



SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME February 19, 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. mary churci nicasio

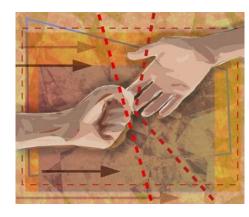
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+ St. Joseph Church, Magdalena, Colombia (sister parish) +

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.

Matthew 5:38-48

The break from Judaism will take several years after Christ's Resurrection eventually decided on belief in Christ as the Messiah. But even here one can see a split in theology. No Jew would accept being struck by someone and not fight back. Yet Jesus call is to rise above it and instead, fight with peace and brotherhood. See not escalation but reconciliation.





Mass Intentions: Week of February 19, 2017

Sunday 9:30 a.m. ... Andrues Family Sunday 11:15 a.m. ... Paul Sloan

Thursday 8 a.m. ... Gina Harmon (Health)
Friday * 8 a.m. ... DeRutte Family

Friday * 8 a.m. ... DeRutte From Saturday 10 a.m. ... Padre Pio

* Friday Mass at Nicasio (Grace's)



Fr. David Schunk and seminarian visiting our parish last Sunday.

From the Pew

Pray for the Sick of our parish.

Parish Finance Meeting, TODAY 2 p.m. at Ginny's.

Parish Council Meeting, Thur. Feb 23rd.

Padre Pio Mass & Devotion, Sat. Feb 25th 10 a.m. St. Cecilia. All are welcome.



St. Patrick's Party Saturday, Mar 4th. Share your talents & humors.

Lenten Retreat, Saturday, March 25th at St. Cecilia's.

Lenten 9-Hour Adoration, Thursday, March 30th. Coordinate with Daphne or Fr. O'.

2017 AAA assessment for St. Cecilia's is \$5,724 and St. Mary's is \$4,571. Indicate parish ID when mailing envelopes directly to the diocese: St. Cecilia (Loc 205), St. Mary (Loc 207). Or you can drop the donation envelopes in Sunday's collection basket.

Archbishop Cordileone's parish visit in Oct. for Confirmation and St. Mary's 150th.

"Come & See" Weekend Retreat with De La Salle Christian Brothers in Napa, Mar. 3rd – 5th, invite men ages 18-35. http://brothersvocation.org/.

"Immigration & Law Educational Forum", Sun. Feb 26th, 2:30 – 4:30, St. Mary's Cathedral, Gough St. San Francisco. For Info. visit: https://sfarchdiocese.org/home/ministries/social-justice-life/peace-justice/immigration.

Suzanne Sadowsky Retirement Celebration at San Geronimo Valley Community Center, Thurs, March 2nd, 1 p.m. Info 415-488-8888.

Last Week's Collections:

 St. Cecilia's, Lagunitas

 \$ 413.00

 St. Mary's, Nicasio

 \$ 390.00

 Total:
 \$ 803.00



"Sic transit gloria mundi."
So passes away the glory of this world.

Mark your Calendar

SAVE THE DATE - 2017 Parish events:

- 2/19 (Sun.) ... Parish Finance Meeting
- 3/1 (Wed.) ... Ash Wednesday Soup Mass (Lenten)
- 3/4 (Sat.) ... St. Patrick's Party
- 3/25 (Sat) ... Lenten Retreat, 1 p.m. @SC
- 3/30 (Thu.) ... Lenten 9-Hour Adoration
- 4/9 (Sun.) ... St. Mary's Palm Sunday Brunch
- 4/10-4/15 ... Holy Week (Holy Thur., Good Fri, Easter Vigil)
- 4/16 (Sun) ... EASTER



The Catholic Church foundation is based on four distinguished beliefs: One, Holy, Catholic, and Apostolic.

The Church is One
Protestants 16th Century certainly divided the church though full unity is always possible.
Understanding Church is One has more to do with union in Christ which leads to belief in his teachings, which leads to a sacramental community, Apostolic succession led by the Pope, the Vicar of Christ. The profession of Faith proclaimed by Christ received by the Apostles through a succession of Holy Orders is One down to our times. Therefore the Church is One.

Our Sacred Space (Part 7 of 11)

Baptismal Font The font is in every Catholic Church placed at entrance of the church or by sanctuary. In the early church baptisms took place outdoors in rivers, streams, public bath, wells. When churches were built in the 4th century, Baptism were brought indoors and have remained since. One font is allowed in the church symbolizing one Faith, one Christ, one Church we all share in.

Do you know

The Pope's Christmas Blessing "Urbi et Orbi" means "to the City and the World".
