



st. cecilia church  
lagunitas

# TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## September 24, 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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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 20 : 1 - 16

This is another relevant parable for our time. We think fairness should be the same for everyone. You work the same hours, therefore equal pay. I am an apprentice I should not make the same pay as a worker of ten years. Biblically has a different outlook. God is generous so you agreed to work eight hours and paid, he worked one hour, agreed to pay him eight hours work, that's my decision and not yours. You agreed to your payment. Be satisfied.



If you left items at Antonia's house after the Pool Party 9/10, email [stcecilia.lagunitas@yahoo.com](mailto:stcecilia.lagunitas@yahoo.com).

### Mass Intentions: Week of September 24, 2017

Sunday	9:30 a.m.	... Noah Tommei
Sunday	11:15 a.m.	... Lizzy Andolong
Monday	8:00 a.m.	... Gina Harmon
Friday	8:00 a.m.	... Margaret McClernon
Saturday	10 a.m.	... Jimenez Intentions



### From the Pew

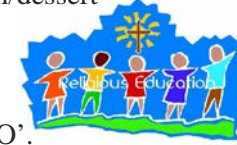
Pray for the Sick of our parish.

Next **Parish Picnic**, Sunday, October 15<sup>th</sup>, 1 p.m. at St. Cecilia's. Bring a side dish/dessert to share, and your own beverage.

**St. Mary's Catechism** starts up in October. Persons interested contact Margaret. For Sacraments, contact Fr. O'.

**Padre Pio Mass**, devotions and rosary, this Saturday, 10 a.m. St. Cecilia's.

**Archbishop Salvatore Cordileone** will be at St. Cecilia's for the **Confirmation**, 5 p.m. Saturday, October 28, 2017, 5 p.m. Reception at the parish hall afterwards. All are invited to join the celebration. Beverages will be provided. Bring a dish to share.



### ✝ Archbishop Cordileone Parish Visit Schedule

#### ■ Saturday, October 28<sup>th</sup>

- ✦ 5 p.m. ... Confirmation at St. Cecilia
- ✦ Reception to follow at the Parish Hall

#### ■ Sunday, October 29<sup>th</sup>

- ✦ 9:15 – 9:45 ... meets Parish Council & Finance Council
- ✦ 9:45 – 10:15 ... meets Parishioners
- ✦ 11:15 ... Mass of 150<sup>th</sup> Celebration of Old St. Mary's
- ✦ Reception to follow at the Druids' Hall

Note: No 9:30 Mass at St. Cecilia's

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**Consecration of the Archdiocese to the Immaculate Heart of Mary**, Sat. Oct. 7<sup>th</sup> in SF. [www.sfarch.org/IHM](http://www.sfarch.org/IHM). Prayer cards at church.

St. Vincent de Paul High School Open House on Sunday, October 15, 1-3pm in Petaluma.

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### Last Week's Collections:

St. Cecilia's, Lagunitas	....	\$ 507.00
St. Mary's, Nicasio	....	\$ 304.64
Total:		\$ 811.64



"Family is not an end unto itself. Its end is the Kingdom of God."

### Mark your Calendar

SAVE THE DATE - Upcoming Parish events:

- Sept. (Sat.) ... Hosting Marin Priests Dinner
- Oct 15 ... Parish Picnic at St. Cecilia
- Oct. ... Archbishop Cordileone's parish visit 28<sup>th</sup> ... Confirmation at St. Cecilia's 29<sup>th</sup> ... St. Mary's 150<sup>th</sup> Celebration Mass
- Nov 1 ... All Saints (Holy Day of Obligation)
- Nov 19 ... Valley Interfaith Thanksgiving Service
- Dec 10 ... Annual Christmas Concert

**Pope Francis** If one does not give then one is not doing enough.

The most famous churches in Christianity – **Church of the Holy Sepulcher**. Jerusalem, Calvary where Jesus was crucified and died. Tradition has it the cross was found at a site on this hill. The

church was built here and over the tomb where Jesus was buried for three days before his resurrection. There are many chapels in this church and different aspects of Christ's passion. This is considered the holiest site of Christianity.

**Hurricane Harvey**, the scale of the crisis was so vast that the state was nowhere near being able to measure the damage, much less fully address it. The calamity

through the grace of God brought out many corporal works of mercy. Catholic Charities has been offering financial aid, but this destruction is expected years to recover, at a cost of 180billion dollars.

### By the Percent

Is the Devil a living being or a symbol		
	<u>Living Being</u>	<u>Symbol</u>
Catholics. ....	83%	17%
Evangelical .....	55%	45%
No religious .....	16%	84%
affiliation		