


February 10, 2013 Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Parish Life Director: **Sister Linda Hogan csj** slhcsj@verizon.net / 623-3021 Sacramental Minister: **Father Paul Cox** 656-9464  
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Ash Wednesday is this week... 10am at the Adult Home... 7PM at Church.

"The beginning of love is to will to let those we love be perfectly themselves, the resolution not to twist them to fit our own image." Thomas Merton

 **Religious Education**  
helps to build a  
strong foundation

**WE TEACH**

**Faith Formation Schedule**

K-6 will have regular gatherings Sunday, February 10.  
 The High School Gathering will be held Saturday February 9.  
 The next session will be March 10.

**WE GATHER**



Echo Lake Lodge  
**Saturday, February 16th**  
**VALENTINE DINNER DANCE**  
**\$30pp includes tip/tax**  
 Turkey Dinner etc. Cash Bar  
 Paul Siletti, DJ playing YOUR SONG!  
 All are welcome...  
 Bring Friends

Checks payable to St. Cecilia's by February 10th.  
 To make reservations, get further information, or to get  
 your song on the "play list,"  
 call John Cleveland at 504-8037

(This dinner dance is St. C's way of helping the town  
 celebrate the Bi-Centennial. Come and have fun!)

**GOINGS ON...**

- Saturday 4:30 Eucharist
- 5:30 7-12 Pizza and Faith Formation
- Sunday 10AM Eucharist
- 11- 12 K-6 Regular Gathering
- Monday 7PM Women's Spirituality
- Tuesday 5-7P Shrove Tues.day Pancakes at Presb. Church
- 8 PM AA Jaracz Hall
- Ash Wednesday** 10AM at Countryside Adult Home
- 7PM at Church
- Thursday 12N AA Jaracz Hall
- Friday 9AM Eucharist
- Saturday 9:30 AM Ministry to Homebound Brunch
- 4:30P Eucharist (4PM Confession)
- Next Sunday 10AM Eucharist NO Faith Formation

**PLANNING AHEAD**

- February 20, 27 and March 6, 13, & 20 Peter Avvento on  
 "Morality" at Our Lady of Annunciation
  - Feb 24 Annual Regional Lenten Afternoon of Reflection
  - March 3 First Reconciliation 11AM... All Welcome
  - "Wing Off" to benefit 2013 Youth Mission Trip
  - March 8 Stations of the Cross—(Clown Ministry)
  - March 17 2PM Courtly Music/ Recorder Band Celtic Con  
 cert and Dance at St. C's
- \$10 for North Country Ministry

**Wonderful Lenten Experience**

Sunday, February 24, 1:45P to 5P at OLA  
 Join with North Country Catholics...

**"The Vision of Vatican II -  
 Being Church in a New Way"**

Sponsored by NC C CAFE  
 (North Country Continuing Adult Faith Enrichment)  
 Presenters:  
 Sister Katie Eiffe csj and Sister Kate Arseneau csj  
 Free Will Offering

**WE WORSHIP**

**Mass Intentions**

- Saturday 2/9 4:30PM **Ronald Joy**  
 Req. Mark and Diane Joy Murray
- Sunday 2/10 10AM **Tommy Howe 3rd Anniv.**  
 Req. by grandmother Gerri Howe
- Ash Wednesday 2/13  
 10AM (Adult Home) **Manuel d'Orey Babone**  
 Req. by friends Donna and Dick Emerson
- 7PM (Church) \_\_\_\_\_ Available
- Friday of Lent ..2/15 9AM \_\_\_\_\_ Available
- Saturday.. 2/16 4:30PM **Thomas Havens** Req. Renate Elber
- First Sunday of Lent 2/17 10AM **May and Robert Lamb**  
 Req. by daughter, Margaret Carroll

**Local Ash Wednesday Mass & Ashes**

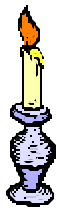
- 7:AM St. James, North Creek
- 8AM Sacred Heart, Lake George
- 9AM St. James, North Creek
- 10AM At Countryside Adult Home (Father Cox)
- 12 Noon Sacred Heart, Lake George
- 3:30PM St. Isaac Jogues, Chestertown
- 5:30PM St. Isaac Jogues, Chestertown
- 7PM St. Cecilia's, Warrensburg  
 Blessed Sacrament, Bolton landing

**Available Masses in the Future** (Mass Donation is \$10)  
 Saturdays March 2, 16  
 Sundays February 24, All Sundays of March  
 Fridays, all of them!



**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 Tabernacle Candle** burns in February  
 In memory of **Thomas Havens**  
 at the request of **Renate Elber.**

April 2013 Tabernacle Candle Intentions available

**News from Neighbors**

**FREE SHROVE TUESDAY DINNER**

This Tuesday, Our Presbyterian Neighbors on Steward Farrar  
 Street (across from Stewarts) welcome all and anyone for a free  
 Pancake Supper between the hours of 5 and 7PM. How nice!

**FLASH MOB EVENT** March 23rd at Aviation Mall. Interested?  
 Sister Linda will send you the info. Fun! All Ages. 3 rehearsals.

