parish Events

**November** – Month of All Souls

- ★ t-b-d (Thu) ... "Earth Habitat" - Review part2
- ★ 11/23 (Sun) ... Interfaith Thanksgiving Service

**December**

- ★ 12/6 (Sat) ... Christmas Party
- ★ 12/8 (Sat) ... Immaculate Conception, Holy Day
- ★ 12/14 (Sun) ... St. Mary's Christmas Concert
- ★ 12/24 (Wed) ... Christmas Eve
- ★ 12/25 (Thur) ... Christmas, Holy Day

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

### Universal Church

The Synod called by Pope Francis has been focusing on the forces pressuring the family today. It viewed technology, media, relativism, individualism, irreligiousness, secularism, work, fear of commitments, cohabitation, divorce, confusion over definition of what marriage is; identity, shape, clarity. Nations who no longer make policies with any eye to enhancing family strength, and permeability, the notion nothing has permanence, everything can be cast away. One time family was 1<sup>st</sup> in life, now its 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>. The loss of extended family in towns, cities because of relocating cannot be ignored.

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### By the Percent

	Protestants	Catholics
- Allowing prayer in public school	77%	57%
- At Graduations	89%	78%
- Religion in public facilities	85%	66%

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