



FIRST COMMUNION

We have fourteen disciples of Jesus one step closer to full initiation into the Church.

We welcome and congratulate

Thomas Birkholz
Duncan Blydenburgh

Elizabeth Bonk
Mairina Callahan

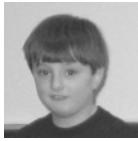
Christian Carrion
Zachary Davis

Travis Gosselin
Megan Hughes

Gavin Jones
Daniel Kelly

Meagan O'Sullivan
Willow Swan-Scott

Charlie Weick
Sean Winter



We thank and congratulate their parents and families for supporting their preparation for Eucharist,

And thank their teachers:

Erika Walker K-1

Kristine Williams 2

The Presiders of Liturgy of the Word,

Gail DeMarsh for their liturgical education,

And Phyllis Welsh for the dynamic and loving

guidance given to the entire process.

We are sooooo lucky to be part of such a wonderful community of faith!

God Bless Our Children and Families!



WORSHIP

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FIRDAY MORNING EUCHARIST RETURNED
TO 8AM FOR GOLF SEASON

Eucharist May 2 & 3

4:30P Intentions of LaFond Family req. Claire

10A Intentions of our First Communicants and their families.

Fri 8A Deceased Members of Kane & Wallace Families

Eucharist Intentions May 9 & 10

4:30P Blanche Smith req. Aurelie Massimine

10A Our Mothers, Living and Deceased

Fri 8A Deceased Members of Kane & Wallace Families

Congratulations And Thank You!

To Gail DeMarsh who has just completed her diocesan certification in two areas of ministry: Liturgical Coordinator and RCIA. Gail has not only completed the Formation for Ministry, but also an additional 96 hours of training (which implies weekly trips to Albany at night!) Gail is a "natural" in her liturgical planning and presence and her pastoral approach to her work. Please thank her. It is her only earthly reward!



Gail participated in the Albany Graduation on May 2 and will travel to Rochester next weekend to participate in the full Commencement ceremonies of St. Bernard's School of Theology and Ministry! YAHOO, GAIL!!

3933 Main NORTH COUNTRY MINISTRY

623-2829

Clothing Center and Baby Place Open 6 days a week!
9-12 Mon 9-1 Tues 1-4 Wed, Thurs, Fri 9-12 Sat



"Hand in Hand" Marriage Ministry

(All couples welcome)

Meets next Saturday

May 9

7-9PM at York's

57 Library Avenue

(623-2809)

Movie and Popcorn... All Welcome!!!!

Bring a snack to share if you want to.

"As Good As It Gets!"

Jack Nicholson and Helen Hunt

(Why not? . Just come!)

News from Neighbors

The parishes of Blessed Sacrament -Hague/ St. John the Baptist -Chestertown Invite you to the installation of their pastor

Fr. John O'Kane

Friday, May 22, 2009 at 7PM

St. John the Baptist Church, Chestertown

A reception to follow in parish center.

Commitment Weekend

For Our Annual

BISHOP'S APPEAL

was last weekend.

Sorry you missed it!

Your envelope is on the table near the green basket.

Thanks!

We only need \$19,379!

Donors may visit The Bishop's Appeal web site at www.thebishopsappeal.org. On the home page click on the "pledge / donate" button to access the online giving page. The process is easy and maintains the highest security standards for donating online. All major credit cards including American Express are accepted as are electronic fund transfers.

Donors may indicate their parish of choice by simply selecting from a drop down window. (Don't mix us up with the church in Fonda with our name!!!)

TEACH

ADULTS

Don't miss Spring Enrichment go to www.rcda.org and look for the link. Why not go for just one day? It will give you a spiritual lift! Carpooling is available. Ask Phyllis Welsh for further details.

RCIA

Shari Blydenburgh and John Cleveland continue their journey in the period called "Enlightenment." All are welcome to join us any Thursday, 7-8PM at the convent, especially if you would enjoy some enlightenment!

YOUTH

Grades 9 and 10 will have their last class on Sunday May 17 at 11A. Grades 7-10 will attend the Cluster Youth Picnic in Bolton Landing on June 21st. Upcoming 7th graders (current 6th) will be the team leaders at this Summer's Campout August 17-21.

CHILDREN

Today we celebrate First Communion. All will participate in Eucharist and the party in Jaracz Hall following..

TODDLERS to GRADE 2

Each Sunday Eucharist at 10AM: Children's Liturgy of the Word

BABIES

The next "Babies Day Out" will be held at the Fish Hatchery tomorrow, Monday. Pack a lunch and bring snacks to share. All Welcome! Further info is available from Rita Lang at 623-9124.

