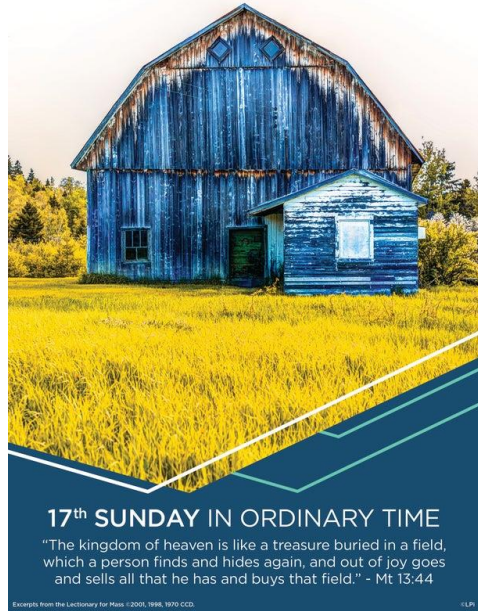


17th Sunday Ordinary Time July 30, 2023



Cluster Events

CELEBRATE THE 100TH ANNIVERSARY OF OUR SISTER CHURCH ST. ISAAC JOGUES, HAGUE

A 100th Anniversary Mass will be celebrated on Sunday, August 13th @ 5 pm. A reception/fellowship will be held in the Community Center across the street from the church following Mass. Please plan on joining us for this momentous celebration. A sign-up sheet is available if you would like to bring a finger food to share.

Fr. Tom Curry, Fr. Matt Duclos, Fr. Kyle Gorenski, Fr. Steve Moore, Fr. Dan Nelson, Fr. Joe O'Brien & Deacon Bob Wubbenhorst have accepted the invitation to Concelebrate the Mass with Fr. John. Hopefully Fr. George Flemming will be able to join us, also.

This is a bittersweet celebration, because the weekend Liturgy will no longer be celebrated at this location beginning Labor Day 2023. We ask God to continue to guide us as we navigate new waters.

The regular 9 am Sunday Mass will not be celebrated on August 13th.

Pastoral Council Meeting

Tuesday, September 12th @ 4:30 pm

Church of the Blessed Sacrament Bolton Landing

Intentions & Mass Cards: Please call Rita Whitney at 518-338-6858.

7/30 10:30 am Mildred Gallo *Req. Donna Langan*
Ed & Al VanValkenburgh *Req. Family*
John Vega *Req. Family*

8/6 7:30 am Ethel Walsh *Req. Cathy Fogarty*
8/6 10:30 am Dorothy Stone *Req. Dawn Faller*
Charles Hensler *Req. Pat Hensler*

Prayer Intentions: Please call Pat Nugent
518-668-2765

Offertory: 7/16 Reg. \$2,760 2nd Coll \$986

North American Martyrs Display: to be set up on Thursday, August 3rd after the 9:30 am Mass.

Vanco Online Giving:

<https://secure.myvanco.com/L-Z9Q3>

Set up your Login username and password **or** make a one-time donation.

No Daily Mass this weekend or next. Fr. John is on vacation.

North Country Ministry

“NCM’s Ribbon Cuttings for TWO of their programs!”

North Country Ministry is proud to announce the reopening of its Furniture Program and the opening of the Brant Lake Clothing Center with Ribbon Cutting celebrations for both locations.

NCM and the Warrensburg Chamber of Commerce invite the public to join us on Thursday, August 3rd at 1 p.m., in celebration of the Grand Re-Opening and to tour our new facility for the Furniture Program. The program’s new location is 2 Stewart Farrar Ave, Warrensburg, NY 12885. In partnership with the First Presbyterian Church, NCM has found a new home for our Furniture Program, which will continue to provide the community with gently used furniture.

NCM and the North Warren Chamber of Commerce invite the public to join them on Wednesday, August 9th at 11:30 am, to celebrate the Ribbon-Cutting Ceremony of their new Clothing Center program. The Brant Lake Clothing Center is located at 148 Tannery Road, Brant Lake, NY 12815. In partnership with the Family YMCA of the Glens Falls Area, NCM has expanded its clothing program to provide access to clothes for our northern service area.

St. Isaac Jogues Chestertown/Hague

Intentions & Mass Cards: Please call Kathy DeBartolo at 518-494-7873

7/29 5:30 pm Paul Penn *Req. Burke Family*
7/30 9 am CT Ann Christensen

Req. Barb Carlozzi

7/30 9 am Hague, Pat Lally *Req. Gerry & Don Tosti*

8/5 5:30 pm Dottie Stone *Req. Kathy DeBartolo*

8/6 9 am Hague Bernadette & Ed Lally

Req. Gerry & Don Tosti

8/6 9 am CT Frances Ryan *Req. Ryan Family*

Offertory: 7/23 \$5,753

Fall Frolic: Ticket sales will run through September 24th, the day of the drawing! The raffle is \$100 each. If we sell all 200 tickets, there will be 3 prizes of \$3,333.33. The venue this year for the Fall Frolic is in the Parish Center. We will have wine, cheese and finger food fellowship, and will run from 2 pm to 4 pm. Our famous basket raffle is also returning! If you would like to donate a made-up basket this year, that would be most appreciated. Perhaps you can buy a gift certificate from a restaurant or business of your choice to include in these baskets. We will be providing a form on which you can itemize the contents in your basket. This will allow us to generate a master sheet with all the baskets itemized. Bring your wrapped and itemized basket to the church on or before September 4th. The earlier the better, as it promotes the raffle. There will be a sign-up sheet for all who will be doing a basket and sign-up sheet for anyone who would like to bring a finger food to share.
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St. James North Creek

Intentions & Mass Cards:

Please call Kathy DeBartolo at 518-494-7873

7/29 Rod Sargent & Bob Wiedeman *Req. Nan*

8/19 Jill Raymond *Req. Ginny Raymond*

Offertory: 7/23 \$921

Summer Raffle: will benefit the St. James Religious Education Program. The prize is a Patio Table Set. The tickets are \$5 each. The drawing will be on Sat, 9/2/23.

THY KINGDOM COME!

Mass Times for Assumption

August 14th @ 5:30 at St. Isaac Jogues, Chestertown
7:00 at Bl. Sacrament, Bolton Landing
August 15th @ 9:00 at St. James, North Creek
9:00 at St. Isaac Jogues, Hague

RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS

What Is God Asking of You?

What are you willing to give for the sake of the kingdom of God? Often, we begin a discussion like this with a story or a few leading thoughts. However, if we are to be serious about who we claim to be as Christians, there should be no beating around the bush. The question is not only important for each of us and our relationship with our God, but it should be important for the relationship each of us has with the entire Body of Christ. Like any good team or family, I need you to have my back, and I need to have yours. If one of us is going to lay it on the line and be all in for our faith, then we *all* need to be as well.

If only all the Christians of the world felt the same way. In some parts of the world, Christians are still being martyred for their faith. Others must worship underground and avoid the government-led police. Then there are those who seem to take faith for granted, and because little is asked by their friends or parish, they give nothing. It is quite a contrast of situations.

On this day, it may seem like little is being asked of you and I by God. Is that because we aren't being asked or because we aren't listening? If you are counting on me and I am on you, we should figure this out sooner than later. Of course, I suspect we actually do know the answer, don't we? —
Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS ©LPi

Flocknotes—Stay Connected

Text 84576 as if you were adding a contact to get connected. This will keep you in touch if you are a snowbird. It also will give you Word on Fire which contain many Bishop Barron's Video's and many other dynamic ways to enrich your faith! We will also update with Mass times or cancelations. Stay connected with your home away from home.