

Northern Points Cluster Bulletin

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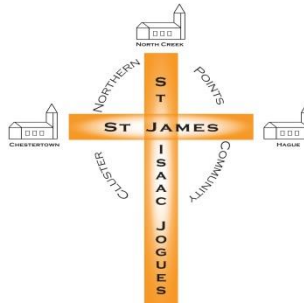
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ESTATE PLANNING

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.

Weekend Mass Schedule

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

Sunday, 8:00 am, St. James Church, North Creek

Sunday, 9:30 am, St. Isaac Jogues, Chestertown

Reminder: When you go to one of our sister churches, please designate your offertory for your own parish

Weekday Mass Schedule

Monday, 2:00 pm, November 7th, Adirondack Tri-County Nursing Home, North Creek

No other weekday Masses

Thanksgiving Day Mass

9:00 am, Thursday, November 24th, St. James, North Creek

Winter Schedule for Vigil Masses Changes on November 26th

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

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

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday, 5:00 pm, St. Isaac Jogues, Chestertown, Parish Center (Fr. John's Office on First Floor)

Sunday, 7:30 am, St. James, North Creek, Parish Center (Living Room)

or by appointment

Hospital Visits

Please contact Fr. John if a parishioner is hospitalized or in a nursing home

Preparation for Baptism and Marriage

Please call Fr. John at 824-1181



CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR CONFIRMANDI



Olivia Hilton

Stephen Monroe

Joseph Pepin

May the Holy Spirit continue to enrich them on their faith-filled journey!

WHAT COMES NEXT?

“What comes next?” This is an old question about life after death. Today’s readings encourage persistence in the face of the unknown. We Christians are heirs of faith in the resurrection (not a Jewish belief), but that does not guarantee courage in living our faith in the here and now. Keeping our eye on life beyond death is critical, but how we live our faith each day is equally important.
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Cluster News

Youth Ministry: This group needs a flat screen television, at least 40”, for their program. Does anyone have one not being used?

National Vocation Awareness Week: November 6-12: See the posters, packets and prayer cards posted and available in church. Let us continue to pray for vocations!

North Country Ministry (*Judy Carr 251-4460 or 623-2829*)

Baby’s Place Play Group: The Baby’s Place Play Group of North Country Ministry meets on the first three Tuesdays of the month from 10:00 to 11:30, at the Adirondack Community Outreach Center, 2718 Route 28, North Creek. Children from newborn through age 3 and their caregivers are welcome to attend FREE of charge. Questions: 251-4460.

Holiday Cards: Holiday cards are being offered as a special gift alternative to honor family, friends and business associates. The inside message conveys the unique gift you have made in the recipient’s name and each card is printed on quality paper with an enclosed envelope. *See the flyer.*

Priory News (518-494-3733)

website: www.prioryretreathouse.org or email: www.prioryretreat@yahoo.com

Quiet Weekend: *Friday, November 11th, Evening – Sunday, November 13th, 11 am:* Give yourself time for peace and needed relaxation as it gets closer to the holidays. Meals, accommodations and spiritual direction can be provided. *See the brochure in the back of the church for additional information.*

“The Task of the Watchman” – A Men’s Conference: *Saturday, November 19, 8 am (Registration)-4 pm:* What are some of the expectations and responsibilities men face in the modern world, and how can the inner “watchman” be fostered to focus on the calling within? Reflect, pray, and connect with other men in the interfaith community.

Dustin Katona/Facilitator Registration: \$65 before 11/1 - \$75 after Nov. 1 – meals included.

Priory Christmas Sale: *Saturday, December 3rd, 9 am – 3 pm:* Annual Christmas Sale at the Chestertown Municipal Center. Holiday gifts, holiday decorations, music, CDs, cards, seasonal art, toys and games, clothing and baked goods will be featured. Questions: 494-3733

ST. JAMES CHURCH:

Bishop’s Appeal: We are still racing to reach our goal of \$11,809. As of this date, we need \$2769 to reach our assessment. This puts us at 76% of the obligation! Only 24% more!

Mass Intentions: Sunday, 11/13 The People of the Parish 8 am

Offertory Collections: Weekend of 10/30/16: \$740 11/1/2015: \$986

ST. ISAAC JOGUES:

Christmas Cantata: *And Glory Shone Around* (by Lloyd Larsen and Douglas E. Wagner).

Performances: Saturday, December 3rd, 7 pm, St. Sacrament Episcopal Church in Bolton Landing, and Sunday, December 4th, 3 pm, in the Community United Methodist Church in Chestertown.

Thanksgiving & Christmas Food Baskets: Food and monetary donations are still needed. If you see “get one free” bargains while food shopping, why not donate the free one. If you have a turkey to donate, call John Vollaro, 494-4398, for more information. Suggested food items for this week are cookies, candy, brownie mix, cake mix, frosting, Jello and pudding.

Mass Intentions:

Saturday, 11/12 People of the Parish Req/K. DeBartolo 5:30 pm

Sunday, 11/13 Nettie Buckley, Grace Eaton, Beth & Kevin Colton Req/Ann Touges 9:30 am

Offertory Collections: Weekend of 10/30/2016: \$1280 11/1/2015: \$2670