**North Country Ministry 623-2829**

3933 Main Street Clothing Center & Baby's Place  
 9-12 Monday/ 9-12 Tuesday/ 1-4 Wed, Thursday, Friday

**The Priory in Chestertown**

(www.prioryretreathouse.org)

Go to the web page for details or call 494-3733.

**Overnight Retreat for Young Women (College Age +),**

Come Away and Pray for a While, Friday February 22  
 (7PM) to Saturday, February 23 (4PM) Experience new  
 ways to pray! Deepen some traditional forms of prayer!  
 \$30 registration fee. Contact Sister Jeanne Marie Gocha  
 at 518-783-3605; jgocha@csjalbany.org

**WE SERVE**

**ANNUAL COLLECTION FOR CHURCHES**  
**SERVING OUR NATIVE AMERICAN, BLACK,**  
**AND LATINO BROTHERS AND SISTERS**  
**WILL BE HELD NEXT WEEKEND. THANKS!**

**SHARING TIME AND TALENT**

Thank you to **Brandy Dineen** for collating and alpha-  
 betizing about 3 tons of loose music sheets! Thank you  
 to **Cathy Fiffe** for tearing up the carpet strips in Sister  
 Catherine's room. Thank you to **Leigh Cain** for writ-  
 ing an article about us for the Evangelist and to  
**Heather Jones** for creating our "Guatemalan Show  
 and Tell!"

**SHARING TREASURE**

Church Support = \$2092; Make-Up \$797  
 Gifts \$125. Fuel = \$80; Mito \$20,  
 Youth Mission Trip = \$75; Faith Formation \$20  
 North Country Ministry \$219

**Thank You**

**GUATEMALA continued...**

Enjoy this weekend's "mission trip in pictures" created  
 by Heather Jones and playing in the narthex. Watch for  
 an article in the Evangelist by Leigh Cain! Another  
 article about our trip will be published by staff writer,  
 Angela Cave. Finally, Father Rich Broderick describes  
 one of the many horrific experiences the folks near San  
 Lucas have been through. See today's insert.

**About Our Lenten Alms**

The choice is yours.

Our beneficiaries will be:

**RICE BOWL** is sponsored by Catholic Relief Services  
 which is the international ministry of the church equiv-  
 alent to what we know locally as Catholic Charities.

**And / Or**

**MITO HOPE AND HELP** is the organization  
 founded by our very own Cathy LaFond Evans. Mito-  
 chondrial disease affects her family, is little known or  
 understood by doctors, and has few advocates. This  
 organization

**CICILIA** is one of Mary Beth Gallagher's kids in  
 Windhoek, Namibia. Our alms will enable Cicilia to  
 go to school, have books, a uniform, shoes, and support  
 all along the way. (You may want to sponsor a child  
 on your own. The donation is \$150. Speak to SLH)

**SAN LUCAS MISSION** in Guatemala helps the peo-  
 ple by running/supporting the parish, the school, farm,  
 reforestation, a women's center, and welcoming per-  
 sons like us so that we could learn how the rest of the  
 world lives! They do mission work and education.

**STOVES** for poor families in San Lucas. This is not  
 what you are picturing in your mind. Right now, the  
 poor cook over a small open fire inside their poorly  
 constructed home. After a while, the inner roof and  
 walls are covered in creosol, high inflammable. Solar  
 stoves don't get hot enough for the tortillas. The best  
 invention is what looks like a large concrete "block"  
 with a small opening on the side to insert sticks. On  
 the top are three "old fashioned" flat iron circular plates  
 that heat up. There is a chimney to the outside to pre-  
 vent creosol from building up. The stove takes dra-  
 matically less wood than the open fires require. To  
 build and install one stove, it cost about \$250. The  
 poor could never afford this in their lifetime.

**LOCAL PARISHIONERS** have serious need, un-  
 known to most of us. Quite a few are hanging on by  
 the skin of their teeth! Children are involved.

Please give your alms in any way you want. If  
 you prefer that all of your alms go to one par-  
 ticular place, then simply write that on the en-  
 velope where it says "other." You might prefer  
 to give to the same concern each week of Lent.  
 That's fine! Or you might have a destination  
 other than what is offered here. Up to you.

**"Catholics at the Capitol"** You are invited to join with other Catholics and the NYS Bishops on  
 Wednesday, March 20, to advocate on behalf of the poor and vulnerable people of our communities. We will  
 hear from experts on legislations, visit legislators, and stand together in solidarity. Before February 22, regis-  
 ter online at www.nyscatholic.org. **Advocacy Issues:** #1 Oppose the radical abortion bill which ex-  
 pands abortion and threatens religious liberty #2 Preserve Catholic schools and provide equitable resources  
 for all school children. #3 Ensure that Medicaid redesign provides benefit to consumers and does not dim-  
 ish quality care #4 Develop affordable housing for low income and vulnerable populations #5 Support  
 humane treatment for incarcerated individuals. Go to the website for details.& watch for future bulletin inserts.