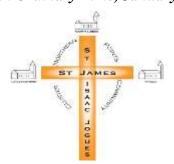
Northern Points Cluster Bulletin Rev. John O'Kane, Pastor of St. James & St. Isaac Jogues Barbara Carlozzi, Pastoral Associate of Parish Life 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time, January 26, 2020

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Weekend Mass Schedule

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

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

Weekday Mass Schedule

1:30 pm, Monday, January 27th, Elderwood at North Creek 12 Noon, Wednesday, January 29th, St. Isaac Jogues, Chestertown

Sacrament of Reconciliation

3:30 pm, Saturdays 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 518-824-1181

RE-IGNITING OUR FAITH!

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

KINGDOM OF GOD!

The preaching of Jesus calls us most immediately to a conversion in which we turn from that which leads us away from the fullness of life Jesus is offering, and a realization that the Kingdom of God is here in our midst. There is no need to delay; if the Kingdom is "at hand," we are to live our lives worthy of the Kingdom in the here and now. Copyright, *Living Liturgy 2020*

THE 39[™] GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY RAFFLE

St. James Church

Support the major fund-raising event for the Parish by taking a chance! Many people place several names on the same ticket!

Grand Prize: \$10,000

Contribution for Raffle Ticket: \$100 (Only 200 Tickets will be available)

Place: Basil & Wicks Date: Sunday, January 26th

Times: 1 pm to 4 pm – Happy Hour 1 pm (cash bar) – Dinner 1:30 pm

Dinner: Italian Buffet **Music:** Frank Conti & his Band

Dinner Tickets & Reservations: \$25/adult - \$10/child (12 & under)

Please call Joyce Parker at 518-251-2220

Cluster News

RCIA: Do you know someone who would like to know more about this program or the Catholic Church, or is there a family member who would like to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation: Does someone need encouragement from you to enter this program? Please call Fr. John or the office for more information. A meeting of inquiry will be set.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter: "Put on as God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, heartfelt compassion, kindness, humility gentleness, and patience, bearing with one another and forgiving one another." Work to live in your marriage as God desires by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next weekends are March 27-29, 2020 in Albany, NY and July 10-12, 2020 in East Windsor, CT. Information, call Pat & MaryJo McLaughlin, 860-315-2127 or visit them at https://wwm.nctw.org/.

Magnificat: Albany Chapter of Magnificat is sponsoring a Women's Breakfast, Saturday, March 14th, 9:00 am to 12:00 pm, Holiday Inn Express, 400 Old Loudon Road, Lathan. Guest Speaker is Lynda Holler. Lynda's topic is "Living and Learning God's Truth Through Both the Joys and the Sorrows." See the flyer at the back of the church for additional information and to register.

Retreat for Women: Weekend of April 3-5: Dominican Retreat & Conference Center, Niskayuna, NY. The Guest Director is Sr. Julia Mary Werner, a Sister of Mercy. This year's theme: "Trust in the Lord with All your heart. "Enjoy hours away from daily routine for rest, quiet, learning, and reflection, inner healing, growth, prayer, and sharing. Individual or private consultation with any of the staff will be available. Open to all faith and all ages. For more information or any questions, please see the flyer with an application form at the back of the church or call Ginny Raymond, 518-251-3515.

North Country Ministry

518-251-4460 or 518-623-2828

Gala: February 14th, "Love is in the Air," Queensbury Hotel, RSVP 518-623-2829 Ext 302

Books: After you have read a book, please consider donating it to NCM to be available for other readers.

ST. JAMES

Re-Igniting Our Faith: We are in the midst of our Capital Campaign. With 24 pledges to date, we have reached a total of \$32,425! This is 39% of our goal of \$85,000. Thank you for your pledge or donation.

Wine & Cheese: Following the 5:30 pm Mass on Saturday, February 15th. Let's thank our seasonal parishioners for being a part of our community. Hot cocoa will be available for the children.

Readers, Greeters, Eucharistic Ministers: See Karen or Joyce following Mass to set the February schedule. **Mass Intentions:** Saturday, 2/01 People of the Parish 5:30 pm

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 \$23,420 (93 gifts) to date. We only have \$1,019 still to collect. Let us strive for 100% participation: not equal gifts, but equal sacrifice! God Bless you for your generosity, commitment and support always. We have reached 95%!

Re-Igniting Our Faith: With your continued generosity, our current total of 81 pledges and donations is \$148,185! 74% of our \$200,000 goal. We are slowly inching our way to our goal! Thank you to those who have donated or pledged to this Campaign. It is not too late to do so.

Italian Night: Saturday, February 8th, 5 pm, Parish Center. Sign-up sheets in the back.

Meeting for Italian Night: Wednesday, January 29th, 4:30 pm, Parish Center

Mass Intentions:Saturday, 2/01George MelfiReq/Kathy DeBartolo4:00 pmSaturday, 2/01Ida ThomasReq/Michele & Bill Ryan4:00 pmSunday, 2/02Carmela SoricelliReq/Millie Schutta9:30 am