Spring Bible Study for the North Country

by David Vredenburg will be held on Thursday, 7-8:30PM at St Michael's May 7. Carpooling will be available. Theme: "THE RESURRECTION OF JESUS: OUR POWER FOR MISSION." \$5 per class. Ask Sister Linda for details. Certification credits available for catechists.

SPRING ENRICHMENT

www.rcda.org May 11-14 at College of Saint Rose, Albany
Pastoral Care Training, Liturgical Ministers and Musicians, Parish Leaders, Catechists.. EVERY ADULT INTERESTED IN LEARNING SOMETHING ABOUT FAITH OR MINISTRY!
This is for you!!! Over 100 courses to choose from...
Take one course or twenty! Carpool or stay in Albany.
All the info is available at www.rcda.org, link: Spring Enrichment. "Walk-ins" are welcome. Each class cost \$12,

SERVE

Thank You!

Thank you to all who were able to contribute to support the ministry and maintenance at Saint Cecilia's last weekend. It totaled \$1882.50 And thank you to the 76 households whom so far have contributed to the Bishop's Appeal. We have about 230 households to go! Thanks!

Thank you to the army of men who last weekend hauled ladders and scaffolding and storm windows. You were a tremendous help with the work and boost for the spirit!

Thank you to Rich Morasse for turning the water on at West Wing and for preparing the screen porch... And to Peter Wood who began cleanup of the trails following the winter ice storms and blow-downs! (Want to help???)

Many thanks to all who helped with last Sunday's breakfast for the Faith Formation Families: Chuck and Jacob Johnson who donated and cooked the eggs, with the help of John Karl Kelly. Others who cooked, waited, set up or cleaned up: Kristine Williams, Tim and Amy Toolan, Maureen O'Sullivan, Tom Birkholz, Angel Davis, Whitney Markwica, MacKenzie Blydenburgh, Kevin Bleanger, Paul Cain, and all the parents who brought breakfast items to share.



Mothers' Day Brunch

Next Sunday in Church Hall 11AM All Women are invited to be pampered by all the Fathers and Children with a delicious breakfast following 10AM Eucharist. (Last Sunday it was for children, next Sunday for Women, and in June a picnic for men!)



Garage Sale

June 19 & 20
Watch for further info.
Help / Donations needed



Golf Tournament

Sunday, August 16, 1PM
\$95
Get your foursome!!
Spread the word!!
Save the date!!

(We already have registrants & prizes!!)



St C

Summer Camp
Rising 4th—6th graders
Rising 7th graders =
Team Leaders
August 17-21

Space is limited and filling up fast!
Cost? \$1 a day! Director: Joe Klewicki
Assisted by Phyllis Welsh and Others

GATHER

May 3, 2009
4th Sunday of Easter
First Communion Sunday!

SUNDAY

10A FIRST EUCHARIST! AMD RECEPTION

TUESDAY

10A ADULT HOME COMUNION SERVICE
11A-12:30P GATHERING PL A CE
8P AA IN HALL

THURSDAY

7-8:30P ACTS OF THE APOSTLES ... ST. MIKE'S
(CARPOOL LEAVING AT 6:15P FROM CH)
7P RCIA ... CONTINUES! CONVENT. ALL WELCOME

FRIDAY

8AM FRIDAY MORNING EUCHARIST
11AM GATHERING PL A CE

SATURDAY

7-9P MARRIAGE MINISTRY AT YORKS' WELCOME!

NEXT SUNDAY

5/10 MAY CROWNING MOTHER'S DAY BRUNCH

SOON

5/11-14 SPRING ENRICHMENT— ST ROSE

5/17 SPECIAL PROJECT

GRADES 9-10 MINI COURSE

5/31 FAITH FORMATION FUND RAISER

6/7 FISH HATCHERY PICNIC HONORING DADS

6/19&20 GARAGE SALE

6/21 YOUTH PICNIC VETERAN'S PARK BOLTON LND.

8/16 GOLF TOURNAMENT

12/13 WICKED

9/2010 Oberammergau Tour Germany/Paris.

Neighboring Catholic Churches:

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[BLSSD SACRAMENT Bltn Lnding 644-3861](#)

[ST. JOHN the BAPTIST Chstrtwn 494-5229](#)

www.stceciliachurch.com

The bulletin is available on line.

Watch for new pictures

DON'T TOSS OUT YOUR EASTER BASKETS!!!

We need only eleven more for next year's goodies for the homebound.

