



st. cecilia church
lagunitas



SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

April 23, 2017

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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From the Pew

Pray for the Sick of our parish.

Divine Mercy Sunday today, represents the Risen Christ bringing mercy to the world.

Padre Pio Mass & Devotion, Saturday, April 29th, 10 a.m. at St. Cecilia's.

St. Mary's Annual Meeting, Sunday, May 7th, after Mass at Grace's home. Anyone interested in actively engage in St. Mary's parish community and operations are encouraged to attend.

St. Cecilia's Golf Tournament & Cocktail Party, Friday, May 12th at San Geronimo Golf Course. Fantastic BBQ lunch, on course refreshments, tee prizes, raffle & auction. Cocktail Party with robust hors d'oeuvres, no-host cocktail hour, and silent / live Auction after Golf. No dinner this year. Pick up an invit. at church. For reservations, contact Ginny Kerbs 415-488-9694.

Catholic Home Mission, 2nd Collection today is to support missionary activities that strengthen the Catholic Church in the United States.

Parish Baltic Cruise and Trip to Ireland coming up, May 17th to June 13th.

John & Jeanne Althuizen hosting a gourmet Dutch home cooking dinner at their house in Novato in June to benefit St. Mary's Capital Campaign. Accommodate 6 (\$50 pp). Sign up at St. Mary's.

Chicken BBQ at Lafranchi Deer Camp, hosted by Martha & McNeil Family, Sunday, August 6th after Mass. Limit 40 (\$45 pp). Sign up with Martha.

Archbishop Cordileone's parish visit and Confirmation in October, celebrates St. Mary's Church, 150th Anniversary.

Easter's Collections:

St. Cecilia's, Lagunitas	....	\$ 1,499.00
St. Mary's, Nicasio	....	<u>\$ 1,268.50</u>
Total:		<u>\$ 2,767.50</u>

"Let justice be done though the heaven may fall."

Mark your Calendar

SAVE THE DATE - Upcoming Parish events:

- 5/12 (Fri.) ... St. Cecilia's Golf Tournament
- 5/17 - 6/4 ... Parish Cruise to Baltic
- 6/4 - 6/13 ... Parish Trip to Ireland
- June (Sat) ... Capital Campaign Benefit Dinner @Althuizens
- 6/25 (Sun.) ... St. Mary's Family Picnic (STP)

Visit <http://www.stcecilia-lagunitas.org>.

Pope Francis Many things can be said with a look. Affection, encouragement, compassion, love; but also reproach, envy, pride and hatred. Looks speak many languages.



Did you know There are 200,000 artifacts om the Vatican Museum of which 10% is made open to tourists.

[Part 2 of 12] - 1st Commandment, "I am the Lord your God. You shall not have strange Gods before me." God expects our spirits are open to his presence, and when we worship rightly we live accordingly. Right worship makes life right. It prioritizes true values that matter to all. Certainly atheism, agnosticism, idolatry, sacrilege offer nothing back to God and yet without God there is nothing. Does not God deserve praise and time for all he has given us, and offer to him lives of thanksgiving.

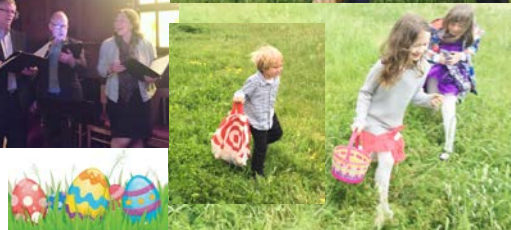
By the Percent Women in Congress

Women in the Senate	.....	21
In House of Representatives	.....	83
Delegates	.....	5
		51.4 % women in the U.S. adult population.

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. (M-W-F)
		at St. Mary's	8 a.m. (Th.)
Confessions	Sundays	at St. Cecilia's	9 to 9:25 a.m.

John 20 : 19 : 31

The Apostles of Jesus which he lived with for three years had many characters, personalities. It's a wonder they got along. Academics, revolutionaries, thief, power hungry, betrayer, and today's Gospel, Thomas the doubter. Their characters only changed because of Christ's Resurrection where they went on to Saints.



Easter Egg Hunt

Mass Intentions: Week of April 23, 2017

Sunday	9:30 a.m.	...	Brian Benexy
Sunday	11:15 a.m.	...	Gina Harmon
Monday	8:00 a.m.	...	Ken Massucco
Friday*	8:00 a.m.	...	Anthony Massucco
Saturday	10:00 a.m.	...	Carol & Steve Stromberg

* Friday Mass at St. Mary (Grace's)