

# SAINT CECILIA PARISH

## **PARISH OFFICE**

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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](http://stcecilia.com))

## **PASTOR**

Rev. Rene R. Ramoso

## **ASSOCIATE PASTOR**

Rev. Celestine O. Tyowua

## **DEACONS**

Rev. Mr. Rory Desmond

Rev. Mr. Iwan Soegiharto

## **PARISH STAFF**

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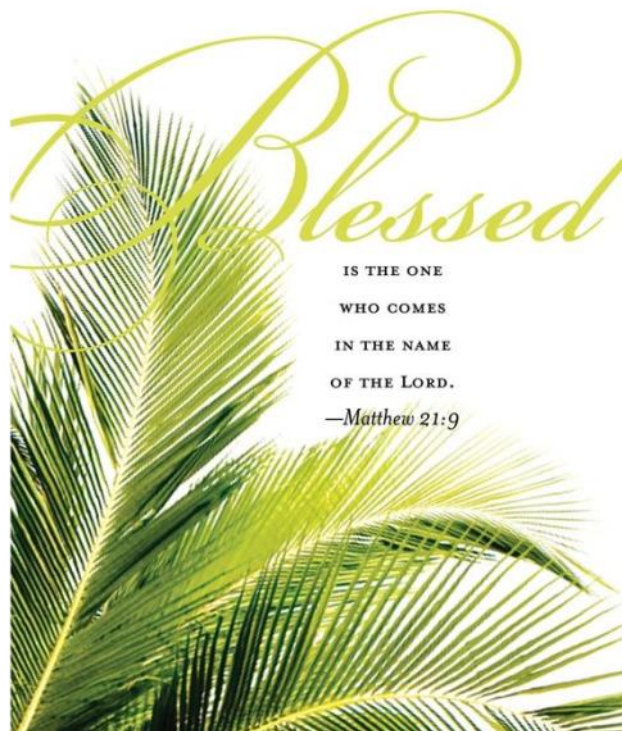
## **ST. CECILIA SCHOOL**

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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

or email [irmalavitoria@stcecilia.com](mailto:irmalavitoria@stcecilia.com)

## **RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS**

Please call the Parish Office (415) 664-8481

or email [iwan.soegiharto@yahoo.com](mailto:iwan.soegiharto@yahoo.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](mailto:irmalavitoria@stcecilia.com)

## **ANointing OF THE SICK**

Please call the Parish Office (415) 664-8481

Emergency Number (415) 734-7445

## **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.

## PALM SUNDAY - MARCH 24, 2024

**Gospel at the Procession with Palms** *Mark 11:1-10 or John 12:12-16* Jesus enters Jerusalem as the crowds shout, "Hosanna!"

**First Reading** *Isaiah 50:4-7* The Lord's servant will stand firm, even when persecuted.

**Responsorial Psalm** *Psalm 22:8-9,17-18,19-20,23-24*

A cry for help to the Lord in the face of evildoers

**Second Reading** *Philippians 2:6-11* Christ was obedient even to death, but God has exalted him.

**Gospel Reading** *Mark 14:1—15:47* (shorter form: *Mark 15:1-39*)

Jesus is sentenced to death and crucified.  
The centurion who witnessed his death declared,  
"This man was the Son of God."

### HOLY WEEK AT SAINT CECILIA

Live Church Broadcast: [www.stcecilia.com](http://www.stcecilia.com)

#### Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord, March 24<sup>th</sup>

*Palms will be blessed at the beginning of every Mass.*

Saturday Vigil – 5:00 PM

Sunday Masses – 7:30 AM, 9:30 AM, and \*11:30 AM

*\*Solemn Procession at the 11:30 AM Mass*

#### Monday, March 25<sup>th</sup>

6:00 – 7:00 PM – Lenten Penitential Service  
with Individual Confessions

#### Holy Thursday, March 28<sup>th</sup>

9:00 AM – Morning Prayer

7:30 PM – Mass of the Lord's Supper and Eucharistic  
Exposition until 11:00 PM

(Church remains open from 9:00 AM – 11:00 PM)

#### Good Friday, March 29<sup>th</sup>

9:00 AM – Morning Prayer

12:00 PM – 7 Last Words, Stations of the Cross,  
Good Friday Liturgy, and Divine Mercy Novena

(Church remains open from 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM)

#### Holy Saturday, March 30<sup>th</sup>

9:00 AM – Morning Prayer

8:00 PM – Easter Vigil

(Church closes after the morning prayer and reopens at  
7:00 PM)

#### Easter Sunday, March 31<sup>st</sup>

Masses at 7:30 AM, 9:30 AM and 11:30 AM

### WHITE FLOWERS FOR EASTER

We are in need of white flowers for Easter to supplement the flowers being purchased. If you have calla lilies or any white flowers in your garden that you'd like to donate to the church, please do so by

Holy Saturday,

March 30th before 11:00 a.m.

Vases will be available at side entrance of the church.

Thank you in advance for your assistance.

### WE APPRECIATE YOU!!!

We would like to thank everyone who came together to celebrate St. Patrick's Day last Sunday at coffee and donuts. It was a lovely & festive gathering, thanks to the efforts of many talented and enthusiastic volunteers!

We send out our thanks to all of those who are responsible for a truly enjoyable time.

Thank you to our set-up crew; Jorge Rosales, Felix Linares, Marion Bellan, Irma Lavitoria, Cathy Mattias, and Stella Weinkauff.

The Coffee and Donut Coordinators; Fionnuala McEvoy-Pecko, Rhona McShane, and Caitriona Supple who were most helpful & gracious along with their lovely children who helped with set-up and serving in the most delightful way; Caitlin Diviney, Sloane McShane, and Aidan Pecko.

