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MASS SCHEDULE

Monday - Thursday: 9:00 a.m.
Friday 9:00 a.m. & 5:30 p.m.
Saturday: 9:00 a.m. & 5:00 p.m. (Vigil)
Sunday: 7:30 a.m., 9:30 a.m. & 11:30 a.m.
(All masses are livestreamed at stcecilia.com)

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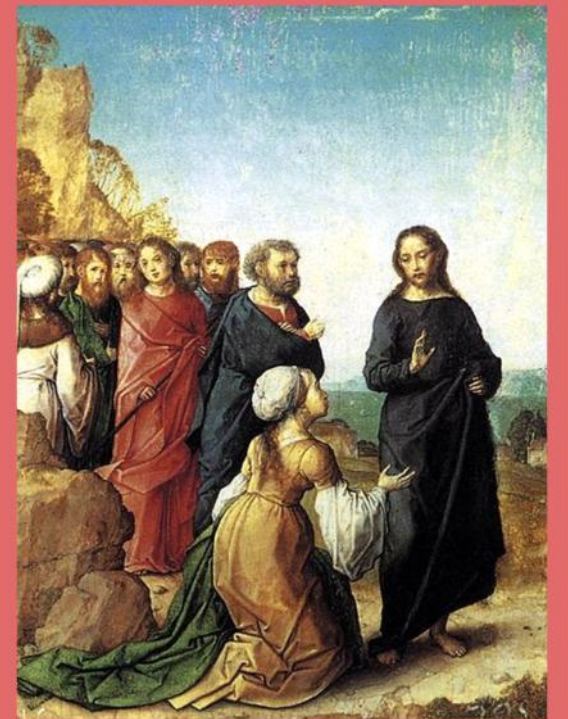
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"HAVE PITY ON ME, LORD,
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CONFESSIONS

Saturday 3:30-4:30 p.m. in the Church

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Please call the Parish Office (415) 664-8481
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CONFIRMATION & (OCLA)

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Please email: deacondan@stcecilia.com

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Please contact the Parish Office at least six months
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ANointing OF THE SICK

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ROSARY

Monday-Saturday @ 8:35 a.m.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION & EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Every Friday after the 9:00 a.m. Mass
and ends with Benediction at 5:15 p.m.

AUGUST 16, 2026 - TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	
First Reading <i>Isaiah 56:1,6-7</i> The Lord reveals his salvation to all. Responsorial Psalm <i>Psalms 67:2-3,5-6,8</i> All the nations will praise God. Second Reading <i>Romans 11:13-15,29-32</i> God’s favor to Israel is irrevocable. Gospel Reading <i>Matthew 15:21-28</i> Jesus heals the daughter of the Canaanite woman because of her great faith.	BAPTISMS Avalynne Iris Viloria Ganzon Ava Josephine Greenwood <i>May God bless them always!</i>
	PARISH EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY Director of Religious Education (DRE), Part-Time Saint Cecilia Parish, 2555 17th Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94116, www.stcecilia.com Contact: Iwan Soegiharto, deaconiwan@stcecilia.com Saint Cecilia Parish is looking for a Director of Religious Education to promote, teach and coordinate faith formation initiatives. If you are interested in applying, please submit a cover letter, resume, and two references. You may contact the parish office for a complete job description or for more information at (415) 664-8481.
ST. CECILIA SCHOOL NEWS The 2026 - 2027 school year is upon us! We are so excited to share great growth and excitement with our entire parish and school community; we celebrate: - Enrollment Growth: We finished the ‘25-’26 school year with an enrollment of 491 students. On Monday, we will welcome 538 students to our SC family. This is a 9.5% increase in our enrollment! - Retention: This year, we have a 99% retention rate. We thank our SC families for their commitment to the mission of both our school and our parish. - Transitional Kindergarten: For the 26-27 school year, we will have two TK classrooms due to the increased number of applicants. Our TK and Kindergarten classes are full for this school year. We are grateful to Fr. Rene and St. Cecilia parish for their continued commitment to our students, families, alumni and to Catholic education. For more information about our ‘26-’27 School Tours and Enrollment, please email Elizabeth Watters Schwartz ‘05 at eschwartz@stceciliaschool.org.	OCIA OCIA classes will begin Sunday, September 20, 2026. (Postponing the start date by one week.) OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation of adults) is the period of study, discernment, and preparation for those who wish to convert to the Catholic faith. Classes will be on Sundays at 11:00 a.m. in the Collins Center. If you have not done so already, please email Deacon Iwan (deaconiwan@stcecilia.com) or Deacon Dan (deacondan@stcecilia.com) to complete the short registration form. The program is free. Please share this information with all who might be interested. Thank you.
DISCOVER THE SACRED LANGUAGE Do you ever wish you could know enough Latin to understand those beautiful Latin hymns? Now is your chance. Attend a free 4-part series on the Latin language with Deacon Dan. This fun, introductory course is sure to enhance your understanding of the language and of the faith. In this class, you will learn Ecclesial Latin pronunciation, gain exposure to applicable vocabulary and grammar, and learn to pray and sing in this sacred language. Both adults and children are welcome. Classes will be Wednesdays from 6:30-8pm in the Collins Center, September 23rd through October 14th. Email Deacon Dan to reserve your seat: deacondan@stcecilia.com	ST. CECILIA FESTIVAL 2026 - HEART OF SF The planning for our 2026 St. Cecilia Festival is officially underway! This year’s exciting theme is Heart of SF, celebrating the spirit, community, and heart of our parish. We’re looking for enthusiastic volunteers to help make this year’s festival a success. We currently have openings for: • Social Media • Volunteer Food Runners • Spaghetti Dinner • Wristbands & Free Dress Passes • Movie Night • Beer Garden • Silent Auction Whether you’re returning to serve or volunteering for the first time, we’d love to have you join our festival team! If you’re interested or would like more information, please email scheartofsf26@gmail.com. Thank you to our Festival Co-Chairs, Jessica (Maverick ‘28, Charlotte ‘33, and Gabrielle ‘36) and Marie (Noah ‘28 and Mielo ‘35), and to all of our dedicated volunteers for sharing your time and talents. Together, let’s make Heart of SF a memorable celebration for our parish community!
CHILDREN’S FAITH FORMATION Children's Faith Formation is starting soon! Classes begin on September 13th and meet Sundays during the school year from 8:30 to 9:15 a.m. CFF serves grades 1-8 (sometimes a bit older) – Grades 1 and 2 are First Communion preparation and the last two years (usually 7 and 8) are Confirmation preparation. If you are interested in signing your child up, please follow this link: https://tinyurl.com/StCeciliaCFF26	

