



st. cecilia church
lagunitas

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

July 30, 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) +



st. mary church
nicasio

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.

Matthew 13 : 44 : 52

People will go to extraordinary lengths to find treasure buried under the seas or within the bowels of the earth. There are excavations today working on sites that goes back 6,000 to 10,000 years ago even to Neolithic times. There is another treasure to be found, to search for, the living God who is with us, in us and the source to all that is.



Barney Felling's surgery went well. The best news came when the surgeon confirmed that pathology reports were all positive. **CANCER FREE.** Barbara & Barney wish to thank you all for your support and prayers.



Little Aidan enjoys Grace's chocolate chip cookies



Mass Intentions: Week of July 30, 2017

Sunday	9:30 a.m.	...	Brownell Family
Sunday	11:15 a.m.	...	Paul Sloan
Monday	8:00 a.m.	...	DVM
Thursday	8:00 a.m.	...	Bonnie Foge
Friday	8:00 a.m.	...	Tanner Family

From the Pew

Pray for the Sick of our parish.

Welcome **Thomas & Carlos Dunlap** to our Faith Family. The twins were baptized at St. Mary's last week.



Parish Council Meeting, Thur, August 3rd, 7 p.m. in the Rectory.

Chicken BBQ at the Lafranchi Deer Camp, hosted by Martha & McNeil Family, next Sunday, August 6th after Mass. Proceeds go to St. Mary's operating fund.



Parish Summer Picnic, Sunday, August 20th, 4 p.m. at St. Cecilia's. Bring a side dish to share and your own beverage.

Confirmation Class, Aug. 17th, 7:15 p.m.

Parish is in the process of compiling a booklet for **St. Mary's 150th Anniversary, 1867 - 2017**. Any photos of events (marriage, baptism, confirmation) or parish fun facts; email stmary.nicasio@yahoo.com.

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

Parish book of the year, "Another day in the death of America", by Gary Younge.

St. Mary's AAA is still a bit to go. Received 56%, need \$2,021 to complete.

KPIX Ch. 5, CBS Bay Area – Mosaic TV shows on SF Archdiocese, 5 a.m. – 5:30:

- Sun. 7/30 ... "The Catholic Priesthood Today" by Fr. George E. Schultze, S. J., St. Pat's Seminary
- Sun. 8/6 ... "Catholic Education in the Archdiocese" by Pamela Lyons, Superintendent of Schools.

Last Week's Collections:

St. Cecilia's, Lagunitas	\$	531.75
St. Mary's, Nicasio	\$	414.00
Total:		\$	945.75



"The church is not a political power, it's not a party, but it's a moral power."

Mark your Calendar

SAVE THE DATE - Upcoming Parish events:

- 8/6 (Sun) ... Chicken BBQ @ Lafranchi Deer Camp by Martha
- 8/15 (Tue.) ... Assumption (Holy Day)
- 8/20 (Sun.) ... Parish Summer Picnic. 4 p.m. at St. Cecilia
- Aug. (Sat.) ... Hosting Marin Priests Dinner

Pope Francis

"Hypocrisy can kill a community."



21st Century Communications: Sandals and donkeys were the first tools for our 1st Century evangelizers. Today its apps, websites, Twitter, Instagram, to expand the Church's reach. Young people today use online to find a parish community, or weddings. Catholic apps have available Catechesis, Bible Study, Mass, movies, news, events. The challenge is how do you spread the Gospel in a digital age.

Menorah An Ancient symbol of the Jewish people. Seven candles representing God's creation of the world. The original menorah Moses used was made of 77 pounds of gold, later placed in the temple. Titus destroyed Jerusalem 70 A.D., brought the temple Menorah to Rome. Sometimes in the 2nd Century A.D., it disappeared and has never been seen again.



Did you know The world's largest aircraft carrier **U.S.S. Gerald R. Ford** was commissioned July 22nd, 2017. Cost 13 billion. Deck 5 acres. Plane 75. Crew 4,560. Length 1,092 ft.

By the Percent Household electronics in U.S. homes.
Smartphone 84%
Computer 80%
Tablet 68%
Streaming media device 39%
