



st. cecilia church  
lagunitas

# THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## November 8, 2015

### 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.

Mark 12 : 38 - 44

The generosity of heart is not measured by the amount of money contributed to the coffer, but the goodness that is in one's heart that enables one to contribute.



Padre Pio Mass. Coffee social. Bid farewell to the Wiltangers



Halloween at Nicasio



### "Why do I go to Mass"

- The readings remind me of how Jesus wants me to live. My community motivates me, how we support each other in the good times and difficult times.

... Cia Donahue

~ Share your thoughts. Send to Fr. O' ~

### From the Pew

November, Month of All Souls. Bring to church photos or memorabilia of your loved ones who had passed on. Parishioners' prayers and intentions be upon them during the month.

Welcome **Marisele Ochoa** to our faith community. She was baptized at SC last Sunday.

### Parish Council, October 29, 2015 recap:

- Parish picnic in October will begin at 1 p.m. next year because of cooler weather
- Josh & Sarah will be asked if they can do the parish Christmas party this year
- Homeless dinners, a decision to be made whether we do only women or only men
- New co-signors for parish accounts with Bank of America in the process of being finalized based on diocese's auditor recommendation
- Jane Mothersill to paint 4 paintings for St. Mary's on themes of Jesus' life
- Six teenagers in the 2-year confirmation program.

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**MIAC All-Souls Mass & Breakfast**, this Friday, November 13<sup>th</sup>, 10 a.m. at St. Cecilia's. All are invited to the Mass & breakfast.

**Marin Deanery Meeting**, Nov 12<sup>th</sup>, 10 a.m. at St. Sebastian's. Anyone interested are welcome.

**SG Valley Interfaith Thanksgiving**, Sunday, November 22<sup>nd</sup>, 4 p.m. this year at the Presbyterian Church. Donations for the poor. All are encouraged to attend this ecumenical event.

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**St. Sebastian's Art & Craft Fair**, Sat. Nov. 14<sup>th</sup>, 9:30 – 4:30. Table setup available.

**Reboot Live!** w/**Chris Stefanick** & music Jon Niven, Nov. 19<sup>th</sup>, 7 p.m. – 9 at St. Isabella.

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### Last Week's Collection:

St. Cecilia's, Lagunitas	....	\$ 864.00
St. Mary's, Nicasio	....	\$ 438.00
Total:		<u>\$ 1,302.00</u>



"A life is not important unless the impact it has on other lives."

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### Upcoming Parish Events



#### November – Month of All Souls

- 11/13 ... MIAC All Souls Mass 10 a.m.
- 11/22 ... Valley Interfaith Thanksgiving, 4 p.m.

#### December

- 12/2-3 ... Tour of Santa Clara Mission
- 12/5 ... Christmas Party
- 12/8 ... Immaculate Conception Feast Day
- 12/10 ... 9-Hr. Adoration
- 12/10 ... Parish Book of the Year Discussion (p2)
- 12/13 ... St. Mary's Christmas Concert

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

### National Church

A Survey shows today young adults are picky about selecting parishes. Your parish church is no longer a guarantee. What they want is

- Feel of welcoming (valued)
- Good preaching
- Good music
- Community & Activities
- Social works

In a hectic bewildering world, they are looking for fellowship, safety, acceptance and truth.

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### Supreme Court 2016 Cases Scheduled

(Part 1 of 2) Death Penalty, Free Speech, Affirmative Action, State Water Rights, Religious Freedom Rights, Same-Sex Marriage Appeals, Tribal Jurisdictions, Abortion Rights.

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**Junipero Serra** (Part 12 of 15) In his preaching, Serra would hold in one hand a skull, the other hand a lit brag of bush. Skull you will die, the flames what awaits you if you go to hell. His message was clear. Return to Catholicism, confess, repent, or face eternal damnation. In June 1768, Serra was given permission to reach the missions in Baja, Southern California, to act as supervisor.