

st. cecilia church lagunitas

FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

February 7, 2016

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.



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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.

Luke 5:1-11

Jesus sometimes reveals his power over Mother Nature. All creation is under my authority both in the heavens and the earth below, the sea and all within it, to the birds in the skies. All creation gives glory to me. This story demonstrates the power of the Son of God.







CCD students serving Mass at St. Mary's

Mass Intentions: Week of February 7, 2016

Sunday 9:30 a.m. ... Michael Perry
Sunday 11:15 a.m. ... Olga Rodriequez
Wednesday 7:15 p.m. ... Gina Harmon (Health)
Friday 8 a.m. ... Souls in Purgatory

** No Mass Monday & Thursday.



Year of the Monkey

From the Pew

Parish Directory Update. Notebook at St. Cecilia's & St. Mary's to collect parishioners' name, address, phone, email.



Ash Wednesday, February 10th, Mass 7:15 p.m. at St. Cecilia's.
Lenten soup meal to follow Mass,

organized by St. Mary's ladies.

Congratulations to **Ramon & Laura Ramirez**, 24th Wedding Anniversary on 2/14.

Meal for Homeless Women last Wednesday, thanks to Cia & Pat for organizing, with Norma Franco, Teresa Dallara and their families preparing and serving the meals. Next meal is Wednesday, March 23rd. To help, contact Cia.

Welcome **Sherrie Grossi** to the Parish Council. Council Meeting, 2/18 at Kay's.

Fire at St. Mary last Saturday during a memorial service. Loud noise, white fumes, and sparks. Fire engines from Nicasio, Skywalker and Woodacre came to the rescue.

2016 Archdiocesan Appeal assessment: St. Cecilia is \$5,317, St. Mary is \$4,797.

St. Mary's CCD students are collecting **warm mittens** (Men/Women/Children) for St. VdeP.

Quarterly Finance Committee Meeting Sat.

Year of Mercy. Tell us your stories of mercy this 2016 at Mass or stories of mercy witnessed.

Why do I go to Mass. Share your thoughts. Send to Fr. O'.

Last Week's Collection:

St. Cecilia's, Lagunitas \$ 588.00 St. Mary's, Nicasio \$ 463.00 Total: \$ 1,051.00

Upcoming Parish Events

February

- 2/10 ... Ash Wednesday Lenten Soup Mass 7:15p
- 2/14 (Sun) ... SM's CCD deliver mittens to St.VdP

 March
- 3/5 (Sat) ... St. Pat's Party
- 3/20 ... Palm Sunday Brunch HOLY WEEK
- 3/23 (Wed) ... Meal for Homeless Women
- 3/27 (Sun) ... EASTER

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

The Collapse of Syria (Part 2) Dura-Europos was a pluralistic city of diversity with religions dedicated to Roman gods, Greek, Sumerian, Parthian, Palmyrene, Judean, and Christian. They spoke eleven languages in this city. It is in contrast to the intolerant, unwelcome ISIS's ideologically strict regime. Syria is where the first disciples were called Christians and where St. Paul escaped from prison.

Year of Peace "God is not indifferent". The call is to ask us why injustices occur and how are we called to respond. There are 3 billion people who live in poverty in our world. The Gospel calls us to feed the hungry; visit the sick, prisoners; shelter the homeless.

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Around the Archdiocese

- Year of Mercy Talk, Sunday, 2/21,
 2 p.m., Presentation Sisters' Convent, SF.
- Catholic Estate & End-of-Life Seminar, Saturday, 2/27, 10 a.m. at St. Sebastian's.
- Wedding Anniversary Mass, Saturday,
 2/20, 10 a.m. at St. Mary's Cathedral, SF.
- Catholic Charities Tutor a Child, 2/23,
 3 p.m. Canal Family Support Program, SR.



"It is easy to hate and it is difficult to love. This is how the whole scheme of things works.

All good things are difficult to achieve; and bad things are very easy to get." ... Confucius