

# 21st Sunday Ordinary Time August 25, 2013

## WE GATHER

This Weekend: Mission Appeal

## Welcome Father Erascto Naakuli

### THIS WEEK

Saturday 4:30 Eucharist (4PM Reconciliation)  
 Sunday 10AM Eucharist  
 Tuesday 10 AM Adult Home—Comm. Service  
 8 PM AA Jaracz Hall  
 Thursday 12N AA Jaracz Hall  
 7PM MASS in Spanish  
 Friday 8AM Eucharist

### COMING SOON

9/9 Women's Spirituality  
 9/15 Catechetical Sunday  
 9/22 "Faith Festival"  
 9/29 Protecting God's Children  
 9/18 Pastoral Council Meeting  
 10/6 World's Largest Garage Sale



### Sister Catherine Schuyler csj at 102!

Sister Catherine sends her love and her gratitude for the many well wishes, cards, and the many who enjoyed lunch with her at the Provincial House on Friday. Sister Catherine is the oldest CSJ sister in the Albany Province, and is also first in "rank" among all the sisters. (Aren't we lucky to call her our own???) Sister lived here for 12 years!!)

## News from Neighbors

### North Country Ministry 623-2829

3933 Main Street Clothing Center & Baby's Place  
 9-12 Mon/ 9-12 Tues/ 1-4 Wed, Thurs, Fri.

**Summer Jackpot:** It is time again for North Country Ministry's summer jackpot! Only 200 tickets will be sold at \$100 each. Three prizes will be awarded in the amount of \$5,000, \$2,000 and \$1,000. The drawing will be held at the conclusion of the Golf Tournament at Cronin's Resort on Sunday, September 15th. Forms are available in the back of the church.

### Back to School Clothing .. NCM

North Country Ministry's clothing center is in need of kids and teens clothing for the back to school season, sizes 4 - 18, both boys & girls. Of course adult clothing is accepted as well.

### The Priory in Chestertown

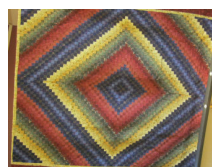
(www.prioryretreathouse.org)

Go to the web page for details, flyers on the bulletin board, or call 494-3733. Some really nice opportunities await us!

### Queen Sized QUILT

Tickets \$2 each or  
 3 tickets for \$5

Thank you for supporting fundraising efforts at St. C's



## Garage Sale Donations

Once again we will be collecting for the World's Largest Garage Sale to be held the First Weekend of October. The garage behind the church awaits your donations. THANKS! And thank you to Tom Dean who has been handling the entire sale ever since Bob Croft gave it up many years ago. THANKS, TOM!

## WE WORSHIP

### Mass Intentions

Saturday, 8/24 4:30 EMILY MONTVERDE  
 Req. by Lee Schiavi  
 Sunday, 8/25 10AM BETTY WALPOLE  
 Req. by Geary Walpole (available)  
 Friday, 8/30 8AM \_\_\_\_\_ (available)  
 Saturday, 8/31 4:30 VINCENT KENNAH  
 Req. by Lee Schiavi  
 Sunday, 9/1 10 AM RONNIE VINCENT  
 Req. by wife, Marlene



### Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Sacred Heart Church

Every Wednesday, 8:30am - 9pm

Chaplet of Divine Mercy - Wednesdays 3pm.

**Prayer Chain:** Contact Alice Damp  
 623-3618 or edaldamp@yahoo.com



The August **Tabernacle Candle** burns in loving memory of **Gertrude Frick**, requested by her family. The September **Tabernacle Candle** will burn in loving memory of **Grace and Rocco Fortino**, parents of and requested by Anne Rubin.

## WE SERVE

### MINISTRY TO/OF LOCAL HISPANIC BROTHERS & SISTERS!

THURSDAY, AUGUST 29

Father Rich Broderick will celebrate Eucharist in Spanish.  
 7PM All parishioners are welcome, of course!!



