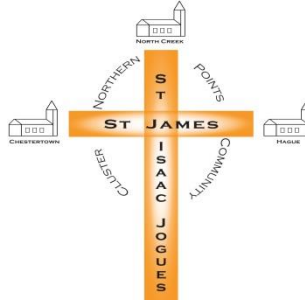


Northern Points Cluster Bulletin
Rev. John O'Kane, Pastor of the Parishes of St. James & St. Isaac Jogues
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30th Sunday in Ordinary Time, October 29, 2017

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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

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

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

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

11:00 am, Sunday, Blessed Sacrament, Bolton Landing

Mass at one of our Sister churches? Please designate your offertory for your own Parish.

Weekday Mass Schedule

1:30 pm, Monday, October 30th, Adirondack Tri-County Nursing Home

See the Masses for the Feast of All Saints Day

No weekday Masses in St. James, North Creek -- Masses will resume in May 2018

Masses - Feast of All Saints – Wednesday, November 1st

8:30 am, St. Cecilia, Warrensburg

9:00 am, St. James, North Creek

3:30 pm, St. Isaac Jogues, Chestertown

7:00 pm, Blessed Sacrament, Bolton Landing

Cluster Mass – All Souls Day – Thursday, November 2nd

7:00 pm, St. Isaac Jogues, Chestertown

Cluster Mass for all souls in our Book of Life, especially those who passed away this year

Sacrament of Reconciliation

5:00 pm, Saturday, St. Isaac Jogues Parish Center, Chestertown, 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

Remember to change your clocks the weekend of November 4th & 5th! Fall back!

TESTS!

Some tests are routine, and we take them for granted. For example, emergency broadcast system tests, fire drills, biyearly eye exams. Other tests cause us stress and anxiety. For example, a driver's license test, a bar exam, cancer tests. Jesus had no anxiety about the test the Pharisees put to him. Neither did he take the test for granted. If Jesus were to test us by asking, "What is the greatest commandment?" our verbal answer might pass with flying colors. But would the way we live pass His test? Copyright, *Living Liturgy* 2017

Cluster News

Marriage Encounter Weekend: November 3rd to 5th; Ramada Inn, Albany, NY. *See the flyer*
Concert: Saturday, November 11th, 7:30 pm, Church of the Immaculate Conception, Glenville: Auriel Camerata, whose members are professional musicians and music educators: *Serenade to Music – The Music of Ralph Vaughan Williams: Adults \$25; Students \$15 – www.aurielcamerata.org*
Confirmation: Sunday, November 19th, St. Cecilia's, Warrensburg, at 2 pm. Let us keep our Confirmandi in our prayers: Jack Buckman, Shane Caunter, Juliana Hilton, Caleb Morehouse.

North Country Ministry

Judy Carr, 251-4460 or 623-2829 www.NorthCountryMinistry.org

Clothing is Needed: Clean, gently used clothes for the Baby's Place in both North Creek and Warrensburg, as well as men's and women's adult clothing and blankets!

Furniture Barn: Open on Fridays from 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm.

Priority News (518-494-3733)

www.prioryretreathouse.org

Vespers at the Priory: Wednesdays & Saturdays, 5:30 pm: Potluck Supper & Scripture Study follow Wednesdays. There will be 20 minutes of Stillness Meditation and Communal recitation of the Jesus Prayer starting at 5:10 pm. *(by donation)*

Guided Weekend Retreats: Fridays, Nov 17-19/Dec 15-17, 2 pm: spiritual direction, community prayer, meals & accommodations—\$225 individual

Young Adult Guided Weekend Retreat: Friday, 7 pm - Sunday, 2 pm: December 1-3: This is a retreat for young adults who are amid the busy, fast-paced lifestyle of the world and who seek to UNPLUG. \$225 Individual *(scholarships available)*.

ST. JAMES CHURCH:

Second Collection: Weekend of November 5th: North Country Ministry

Readers, Greeters & Eucharistic Ministers: See Karen after Mass to set the November schedule.

Note: Mass, 5:30 pm, starting Saturday, November 25th

Mass Intentions: Sunday, 11/4 People of the Parish

Regular Offertory: September 2017: \$3638 September 2016: \$3949

ST. ISAAC JOGUES:

Thanksgiving & Christmas Food Baskets: Our Food Basket Ministry needs non-perishable food and monetary donations for our food baskets. Suggested food items for this week are pasta, pasta sauce, cereal, rice, gravy, and dried potatoes. Please leave your donations in the box near the church entrance. We welcome all non-perishable food. Can you help the food basket team? Call John at 518-494-4398.

Christmas Cantata: *A Classic Carol Celebration* (by Tom Fettke & Thomas Grassi): Performances are scheduled for Saturday, December 9th at 7 pm in St. Sacrament Episcopal Church in Bolton Landing and on Sunday, December 10th at 3 pm in the Community United Methodist Church in Chestertown.

Mass Intentions: Saturday, 11/4 People of the Parish 5:30 pm

Sunday, 11/5 Edward Belanger Req/Community of SIJ 9:30 am

Regular Offertory: September 2017: \$9050 September 2016: \$10679