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For more information, contact
Br. Mike Amato 650.296.6297
mamato871@aol.com
All Catholic Men are welcome to attend!

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MASS SCHEDULE

Monday - 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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THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

CONFESSIONS

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

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Please call the Parish Office (415) 664-8481
or email irmalavitoria@stcecilia.com

CONFIRMATION & (OCIA)

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Please email: formation@stcecilia.com

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Please contact the Parish Office at least six months
prior to the wedding date (415) 664-8481
or email irmalavitoria@stcecilia.com

ANointing of the Sick

Please call the Parish Office (415) 664-8481

ROSARY

Monday-Saturday @ 8:35 a.m.

Eucharistic Adoration & Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

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

First Reading

Isaiah 42:1-4, 6-7, 21

Here is my servant whom I uphold, my chosen one with whom I am pleased, upon whom I have put my spirit.

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 29:1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10

The Lord will bless his people with peace.

Second Reading

Acts of the Apostles 10:34-38

God shows no partiality. Rather, in every nation whoever fears him & acts uprightly is acceptable.

Gospel

Matthew 13:13-17, 21

Jesus came from Galilee to John at the Jordan to be baptized by him.

CONSUMING THE EUCHARIST

Dear Parishioners,

It was recently brought to my attention that some visitors may have left with the Eucharist during a busy Sunday Mass. Based on the observations made, the actions indicate ill intent. The Eucharist is the source and summit of the Mass. Each consecrated Communion host or fragment thereof, and every drop of the consecrated wine is the body, blood, soul, and divinity of our Lord Jesus Christ.

As a reminder, the Eucharist must be consumed in front of the minister of Holy Communion whether it is a priest, deacon or Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion. Do not worry about people behind you. There is no rush. Some communicants may wish to gaze at the crucifix as they receive and so they hop aside to be out of the way. Do not worry about that. You may consume the Eucharist in front of the minister and then even kneel at the communion rail if you wish to gaze into the sanctuary as you finish consuming the host.

Parishioners who are Catholic, have confessed any known mortal sin, and have fasted for an hour (exceptions for those where medication or condition require food) can present themselves for Communion. You can receive in the hand or on the tongue. You may receive standing or kneeling. A gesture of reverence is required, such as a bow or a genuflection. It is most common to receive on the hand while standing, after making a bow at the waist. Face masks should be removed before receiving communion.

The ideal palm position is the left hand over the right hand, palms open, like a throne for the Lord. Make your sign of reverence before extending your hands so your arms do not move while bowing and the minister can precisely place the host onto this throne.

Thank you for helping to protect the Eucharist.

Sincerely, Deacon Dan

REMINDER TO NEW PARISHIONERS

Attention all new parishioners who joined our parish in 2024 and 2025, we are sending out a reminder once again that the Saint Cecilia New Parishioner dinner is coming up soon! Please RSVP ASAP. This is an amazing opportunity to meet your parish leaders and learn more about all of the wonderful ministries St. Cecilia Parish has to offer!

Nothing is needed from you but your presence, please consider coming by and enjoying a delicious meal hosted by the parish while getting to know your fellow parishioners.

To RSVP, please go to:

<https://tinyurl.com/scnewparishionerdinner> or call the office at (415) 664-8481

2026 CRAB FEED

Saturday, January 31 @ 6:00 p.m.

We welcome you to join the Men of St. Cecilia at our Signature Event, “The Crab Feed.”

Tickets are now on sale.

We encourage tables of 10

to be organized by one lead person making the purchase.

Single tickets will also be available.

A table of 10 costs \$1000

A single ticket costs \$100

Tickets are inclusive of Crab Dinner, Appetizers, Salad, Pasta, Hosted Bar, Dessert, and Dancing!

Buy Tickets Here!



ST. CECILIA SCHOOL
1ST - 7TH GRADE APPLICANTS

School Tours will take place Jan. 14th & Feb. 5th.