### SHARING TREASURE Thank You

Church Support = \$2580.50 Make-Up = \$731  
 Gifts: = \$89 Virtual Breakfast = \$5  
 Debt Reduction/Drainage Project = \$165  
 Catholic Home Missions = \$164 Parishioners in Need = \$114  
 Catholic Education = \$5 Fuel = \$100  
 Assumption of Mary = \$223  
 North Country Ministry = \$60 Guatemala = \$10



**Kids' Bathing Suits for Namibia** will be collected in the Fall. Please keep this in mind at the end of summer.

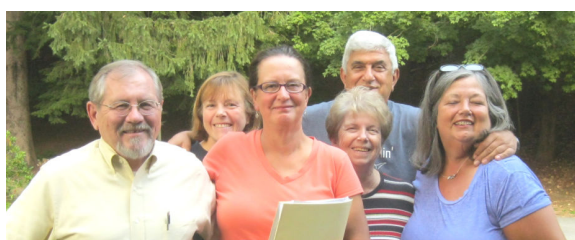
**Kids' Halloween Costumes** no longer being used and only taking up space would be welcome by North Country Ministry for distribution. As you come across them in your closet/ attic, feel free to drop them at Church.



**Syrian Refugee situation:** The civil war in Syria rages on and more than 1.5 million refugees have fled the violent conflict to neighboring Jordan, Lebanon, and Turkey. Each day, 6.8 million people affected by the conflict need shelter, food, water, and medical care. CRS and their local partners are able to provide these critical services.

More help is needed, though, as the situation in Syria and the region intensifies. *Your voice is needed.* Tell your Representative and Senators that the U.S. needs to work to: achieve a ceasefire to end the violence and support a political solution that builds an inclusive democracy in Syria; support robust funding for the Syria crisis and humanitarian emergencies globally in FY 2014 appropriations; and, ensure access to humanitarian assistance with impartiality in Syria. Google "Catholics Confront Global Poverty" and you will find an easy way to email our congress folks! Please help.

To our GOLF TOURNAMENT PLANNING TEAM (left): Tim Morrison, Sue Shepler, Betty Kusky, Ed Gaiotti, Gail DeMarsh, Linda Gaiotti. Another GREAT job!!!



## Rather than a new car or a

## trip around the world,

all the parishes of the diocese will "chip in" and give Bishop Hubbard what he **REALLY** would like for his 75th birthday and retirement:

Acts of Prayer and Acts of Service. Our gift must be "wrapped up" by 10/9.

### Community Prayer Offering

- ◇ Bishop's Intentions will be remembered at Eucharist on Saturday, October 5 and on November 3 at St. C's.
- ◇ On October 7, the Feast of "Our Lady of the Rosary," we will host a Marian Devotion at St. C's, praying the "Ordinary Mysteries" of the Rosary (First Mystery: Making a Living; Second Mystery: Raising a Family third Mystery: Being a Good Citizen; Fourth: Practicing Faith; Fifth Mystery: Balancing Responsibilities)



### Acts of Service

- ◇ Keep doing what you are doing! But do it in honor of our Bishop.
- ◇ Very soon, two or three service projects will be offered to the community. They involve people helping people who really need help! Stay tuned.
- ◇ The boxes for Good Fall Clothing for Kids and Adults are ready in the narthex. "Clothe the Naked" in honor of our Bishop (and in response to the Gospel!)



## We Teach

Sundays, 11AM -12Noon

Sept 15 Catechetical Sunday

Breakfast meeting of catechists etc.

Sept 22 Faith Festival

Opening Day... All

Sept 29 Protecting God's Children

Annual Classes

October 6 No Class—Garage Sale

October 13 We Resume!

### Home Mission Collection

This is one of our annual national collections taken up in every diocese to support those USA diocese who cannot stay afloat due to their own poverty. Sister Linda's salary while in Alaska plus many other benefits for the parishes she worked in was supported by this collection. Your money will go straight to "putting boots on the ground" in poor places. We will take the collection next weekend. Please be as generous as you can be.

### Thank You To...

- ◇ Three Wonderful Men in our community offered to drive Father Naakuli to the airport at 4AM on Monday. The Winner Is: Mark Semon! We thank Mark and the other two volunteers: Bud York and Steve Danna.
- ◇ Dick Ouellette for creating a beautiful table and bench out of the Butternut Tree that was cut down in 2007.
- ◇ Peggy Knowles is seen weeding the gardens in the front of the church. Thank you, Peggy!
- ◇ Dan and Pat Loyas for hosting Father Naakuli to dinner on Saturday night.
- ◇ the "music choosers" for the new music menu: Gail DeMarsh, John and Mary Ann Doty, Richelene Morey. And a huge thanks to Ellen Barlow for inserting the menus in the bulletin!
- ◇ Our Ministers of Care who have been visiting and bringing a few munchies to some elders temporarily homebound.