The Irish Bread Bakers, namely; Geraldine Azinheira, Bridget Breslin, Marion Bellan, Sheila McCarthy, Margaret McLaughlin, Mary Scanlon, and Kevin Wade. Wow! Truly delicious and enjoyed by all.

The Irish Coffee Baristas, Erin Burke and Jimmy Daly, who helped keep things festive. Slainte!

The Musicians, Kevin Roche and Kathleen Smith for sharing their gift of music with us. Yes, live music!

And thank you Irish dancers; Ashlyn Cunningham, Brian Cunningham, Eibhlin O'Leary, Roisin O'Leary, Charlotte Plato, and Stella Plato. We love how you shared your talent and brought joy to the room! And we thank their moms; Roberta Cunningham, Colleen O' Leary, and Krista Plato for coordinating the dancers at both at the mass and the reception.

Clean-up crew; Here we will repeat some names! Fionnuala, Rhona, Caitriona, Caitlin, Sloane, Aidan, Erin, Jimmy, Irma, Marion, and Cathy. We never want to miss thanking the clean-up crew!

To those we may have accidentally overlooked, we express our gratitude to you as well. Until next year.

### CATHOLIC CHARITIES CYO ATHLETICS HALL OF FAME DINNER CEREMONY

Saturday | April 13th | 5:30 PM - 8:30 PM

Saints Peter and Paul Church - Parish Hall

666 Filbert St., North Beach, San Francisco

### COFFEE & DONUTS FELLOWSHIP

*There will be no donuts for Palm Sunday or Easter Sunday.*

*May you enjoy time with your families and friends.*

Coffee & Donuts will resume on April 7th.

April 7 - Sacristans

April 14 - St. Cecilia School 4th grade

April 21 - St. Cecilia Mothers' Club

April 28 - Children Faith Formation

*We thank all our ministries who graciously volunteer to serve throughout the year.*

### THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING ST. CECILIA

Sunday Offertory for March 16th & 17th

Sunday Envelopes - \$ 6,757 Online Giving - \$ 3,030.81

Total donation - \$ 9,787.81

*Thank you for your generous donation.*

### 2024 ARCHDIOCESAN ANNUAL APPEAL

Campaign Goal : **\$136,891**

Received: \$10,454

Balance Due: \$126,437

*"Love your neighbor as yourself."*

### PARISH OFFICE & COLLINS CENTER CLOSED

The Parish Office & Collins Center will be closed on

Good Friday, March 29th.

On Easter Monday, April 1st,

the Parish Office & the Collins Center will be closed  
and the Church will close after the 9:00 a.m. Mass.

### PONTIFICAL GOOD FRIDAY COLLECTION

Pope Francis has asked our parish to support the Pontifical Good Friday Collection. The collection helps Christians in the Holy Land, where they are now less than 2% of the population. Your support is essential to help the Church minister to parishes, provide Catholic schools and offer religious education. The collection also helps to preserve the sacred shrines of Christianity in Jerusalem, Nazareth, and Bethlehem, to name only a few.

The pandemic hit Christians in the Holy Land particularly hard. Most of them depend on pilgrimages for work and the war made their situation even more dire.

**PLEASE BE GENEROUS!**

For more info visit [www.myfranciscan.org](http://www.myfranciscan.org) or [www.custodia.org](http://www.custodia.org)

### FUNERALS

*Jennifer Aquino*

*Domenic Intravia*

*Patrick O'Sullivan*

*Leo Perrott*

*Khodarahm Mirza Shirvani*

*Nancy Singleton*

*Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord,  
and let the perpetual light shine upon them.*

*May the souls of the faithful departed,  
through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.*

It is with sincere gratitude that we give thanks  
for the gifts of these beloved St. Cecilia parishioners.



### **THE LEAGUE OF THE SACRED HEART PRESENTS DESSERT BINGO ROARING 20'S STYLE**

**DATE: APRIL 13, 2024 - LOWER CHURCH 1:30 PM**

Please reserve \_\_\_\_\_ seats @ \$10.00 per person

Total Enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Please submit your reservation to the Rectory by April 8th

Dig out your flapper gear and join us in this fun filled afternoon.

Lots of Bingo games, GREAT prizes and Desserts. Stop by the

**SPEAKEASY** for some libation. The "THE BEE'S KNEES" will  
be flowing!!!

### **COLLINS CENTER - 2560 18TH AVE. (415) 664-8481**

Activities begin at 1:30 - *\*Please note exceptions*

Monday 3/25 - Pedro

Tuesday 3/26- Bingo, French, & Italian

Thurs. 3/28- **\*11:15 Exercise**, Bridge, Knitting, Scrabble

Fri. 3/29 - **\*NO CLASSES GOOD FRIDAY**

### **THIS WEEK'S MASS INTENTIONS**

#### **MONDAY, March 25**

**9am**

McNicholas Family

Robert Martin, Living

**5:30pm**

Florence Driscoll

#### **TUESDAY, March 26**

**9am**

Josephine Harrington

Hugh Peterson

**5:30pm**

Robert & Noreen Matza

Amado Sudla Jimenez, Jr.

#### **WEDNESDAY, March 27**

**9am**

Edward Manibusan

Primitiva Atienza Macaraeg

Raymond Kelly

Castora Fabi

Antonio Escolar

**5:30** Margaret Keaney

Virgilio Gabriela

Alfredo Gabriela

Leticia Gabriela

Salvador Garbriana

Marky Gabriela

Brigida Gabriela

Pedro Gabriela

Jose Abalos

Rene Alcala

**NO MASS INTENTIONS ON**

**HOLY THURSDAY**

**GOOD FRIDAY**

**HOLY SATURDAY**

**OR EASTER SUNDAY**

*Have a blessed Holy Week.*





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