

Northern Points Cluster Bulletin

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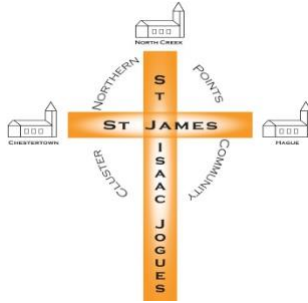
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ESTATE PLANNING

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

Mass Schedule starting May 28th

4:00 pm, Saturday Vigil, St. James, North Creek

5:30 pm, Saturday Vigil, St. Isaac Jogues, Chestertown

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

LOVE ONE ANOTHER!

To love one another is challenging. It can be easier and more convenient to go to church, or to sit in one's room and pray. But love requires action and some doing. Sometimes it can be easier to love those on the outside of the margins; but what about those most familiar to us, particularly our families? We know their weaknesses, idiosyncrasies, annoying tics, and habits. We have a history with them. Yet, we are called, perhaps even reminded, to love one another! Copyright *Living Liturgy* 2019

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Hayley Smith

God Blessings as you enter into the Eucharist!

Synod on Synodality What is a Synod? “Despite the odd-sounding words, the vision is very simple: it’s about experiencing our faith as a journey together, accompanied by Jesus and the Apostles,” writes Bishop Scharfenberger in his Evangelist column. Essentially, the Synod, as Pope Francis has outlined it, will be about mutual listening and dialoging. It will be about reflecting and journeying together. Don’t get scared off by the unusual words. (Synodality isn’t even in the dictionary!) This local synod process is simply going to be an opportunity for you to share your thoughts, your hopes and your needs as a Catholic. We want to hear from you. We want to know what you need from the Church – both local and universal – to help you on your journey of faith. Together we will take the next steps toward greater unity, greater collaboration, greater faith!

The diocese will coordinate regional listening sessions for its 126 parishes, at which everyone is encouraged to share their opinions on what they are looking for from today’s Church. The listening session for the Adirondack Vicariate will be held here at OLA on Tuesday, June 28. Mark your calendar - June 28th at OLA Listening Session. More info to follow

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.

Town of Chester & Tri-Lakes Community Alliance Presents North Country Jazz Project BIG BAND. The benefit Concert is to support the Helpers Fund of Chestertown & North Country Ministry. Sunday, May 22nd at 3 pm at the Chestertown Municipal Center. Basket Raffle at 3 pm and the Concert will begin at 4 pm. Free Entry. Donations Appreciated. Checks are to be made out to North Country Ministry.

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.

ST. JAMES CHURCH:

Mass Intentions: Sunday, 5/14 St. James Parishioners Saturday, 5/21 Mass Intention Available

First Communion: Finn Morris will have their 1st Communion next Saturday, May 21st at the 5:30 pm Mass. Kayla Waldron will receive her 1st Holy Communion on June 4th. Please keep them in prayer as they prepare for the Sacrament.

ST. ISAAC JOGUES:

Mass Intentions: Sunday, 5/15 A Special Intention *Req. Millie Schutta*
Saturday, 5/21 Angela Scinto *Req. Kathy DeBartolo*
Frank DeBartolo

Diocesan Appeal: Wow! We made our Diocesan Appeal, truly amazing! \$22,880