NO 5:30 P.M. MASS - MONDAY THROUGH THURSDAY UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE			
<u>A MESSAGE FROM THE INTERIM PRINCIPAL</u> Dear St. Cecilia Families, Welcome to the 2026 - 2027 school year! There is so much excitement in the air as we prepare to welcome our students back to campus. Our faculty and staff have spent this week together in retreat, preparing, planning, and praying for a wonderful year ahead. We are looking forward to opening our doors and welcoming you and your children on Monday, August 17. I am truly honored and excited to serve as your Interim Principal this school year. As I begin getting to know the St. Cecilia community, I want you to know how grateful I am to be joining your family. Our school is a special place because of the wonderful partnership between our students, families, faculty, and staff, and I look forward to building those relationships throughout the year. I cannot wait to meet you and your children on Monday, August 17, for Registration Day! To help us kick off the year with a little school spirit, all students may wear St. Cecilia Spirit Wear or blue and gold colors on Monday. Beginning Tuesday, August 18, students should be in their regular school uniform. With warmth and gratitude, Mrs. Megan Rabbitt Interim Principal of St. Cecilia School		<u>THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING ST. CECILIA</u> Sunday Offertory for August 8th & 9th Sunday Envelopes - \$ 6,268 Online Giving - \$ 2,580 Total Donation - \$ 8,848 <i>Thank you for your generous support.</i> <u>AAA</u> 2026 Goal: \$130,239 Total Donation: \$ 77,238 (84%) Balance: \$ 20,387 (16%) For online giving Go to our website: stcecilia.com Then click on the “GIVE” arrow for instructions on how to donate online. <i>Thank you in advance!</i> <u>MEN OF ST. CECILIA</u>  A big THANK YOU to Liam Reidy , his painting team, and all of the dads who came out and helped make our annual Clean-Up Day a success! This is an important service day for our school and MOSC turned out strong! We really appreciate everyone who gave up part of their Saturday to help get St. Cecilia ready for the new school year. A special thank you to Jorge and Felix for all their help and support. Thank you again to everyone who pitched in. Great way to kick off the 2026–2027 school year! William Bracco & Brett Summers MOSC Leadership	
<u>COLLINS CENTER 2560 18th Ave. (415) 664-8481</u> St. Cecilia Senior Citizen Social Club - Opens at 1:30 Monday 8/17 - Pedro Tuesday 8/18 - Bingo, French, Italian Thursday 8/20 - Bridge, Knitting Scrabble Friday 8/21 - Current Events			
THIS WEEK’S MASS INTENTIONS AND PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL			
<u>MONDAY, 8/17</u> <u>Morning Mass Only</u> <u>9:00 a.m.</u> Jason Ramoso Jeanne Scanlon Dr. Cezar Dan Malig Michael Darcy, Living Lourdes DeLeon Patricia Ana Paraiso, Living <u>TUESDAY, 8/18</u> <u>Morning Mass Only</u> <u>9:00 a.m.</u> Jason Ramoso Sr. Helen Clare Howatt, SNJM	Dennis Coughlan Msgr. Floro Arcamo Patricia Ana B. Paraiso, Living <u>WEDNESDAY, 8/19</u> <u>Morning Mass Only</u> <u>9:00 a.m.</u> Jason Ramoso Ferdinand Reyes Ysip Patricia Ana B. Paraiso, Living Darien Ryan <u>THURSDAY 8/20</u> <u>Morning Mass Only</u> <u>9:00 a.m.</u> Jason Ramoso	Michael Joseph Cooper, Living Marie Francisco Patricia Ana Paraiso, Living <u>FRIDAY, 8/21</u> <u>9:00 a.m.</u> Jason Ramoso Patrick McEntee, Living Patricia Ana Paraiso, Living Manuel Sarrazola Sebastiana Pereira <u>5:30 p.m.</u> Justice Timothy Reardon Sebastiana Pereira <u>SATURDAY, 8/22</u>	<u>9:00 a.m.</u> Maria Stone Karen Cilia-Santi Jason Ramoso <u>SATURDAY VIGIL 8/22</u> <u>5:00 p.m.</u> Sean Spiers Maria Hieu Thi Luu Luigi Alioto <u>SUNDAY, 8/23</u> <u>7:30 a.m.</u> Frances Flynn <u>9:30 a.m.</u> People of St. Cecilia <u>11:30 a.m.</u> Ellen J. Glynn Jason Ramoso