Applications are due on Feb. 6th.

Screening dates are Feb. 17th & Feb. 18th from 3:30 p.m.—5:00 p.m.

1st - 7th Grade Acceptances will be on Feb. 24th.

Please call the school office to register for a tour and/or for more information. (415) 731-8400

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

January 25th - 30th

-Sunday, January 25th, Mothers’ Club sponsored Mass at 9:30 a.m. with School Open House at 10:30 a.m.

-Wednesday, January 28th, Faculty & Staff Appreciation Day

WEST COAST WALK FOR LIFE

22nd Annual - Saturday, January 24, 2026

Civic Center Plaza in San Francisco

Rally: 12:30 p.m. Info Faire: 11:00 a.m.

Rally starts at Civic Center Plaza, walking down Market Street (2miles) Walk ends at Embarcadero. (415) 658-1793 | email: info@WalkforLifeWC.com

COFFEE & DONUTS

Today - January 11 - St. Peter Prayer Group

January 18 - NONE (MLK Holiday)

Jan. 25 - School (Catholic Schools Open House) Mothers’ Club

February 1 - St. Martha Prayer Group

February 8 - Pastoral Council

February 15 - NONE (Presidents Day Holiday)

February 22 - Chinese Club & Bible Sharing

March 1 - Girl Scouts

LITTLE SHAMROCKS

Monthly Playgroup

Join us on Sundays for a monthly playgroup!

Our St. Cecilia School and Parish playgroup is

open to all Little Shamrocks 0-5 years old.

Parents, grandparents, caregivers and Little Shamrocks are all welcome to attend!

Play groups will be on Sundays following the 9:30 Family Mass

The playgroup will be from

10:30 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.

in our St. Cecilia Kindergarten Kingdom.

TODAY - January 11, 2026

February 8, 2026

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THIS WEEK’S MASS INTENTIONS AND PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

MONDAY, 1/12

9:00 a.m.

Jeanne Scanlon

Sarah Clancy

5:30 p.m.

Fr. Neil Healy

TUESDAY, 1/13

9:00 a.m.

Xavier Edward Echon

Ellie McDonagh

Alberto Gomez

5:30 p.m.

Xavier Edward Echon

Jose Maria Raul Yap

Joseph Martin Raul Yap

WEDNESDAY, 1/14

9:00 a.m.

Joy Dayoan Banaria

Peggy Erigero, Living

5:30 p.m.

Cristine Ryan Vinciguerra

THURSDAY, 1/15

9:00 a.m.

Eileen Kyne

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING ST. CECILIA

Sunday Offertory for Jan. 3rd & 4th

Sunday Envelopes - **\$9,323**

Online Giving - **\$3,440**

Total Donation - **\$12,763**

2025 ARCHDIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL

Donations Received and Goal: **\$ 130,233 (100%)**

We already have a running start on our 2026 AAA campaign due to your generosity.

We hope you all enjoyed a blessed Christmas Season!



FROM THE OFFICE OF THE
DIRECTOR OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
(CFF) & (OCIA)

Classes for children: Sun. 8:00 a.m.

Adult classes: Sun. 11:00 a.m./Wed. 6:30 p.m.

Please email/call with questions about our Children’s Faith Formation (CFF) and/or our Order of Christian Initiation for Adults (OCIA). Contact: formation@stcecilia.com/(415) 758-8582.

To register for 2025-26 CFF classes, please go to: <https://tinyurl.com/StCeciliaCFF25>

COLLINS CENTER 2560 18th Ave. (415) 664-8481

St. Cecilia Senior Citizen Social Club

Activities begin at 1:30 - **Exceptions are highlighted*

Monday 1/12 - Computers, Pedro

Tuesday 1/13 - **Exercise @ 11:15 a.m.*

BINGO, French, Italian

Thursday 1/15 - Bridge, Knitting, Scrabble

Friday 1/16 - Current Events