

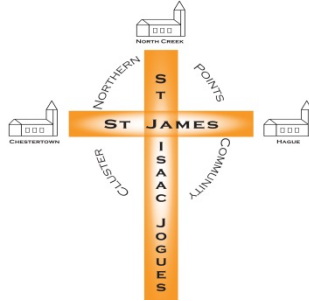
Northern Points Cluster Bulletin

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19th Sunday in Ordinary Time, August 8, 2021

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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. James Church, North Creek
5:30 pm, Saturday Vigil, St. Isaac Jogues, Chestertown
9:00 am, Sunday, St. Isaac Jogues, Hague
11:00 am, Sunday, St. Isaac Jogues, Chestertown

Daily Mass

Wednesday's at 10:00 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation

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 518-824-1181

“IS THIS NOT JESUS THE SON OF JOSEPH? DO WE NOT KNOW HIS FATHER AND MOTHER?”

In these Gospels we come face-to-face with what theologians call “the scandal of the incarnation.” At times, it is too much for our human psyches to comprehend the ability and decision of the infinite and divine to take on the form of the finite and mortal. Within Jesus who walked the dusty roads of Israel, just as within the bread of life at the Eucharist, we find the true presence of the living God, longing for relationship us, if only we have eyes to see.

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Cluster Picnic has been canceled due to Covid concerns.

Holy Water: If you would like to have Holy Water at home, please bring in a container and give it to the greeter and Fr. John will Bless it for you.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter: To support married couples during this time of social distancing, Worldwide Marriage Encounter is sponsoring virtual marriage experiences. Some are on weekends and are seven sessions on weekdays from 7:00pm to 9:30pm. Couples will explore their individual personality styles, improve listening and communication skills, understand God's plan for their marriage, and learn how to keep their relationship a priority. Registration is limited and a \$100 application fee is required. For more information or to apply, call Frank & Margie Pearson at 860-337-2447 or visit them at <https://wwmectw.org/>. Jesus is the living bread. Put God in your marriage. Look on the Worldwide Marriage Encounter website for the next experience near you.

North Country Ministry (518)-623-2829

Clothing Center is open. No Appointment Necessary. Days/hours are Monday, Thursday, Friday from 1-4pm. There is a limit of 5 people in the building at one time.

Food Pantry open Wednesday 1:00—4:00pm

The Furniture Program is open for visitors on Tuesdays from 12:00 pm to 2:00 pm as well as Thursdays from 10:00 am to 12:00 pm. No Appointment Necessary

Second Collection: is for the Evangelist. If you would like to receive the Evangelist, please call the office.

ST. JAMES CHURCH:

Raffle: Porch Swing; tickets available after Mass, \$5.00.

Food Baskets: We will be collecting for the Food Pantry once again.

Mass Intentions: Saturday, 8/14 Patrick Cunningham Req/Carol Richards & George Heim 4:00 pm
Russ & Jill Raymond Req/Ginny Raymond 4:00 pm

ST. ISAAC JOGUES:

Fall Frolic: Is on Sunday, September 26th at 3 pm, Forest Lake Camp, Chestertown. We have begun to collect items for the Chinese Auction or if you would prefer to make your own basket that would be wonderful. The Chinese Auction is a wonderful community builder, and it is 100% profit. We look forward to a successful event and fellowship. As of Thursday afternoon, we sold 88 tickets. Almost halfway there.

Food Baskets: We will be collecting for the Food Pantry once again.

Mass Intentions: Saturday, 8/14 Mary & Buddy Attanasio Req/Kathryn DeBartolo 5:30 pm
Norris Dodge Req/Margaret Carboy 5:30 pm
Bill Carboy
McKenzie Family
Sunday, 8/15 Joseph Turcotte Req/Cindy & Tom Turcotte 9:00 am
Tom Geraghty Req/Camille Dougan 11:00 am