

Northern Points Cluster Bulletin

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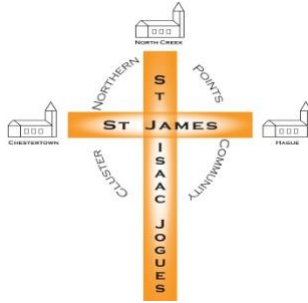
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ESTATE PLANNING

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.

Weekday Mass Schedule

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

Lenten Program

Monday, April 11th, 6:00 pm Cluster Reconciliation Service (*Corrected*)

HOLY WEEK

Monday, April 11th, 6:00 pm Cluster Reconciliation Service

Tuesday, April 12th, 7:00 pm Tenebrae Service

Mass of the Lord's Supper, Thursday, April 14th, 5:30 pm

Good Friday, April 15th, 6:00 pm

Easter Vigil, Saturday, April 16th, 7:30 pm

Easter, Sunday, April 17th

St. James, North Creek 8:00 am

St. Isaac Jogues, Chestertown, 9:30 am

Blessed Sacrament, Bolton Landing, 11:00 am

PASCHAL MYSTERY!

The moments in our spiritual life when we cry, "Crucify him! Crucify him!" are not likely to be "high praise" moments. Crucifixions happen by our negligence and our selfishness. We crucify when we destroy, uproot, tear down, or otherwise extinguish life and that which is life-giving. Often, we don't realize it until it is too late. However, we believe in a God who brings life from death, even when we cause the death. That is the ultimate Paschal Mystery. Copyright, *Living Liturgy* 2019

Prayer for Ukraine (Catholic Agency for Overseas Development)

Loving God,
We pray for the people of Ukraine,
for all those suffering or afraid,
that you will be close to them and protect them.
We pray for world leaders,
for compassion, strength, and wisdom to guide their choices.
We pray for the world
that in this moment of crisis,
we may reach out in solidarity
to our brothers and sisters in need.
May we walk in your ways
so that peace and justice
become a reality for the people of Ukraine
and for all the world.

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: Is Open Again and they are in desperate need of all types of clothing from babies to adult, especially spring clothes. In addition, they are looking for bedding and towels. Clothing 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. The Furniture Barn is open special hours this week Monday through Thursday 12 pm – 2 pm. The Furniture Barn is moving to a new location to be announced at another time.

ST. JAMES CHURCH:

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

Mass Intentions: Saturday, 4/9 St. James Parishioners
Sunday, 4/17 Mass Intention Available

Diocesan Appeal: Wow we should make our assessment. We have collected \$6015 of our assessment of \$6,475 with only \$460 left to go. This is 93% of our assessment with 30 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.

ST. ISAAC JOGUES:

Mass Intentions: Sunday, 4/10 Nettie & John Buckley *Req. Delia LaSalle*
Beth & Kevin Colton
Joan & Hoopie Colton
Saturday, 4/16 Mass Intention Available
Sunday, 4/17 Joseph Turcotte *Req. Cindy & Tom Turcotte*

Diocesan Appeal: Wow we should make our assessment. We have collected \$20,939 of our assessment of \$22,880 with only \$1,941 left to go. This is 92% of our assessment with 72 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.