

Northern Points Cluster Bulletin
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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 Masses

1:30 pm, Monday, October 21st, Elderwood at North Creek

9:00 am, Tuesday, October 22nd, St. James, North Creek

5:15 pm, Wednesday, October 23rd, St. Isaac Jogues, Chestertown

Winter Schedule

(effective November 30th & December 1st)

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

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

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

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

Masses – Feast of All Saints – Friday, November 1st

9:00 am, St. James, North Creek

5:30 pm, St. Isaac Jogues, Chestertown

7:00 pm, Blessed Sacrament, Bolton Landing

Cluster All Souls Day – Monday, November 4th

7:00 pm, St. Isaac Jogues, Chestertown

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

Cluster Thanksgiving Day Mass – Thursday, November 28th

9:00 am, St. Isaac Jogues, Chestertown

1:30 pm, Elderwood at North Creek

Sacrament of Reconciliation

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

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

PATIENCE!

It can be so difficult to be patient. Lessons we learned or attempted to learn in childhood are still with us as adults. Opportunities to learn patience abound! One clever prayer, inspired by St. Francis of Assisi, reads: "Lord, grant me patience...NOW!" Copyright *Living Liturgy* 2019

RE-IGNITING OUR FAITH!

Keep in prayer this continuing Campaign. Consider pledging or donating. The Holy Spirit is calling us to be aware of our needs in our beautiful churches, Cluster, and Diocese. Remember, we are doing together what we cannot do alone. May God bless us as we continue to "Re-Ignite our Faith!" *Fr. John O'Kane*

Cluster News

Sacrament of Confirmation: Sunday, November 17th, 2:00 pm, St. Isaac Jogues, Chestertown. Let us pray for our Confirmation candidates, Anthony Galle and Ryan Morris, as they continue their Confirmation preparation.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter: Build faith through love in your marriage by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next weekends are November 1-3, 2019 in East Windsor, CT and November 8-10, 2019 in Huntington, NY. Information: Pat & MaryJo McLaughlin, 860-315-2127 or <https://www.mectw.org/>.

Magnificat: Women's Breakfast, by Albany NY Chapter, Saturday, November 9th, 9:00 am – 12:00 pm, The Vista Restaurant at Van Patten Golf Club, Clifton Park, NY; Guest Speaker: Sr. Teresa Grace Baillargeon, C.R. *See the flyer in the back of the church for additional information.*

ST. JAMES

Bishop's Appeal: The assessment for St. James this year is \$9,399. This is a reduction of \$392 from last year. We have collected \$7,525 (46 gifts) to date. We have \$1,874 still to collect! Remember, let us strive for 100% participation; not equal gifts, but equal sacrifice! God Bless you for your generosity, commitment & support always. We have reached 80%!

Re-Igniting Our Faith: We are in the midst of our Capital Campaign. With 23 pledges to date, we have reached a total of \$32,125! This is 38% of our goal of \$85,000. Thank you for your pledge or donation.

Workbook for Lectors: Please see Joyce or Karen for a copy of the *2020 Workbook for Lectors*.

Mass Intentions: Sunday, 11/03 People of the Parish 8:00 am

ST. ISAAC JOGUES

Bishop's Appeal: The assessment for St. Isaac Jogues this year is \$24,439. This is a reduction of \$1,018 from last year. We have collected \$22,355 (86 gifts) to date. We have \$2,084 still to collect. Let us strive for 100% participation; not equal gifts, but equal sacrifice! God Bless you for your generosity, commitment & support always. We have reached 92%!

Re-Igniting Our Faith: With your continued generosity, our current total of pledges and donations is \$131,710! Thank you to those who have donated or pledged to this Campaign. It is not too late to do so.

Thanksgiving & Christmas Food Baskets: As in years past, our parish will work in cooperation with our local food pantries to provide holiday food baskets for needy families in our area. We hope to deliver baskets to 25 families for thanksgiving & Christmas. You may place non-perishable food items in the container at the entrance of the church. Monetary donations may be placed in the box provided there or drop any donations in the Parish Center/Office. Can you help by working with the food basket team? Call John, 518-494-4398.

Workbooks for Lectors: The *2020 Workbook for Lectors* is available. Please call the office.

Mass Intentions: Saturday, 11/02 People of the Parish 5:30 pm
Sunday, 11/03 Joe Turcotte Req/Nenninger Family 9:30 am