

Northern Points Cluster Bulletin

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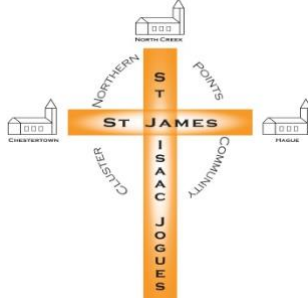
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ESTATE PLANNING

Please consider continuing your support of your Churches,
Parish of St. Isaac Jogues or St. James Church, in your estate plan.
Your generosity will be remembered annually in our Book of Life.
Mass at one of our Sister churches? Please designate your offertory for your own parish.

Mass Schedule

4:00 pm, Saturday Vigil, St. Isaac Jogues, Chestertown

5:30 pm, Saturday Vigil, St. James, North Creek

9:00 am, Sunday, St. Isaac Jogues, Chestertown

10:30 am, Sunday, Blessed Sacrament, Bolton Landing

Weekday Mass Schedule

1:30 pm, Mass, Monday, Elderwood, North Creek (results of negative Covid test needed)

No Weekday Mass in Chestertown

HAPPY EASTER! ALLELUIA, ALLELUIA AND THANK YOU!

Thank you to everyone who helped make this Lenten season so spiritually rewarding. Thank you to everyone who helped to beautifully decorate our churches for the Triduum and those who gave of their time and artistic ability to prepare our churches for Easter. Many thanks to our Triduum liturgy leaders for their preparation of our liturgies.

Heartwarming thanks is extended to our Cluster Choirs under the direction and guidance of Denise Conti and Gerry Marmillo. Also, special thanks to our Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, Greeters, and all volunteers at our liturgies. We are so blessed and rewarded by your energy and enthusiasm!

Sincere thanks to our Religious Education Catechists who share their faith that brings joy and promise to our children and their families. We are so enriched and blessed with the many talents in our Cluster. God's grace has been bestowed on us. We are truly an Easter people.

Again, this Easter, our Triduum was blessed with the community of Blessed Sacrament in Bolton Landing. A special "thank you" is extended to Deacon Joe Tyrrell and his wife, Annette. We truly are, "One in the Spirit; One in the Lord!" Our combined efforts made our Holy of Holiest Liturgies so special and fulfilling.

Fr. John O'Kane & Barb Carlozzi

EASTER DAY!

On this Easter Day, let us sit with Simon Peter and the Beloved Disciple in the empty tomb, having been drawn there by Mary. Let us ponder the meaning of this extraordinary event and believe. We have the rest of our lives to unpack and better understand what that entails. Copyright *Living Liturgy* 2019

Diocesan Investment & Loan Trust (DILT) will match \$50,000 to Ukraine: 1st DILT is donating \$50,000 to CRS to provide shelter, hot meals, and transportation for Ukrainian refugees. In addition, DILT has invited individuals, Catholic parishes, and other faith-based groups in the Capital Region to take part in a Christian challenge to support relief efforts. DILT will match donations up to \$50,000, making their potential donation to Ukrainian humanitarian relief \$100,000. Thus, from the Catholic denomination, Ukraine potential can receive \$150,000 total. You can place your donation, in the basket at any time. We will forward your donation. Checks should be written to Catholic Relief Services with Ukrainian Humanitarian relief on the memo line.

North Country Ministry: Do you find yourself having some time on Wednesdays between 12:45 and 3:15? North Country Ministry is looking for volunteers to help us out at our food pantry in Warrensburg. If you are interested in volunteering, please email us at info@northcountryministry.org. NCM is still looking for donations of clothes and bedding. They can be donated on Monday's & Tuesdays between 9 am – Noon. The Food Pantry is open in Brant Lake on Wednesdays from 10 am – to Noon. And the Warrensburg Food Pantry is open from 1 pm – 3 pm. The Clothing Center is open Thursdays & Fridays from 1 pm – 4 pm.

Cluster Pastoral Council Meeting: Monday, St. Isaac Jogues Chestertown at 4:30 pm.

ST. JAMES CHURCH:

Food Baskets: We are collecting for the Food Pantry once again.

Mass Intentions:	Sunday, 4/17	St. James Parishioners
	Saturday, 4/23	Mass Intention Available
	Saturday, 4/30	Mass Intention Available

Diocesan Appeal: Outstanding!! We have collected \$8,655 for the Diocesan Appeal. Thank you! That is 25% more than our assessment.

ST. ISAAC JOGUES:

Mass Intentions:	Sunday, 4/17	Joseph Turcotte	<i>Req. Cindy & Tom Turcotte</i>
	Saturday & Sunday, 4/23 & 24		Mass Intention Available
	Saturday & Sunday, 4/30 & 5/1		Mass Intention Available

Diocesan Appeal: We are almost there! We have collected \$21,589 of our assessment of \$22,880 with only \$1,291 left to go. This is 95% of our assessment with 75 gifts. *Thank you* to those who have come forward to help us achieve our goal. We strive for 100% participation, not equal gifts. Please give what you can. We understand it is trying times.