

st. cecilia church

SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT March 17, 2019

Mission Statement of St. Cecilia's & St. Mary's

To be Nurtured by Christ's Word, Supported by a Faith Loving Communito Serve the Needs of Others as Called to Minister

st. mary church nicasio

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

Ma	ass	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.)
Confe	essions	Sundays	at St. Cecilia's	9 to 9:25 a.m.

Luke 9:28-36

Anytime we are touched by the divine presence we are transfigured into creatures of love, peace, beauty and soulful. We have experienced the holiness that comes from above.

Message from Fr. O'Sullivan, 3/14/2019

Dear Friends:

It is with a heavy heart that I have been asked by the Archdiocese to be assigned to St. Isabella Parish commencing July 1, 2019. I had hoped though not realistic I might continue my priestly ministry for many more years at St. Cecilia's and Old St. Mary's, a community like none other. The diocese is to announce this soon, I hope I am ahead of them so you hear from me first. I will now enjoy my last months with my spiritual community.

Fondly, Fr. Cyril O'Sullivan

Mass Intentions: Week of March 17, 2019
Sunday 9:30 a.m. ... Anne Barrett +
Sunday 11:15 a.m. ... Ann Farley +
Monday 8 a.m. ... Carmelite Sisters
Friday 8 a.m. (Nicasio) ... Spike Drady +

From the Pew

Pray for the sick & the departed. Remember in our daily prayers.

LENTEN & EASTER SCHEDULE:

- Lenten Talk: "Women in the Bible", April 11th
- Lenten 8-hour Adoration & Benediction, SC
- Palm Sunday, April 14th (All Masses at SM)
- Holy Week Holy Thursday April 18th, SC
- Holy Week Good Friday, April 19th, SM
- Holy Week Easter Vigil, April 20th, SC
- EASTER, April 21st, SC & SM

Welcome Michael Hill to our Faith family, baptized at St. Mary's last Saturday.

Parish Council Meeting. This Thursday, March 21st 7:15 PM at the Rectory.

Lenten Talk Fr. O' will have a presentation on "Women in the Bible." Thursday, April 11th, 7:15 P.M. at St. Cecilia's parish hall. Bring finger food to share, and your beverage.

Palm Sunday Brunch, April 14th, all Masses will be at St. Mary's. Brunch at the Druid's Hall from 10 a.m. on. Collecting Auction & Raffle prizes for the annual fund raiser. To volunteer/help, or to donate, contact Margaret Farley.

California Missions Parish Trip, May 13 - 17. Contact Ginny Kerbs.

Marin Deanery Meeting, Thursday, 3/21, 10 AM at St. Raphael's. Open to anyone interested.

Mark your Calendar

T-B-D ... Lenten Adoration

April 11 ... Lenten Talk: "Women in the Bible"

April 14 ... St. Mary Palm Sunday Brunch

Holy Week ... Holy Thur 4/18, Good Fri. 4/19, Easter Vigil 4/20

April 21 ... EASTER

Pope Francis

Despite human genius, we are not the light of the world. The Son of God is the true light of the world.

6th Council of the Church

Constantinople II, 553 A.D. Bishops were summoned to ratify all previous councils. Pope Vigilius did attend but Emperor Justinian was present with 150 bishops. Nestorian fallovers were excommunicated for not believing in Mary as the Mother of God.

Did you know 29 toddlers killed in heated cars summer 2018 in the U.S.

By the Percent

Religions of the 116th Congress:

Catholic 163 Protestant 80

Baptist 72

Methodist 42

Jewish 34

2019 Annual Archdiocesan Appeal (AAA)

Goal Raised NEED

St. Cecilia \$5,569 \$825 \$4,744 St. Mary \$4,578 \$275 \$4,303

Last Sunday's Collections:

St. Cecilia, Lagunitas \$ 307.00 St. Mary, Nicasio \$ 358.00

Total: \$ 665.00

"No better way to heal divisions, polarization than to have a parade (music, beer, matching bands, dance, food, comics, etc.)"